

Comparison of male and female life expectancy at birth in MSOAs across Norfolk, 2019-2023.

Life Expectancy at Birth - Definition

Life expectancy is the average number of years a person would expect to live based on contemporary mortality rates. For a particular area and time period, it is an estimate of the average number of years a newborn baby would survive if he or she experienced the age specific mortality rates for that area and time period throughout his or her life.

Life expectancy figures used reflect those living in an area in each time period, rather than mortality among those born in the area. The figures are not therefore the number of years a baby born in the area could actually expect to live, both because the mortality rates of the area are likely to change in the future and because many of those born in the area will live elsewhere for at least some part of their lives.

Data

A selection of Middle Super Output Areas (MSOAs) was chosen to provide a broad geographical spread across each district. Not all MSOAs are shown on the map. For each district, the MSOA with the highest life expectancy and the MSOA with the lowest life expectancy have been included. All life expectancy data used was obtained from the Public Health Profiles produced by the Office for Health Improvement & Disparities.

Data used for male life expectancy can be viewed here:

[Fingertips | Department of Health and Social Care](#)

Data used for female life expectancy can be viewed here:

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Breckland

- **Swaffham** – Male: 80.4 years; Female: 83.6 years
- **Hockering, Mattishall & Cranworth** – Male: 80.5 years; Female: 84.9 years
- **Watton** – Male: 78.1 years; Female: 84.4 years
- **Thetford North** – Male: 77.2 years; Female: 82.1 years
- **Thetford Central & East** – Male: 80.5 years; Female: 82.5 years
- **Mundford, Weeting & Forest** – Male: 82.3 years; Female: 82.8 years
- **Dereham North & Neatherd** – Male: 81.8 years; Female: 83.0 years

- **East Harling, Garboldisham & Kenninghall** – Male: 82.6 years; Female: 83.9 years
- **Attleborough** – Male: 78.8 years; Female: 83.3 years

Broadland

- **Taverham** – Male: 80.7 years; Female: 83.8 years
- **Drayton and Thorpe Marriot** – Male: 80.5 years; Female: 82.1 years
- **Spixworth & St Faiths** – Male: 81.7 years; Female: 84.8 years
- **Aylsham** – Male: 82.7 years; Female: 86.0 years
- **Horsford, Hainford & Hevingham** – Male: 80.2 years; Female: 82.1 years
- **Coltishall, Buxton & Frettenham** – Male: 81.2 years; Female: 85.3 years
- **Blofield, Lingwood & Upton** – Male: 80.5 years; Female: 84.5 years
- **Brundall & Cantley** – Male: 81.1 years; Female: 82.2 years

Great Yarmouth and Waveney

- **Caister-on-Sea** – Male: 79.0 years; Female: 83.0 years
- **Yarmouth North** – Male: 78.8 years; Female: 80.1 years
- **Yarmouth Parade** – Male: 72.1 years; Female: 78.2 years
- **Yarmouth Central & Northgate** – Male: 73.0 years; Female: 81.2 years
- **Gorleston North** – Male: 74.7 years; Female: 80.5 years
- **Gorleston West** – Male: 78.5 years; Female: 80.1 years
- **Gorleston South & Beach** – Male: 79.1 years; Female: 85.2 years
- **Belton** – Male: 78.8 years; Female: 82.5 years
- **Bradwell South & Hopton** – Male: 79.3 years; Female: 83.3 years
- **Bradwell North** – Male: 81.2 years; Female: 83.5 years

King's Lynn and West Norfolk

- **Brancaster, Burnham Market & Docking** – Male: 83.0 years; Female: 83.3 years
- **Hunstanton** – Male: 79.6 years; Female: 81.8 years
- **Heacham & Snettisham** – Male: 80.1 years; Female: 81.6 years
- **Dersingham, Sandringham & Massingham** – Male: 83.3 years; Female: 83.9 years
- **Grimston, Gayton & East Winch** – Male: 82.6 years; Female: 86.2 years
- **North Lynn** – Male: 72.5 years; Female: 78.2 years
- **Wootton** – Male: 81.5 years; Female: 85.2 years
- **Downham Market** – Male: 78.9 years; Female: 83.0 years

North Norfolk

- **Holt & Weybourne** – Male: 82.2 years; Female: 85.3 years
- **Sheringham** – Male: 80.0 years; Female: 83.5 years
- **Cromer** – Male: 77.0 years; Female: 83.1 years
- **Fakenham** – Male: 80.2 years; Female: 82.7 years
- **North Walsham East** – Male: 76.6 years; Female: 83.0 years
- **North Walsham West** – Male: 77.2 years; Female: 83.0 years
- **Mundesley, Trunch & Bacton** – Male: 80.1 years; Female: 83.2 years
- **Stalham & Sea Palling** – Male: 80.4 years; Female: 84.4 years

Norwich

- **Eaton** – Male: 84.5 years; Female: 86.9 years
- **Heigham Grove & St Augustines** – Male: 71.6 years; Female: 80.7 years

South Norfolk

- **Diss and Roydon** – Male: 79.3 years; Female: 83.1 years
- **Harleston & Pulham** – Male: 79.7 years; Female: 84.8 years
- **Mulbarton, Tasburgh & Saxlingham Nethergate** – Male: 82.2 years; Female: 84.5 years
- **Trowse, Poringland & Stoke Holy Cross** – Male: 82.1 years; Female: 85.8 years
- **Wymondham West** – Male: 80.1 years; Female: 86.9 years
- **Wymondham East & Spooner Row** – Male: 80.5 years; Female: 84.4 years
- **Hethersett** – Male: 81.0 years; Female: 86.4 years
- **Old Costessey & Queens Hills** – Male: 81.5 years; Female: 83.1 years