Electoral Division Profile 2017



Rodwell Electoral Division

Total Population: 9,700 (2015 Mid Year Estimate, DCC) Number of Electors: 7,531 (March, 2017 WPBC)

- Rodwell Electoral Division is composed of Weymouth West ward and Weymouth East ward.
- Within the division there are no libraries (the nearest is in Weymouth Town) and 2 schools (2 primary).

Population				
2015 Mid-Year Population Estimates, ONS & DCC	Rodwell Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)	
All	9,700	65,170	420,590	
% aged 0-15 years	16.5	16.5	16.0	
% aged 16-64 years	59.9	59.4	56.1	
% aged 65-84 years	20.4	20.9	23.8	
% aged 85+ years	3.2	3.3	4.1	

- Rodwell division has a total population of 9,700.
- The division has a higher working age population, 59.9% are aged 16-64 compared to 56.1% across Dorset. The 65+ population at 23.6% is also lower than the Dorset average of 27.9%.

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Census, 2011	Rodwell Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)
% white British	95.1	94.9	95.5
% Black and minority ethnic groups (BME)	4.9	5.1	4.5
% England	90.7	90.7	91.0
% born rest of UK	3.9	4.0	3.4
% Rep of IRE	0.4	0.4	0.4
% EU (member countries in 2001)	1.2	1.2	1.3
% EU (Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011)	1.0	1.0	0.7
% born elsewhere	2.7	2.7	3.1
Main language spoken not English	0.9	1.0	0.7

Households			
Address Base, DCC	Rodwell Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)
Number of residential properties	4,889	32,812	205,315

Health and Care

Census, 2011	Rodwell Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)
% long term illness / disability	20.7	21.6	20.1
% health very good/ good	80.6	79	80.5
% health very bad/ bad	5.6	5.9	5.0
% provides unpaid care	11.2	11.6	11.9
% all usual residents in communal establishments	1.3	2.8	2.3

• Overall the health of those living in Rodwell division closely resembles the county average.

• 80.6% described their health as good or very good, almost identical to the Dorset average (80.5%).

Unemployment Source: Claimant Count, Jan 2017, ONS				
Area	Male rate	Female rate	Total rate	% of claimants long term unemployed
Rodwell ED	2.0	0.7	1.4	23.0
DCC Dorset Great Britain	1.1 2.4	0.7 1.4	0.9 1.9	16.5 30.9

Index of Deprivation 2015, DCLG.

Lower Super Output Area	IMD Rank	• IMD Stands for the Index of Multiple Deprivation.
Weymouth West Buxton Road	23,999	All Lower Super Output Areas in England are
Weymouth West Everest Road	14,086	ranked from 1 for the most deprived to 32,844 for the least deprived.
Rodwell and the Nothe	12,361	 Rodwell and Chapelhay is the most deprived
Weymouth West Doncaster Road	12,332	area within this division.
Rodwell and Chapelhay	3,694	The Rodwell and Chapelhay area falls within the top 20% most deprived nationally.