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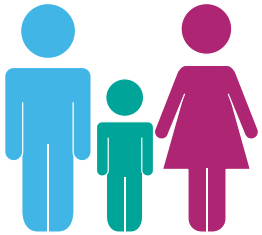
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Fowey community hospital Case for change

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Mid (south) area: At a glance

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59,515 people live in the catchment of Fowey Community Hospital



23% of people **have a limiting long-term condition**, compared with 18% across England.

More **people older than 65** live in mid (south) Cornwall than the England and South West average.



26% of the population are **older than 65**, compared with 22% of the south west, and 18% of England.



17% of households **have no car**, compared with 26% across England.



People like living here

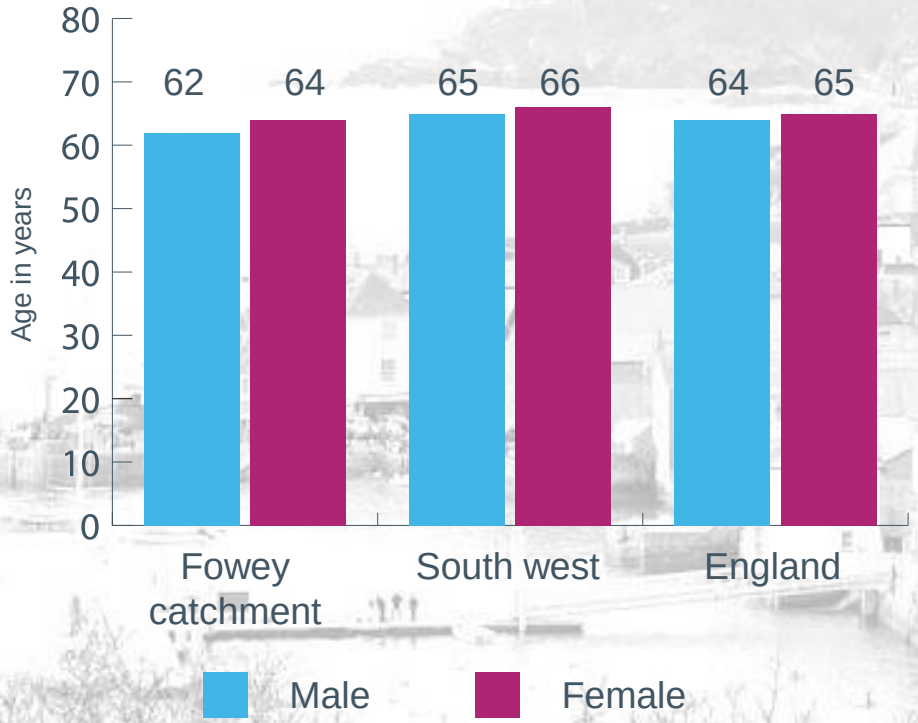
84% of people are **satisfied with their neighbourhood**, compared with 79% across England.

Mid (south) area: Key facts

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The dependency ratio (ratio of non-working age) to working age of 0.74% is higher than England average of 0.59%.

