
BETTER PLACES PARTNERSHIP

WEDNESDAY, 18TH JANUARY, 2006 at 16:00 HRS - .

MEMBERS: **Councillor Peter Hillman** (Chair), **Anne Fisher** (Haringey Council), **John Brown** (Haringey Fire Service), **Paul Hand** (Haringey Metropolitan Police), **Diana Holba** (Environment Agency), **David Anstey** (Lee Valley Regional Authority), **Ellen Struthers** (London Remade), **Andrew Billaney** (Hornsey Housing Trust), **Symon Sentain** (NDC), **Ann Marie Connolly** (Haringey Teaching Primary Care Trust), **Pamela Moffat** (Mobility Forum), **Maxine Simmons** (Transport for London), **Bruce Mottram** (Thames Water).

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. URGENT BUSINESS:

The Chair will consider the admission of any late items of urgent business. (Late items will be considered under the agenda item where they appear. New items will be dealt with at Item 12 below).

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

A member with a personal interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the Authority at which the matter is considered must disclose to that meeting the existence and nature of that interest at the commencement of that consideration, or when the interest becomes apparent.

A member with a personal interest in a matter also has a prejudicial interest in that matter if the interest is one which a member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonably regard as so significant that it is likely to prejudice the member's judgement of the public interest.

4. MINUTES: (PAGES 1 - 4)

To approve the minutes of the BPP meeting held on 12 October 2005 (attached).

5. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES

6. THE VOLUNTARY SECTOR COMPACT: (PAGES 5 - 24)

A report (attached) and presentation by Stephanie Rowland, Haringey Council, and Pamela Pemberton, HAVCO.

7. THE PUBLIC HEALTH REPORT: (PAGES 25 - 54)

Growing Up in Haringey: Haringey Health Report 2005. A presentation by Ann Marie Connolly, Haringey TPCT.

8. SUSTAINABILITY AND CLIMATE CHANGE: (PAGES 55 - 60)

A report (to follow) and presentation relating to flood management by the Environmental Services Assistant Director, Street Scene.

9. NRF PROPOSALS: (PAGES 61 - 70)

A presentation by the Environmental Services Assistant Director, Service Improvement.

10. COMMUNITY ISSUES:

A ten-minute update to the BPP from partners on issues prevalent to their areas of work.

11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

12. ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS:

To consider any new items admitted under Item 2 above.

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PRESENT**Core/Key Agencies**

Councillor Peter Hillman (Chair), Haringey Council
 Anne Fisher, Haringey Council
 Ann Marie Connolly, Haringey TPCT
 John Brown, Haringey Fire Service
 Bob Maltz, HFRA
 Dave Morris, HFRA
 Philip Dale, HA21 CSG
 Ibilola Campbell, HFRA
 Pam Moffat, Mobility Forum
 Andrew Billaney, Hornsey Housing Trust
 Judith Hanna, English Nature
 Rebecca O'Shea, Environment Agency
 Aisha Burtally, Environment Agency

Observers & Guests

Gill Hawken - (HTPCT & Haringey Council).
 Janice Robinson, Haringey Council
 Sule Nisanaoglu, Haringey Council
 John Morris, Haringey Council
 Marcelle Fletcher, Haringey Council
 Marion Hoffman, Haringey Council
 Zena Brabazon, Haringey Council
 Sule Nisancioglu, Haringey Council
 Bob Watts, Haringey Council
 Nicolas Mattis, Haringey Council

1. APOLOGIES AND INTRODUCTIONS (Agenda Item 1):

Apologies were received from Cheri Williams and June Curtis.

2. ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS (Agenda Item 2):

None received

3. MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF 26 JULY 2005 (Agenda Item 3):**RESOLVED:**

That the Minutes of the Better Places Partnership (BPP) meeting held on 26 July 2005 be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES (Agenda Item 3):

The BPP was asked to amend the minutes on page 2 (Agenda Item 3 Terms of Reference and Membership). It was agreed that the BPP "Aims" be re-amended to read as follows:

Lead the delivery of cleaner, safer and greener public spaces and open spaces, and improvements of the quality of the built environment whilst ensuring environmental sustainability and community sustainability ~~in deprived areas and~~ across the borough, with measurable improvement by 2008.

The BPP was informed that in respect of page 3 (Agenda Item 5 Planning the Work Programme and Activity of the BPP), interested parties would be invited to discuss issues about priorities and also the work programmes in due course.

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5. NEIGHBOURHOOD RENEWAL FUND (NRF) (Agenda Item 4)

A presentation was given to the BPP on the draft NRF programme for 2006-08, outlining the stages in the programme and the structure for meeting the criteria for floor targets. A Chairs Actions Meeting was requested in order to consider projects that were currently funded by the NRF. It would then be possible to approve the new programmes for the period April 2006 -08. The BPP was informed that the next step for the NRF fund programmes was to confirm them with the Haringey Strategic Partnership (HSP). The BPP heard that in terms of the amounts of money being allocated to different themes within the NRF, some £2.4millions would be available. Some initial work had been done by Haringey Council officers which is yet to be approved by the HSP. The BPP briefly discussed how local communities would be engaged in the NRF and were informed that the projects seeking mainstream or NRF post March 2006 and listed in the Report before the BPP were to highlight the projects that were the responsibility of Haringey Council.

6. REPORT BACK FROM THE HarCEN BETTER PLACES WORKSHOP (Agenda Item 5)

The BPP were informed of the three priorities that were drawn from the Workshop held on 28 September 2005. These were:

- (i) Work to improve the image of and perceptions of Tottenham
- (ii) Develop residents groups
- (iii) Improve facilities, shops and front & communal gardens

The BPP heard that HarCEN had not formally commented on these priorities to date.

7. THE GROUNDWORK TRUST (Agenda Item 6)

The BPP was given a presentation by the Groundwork Trust that highlighted its aims and purpose and belief in working in partnership with local communities. It was illustrated that this was also Groundwork's approach to regeneration, however the organisation did not operate in Haringey at present. However, Groundwork had completed a feasibility process in Haringey which was outlined to the BPP. It was confirmed that community organisations were significantly involved in the process of establishing a Groundwork organisation within Haringey and that this was desirable from a self leadership perspective. There was a discussion on what the leadership process looked like and how the organisation would be funded. It was established that there were a variety of funding sources from the public and private sectors and that the use of local networks would ensure leadership and funding were robust. The BPP discussed a range of issues relating to the Groundwork Trust covering how expertise could be introduced into projects and how individual projects would be split up in terms of funding. Also, in terms of engagement and the duplication of work loads. The BPP established that that expertise would be brought in through environmental learning in schools and community groups and raising what the environment is and how it can be protected. With respect to funding, it was established that even splits between projects was rarely achieved, but that local needs would be ascertained and funding distributed accordingly. Regarding concern about duplicating work, the Trust indicated that they were aware of this but that certain areas had already been highlighted and that overlap could thus

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be avoided. The BPP cordially invited the Groundwork Trust to its meeting in March 2006 for an update.

8. DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME (Agenda Item 7)

The BPP received the draft Work Programme which it was asked to approve. The Work Programme was created from an exercise at the previous BPP meeting on 26 July 2005. The BPP had a discussion on the exact content of the Work Programme with particular attention being paid to the issue of equalities and the budgeting gap between physical environments and health. Also, it was established that the issue of allotments were important for links to the health agenda, and that the creation of more managed community spaces that are safe and attractive was important. The BPP agreed that this should be looked into further by officers and that in doing this, clarity would be sought on which ideas were for the BPP and which were the Well-Being Partnership Board and to ensure that issues did not get lost between the two theme boards. The BPP was informed that the Community Steering Group would like to be involved in the March 2006 meeting of the BPP which would discuss Sustainability, Climate and Biodiversity. The BPP was also informed that the Mobility Forum would like to participate in the September 2006 meeting of the BPP in order to focus on Older People's leisure programmes and access to it. The BPP was informed that an open spaces group was operating at present which looked at non-users and engaging them into the process. An initiative entitled "Experience Counts" was highlighted as being ideal in terms of engagement.

9. MAIN TOPIC – THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT (Agenda Item 8)

The Hornsey Housing Trust made a presentation to the BPP on "Towards Decent Homes and a Sustainable, Well Designed Built Environment". The presentation began by outlining some of the floor targets and expectations of the BPP in terms of contributing to achieving greater levels of decent homes with Haringey. The presentation also laid down the "next steps" in terms of achieving the key targets for the BPP. The BPP was informed that work had been done with ALMOs ensuring commonality and ensuring good communications and possible joint contracts in terms of procurement. The BPP also discussed projects for after buildings had been erected/renovated with attention to management issues during this period. It was felt that particular concern and attention was needed in terms of managing 66% of housing stock in private sector hands, especially in renewal areas, and how to engage private owners in making improvements where necessary – and particularly in securing funding. It was felt by the Hornsey Housing Trust that it would need a back to basics approach in terms of housing management principles. The BPP covered issues relating to the plan and design of housing for people with long-term illness. It heard that a national policy existed to support this and benefit such patients, however, not enough houses were in new stock to support all health sufferers, but lobbying was currently taking place. The Partnership also covered the need to provide a proportion of mobility related stock and considered if this was the case. It identified that stock was provided on needs based approach. The BPP then considered energy efficiency in terms of water and electricity usage, and also the materials used to build and maintain property. During a brief discussion, the BPP was informed that energy efficiency was a large measure of building control which was considered to have a positive impact on efficiency. Water and flooding

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needed more work under a national code for sustainable buildings for energy efficiency. English Nature informed the BPP of an initiative on high quality green spaces. It also highlighted environmental standards and flood risk in the East of the Borough which required sustainable urban drainage. They highlighted a number of issues which the BPP agreed to discuss at length during the 8 March 2006 meeting of the BPP.

10. CONFIRMATION OF MEMBERSHIP TO THE BETTER PLACES PARTNERSHIP (Agenda Item 9)

The BPP confirmed that the new Fire Borough Commander, John Brown, had membership to the BPP. Also that Ellen Struthers would represent London Remade on the BPP. Finally, the current community contacts of the BPP were confirmed as Phil England, Phil Dale and Ruth Todd.

11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS (Agenda Item 10)

- (i) The BPP were informed about the *Smoke Free Day* and given an outline of the launch of the campaign whilst being asked to support smoke free environments.
- (ii) BPP members were asked to inform the Committee Clerk of any AOBs before each meeting.
- (iii) The BPP agreed to in future, during each meeting to allow each group of partners to give a 10 minute update to the BPP on issues prevalent to their areas of work. This would ensure involvement in meetings and would be a standard item on all future agendas.
- (iv) The BPP received a tabled update from the Well-Being Partnership Board, a thematic board of the HSP and noted its information.

12. ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS (Agenda Item 11)

None

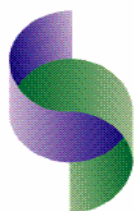
13. DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS (Agenda Item 12)

- 4pm - 18 January 2006, venue tbc
- 4pm - 8 March 2006, venue tbc

The meeting finished at 17:45

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Councillor PETER HILLMAN
Chair of the Better Places Partnership

Date.....



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AGENDA ITEM

MEETING

**Better Places Partnership Board
18th January 2006**

TITLE

Haringey's Draft Compact 'Working BETTER Together'

SUMMARY

This paper outlines the importance of Haringey's Compact and the contents of Haringey's Compact agreement.

The Voluntary and Community and Faith Sector in partnership with public agencies have been developing Haringey's Compact since Haringey's Strategic Partnership endorsed the process in April 2004.

The Compact, once in place, will be a key partnership tool and a mechanism to strengthen the relationship with the VCS to effectively meet the needs of Haringey's communities.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.1 Better Places Partnership Board partners to agree to consider the draft Compact agreement and to take the agreement to their individual management boards
- 1.2 Better Places Partnership Board to actively support and encourage the commitment to the 'buy in' of Haringey's Compact.
- 1.3 Better Places Partnership Board to agree that the Compact will underpin the partnership work of all partners and the partnership board.

LEAD OFFICER(S)

Greg Lucas, Head of Safer Communities and the Voluntary Sector

2. Introduction

- 2.1 Local Compacts follow on from the National Compact between the government and Voluntary, Community and Faith Sector (VCS). A Compact is set of principles and undertakings that provide a framework for partnership and relations between the public sector and the VCS.
- 2.2 Over 94 per cent of local authority areas are now covered by a Local Compact or are working towards one. A Local Compact is required by the Active Community Directorate (Home Office) and the Department of Health by April 2005.

3. Importance and Benefit of Haringey's Compact for the Better Partnership Agenda

- 3.1 The government has introduced a number of initiatives to improve the governance of partnerships locally. For example the development of local area agreements (LAAs) should help to improve accountability, align budgetary and other processes and streamline decisions and service planning.
- 3.2 The Local Area Agreement (LAA) will shortly be introduced in Haringey. The LAA brings together multiple government funding streams deciding what funding reaches the local level. It will be a mechanism to join up local public services that will be overseen by the Council and the HSP. The VCS will have a role to play in helping to identify, shape and deliver local services. Partnership is a pre-requisite to a functioning and effective LAA and the Compact should be a vital tool in this process.
- 3.3 The Compact can bring clarity among partners about purpose, membership, roles and responsibilities among other things. The absence of formal partnership arrangements both inhibits the achievement of the partnership's objectives and increases the potential for a breakdown in governance arrangements and controls.
- 3.4 A Compact can make a real contribution to developing partnership and to achieve the Better Places Vision which is Lead the delivery of cleaner, safer and greener public spaces and improvement of the quality of the built environment in deprived areas and across the borough, with measurable improvement by 2008:
- Promote a productive relationship with the VCS enabling improved delivery of services to the local community.

- Meeting the national partnership floor target for Better Places
- Provide a clear framework and mechanisms for resolving differences
- Help to formalise partnerships that engage with local community and reflect local needs.
- Continuing the process of building stronger relationships and achieving better performance with partners and community stakeholders in the context of Better Places
- Partnerships bringing more resources to address local needs in areas such as housing, crime and disorder and environment.
- More structured and comprehensive reporting on performance and finance
- Implementation of the Change Up agenda and Haringey's Infrastructure Development Plan.
- To develop a better understanding of the restrictions and responsibilities placed on the respective sectors.

3.5 The Compact does not seek to duplicate existing work but to build on the good practice that is currently being delivered across Haringey.

4.0 Update: Haringey's Development Process

- 4.1 The timetable for developing Haringey's Compact has been extended to facilitate further engagement work with local organisations particularly small black and minority ethnic organisations (BME), and to ensure that the Compact is accessible to all partners in terms of language before it went out for official consultation. Please refer to Appendix A, which details the achievements since the process began.
- 4.2 The commitments included within the draft Compact are a reflection of the extensive consultation process. A full 13-week consultation is being conducted to ensure that the draft Compact agreement can be considered and approved through the various partners' internal processes. Partners need to consider, comment and approve the draft Compact agreement. The draft Compact agreement was presented to the HSP on the 7th November 2005.
- 4.3 The consultation process will end on the 8th February 2006) and it is anticipated that partners would officially 'sign up' to the final agreement with a public launch in early March 2006. This may be subject to change. There will be a range of consultation events and presentations on the draft Compact across Haringey to different partners, networks and forums throughout the consultation period, i.e. Nov-Dec 2005 and Jan-Feb 2006.

5.0 Content of Haringey's Compact (draft Compact agreement will be circulated at meeting)

5.1 An important feature of the Compact is that it is about the rules of engagement between the voluntary, community, public and private sectors. At a local level, each Compact is a result of discussion and negotiation, which acts as an important means to develop better understanding between the different sectors. It also represents what local partners have agreed to, reflecting the local circumstances, and joined up working between organisations including through local strategic partnerships.

5.2 The content of Haringey's Compact has been influenced by the consultation on Compact Plusⁱ conducted by the Home Office earlier this year. Elements of Compact Plus will be adopted as part of Haringey's Local Compact agreement.

