

Latest numbers on COVID-19 in the UK – 4 March 2022

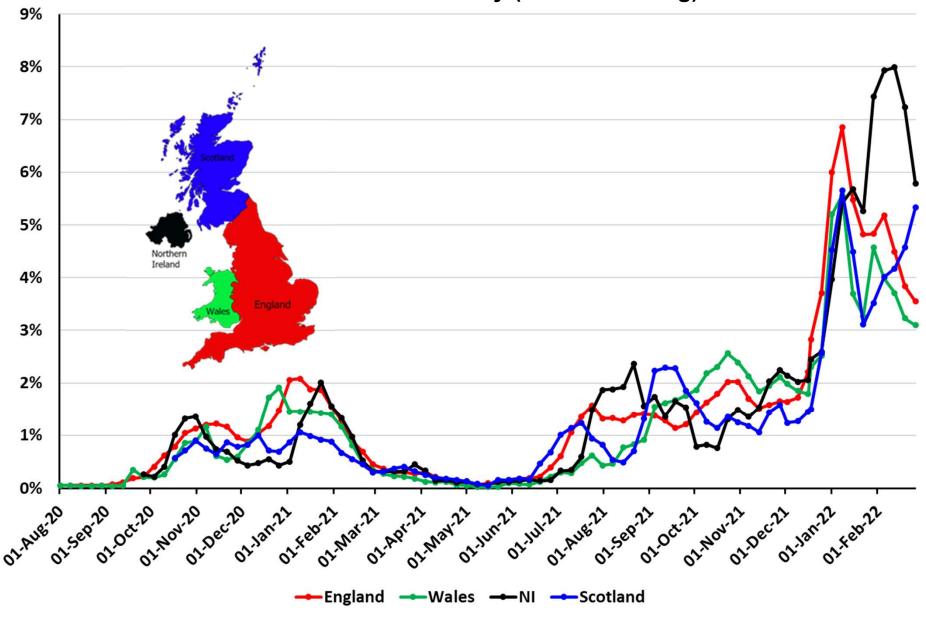
- 1. Prevalence of Covid
- 2. Variants
- 3. Hospitalisations
- 4. Long Covid
- 5. Inequality

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Prevalence of Covid



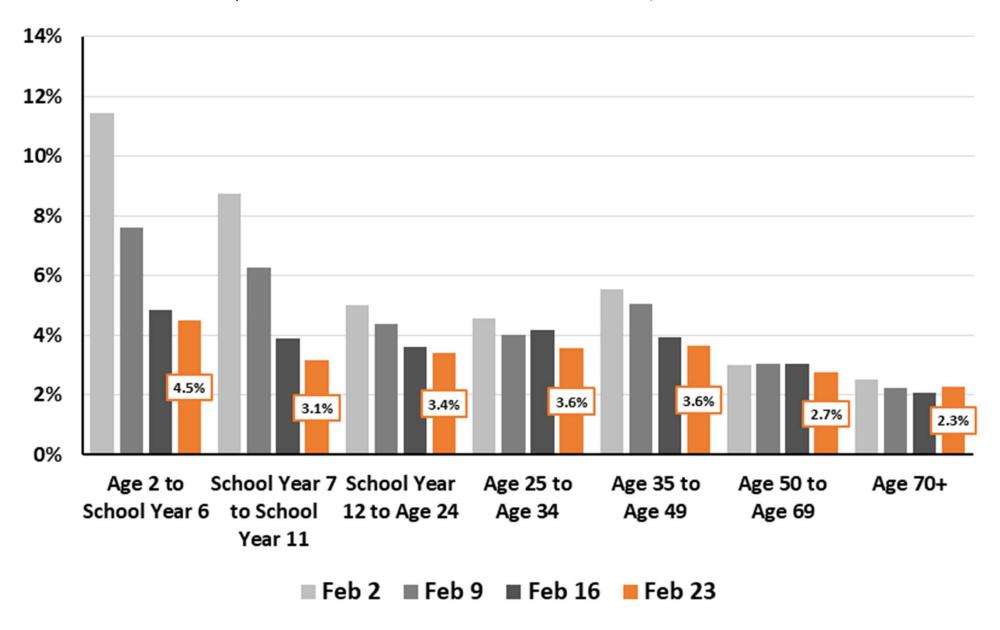
Percent of population testing positive each week by nation: 1 Aug 2020 to 26 Feb 2022 ONS Infection Survey (random testing)





