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Prevalence of Autism in Derbyshire

Table 1: Estimated numbers of adults with autism in Derbyshire. (2009)

	Autistic Spectrum			Asperger's/HFA		
	All adults	18-64	65+	All adults	18-64	65+
Derbyshire	7,130	5,600	1,530	3,209	2,520	689
Amber Valley	1,140	896	244	513	403	110
Bolsover	700	551	149	315	248	67
Chesterfield	951	747	204	428	336	92
Derbyshire Dales	652	486	166	294	219	75
Erewash	1,029	817	212	463	368	95
High Peak	867	693	174	390	312	78
NE Derbyshire	928	705	223	417	317	100
South Derbyshire	862	704	158	388	317	71
East Midlands	41,069	32,778	8,291	18,481	14,750	3,731
England	467,569	375,743	91,826	210,406	169,084	41,322

Note:
Those with Asperger's/HFA are a subset of those with autistic spectrum.

Table 2: Estimated numbers of young people aged 14 to 17 with autism in Derbyshire. (2009)

	Autistic Spectrum		Asperger's/HFA	
	N	%	N	%
Derbyshire	468	1.21	211	0.55
Amber Valley	74	1.21	33	0.54
Bolsover	46	1.22	21	0.55
Chesterfield	61	1.21	28	0.54
Derbyshire Dales	38	1.19	17	0.53
Erewash	70	1.21	32	0.54
High Peak	58	1.21	26	0.54
North East Derbyshire	60	1.22	27	0.55
South Derbyshire	62	1.21	28	0.55
East Midlands	2,735	1.19	1,231	0.53
England	30,499	1.18	13,725	0.53

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Source of data for table 1 and 2: Planning4care: learning disability needs assessment Derbyshire (2009)