5.3 In addition to Compact Plus, the content and the style of the content of Haringey's Compact has been based on other local authority Compacts, which provides practical commitments and guidance for each sector to follow and adhere to.

5.4 Haringey's Compact is intended to be practical, relate to existing good practice strategies, achievable, and honest. Partners signing up to the Compact need to be prepared to adhere to the commitments in the agreement. The commitments will need to be negotiated to ensure that there is a willingness to meet them. In some circumstances departments and agencies will need to adapt their working practices to successfully deliver the Compact agreement and develop valuable partnerships.

5.5 The vision of Haringey's Compact is based on the Community Strategy and was agreed by partners at Haringey's second Compact Conference on the 26th May 2005. Partners also agreed the dispute resolution procedure at this event.

6.0 Taking the Compact Agenda Forward

6.1 To move the Compact forward at this crucial stage, ensuring that there is a consistency in engagement of the Compact, local organisations, their trustees and members of Haringey's partnership boards needs to be committed to driving this agenda forward.

6.2 Measurable outcomes for success have been identified and are outlined in Appendix A. The success of the Compact will be dependent on how the Compact is implemented, some key factors are:

- Commitment to implementing the Compact and adhering to the undertakings of the Local Compact agreement.
- Continued engagement in the process by partners
- Value and respect of all partners.
- Engagement and encouragement of input and views from the VCS.
- Willingness to mainstream the Compact within the HSP and within the various partnership organisations.
- Financial support to the future development of the Compact.

6.3 The HCWG commissioned the consultancy 'Insight Business Development' (IBD) in November 2004 to conduct focus groups engaging key stakeholders to inform the content of Haringey's draft Compact agreement and Compact development. This information has informed the following recommendations to facilitate the effective implementation of the Compact:

- The public, voluntary and community sector considers a programme of engagement and development to raise the knowledge and 'buy in' from all levels in the respective organisations.
- The Compact agreement be recognised and fully integrated into HSP processes, it also needs to be built into core business planning processes and used in the design and delivery of local services of all stakeholder organisations

6.4 The Haringey Compact Working Group (HCWG) which is made up of representatives from public and VCS agencies is managing the process. The HCWG are currently compiling a 3-year work plan that will accompany the Compact agreement. This will contain information on what, action needs to happen for the successful delivery and implementation of the Compact and the actions required to strengthen and improve the commitments.

6.5 The Haringey Compact Evaluation Working Group (HCEG) will replace the HCWG and the role of this group will be to monitor and review the implementation and the effectiveness of the Compact agreement.

6.6 The HCEG will facilitate a programme of joint training, engagement and support to enable successful implementation of the Compact across the sectors. Champions will be a key mechanism for ensuring that the Compact is used and understood within individual organisations, or through local forums, partnerships or events. Championing keeps the Compact on the agenda locally. The HCWG has already begun to recruit Champions from the various sectors.

7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 There is sufficient funding to complete the development process. Funding for the project 2005/6 has been identified to date as follows:

Haringey Council:	£25,000
CONEL:	£10,000 (£5,000 carry over from 2004/05)
TPCT:	£8,200 (£2,200 carry over from 2004/05)

7.2 In addition, on behalf of statutory agencies, a part time project officer within the Corporate Voluntary Sector Team has been identified to work alongside HAVCO's Compact Project Officer. Other agencies have contributed time, free space and translation services to the project

7.3 Due to scale of the project and projected expenditure for implementation of Haringey's Compact, the HCWG has put in place an ongoing programme to seek funding and resources from local stakeholders including Haringey Community Empowerment Network, Mental Health Trust and the Metropolitan Police. Future funding from Haringey Council has not yet been confirmed. Lack of financial resources will slow down the implementation of Haringey's Compact and development activities will need to be scaled down, if further resources are not forthcoming.

8.0 Conclusion

8.1 The government recognises the crucial role that the voluntary and community sector has to be play in the delivery of services and community life. The Compact is a valuable tool proven to create better relationships and working partnerships between sectors.

8.2 There has been considerable engagement since the compact process began with over 300 individuals from the different sectors participating. The commitment for Haringey's Compact process is steadily growing. The process has enabled discussions between the a range of voluntary, community and faith groups probably for the first time on issues such as organisational cultural differences, the weaknesses and strengths of each sector and identifying existing and proposing new ways that partners could/ should work together through the Compact agreement. All of this information has informed the agreement. The draft document is the response to the very positive process that has been undertaken.

APPENDIX A: Development of Haringey's Compact and work to date and measurable outcomes for success

Bibliography:

Other Local Authority Compacts

National Compact and codes of good practice

www.thecompact.org.uk

www.idea.gov.uk

Strengthening Partnerships: next steps for Compact, A consultation document

Governing partnerships, bridging the accountability gap, public sector national report, audit commission

ⁱ The Compact is a powerful mechanism for developing positive working relationships. The Compact made headway in questioning the relationship and working relationships between the sectors but feedback has shown that there is room for improvement. Compact Plus would be a simpler and more succinct tool under which it is clearer to the organisations whether their behaviour is compliant or not. The Compact has been criticised for not working as well as it might because the Compact codes has been lengthy, there is evidence of poor practice among public sector bodies and voluntary and community sector organisations. Compact Plus. Compact Plus builds on the original Compact and its codes.

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Appendix A:

Developing Haringey's Compact

Objectives of the Compact process

The key objectives of the process are to:

- Produce a Compact that practically demonstrates a commitment between sectors and provides a framework to enhance collaboration and to govern working relationships between voluntary, community and statutory agencies.
- Produce a Compact that creates mutual benefits and understanding across the sector and ultimately bring benefit to the local community.
- Work towards greater equality, recognition and respect between the sectors when working in partnership.
- Encourage good governance and innovation between sector
- Improve communication and information flow between the statutory, private and voluntary sectors

Measurable outcomes for success

1. Launch and Implementation of a Compact from March 2006
2. A living document setting values, principles and commitments for how best to work together and achieve more for the local community.
3. Indicators of success, which must be measurable and open to assessment, will include:
 - Projects and partnerships undertaken that could not previously have been undertaken
 - Fewer implementation problems on projects and partnerships.
 - Greater effectiveness on the part of participating organisations - better results with less wasted effort.
 - General agreement that the compact has been helpful to organisations and to the people of Haringey e.g., as indicated by improved working relationships and a greater awareness and understanding of respective roles and responsibilities.
 - Greater effectiveness in delivering the goals of the Community Strategy

PHASES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE HARINGEY COMPACT

Work to date

Phase 1: Compact awareness and kick starting the process. (May- July 04)

Phase 1 has successfully been completed. The aim of Phase 1 was to raise awareness of the Compact and its benefits to statutory, voluntary and community partners and to identify the key issues and challenges that may impede the development of the Compact. This was achieved by:

- Conducting desk research on previous consultation;
- Producing and disseminating Compact publicity widely;
- Holding 2 Compact Awareness Seminars. (73 agencies attended);
- Establishing a Steering body titled the Haringey Working Group;
- Appoint 2 dedicated part time Compact support officers (HAVCO & LBH);
- Initial discussions with key agencies from the voluntary, community and statutory sector.

Phase 2: Focus Groups and Discussions (Aug – April 05)

Phase 2 has now been concluded. The aim of Phase 2 was to consider key issues identified in Phase 1, highlight any gaps, and to obtain qualitative information. This was achieved by:

- HCWG commissioned Insight Business Development to conduct 4 focus groups across the borough with key stakeholders. 41 individuals participated in the focus groups (21 from the VCS and the remaining from public agencies). A report of the focus groups is available.
- Provide regular updates and a forum for open discussion. A Compact Conference took place on the 4th November 2004 (62 agencies attended). A feedback report from the Conference is available.
- Outreach has been conducted, this will be ongoing
- Recruit Compact Champions;
- Finalising the communication plan;
- Seeking additional funding for the process and for the future development and sustainability of Haringey's Compact.

Phase 3: Draft Compact & Consultation (May 2005 – February 2006)

The main aim of phase 3 is to draft Haringey's Compact Agreement and to circulate the agreement for comment. Further engagement BME organisations and youth organisations have taken place. This was achieved by:

- Compact Conference held on the 26th May 2005. 36 people from the public, voluntary, community and faith sector attended the event. The vision and the disputes process for Haringey Compact were agreed and partners considered the key commitments. A report will be produced.
- Compact Champion Training delivered by the national BME Champions was held on the 8th June 2005. 16 representatives attended the event. The evaluation of the event will inform how future champion training will be delivered in the future.
- BME specific conference held on the 30th June 2005. Cllr Charles Adje opened the event and approx. 46 providers attended. The feedback from the conference is being used to inform the draft Compact. A feedback report will be produced
- Drafting the Compact agreement. The structure was agreed and drafting began on all chapters of the Compact. Relevant departments and agencies considered aspects of the Compact before it went out for the official 13-week consultation.
- Presentations on the Compact agreement have been given to a range of forums and agencies and forums including the mental health trust and the Haringey Children's Fund Project Manager's Forum.
- Outreach has been conducted with a number of voluntary and community agencies.
- HCWG has begun drafting the future Compact Work Plan (includes Compact implementation)
- The HCWG has been extended to include the membership of HarCEN and 3 voluntary and community groups including a tenant and residents group and a faith organisation.
- Haringey Council's Legal Department has reviewed the content of the agreement.
- Haringey Council's Communication department proof –read the agreement to ensure that the document is accessible and user friendly.

To complete phase 3 please the further pieces of work being undertaken. The start of the official consultation period may be delayed further if the agreement is not considered appropriate by Haringey Council's legal department or the draft is not approved by the HCWG to go out for consultation.

- Further discussions on the draft and specific chapters to take place with relevant departments and agencies
- The official consultation has begun and the consultation period and will end on the 8th February 2006.

During the Consultation the following will take place:

- 4 x Open consultation events
- Presenting the Compact at various board meetings and events
- 1-2-1 discussions on the consultation agreement.
- Draw up an action plan for the future implementation and development of the Compact.
- Refine and finalise the draft Compact on completion of the consultation period.

Future Work

Phase 4: Launch and Signing of the Compact (Dec- March2006)

The purpose of this phase will be to formally approve and launch the Compact. This will be delivered by:

- Seeking endorsement from partners of the Compact through various internal and external decision making mechanisms e.g. Council, TPCT, HAVCO and the HSP;
- Holding a Launch Event expected in late Feb 05 (this may be subject to change;
- Conducting an awareness campaign.

Phase 5: Review and Implementation Stage (April- July 2006)

This is one of the most important phases of the process; the success of the Compact will be dependent on how the Compact is implemented and adhered to within and by organisations. The commitment of partners needs to be sustained after the Compact has been launched. The key tasks for this Phase are:

- To review the remit and membership of the Compact Working Group;
- Review and monitor the progress and implementation of the Compact;

HARINGEY COMPACT
“Working BETTER Together”

Better Places
Partnership Board

Pamela Pemberton & Stephanie Rowland
on behalf of the Haringey Compact Working Group
(18th January 2006)

COMPACT [Kóm – Pakt]

A dynamic framework agreement developed to promote and enhance working relations between the borough's VCS, public and private sectors.

**Haringey's Compact is entitled:
“Working BETTER Together”**

Overview of “Working **BETTER** Together”

1. COMMITMENTS

- Foundation of Compact agreement
- Best practice to enhance Partnership Working

2. PRINCIPLES

- Practical Framework Covering;
 - Promoting partnerships
 - Involving Young People
 - Involving BME groups
 - Funding & Procurement
 - Effective Liaison (improving consultation & communication)
- Mechanism to Resolve Disputes

3. WORK PLAN

- Supplement Supporting the Agreement
- 3-year plan to Mainstream the Principles

Haringey COMPACT: Working **BETTER** Together

4 Reasons why Haringey's Better Places Partnership Board should use Haringey's COMPACT

If applied will contribute positively to:

- *Achieving the Better Places aims to “lead the delivery of cleaner, safer and greener public spaces... whilst ensuring environmental sustainability and community sustainability across the borough, with measurable improvement by 2008”*
- **Local Area Agreements – LAA (from March 2006)**
- **Provides a platform for the BPP to consult and engage with local communities on NRF, develop residents groups, improve Tottenham image; and**
- **Help to seek opportunities to engage with private sector to help improve local environment (e.g. housing stock maintenance) through sound partnership arrangements & joint fund bids.**

Haringey COMPACT: Working BETTER Together

CONSULTATION PROCESS

- **13 Week Consultation for Haringey's Draft COMPACT Ends - 8th February 2006**
- **Draft COMPACT & Questionnaire Circulated Widely Across Sectors**
- **Series of Open Consultation Meetings for Sectors to Raise Queries & Feedback Responses to the Draft – Nov '05 to Jan '06**
- **Presentations at Boards, Forums etc.**
- **Further Engagement with VCS organisations**

ARE YOU READY FOR THE COMPACT CHALLENGE?

- **Mainstream Commitments & and Principles as part of your organisation's everyday business; and**
- **Ensure there is compliance of the agreement**
- **Keep the Compact on the BPP agenda**
- **Ensure HSP lead's on the review of the Compact**
- **Support Haringey Compact Evaluation Group in taking the Compact forward.**
- *** Become a Compact Champion ***

Haringey COMPACT: Working **BETTER** Together

PARTICIPATING IN THE COMPACT PROCESS

HOW TO GET INVOLVED TODAY:

- **Ask your organisation/service what work they have done around the Compact.**
- **Read Haringey's Draft Compact; AND**
- **Complete/Return the Consultation Questionnaire**
- **Attend a Compact Consultation event;**
- **Too busy? Then we'll come to you! – just contact the CPO's for a meeting**
- **Invite us to present at your management board/ forum/network**
- **Visit the website: 'www.thecompact.org.uk'**

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Growing^{up} in Haringey

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Haringey Health Report 2005

Role of the annual health report

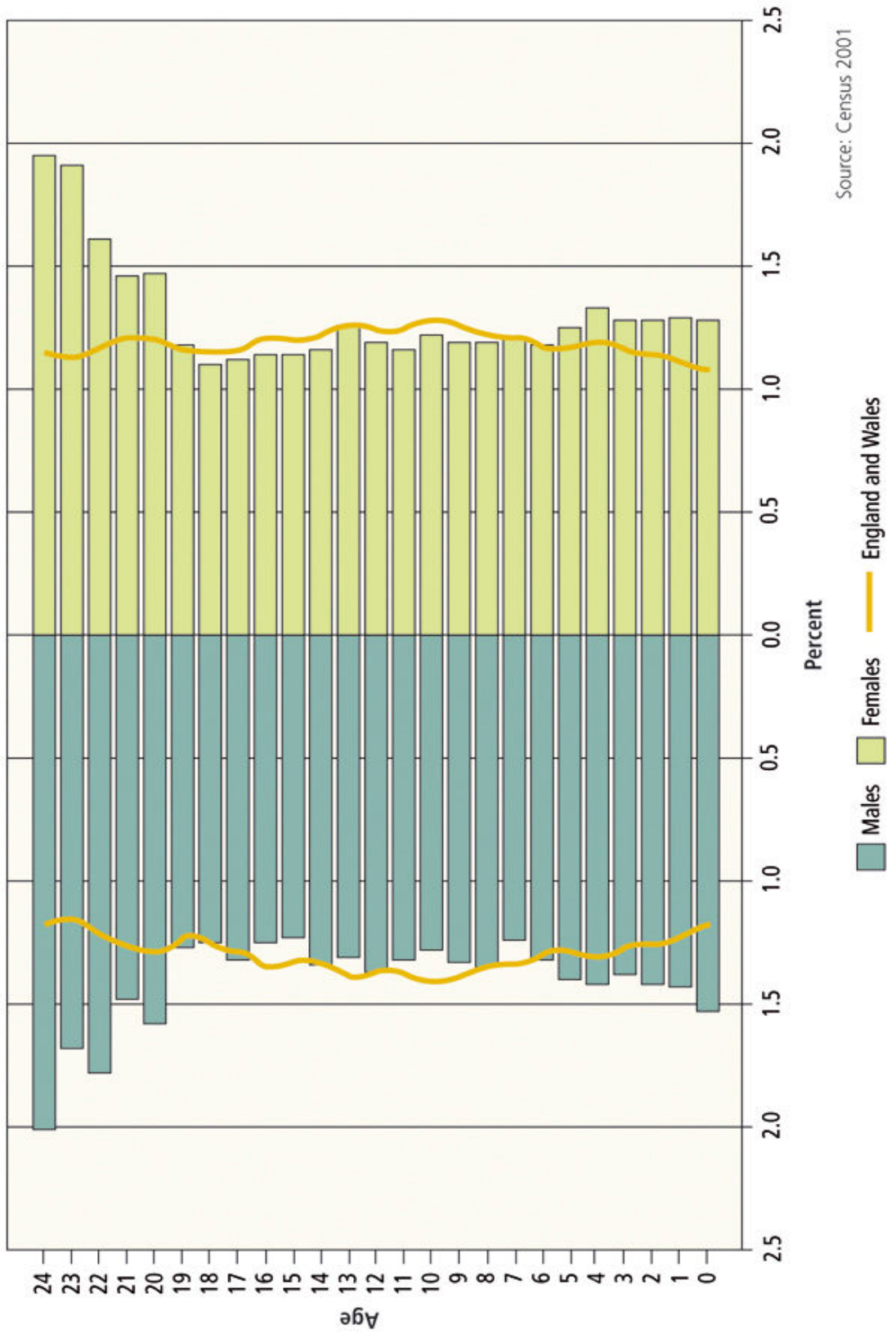
Why children?