Percent Testing Positive by Age for England: 23 Feb vs Prior Weeks

(Source: Coronavirus (COVID-19) Infection Survey results, UK: 4 Mar2022)



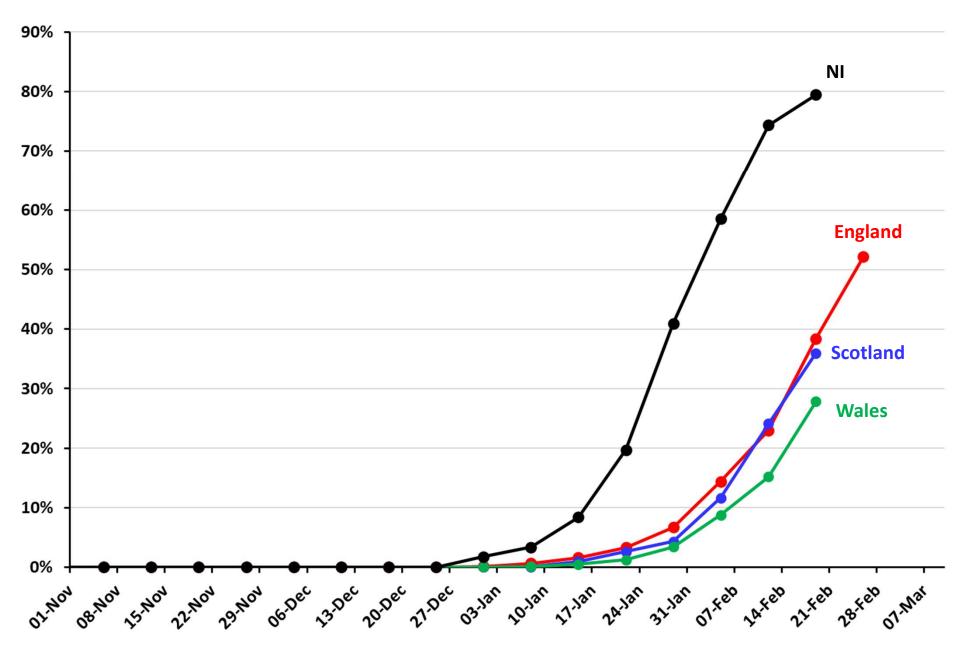
Data from

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BA.2 Omicron variant



Proportion of sequenced cases that are **BA.2** over time by home nation to week ending 26 Feb 2022.



Data from COG UK, https://www.cogconsortium.uk/priority-areas/data-linkage-analysis/public-data-analysis/



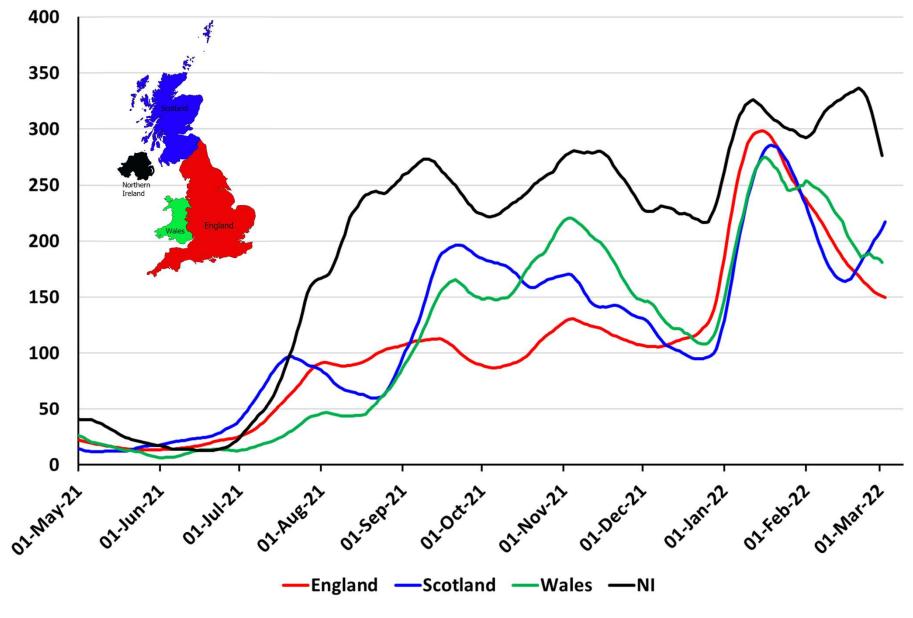
Latest estimates of vaccine efficacy against Omicron (no difference between BA.1 and BA.2)

