

# INTELLIGENCE BULLETIN

## 225. Health and Care of People with Learning Disabilities – Experimental Statistics 2015-2016



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### Summary

Information on people with and without learning disabilities was collected from over half of GP practices in England in 2014-15 and 2015-16, to identify potential differences in the treatment, health status, and outcomes of people with learning disabilities compared with the rest of the population. Overall, in 2015-16, 0.45% of the population were recorded as having a learning disability.

This release looks at aggregated data on key health issues for people who are recorded by their GP as having a learning disability and comparative data about a control group who are not recorded by their GP as having a learning disability.

### Key Facts - England

- In 2015-16, of the eligible patients with a learning disability, three in four received colorectal cancer screening, an increase from just over two in three in 2014-15.
- Breast cancer screening for eligible female patients decreased in all age groups in both patients with and without a learning disability. Females aged 65 to 69 with a learning disability saw the largest decrease, from just under 55% in 2014-15 to around 52% in 2015-16.
- The percentage of patients known to their GP as having a learning disability who received an annual learning disability health check increased to 46% from 43% in 2014-15.
- Obesity is twice as common in people aged 18-35 with learning disabilities, being underweight is twice as common in people aged over 64 with learning disabilities, compared with patients with no learning disabilities.
- The key figures for those with learning disabilities are presented for Warwickshire's three CCGs below.

## Key Facts – CCGs

Indicator	Coventry and Rugby CCG					
	2015-16			2014-15		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
<b>Breast Cancer Screening (females aged 50 – 69)</b>	-	90	90	-	82	82
<b>Colorectal Cancer Screening (aged 60-69)</b>	47	52	99	25	38	63
<b>Learning Disability Health Checks (All Ages)</b>	384	277	661	300	234	534
<b>Obesity (BMI 30 or over – all ages)</b>	187	189	376	139	168	307

Indicator	South Warwickshire CCG					
	2015-16			2014-15		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
<b>Breast Cancer Screening (females aged 50-69)</b>	-	70	70	-	70	70
<b>Colorectal Cancer Screening (aged 60-69)</b>	37	27	74	29	21	50
<b>Learning Disability Health Checks (All ages)</b>	262	212	474	229	182	411
<b>Obesity (BMI 30 or over – all ages)</b>	93	112	205	87	119	206

Indicator	Warwickshire North CCG					
	2015-16			2014-15		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
<b>Breast Cancer Screening (females aged 50-69)</b>	-	56	56	-	32	32
<b>Colorectal Cancer Screening (aged 60-69)</b>	29	19	48	15	10	25
<b>Learning Disability Health Checks (All ages)</b>	214	176	390	153	107	260
<b>Obesity (BMI 30 or over – all ages)</b>	88	116	204	69	67	136