Scope of the report:

- Children and young people in Haringey
- Measuring health and illness
- Establishing and maintaining a healthy life
- Staying safe
- Enjoying and achieving
- Making a positive contribution
- Achieving economic well-being

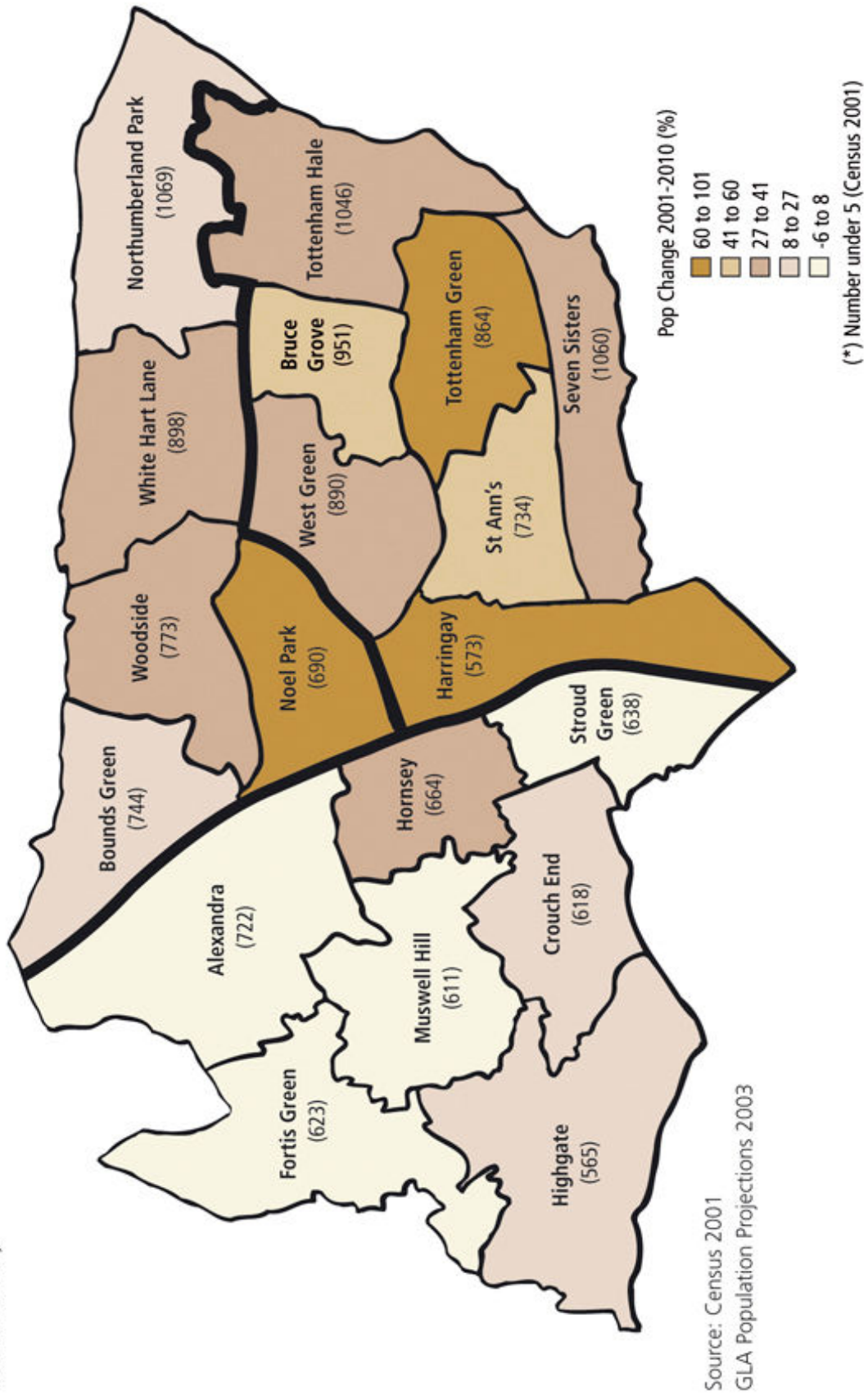
Children and Young People Population

Population pyramid for 0-24 year olds, Haringey and England and Wales, 2001

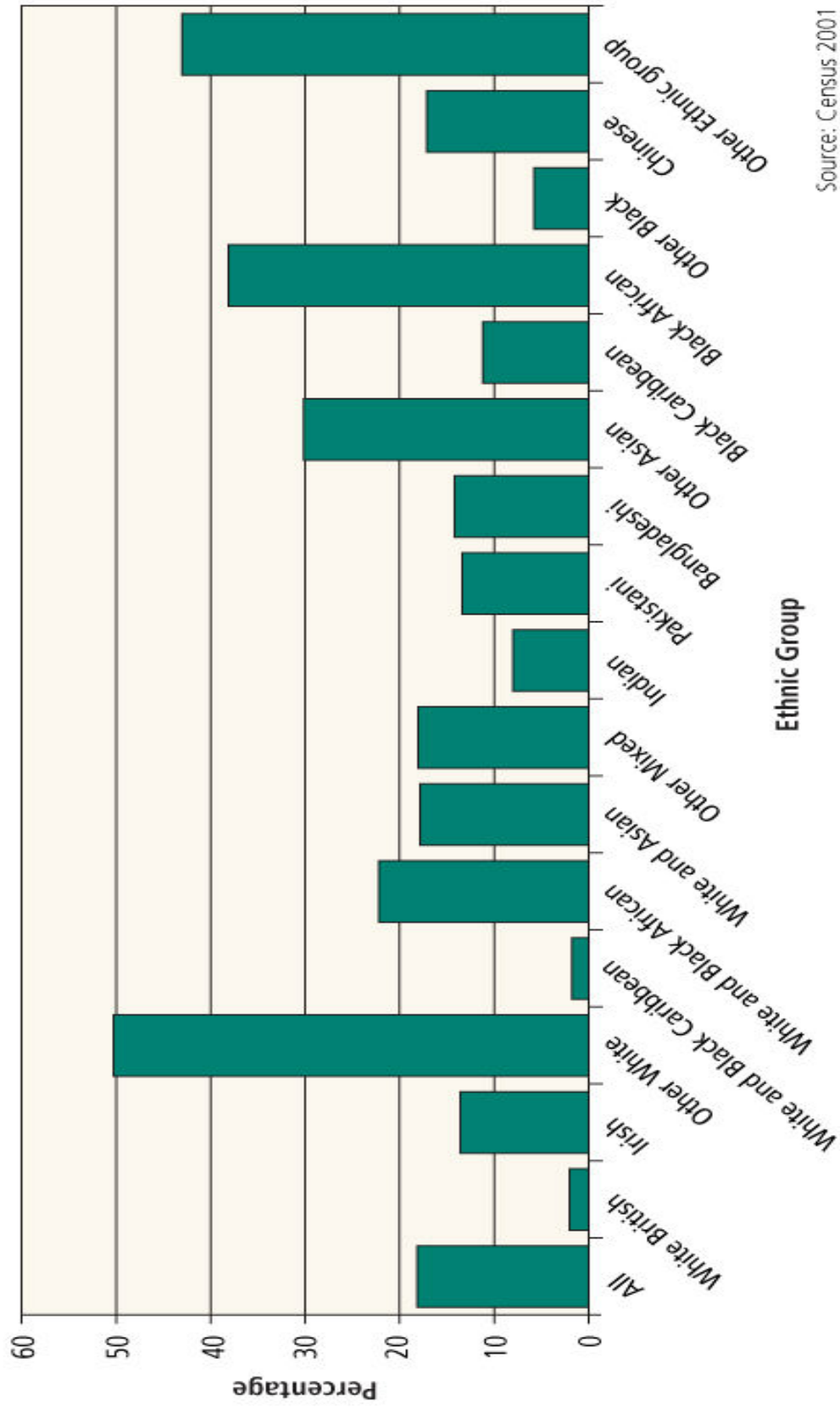


Source: Census 2001

Predicted percentage increase in under 5s by ward 2001 to 2010 (Census count in brackets*)

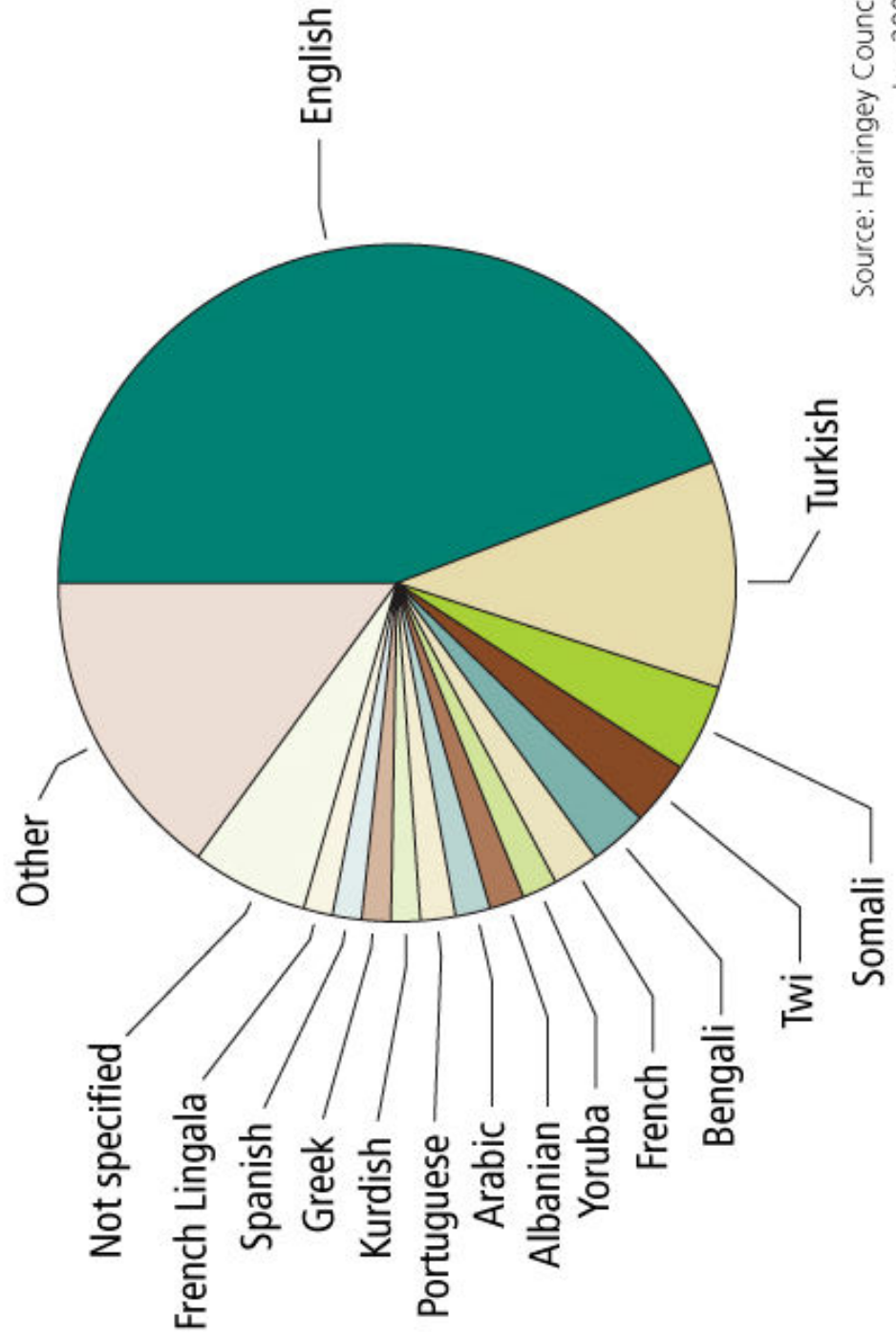


Proportion of dependent children aged under 18 not born in the UK, by ethnic group, 2001



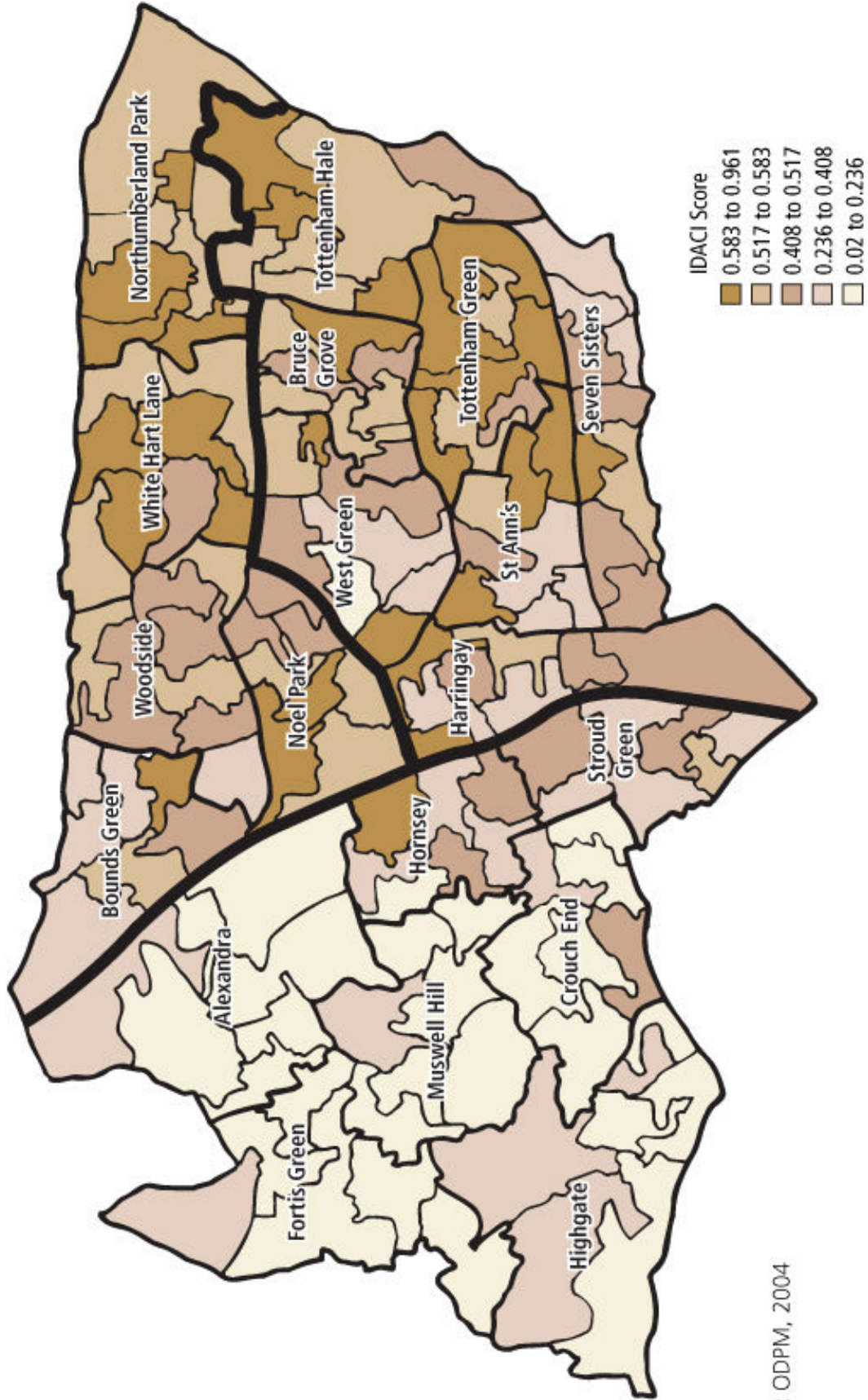
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*Main language spoken by children in Haringey primary and secondary schools,
January 2004*



