

Table 93 Deaths of homeless people, Great Britain

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Estimated deaths (numbers)									
England and Wales	482	475	508	565	597	726	778	688	741
England	460	469	485	539	584	692	745	664	701
North East	18	32	14	24	32	36	28	34	37
North West	55	66	69	87	119	103	126	126	114
Yorkshire and The Humber	31	26	42	41	49	70	72	67	77
East Midlands	25	20	38	35	34	48	51	52	46
West Midlands	41	54	48	35	45	64	64	45	66
East	28	45	26	34	33	56	62	53	43
London	134	103	141	132	136	148	144	143	154
South East	79	72	59	97	84	79	88	69	90
South West	49	50	48	55	52	87	111	74	73
Wales	22	6	23	26	13	34	33	22	40
Scotland					164	195	216	256	250
Estimated deaths per million total population									
England and Wales	11.4	11.2	11.9	13.1	13.8	16.7	17.8	15.7	16.8
England	11.5	11.6	12.0	13.2	14.2	16.8	18.0	16.0	16.8
North East	9.4	16.3	7.3	12.2	16.0	18.3	13.9	17.1	18.6
North West	10.5	12.5	13.0	16.3	22.2	19.2	23.3	23.3	21.0
Yorkshire and The Humber	7.8	6.6	10.5	10.1	12.1	17.3	17.8	16.5	18.9
East Midlands	7.2	5.8	11.0	9.9	9.6	13.6	14.3	14.5	12.7
West Midlands	9.7	13.0	11.3	8.2	10.5	15.0	14.7	10.4	15.1
East	6.5	10.2	5.9	7.5	7.3	12.5	13.8	11.7	9.4
London	21.1	16.0	21.6	20.0	20.5	22.1	21.4	21.2	22.5
South East	12.2	11.1	8.9	14.6	12.6	11.9	13.3	10.3	13.4
South West	12.4	12.4	11.8	13.5	12.8	21.2	26.9	17.9	17.5
Wales	9.7	2.6	9.9	11.4	5.8	14.5	14.3	9.4	17.2
Scotland					39.9	47.4	52.5	61.6	60.4

Source: ONS: Deaths of homeless people by country and region, England and Wales, and NRS Homeless Deaths in Scotland.

Notes: 1. Figures are experimental and are derived from when deaths are registered and not when deaths occurred. Figures also reflect place of death and not area of usual residence.

2. Figures refer to homeless people aged 15-74 years and rates per million people for all areas are based on total population aged 15 to 74 years.

3. Regional figures may not sum to the English total due to ONS rounding. Figures for Scotland are only available from 2017.

4. The methods used by NRS and ONS are similar but not to the extent it is possible to produce a GB-wide figure.

5. ONS caution that all estimates across GB are conservative. They also stress that ONS lists of known homeless (including temporary) accommodations is much less comprehensive than NRS lists.