| | Dose 2 | | | Dose 3 | | |
|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | 0 to 3 months | 4 to 6 months | Over 6 months | 0 to 3 months | 4 to 6 months | Over 6 months |
| Infection | Insufficient data | Insufficient data | Insufficient data | Insufficient data | Insufficient data | Insufficient data |
| Symptomatic disease | 25 to 70% | 5 to 30% | 0 to 10% | 50 to 75% | 40 to 50% | Insufficient data |
| Hospitalisation | 65 to 85% | 55 to 65% | 30 to 35 % | 80 to 95% | 75 to 85% | Insufficient data |
| Mortality | Insufficient data | Insufficient data | 40 to 70% | 85 to 99% | Insufficient data | Insufficient data |

Hospitals & Deaths



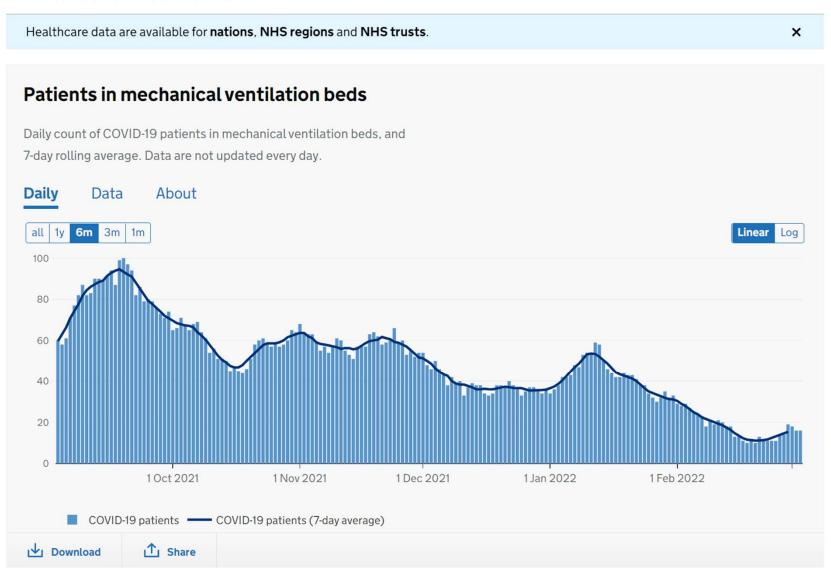
Number of people in hospital with Covid per million people – UK nations 7 day rolling average to 1 Apr 2020 – 3 Mar 2022





Number of people with Covid-19 in mechanically ventilated beds in Scotland to 3 March 2022

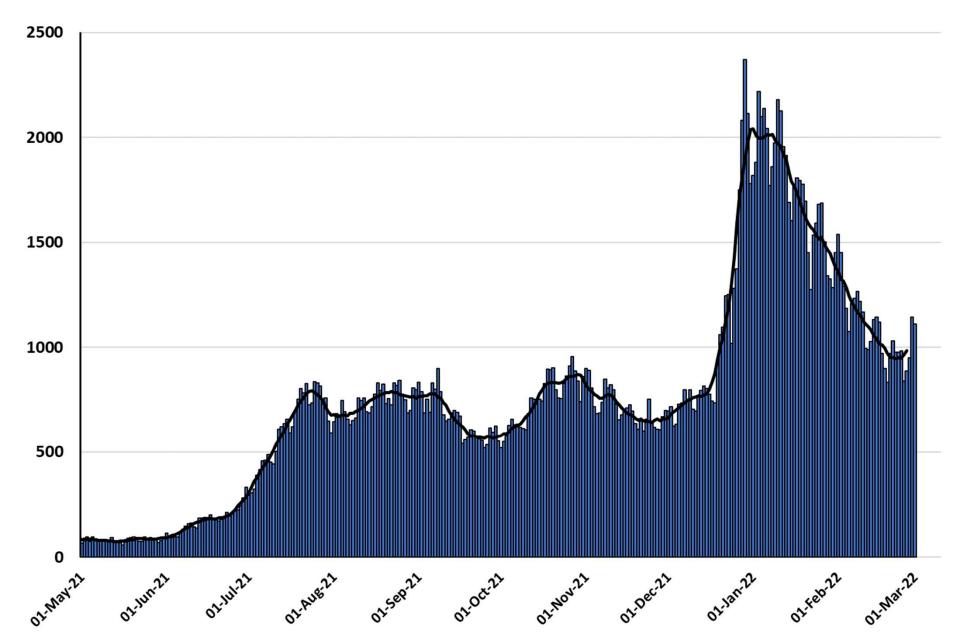
Healthcare in Scotland ▼



From https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk/details/healthcare?areaType=nation&areaName=Scotland