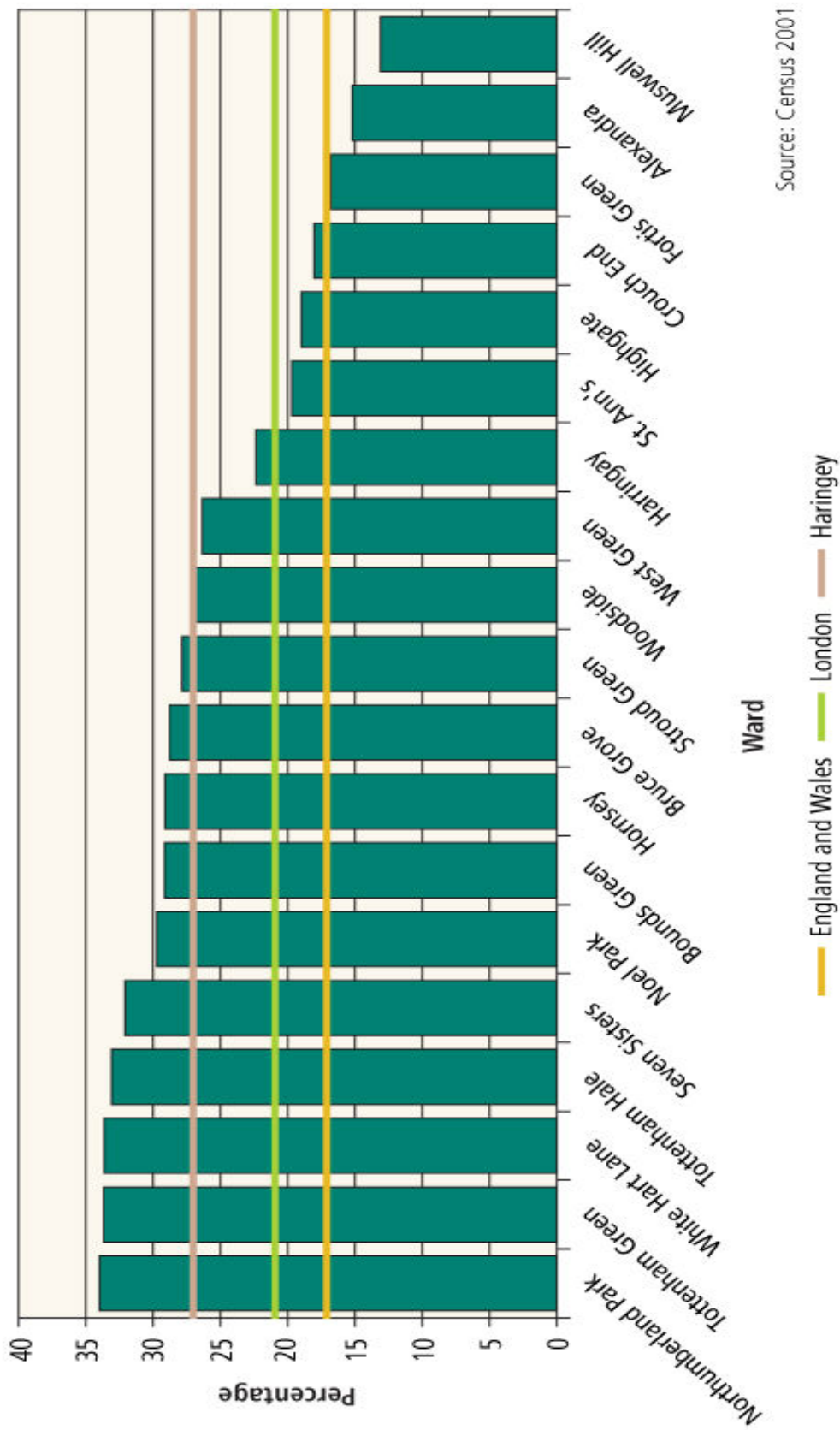
Source: Haringey Council,
Jan 2004

Income deprivation amongst Haringey children

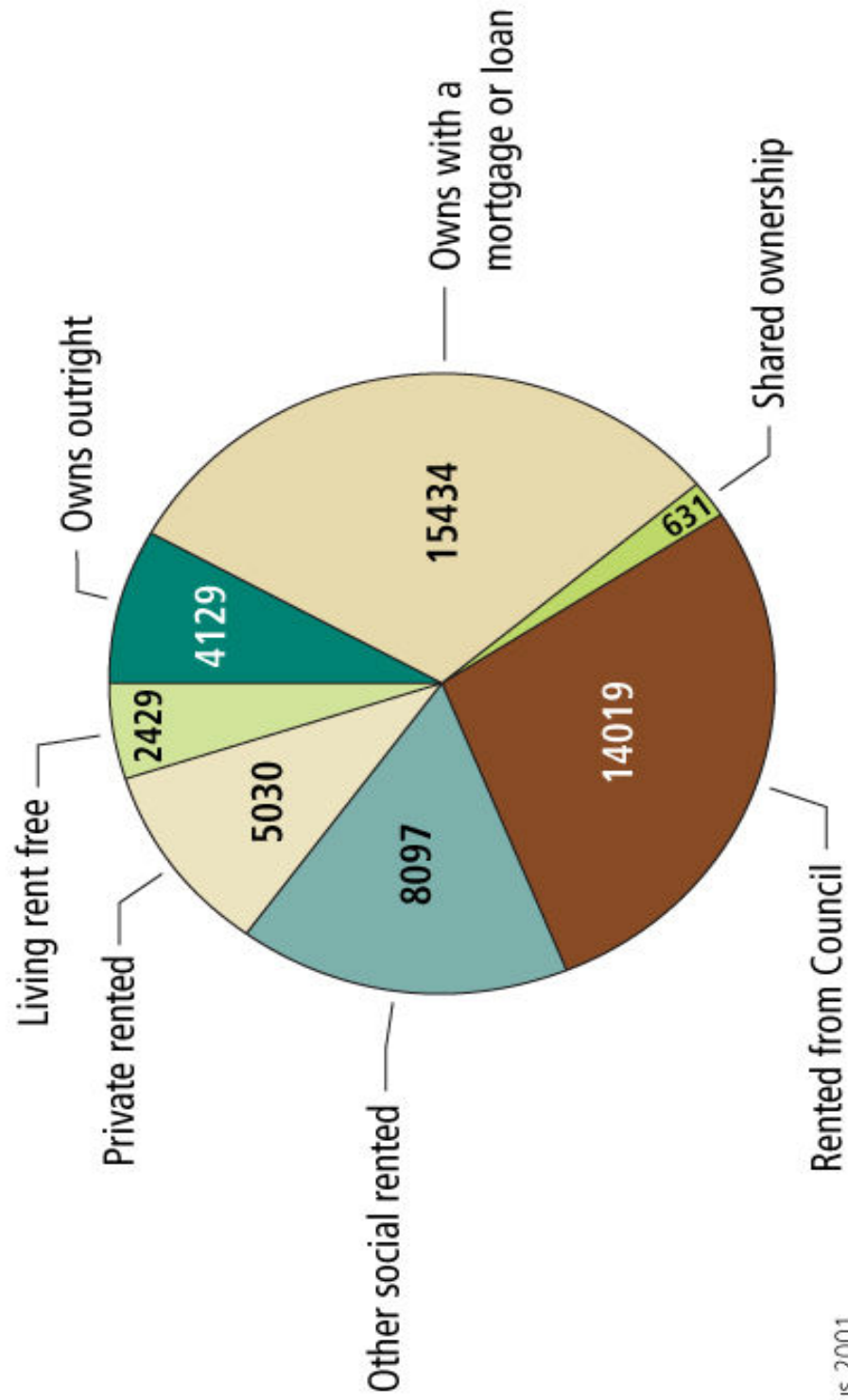


Source: ODPM, 2004

Proportion of all households with dependent children headed by a lone parent, 2001

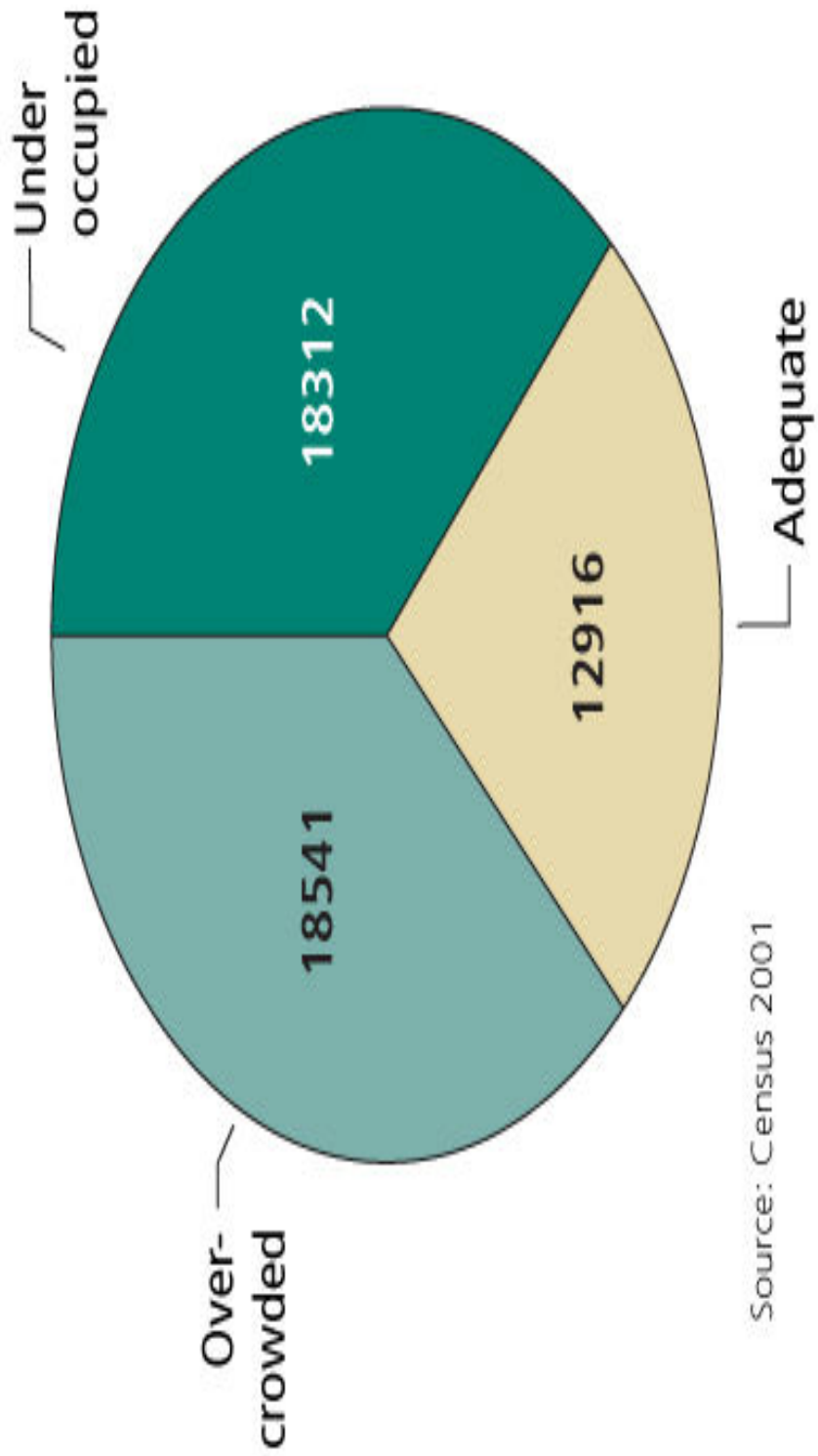


Tenure of households with dependent children, 2001



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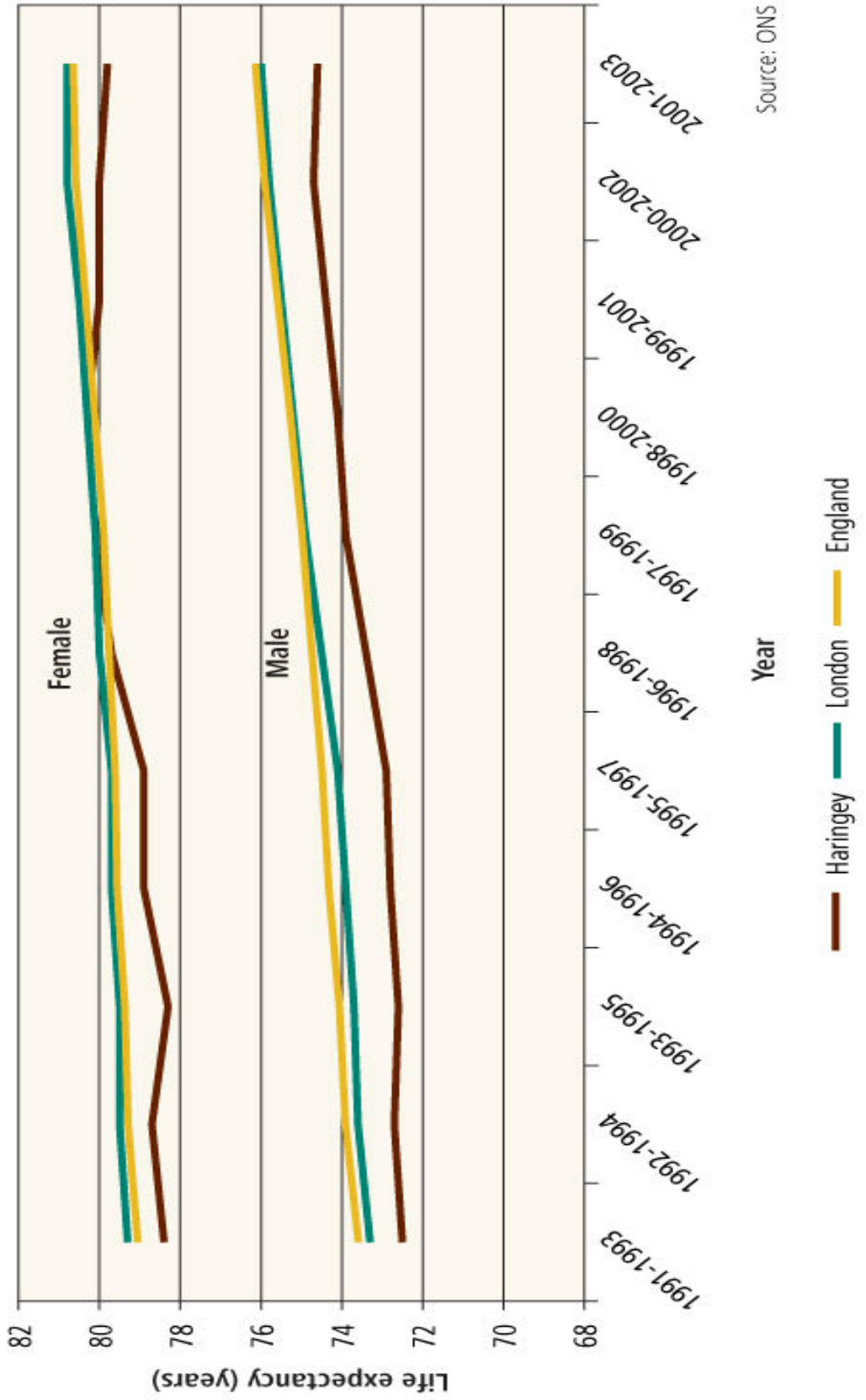
Number of households with dependent children in accommodation that is overcrowded, adequate or under occupied, 2001



