# **Electoral Division Profile 2017**



#### Wareham Electoral Division

Total Population: 9,000 (2015 Mid Year Estimate, DCC) Number of Electors: 7,498 (March, 2017 PDC)

- Wareham Electoral Division is composed of the Arne, Wareham St. Martin and Wareham Town parishes.
- Within the division there are 1 library and 4 schools (3 primary and 1 secondary).

Population				
2015 Mid-Year Population Estimates, ONS & DCC	Wareham Electoral Division	Purbeck	Dorset (DCC)	
All	9,000	46,200	420,600	
% aged 0-15 years	14.8	16.2	16.0	
% aged 16-64 years	55.5	57.3	56.1	
% aged 65-84 years	25.6	23.1	23.8	
% aged 85+ years	4.1	3.5	4.1	

- Wareham division has a total population of 9,000.
- The division has an older age profile than for Dorset as a whole with 30% aged 65+ compared with 28% in Dorset on average.

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### Ethnicity/Country of Birth / Language spoken

Census, 2011	Wareham Electoral Division	Purbeck	Dorset (DCC)
% white British	96.8	96.2	95.5
% Black and minority ethnic groups (BME)	3.2	3.8	4.5
% England	92.0	91.2	91.0
% born rest of UK	3.5	3.3	3.4
% Rep of IRE	0.4	0.4	0.4
% EU (member countries in 2001)	1.3	1.7	1.3
% EU (Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011)	0.4	0.6	0.7
% born elsewhere	2.5	2.6	3.1
Main language spoken not English	0.5	0.6	0.7

Households			
Address Base, DCC	Wareham Electoral Division	Purbeck	Dorset (DCC)
Number of residential properties	4,506	23,002	205,315

## Health and Care

Census, 2011	Wareham Electoral Division	Purbeck	Dorset (DCC)
% long term illness / disability	20.9	19.4	20.1
% health very good/ good	79.7	80.9	80.5
% health very bad/ bad	5.7	5.0	5.0
% provides unpaid care	13.5	12.7	11.9
% all usual residents in communal establishments	0.5	1.4	2.3

• Overall the health of those living in Wareham division is slightly worse than for Dorset as a whole.

• A higher proportion of the population (13.5%) provide unpaid care compared to Dorset (11.9%).

Unemployment Source: Claimant Count, Jan 2017, ONS				
Area	Male rate	Female rate	Total rate	% of claimants long term unemployed
Wareham ED	1.2	0.6	0.9	6.6
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.
Sandford N & Holton Heath	17,517	All Lower Super Output Areas in England are
Sandford South	23,504	ranked from 1 for the most deprived to 32,844 for the least deprived.
Wareham Town	12,697	<ul> <li>Wareham Town is the most deprived area within</li> </ul>
Wareham Worgret	22,689	this division - significantly more deprived than
Wareham Northmoor Park	24,954	any other area in the division.
Wareham Northport	18,169	Wareham Town falls within the top 40% most deprived nationally.