Disability free life expectancy



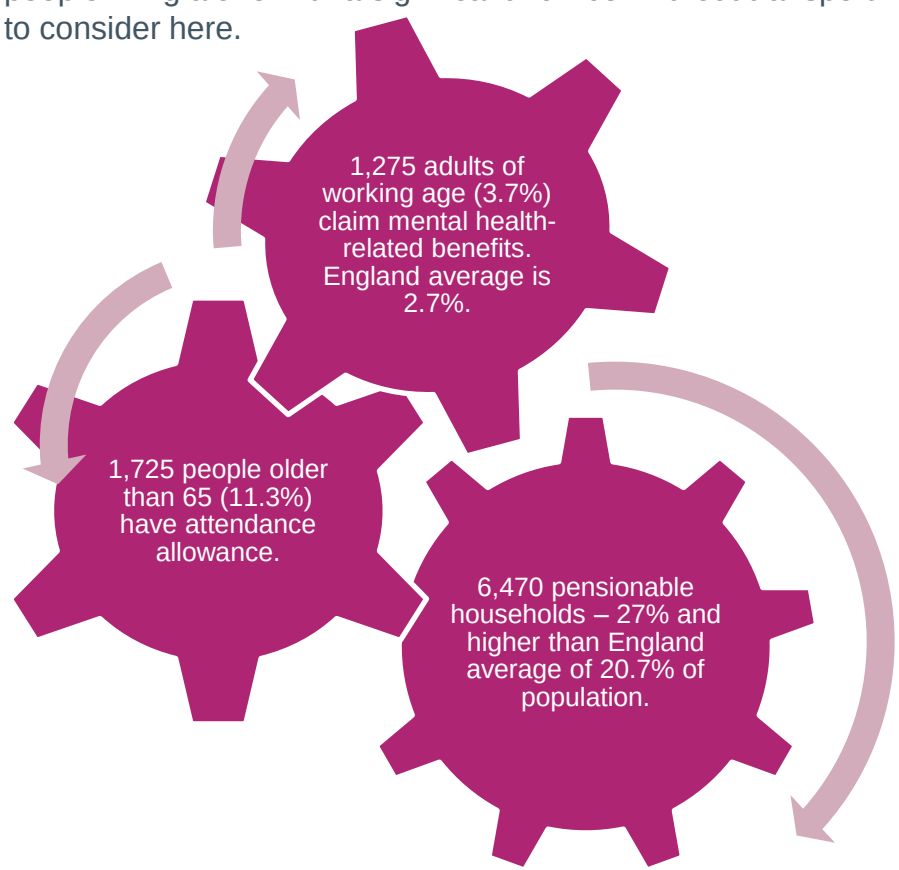


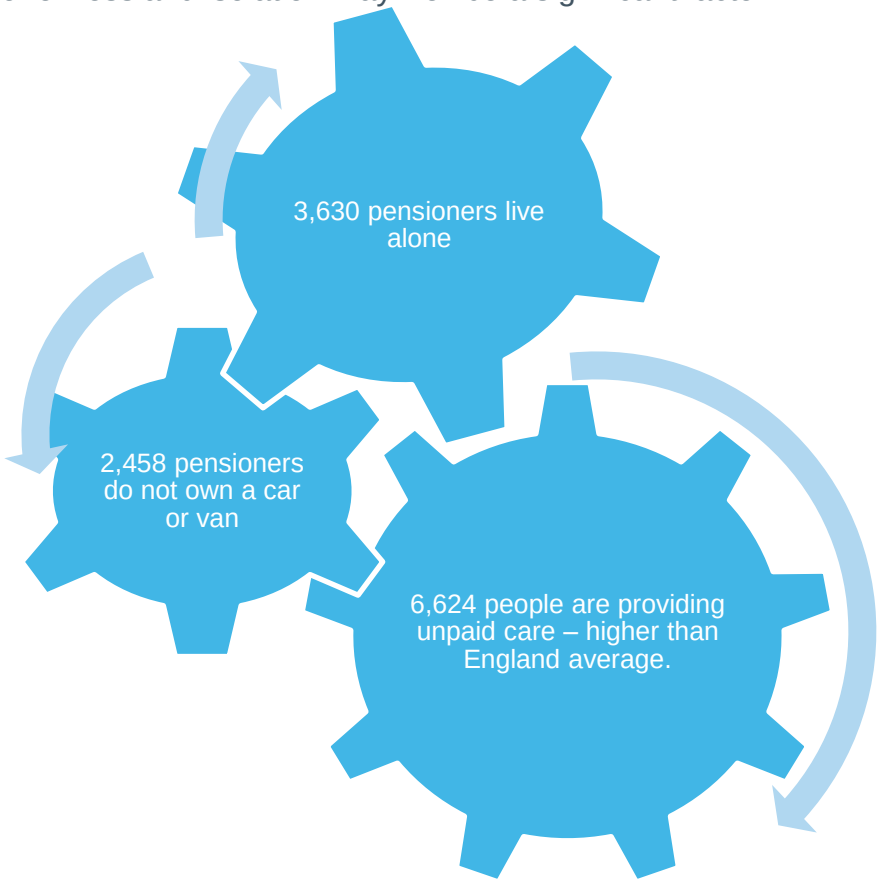
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Mid (south) population needs

Whilst some of the population needs are not unique to the mid (south) area and are in line with the England average, there are higher than the averages for people with mental ill health, older people, more rural residents and more older people living alone-with a significant number without transport. Loneliness and isolation may well be a significant factor to consider here.





19,793 residents (35.3%) are classified as being ‘rural residents’. The England average is 10.5%, which has implications for isolation, community networks, access to community facilities etc.

Facts and figures

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Five GP surgeries, with a registered population of **59,515 people**

Higher numbers of local staff are reaching retirement age:



29% of practice nurses



15% of GPs



5% of community nurses

Care homes

No extra care housing beds to provide an alternative to long-term residential care.	Two care homes and 67 beds, and 63 nursing beds have closed during the past two years.

Hospital admissions

From December 2017 to November 2018, 270 people had their discharge from hospital delayed.	19 admissions a month to hospital from care homes. 80 people receiving NHS Continuing Healthcare.

About Fowey Community Hospital

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