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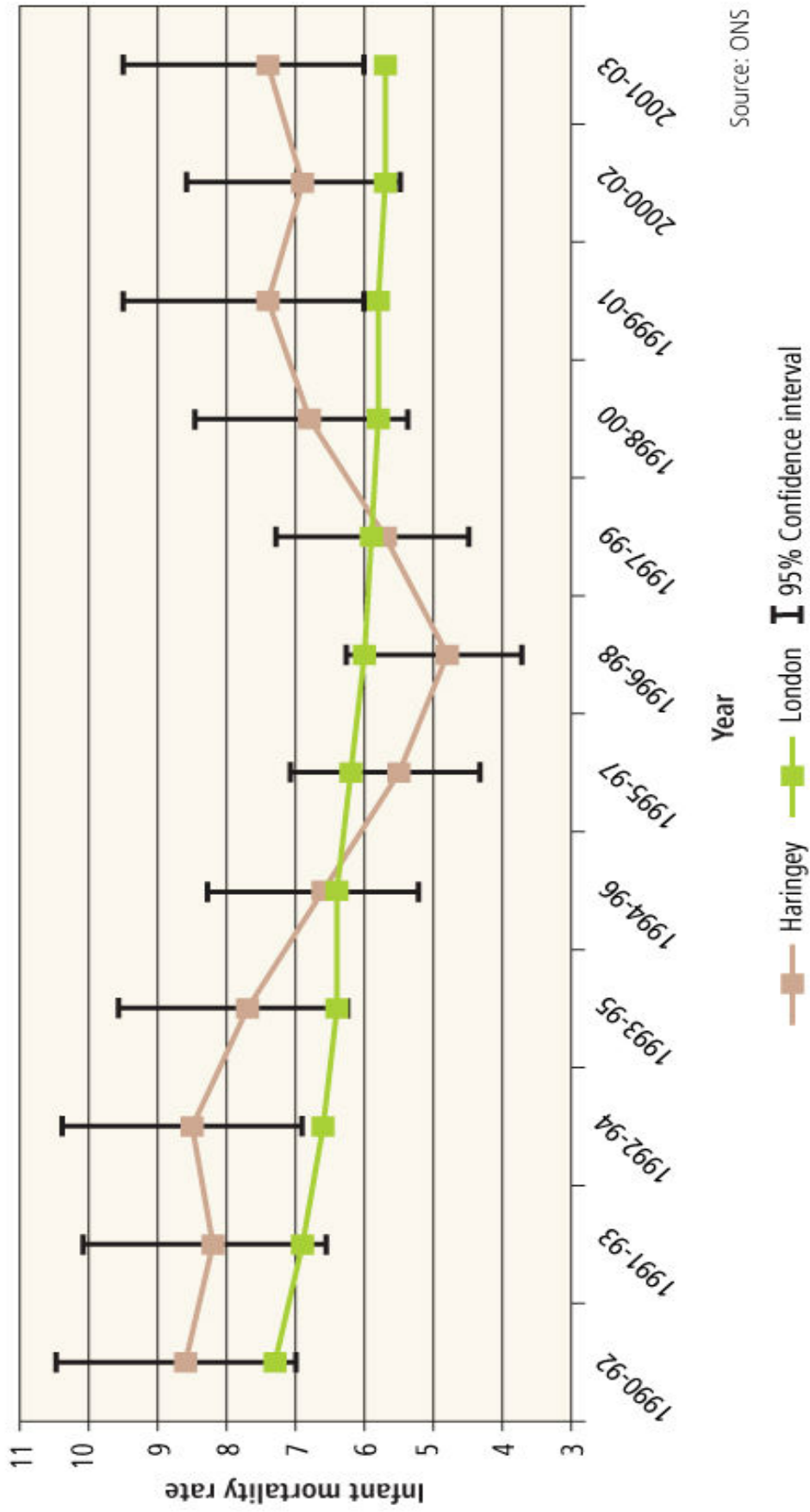
Health and Illness

Life expectancy for males and females in Haringey, London and England (1991/93 to 2001/03)



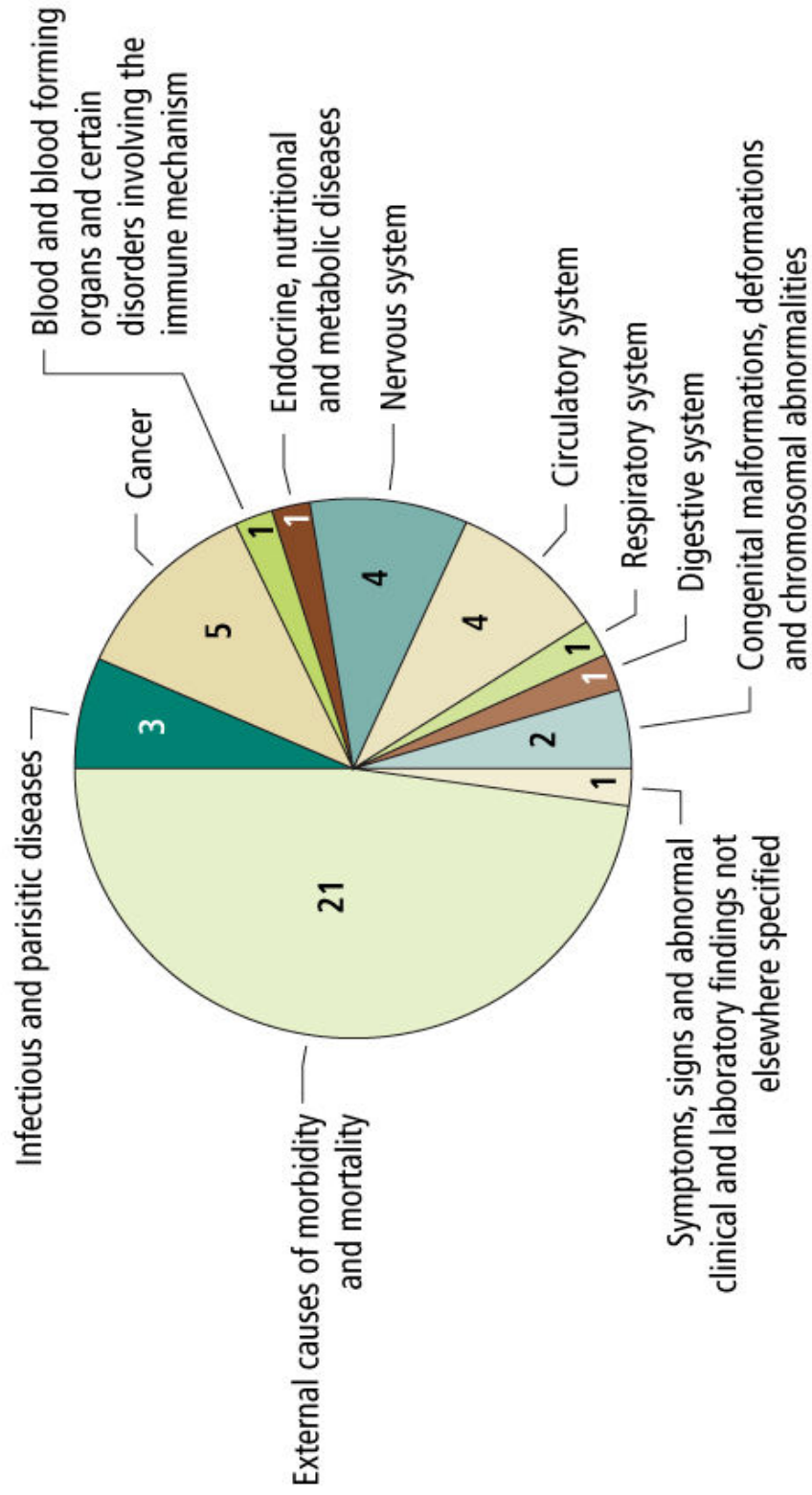
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Infant mortality in Haringey and London, 3 year rolling average, 1990/92-2001/03



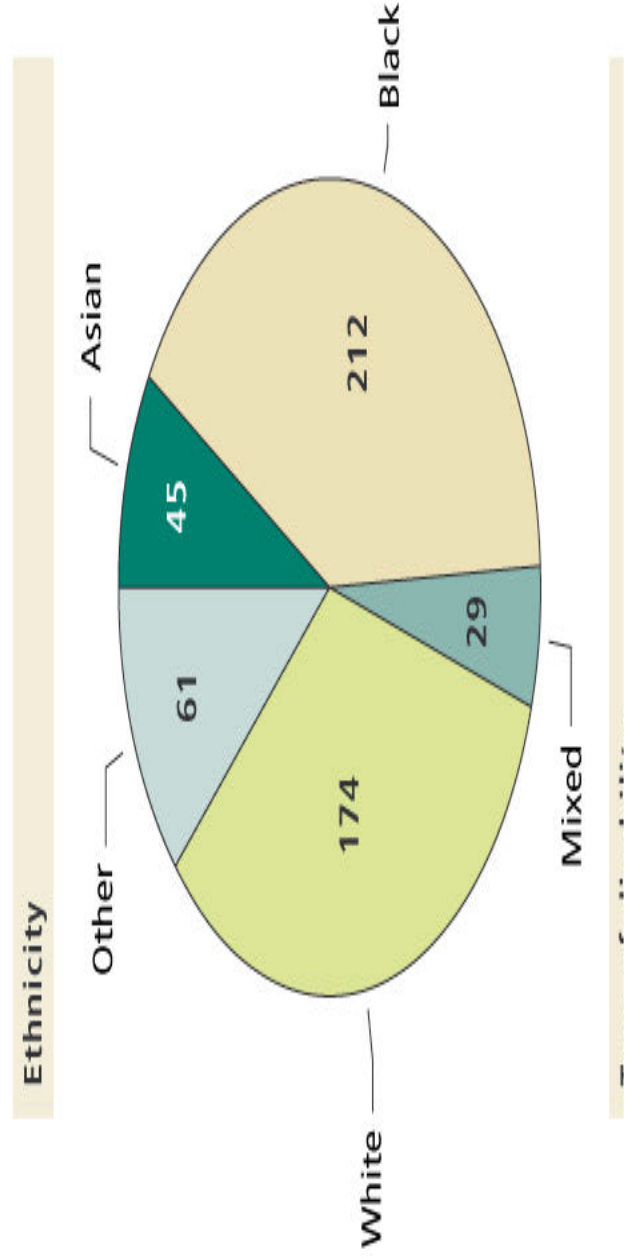
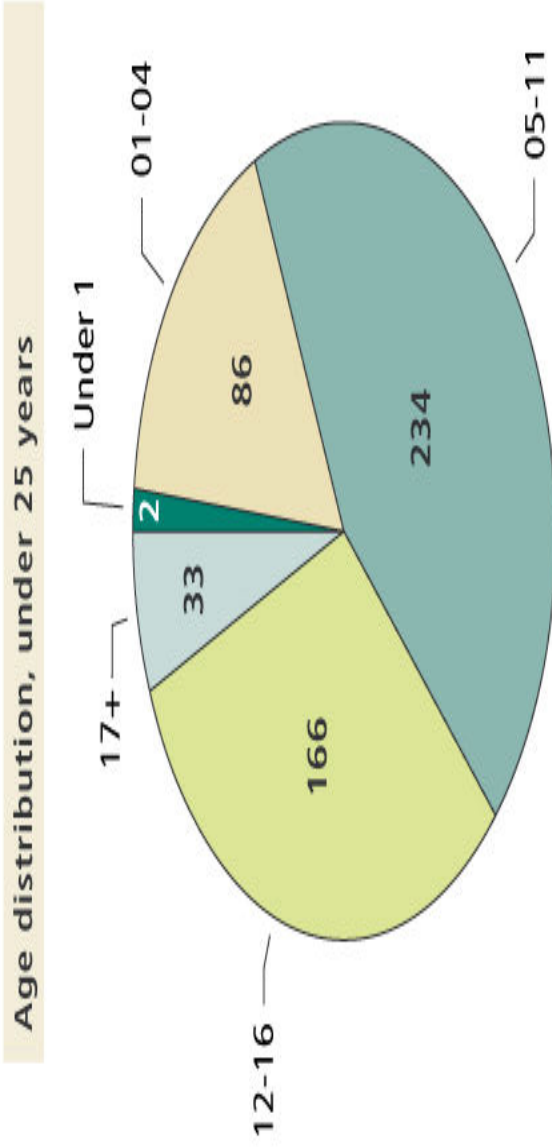
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Cause of death in people aged under 25 in Haringey, 2002-2003

