

Paper Title: Covid Vaccine Uptake plan

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Current community uptake rates across ethnic group and deprivation index

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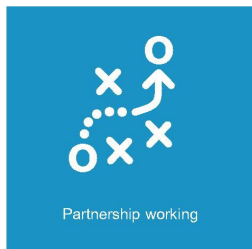
In England, as of 3 February, the proportion of people age 80+ who have had their 1st dose by ethnic group and deprivation¹

% of those age 80+ who had received their 1st dose. Date as of 3 February 2021, 8am		Index of Multiple Deprivation 2019 decile										All deprivation groups	No. of people
		1 - most deprived	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 - least deprived		
White	British	83%	85%	86%	87%	88%	89%	90%	90%	91%	91%	88%	2,412,065
	Irish	79%	82%	83%	82%	85%	86%	88%	87%	88%	89%	85%	30,332
	Any other White background	74%	74%	76%	79%	81%	83%	84%	85%	85%	88%	82%	120,617
Asian	Indian	70%	72%	74%	77%	79%	81%	81%	82%	81%	81%	78%	42,413
	Pakistani	48%	51%	57%	60%	61%	63%	66%	69%	69%	71%	56%	20,652
	Bangladeshi	48%	56%	54%	58%	62%	63%	71%	69%	65%	78%	57%	5,815
	Any other Asian background	56%	63%	66%	68%	69%	73%	71%	72%	75%	74%	69%	14,599
Black	African	38%	39%	42%	44%	45%	45%	48%	51%	48%	50%	43%	10,476
	Caribbean	51%	51%	51%	51%	54%	55%	58%	62%	66%	70%	53%	31,358
	Any other Black background	45%	43%	46%	49%	56%	58%	55%	61%	68%	66%	50%	5,629
Mixed	White and Asian	63%	71%	73%	74%	79%	72%	80%	74%	81%	84%	76%	1,838
	White and Black African	53%	49%	48%	48%	63%	52%	56%	60%	63%	71%	54%	1,195
	White and Black Caribbean	52%	52%	54%	56%	59%	60%	65%	71%	72%	77%	58%	3,751
	Any other mixed background	68%	73%	74%	74%	78%	79%	81%	81%	84%	82%	78%	6,473
Other Ethnic Groups	Chinese	66%	65%	64%	68%	67%	73%	67%	70%	66%	66%	67%	6,118
	Any other ethnic group	53%	60%	64%	68%	72%	74%	75%	76%	80%	83%	71%	19,912
Not Known		24%	26%	31%	38%	44%	48%	52%	52%	55%	57%	44%	122,617
All ethnic groups		77%	78%	80%	83%	85%	86%	87%	87%	88%	89%	85%	2,855,860
No. of people		188,120	211,579	233,137	264,364	291,272	313,636	325,406	333,717	342,814	351,815	2,855,860	

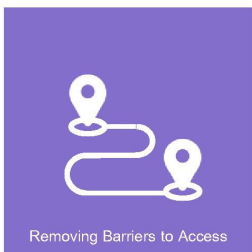
1. England IMDB by Ethnic Group, Analytical Services | Data, Analysis and Intelligence Service (DAIS)

Key enablers

Delivered and underway



- Vaccination Equalities Committee established with membership from across government, DPH, PHE, DHSC, Third Sector and wider partners
- Support local partnership working e.g., Dorset ICS working with regional and national colleagues and Family Friends and Travellers to engage and develop best practice for working with Gypsy Traveller communities
- Developing the strategy to ensure parity of access for Cohorts 5,6,7,8 & 9 and Phase 2 of the vaccine deployment and considering what might increase uptake for minority groups



- Accessible information including translations on vaccine information including braille, BSL, easy-read, large-print, over 20 languages
- Setting-up vaccine sites to meet community needs – e.g., Mosques, Temples, Churches, as well as mobile units such as the Crawley bus
- GP Registration programme underway – in collaboration with Primary Care and Health Inequalities Team (Inclusion Health)
- No NHS numbers – implemented a workaround for those without an NHS number, supported by advice and guidance.
- Specific work targeting health and social care workers – improving offer and uptake
- Ensuring current EHIA's are reviewed and updated, and new EHIA's developed as the programme develops
- Work underway with councils to ensure that all those sleeping rough are registered with a GP and targeted support is built in to local area vaccination plans.

Actions (ongoing & next 4 weeks)

- Provide resource (c. £40k to each ICS) to continue to intensify local system engagement to improve vaccine uptake across all communities.
- Explore funding options for local initiatives.
- Work with national partners e.g., LGA, ADPH, national advocacy and patient organisations to identify, write up and share best practice engagement.
- Working with partners to explore options for improving access to vaccination sites e.g., Charities Together, blood bikes/community transport.
- Video produced to show during 15-minute wait post-vaccine in multiple spoken languages to help reinforce key public health messages (including second dose take-up)
- Continue to encourage faith leaders to volunteer in vaccine sites e.g., Imams in Southampton.
- Continue to support local systems to work with health inclusion groups to identify and remove access barriers for key groups e.g., sex-workers, asylum seekers, homeless community. For example in Lancashire are creating temporary mobile units.
- Finalise materials including top tips for those with a learning disability on how to get vaccinated and for vaccination teams on how to best engage and support people with a learning disability.
- Enforcing use of EHIA at every vaccination site.