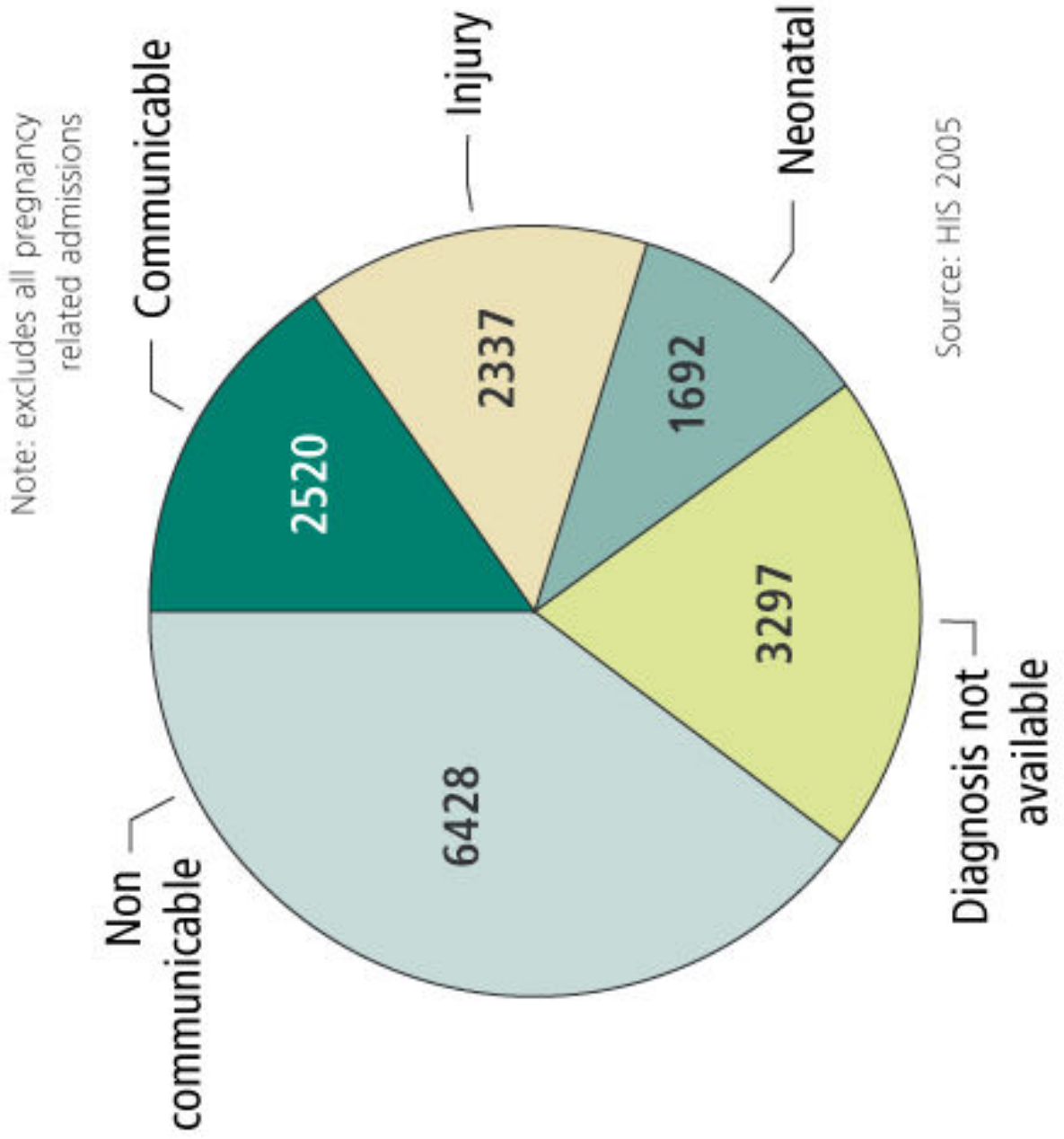


Source: ONS death files 2002-2003

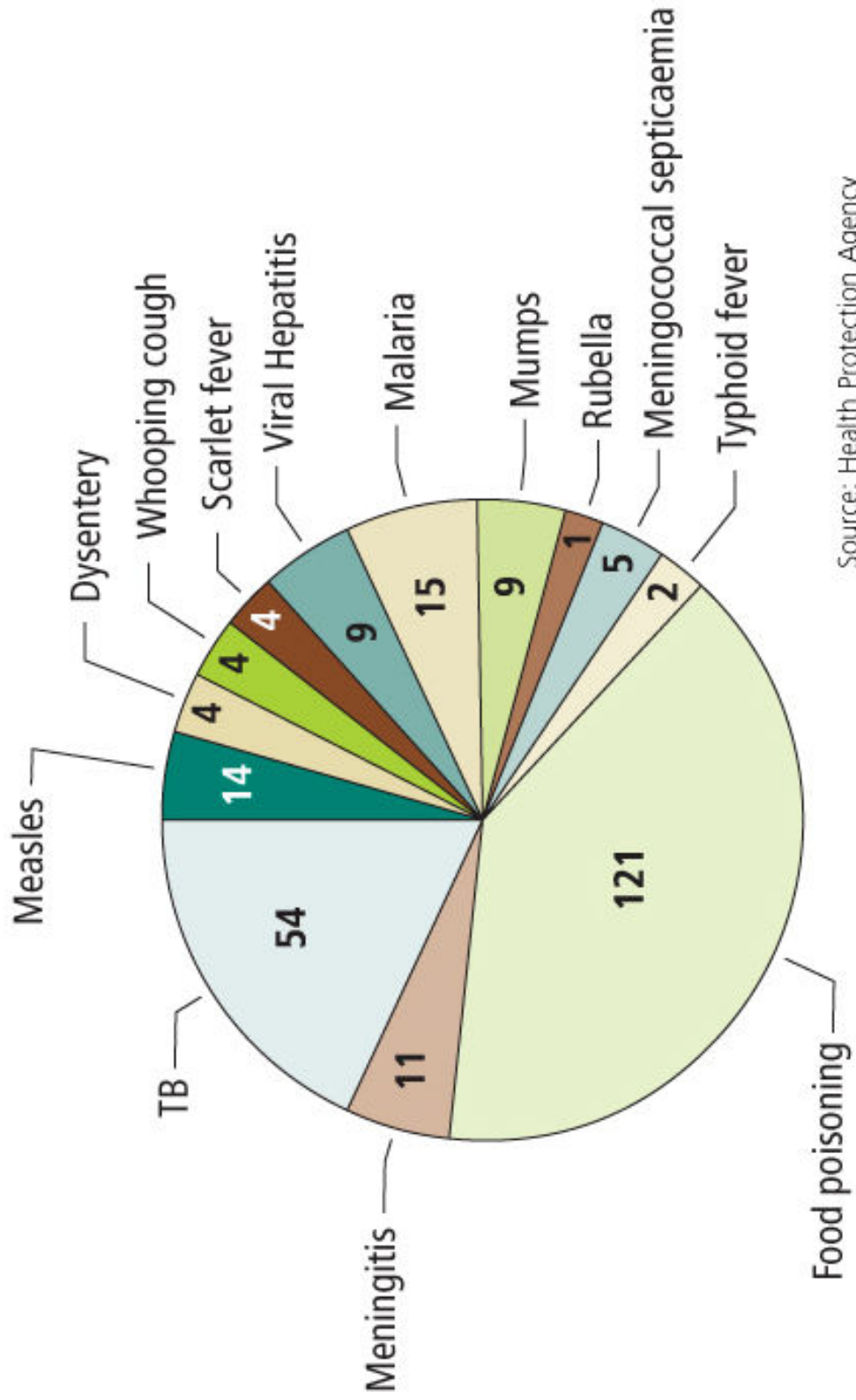
Age, ethnicity and disability profile of children with disabilities registered with Haringey Council, August 2005



*Number of emergency admissions in
Haringey aged under 25 by cause, 2001-2004*



Infectious disease notifications in children aged under 18 years, 2002-2003



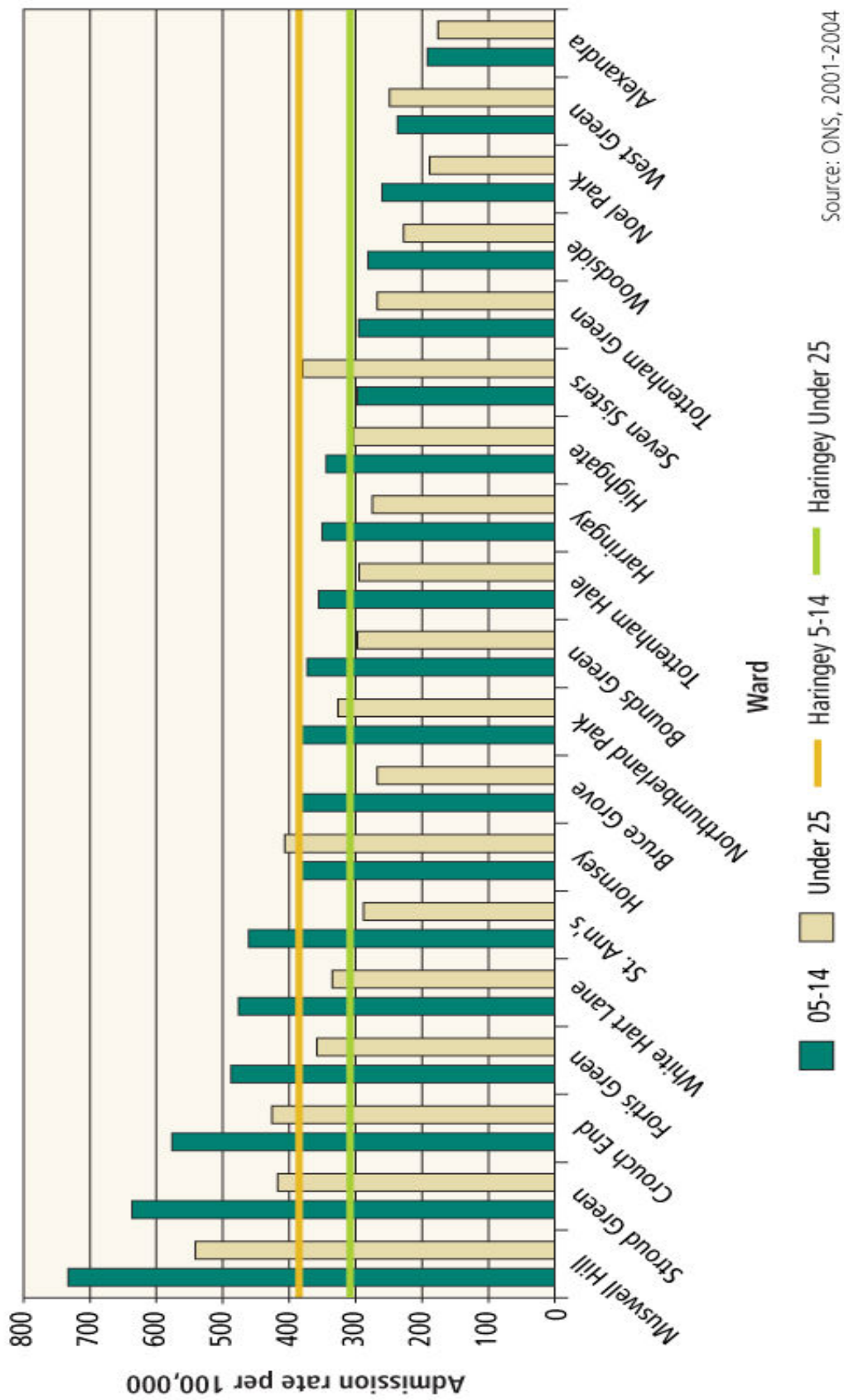
Source: Health Protection Agency

A Healthy Life

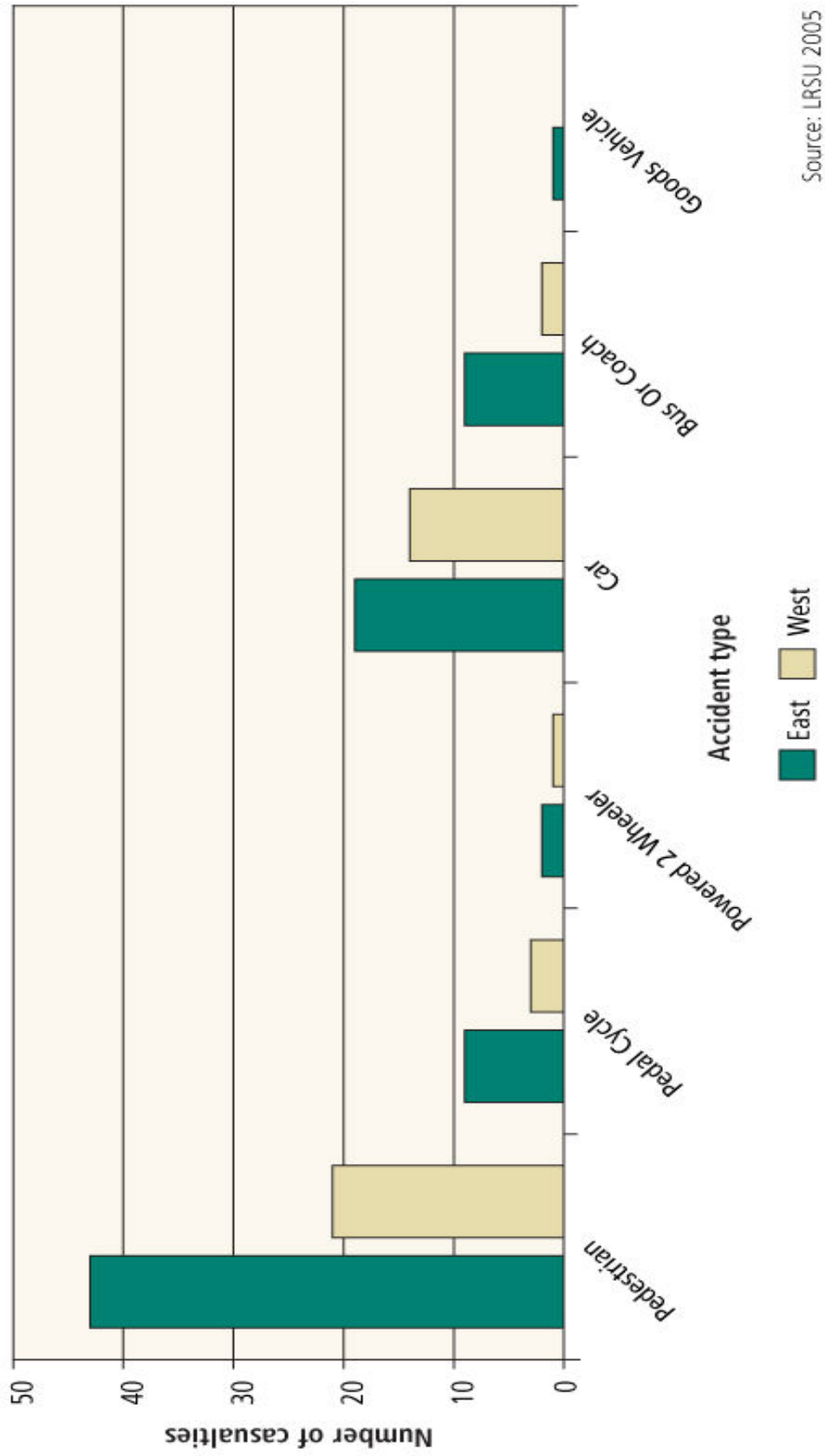
- ◆ The behaviours of CYP and their families will impact on their health throughout their lives
- ◆ Information on the extent to which CYP are adopting healthy patterns of behaviour is limited
- ◆ CYP and their families should be supported and empowered to make healthier choices

Staying Safe

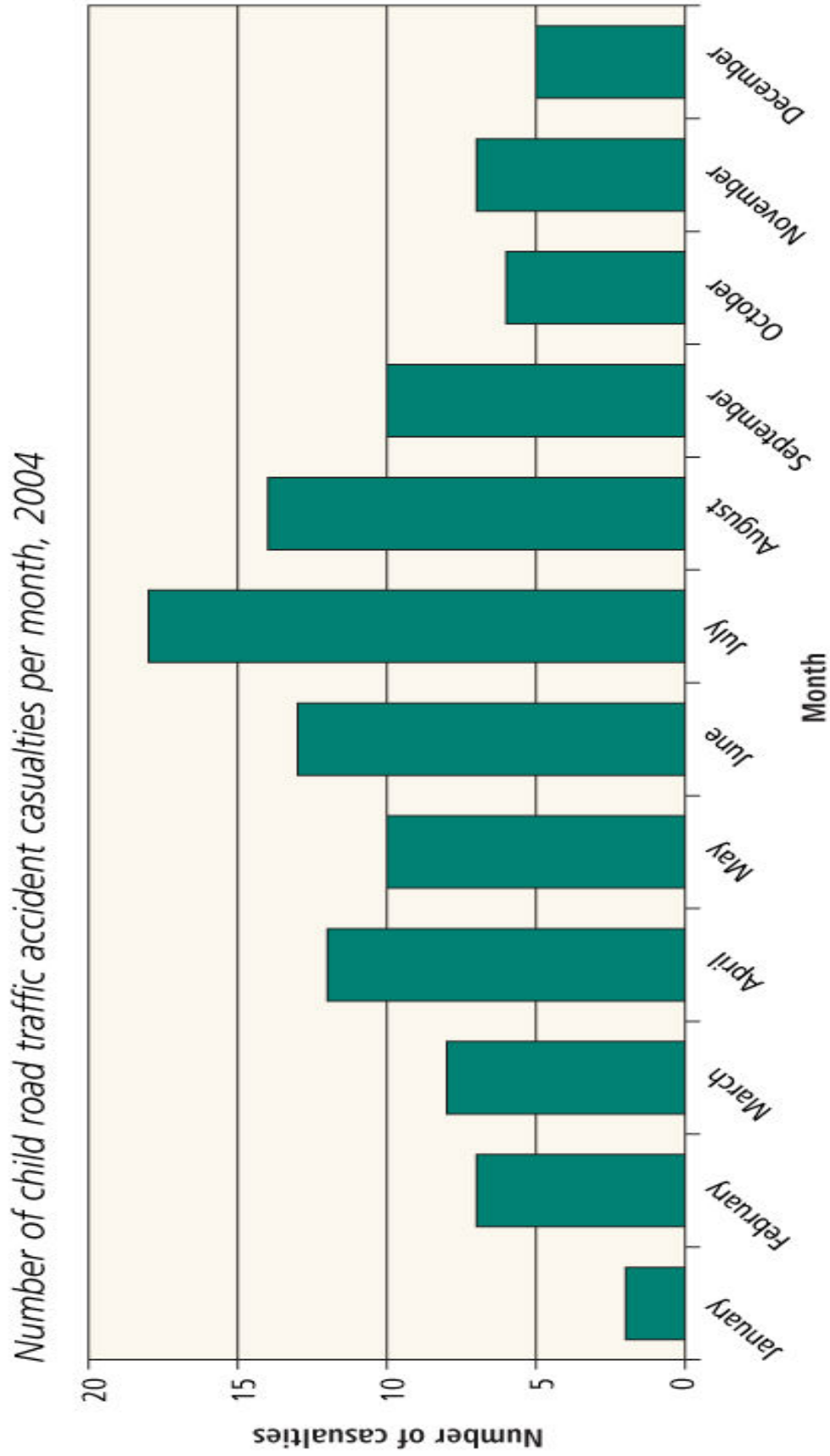
Admission rates for all accidents per 100,000 children by ward, 2001-2004



Child road traffic accident casualties in Haringey 0-15 Years, 2004

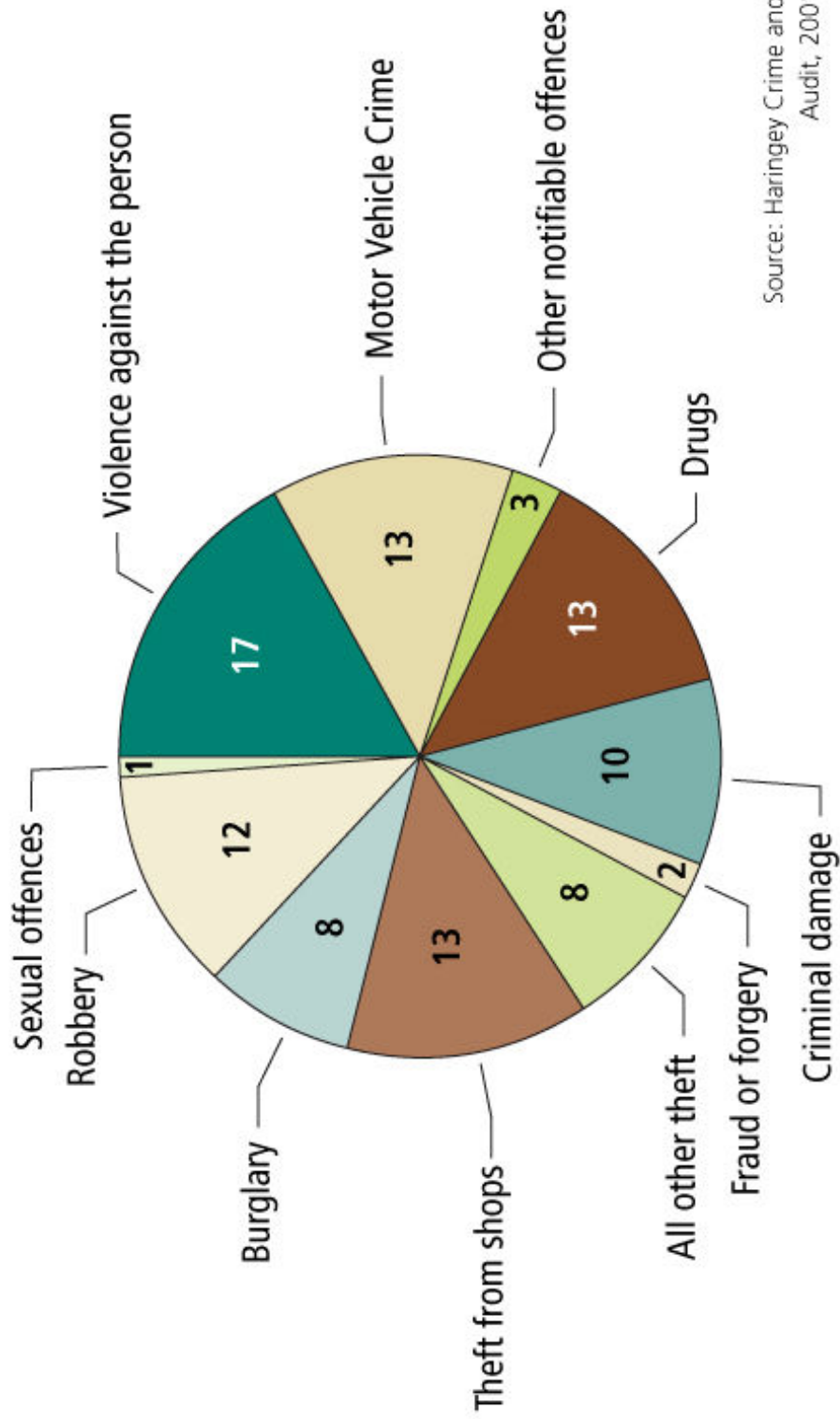


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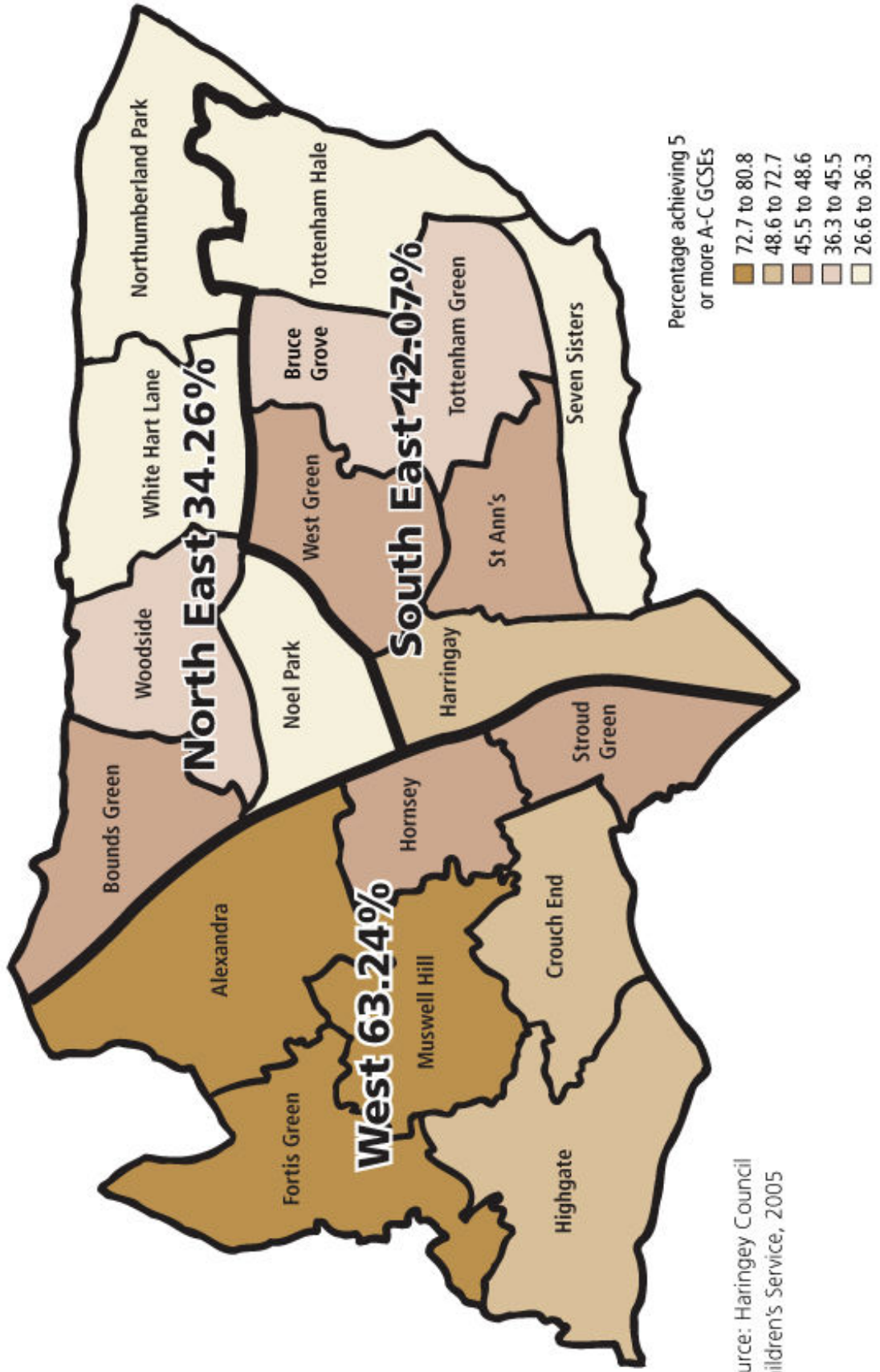
Types of crimes committed by 10-17 year olds, April 2001 to March 2004



Source: Haringey Crime and Drugs Audit, 2001-2004

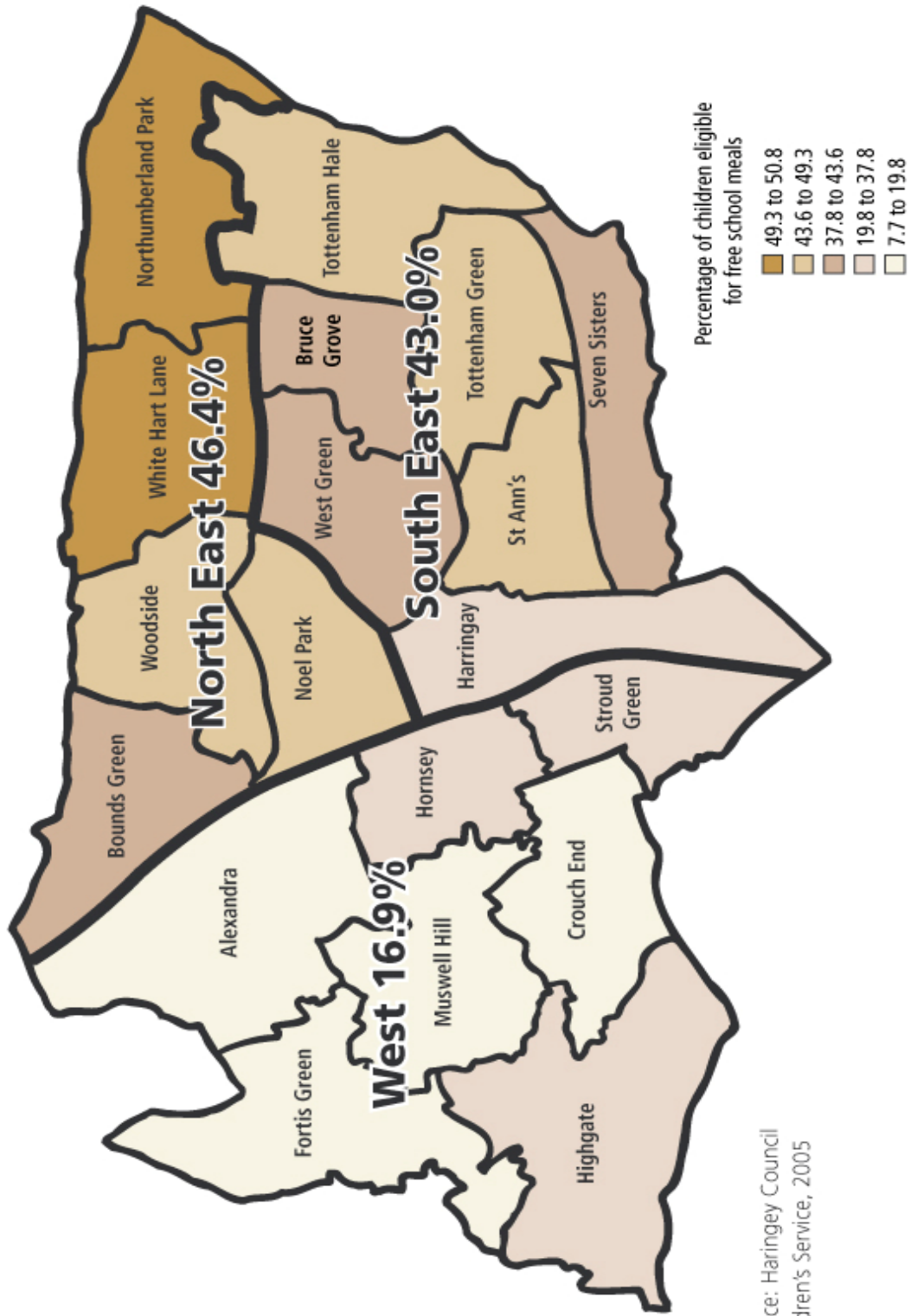
Enjoying and achieving

Proportion of pupils in Haringey achieving 5 or more A*-C GCSEs by ward, 2004



Source: Haringey Council
Children's Service, 2005

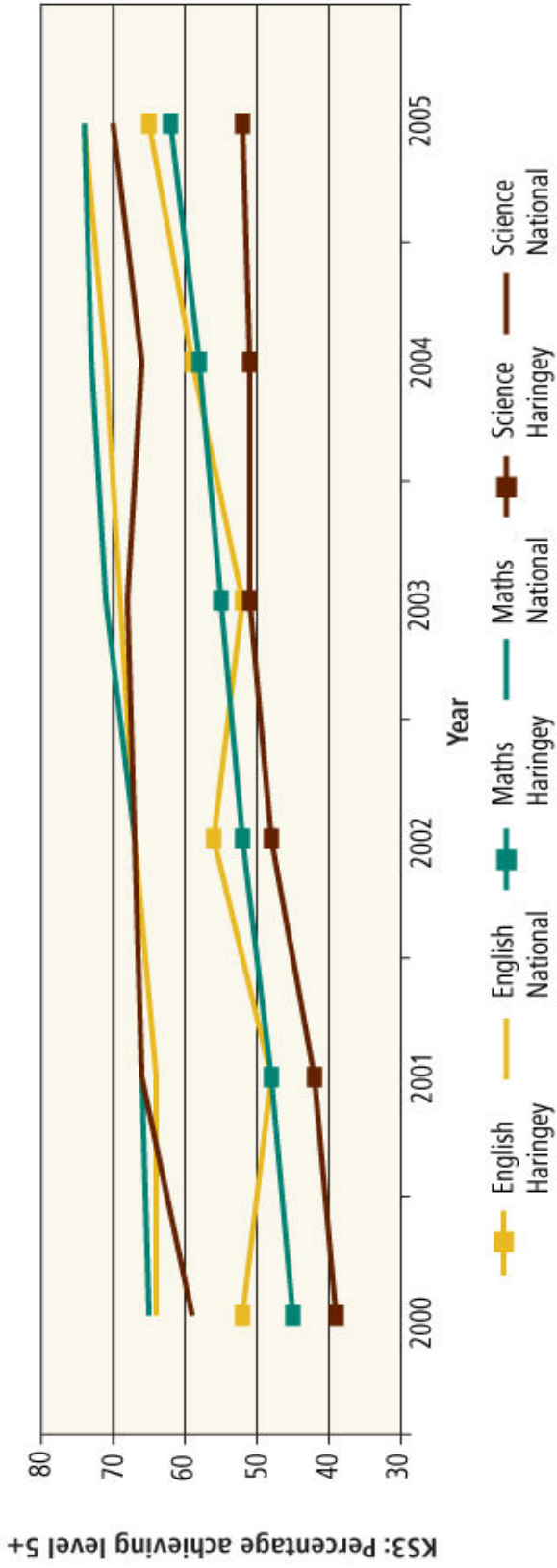
Proportion of children eligible for free school meals by ward, July 2005



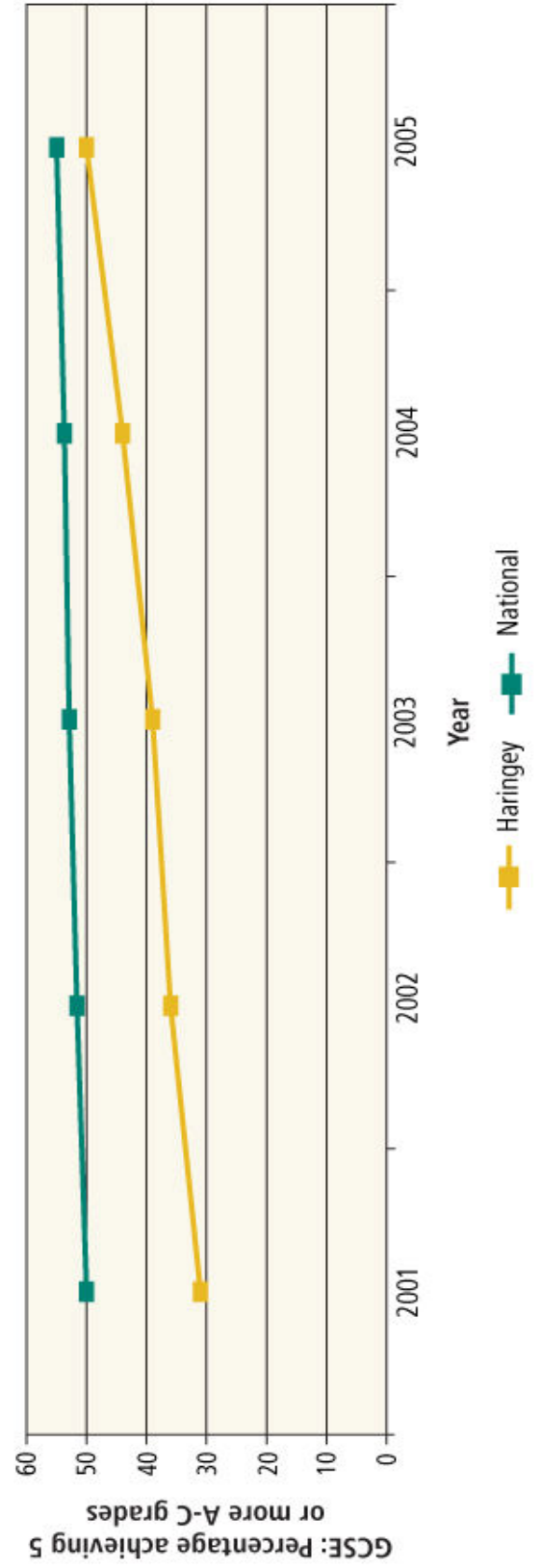
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Attainment in Secondary School 2000-2005: Key stage 3 and GCSE

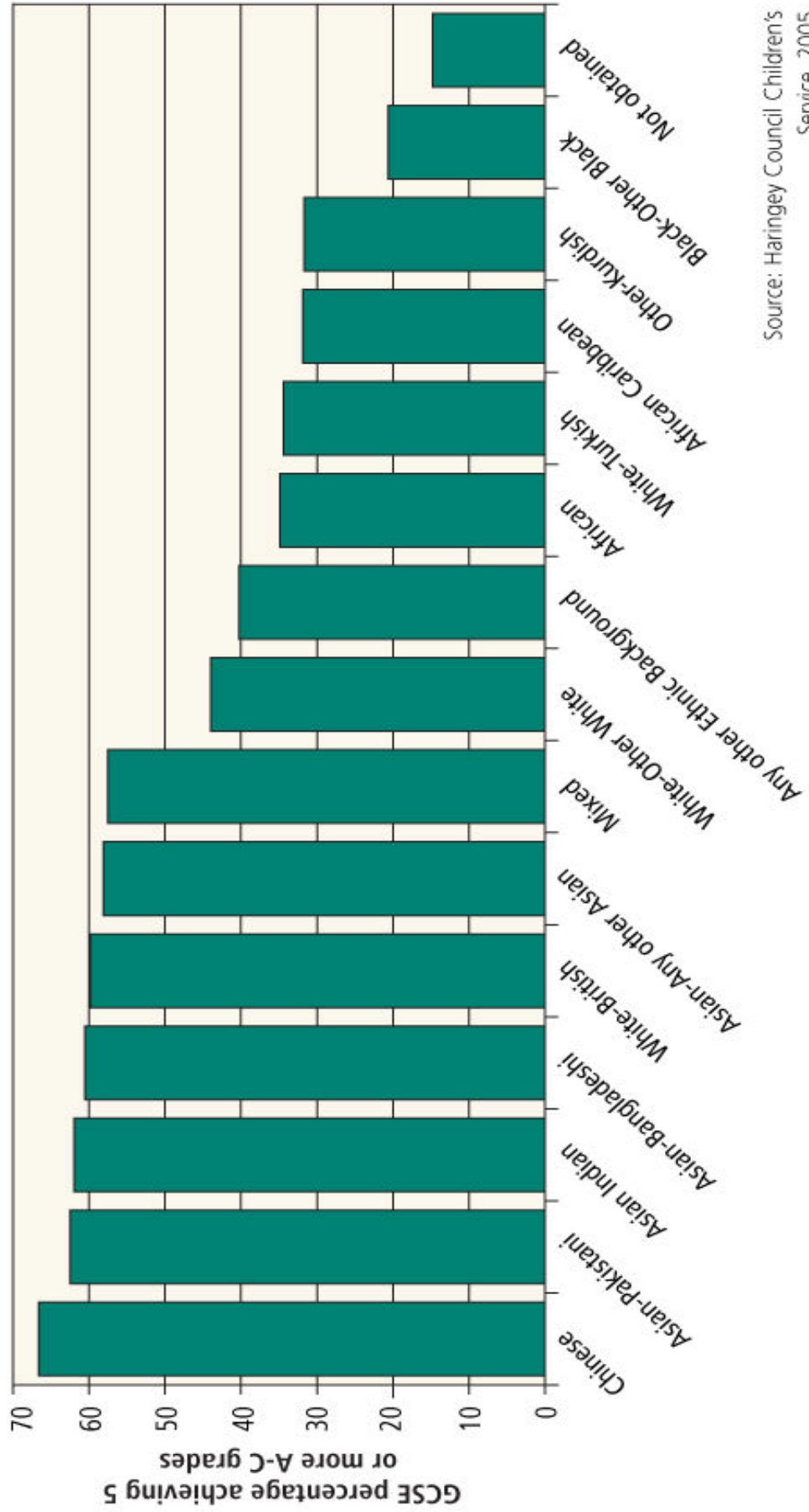
Key Stage 3



GCSE – Haringey/National comparison



Proportion of children in Haringey attaining 5 or more A*-C GCSEs by ethnic group, 2004



Source: Haringey Council Children's Service, 2005

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Climate Change

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Planning and Transportation Policy

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UK Energy Use

- **BUILDINGS** (construction and operation)
 - Energy is used to produce construction materials and run the buildings' heating, cooling and lighting systems and appliances
 - Energy use in buildings accounts for 46% of the UK energy consumption
- **TRANSPORT**
 - Energy use in transport account for 33% of the UK energy use
- **INDUSTRY**
 - Energy use in industry accounts for 21% of the UK consumption

Climate Change Impacts

- The climate change we expect in the next 30-40 years will be due to our past greenhouse gas emissions. Climate change later this century will be determined by the CO2 emissions we allow now.
- Climate Change over the next few decades is likely to mean
 - milder, wetter winters and hotter summers in the UK
 - that sea levels will continue to rise
 - increased number of extreme weather events
 - increased flood risk

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Climate Change Impacts

Impact will be wide-ranging

- flooding and emergency planning
- waste collection and disposal
- planning and built environment
- property management
- provision of health services
- insurance cover
- biodiversity
- transport links

Health Impacts

Climate change would mean that by 2050:

- cold-related winter deaths are likely to decline substantially - possibly by as much as 20,000 per year;
- heat-related summer deaths are likely to increase to around 2,800 per year;
- cases of food poisoning are likely to increase by about 10,000 cases per year;
- indigenous malaria could re-establish by 2050;
- the risk of major disasters caused by gales and coastal flooding is likely to increase significantly;
- effects of air pollutants on health are likely to decline, but effects of summer ozone may increase.

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Local Authorities and Climate Change

- UK Climate Change Impacts Programme
- London Plan policies/London Climate Change Agency
- PPS 22 Renewable Energy
- PPG 25 (draft) Flood Risk Assessment
- Sustainable and Secure Buildings Act
- Emerging National Code for Sustainable Buildings
- EU Directive - energy use in public buildings
- BREEAM/ECOHOMES
- Audit Commission Review (CPA 2005)
- Sustainable Transport Initiatives

Neighbourhood Renewal and the new Safer, Stronger Communities Fund

Better Places Partnership
Wednesday 18 January

HARINGEY COUNCIL



NRF and SSCF

Strong Government focus - improving mainstream services in deprived neighbourhoods and building safer, stronger communities

Funds to help deliver floor targets - health, education, crime, unemployment, housing and liveability

Community Leadership - Council expected to work closely with partners & local people to agree priorities and work programme

Neighbourhood Renewal Fund

Continuing Government fund to improve deprived neighbourhoods

Must be aligned with other mainstream funding and other programmes

NRF outcomes - neighbourhood renewal - 'narrowing the gap'

Now needs to be aligned with SSCF

Safer, Stronger Communities Fund

Comprises money from ODPM and Home Office - some new funding

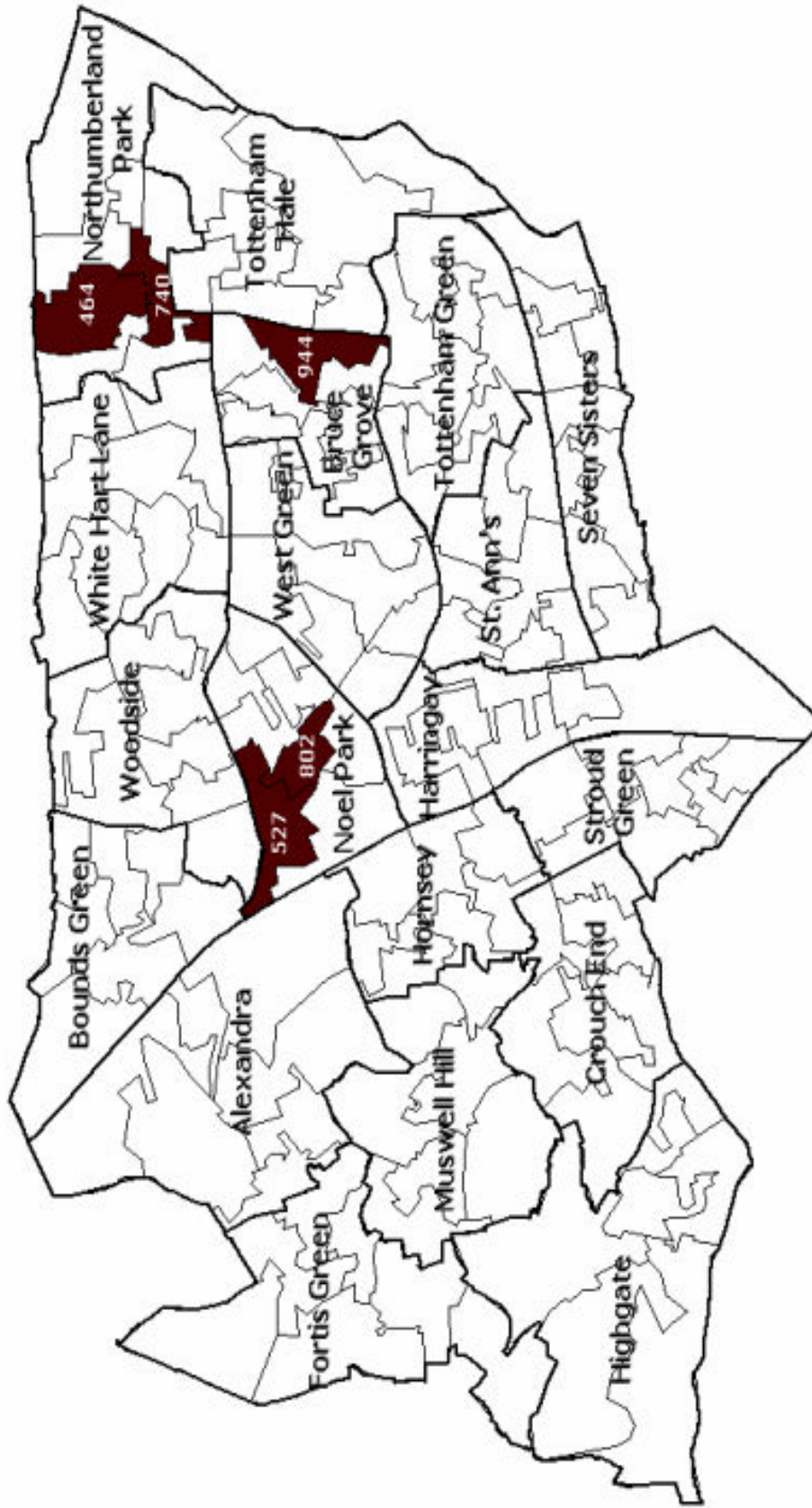
4 outcomes - tackle crime, anti social behaviour and drugs, empower communities and improve streets and open spaces

Cleaner, Greener element - apprx £2 million over 2 years - specifically to tackle deprivation in most deprived wards (ring-fenced)

SOAs amongst the 3% most deprived in the country in the country

100 = SOA rank

■ SOAs amongst 3% most deprived in the country
□ 3%+ most deprived SOAs



Working with our partners

Cleaner, Greener element key part of the new Safer, Stronger Communities Agreement

Better Places Partnership - stewardship for a Cleaner, Greener Haringey

Discussion with BP partners important to identify priorities and actions for 2006/7 and beyond

Other HSP partnerships will lead negotiations on other parts of the SSC Agreement - crime, anti social behaviour and drugs, empowering communities

NRF projects agreed by BP partnership

Improving the environment - enhanced mainstream services to tackle dumping & fly-posting and improve cleaning

Promoting & improving recycling - education and communication to boost participation

Improving public safety - wardens and parks security

Meeting the decent homes standard - energy improvements and inspection programme for HMOs

Budget - £1.7 m

Proposed new projects & priorities

Improving road safety - package of education, campaigns, traffic management and signage

Improving open spaces - stronger enforcement, mobile clean-up teams, weed clearance and tree maintenance

Tackling climate change - strategy and investment (solar powered equipment)

Promoting healthy lifestyles - education and campaigns to increase participation in fitness activities and sports

Indicative budget - £1.5m

Next steps

- Use new resources alongside mainstream funding to achieve BP and Government outcomes and priorities
- Identify contributions and resources from all partners
- Use BP to deliver NRF and SSCF outcomes
- Ensure Cleaner, Greener funds targeted to most deprived neighbourhoods
- Develop project plan - actions, targets, resources

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