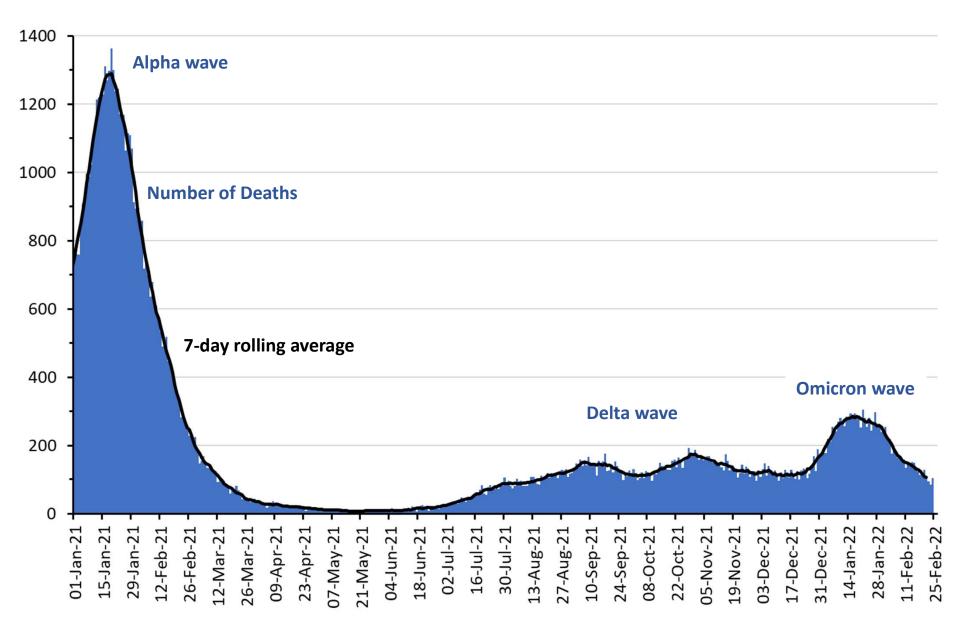


Number of daily hospital admissions with Covid in England to 1 Mar 2022





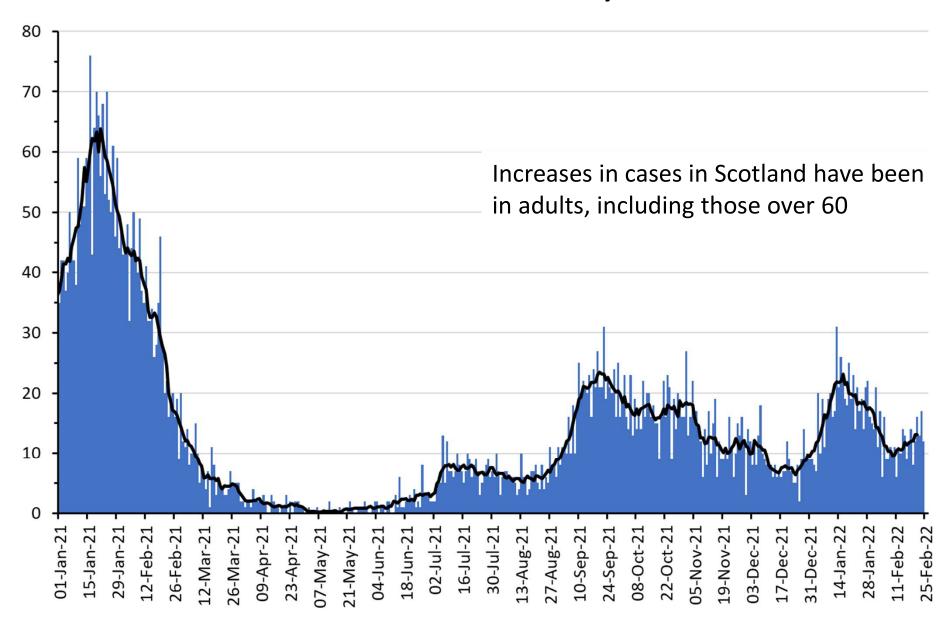
Number of deaths within 28 days of +ve COVID test by date of death across the UK to 24 February 2022



Data from https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk/



Number of deaths within 28 days of +ve COVID test by date of death in Scotland to 24 February 2022

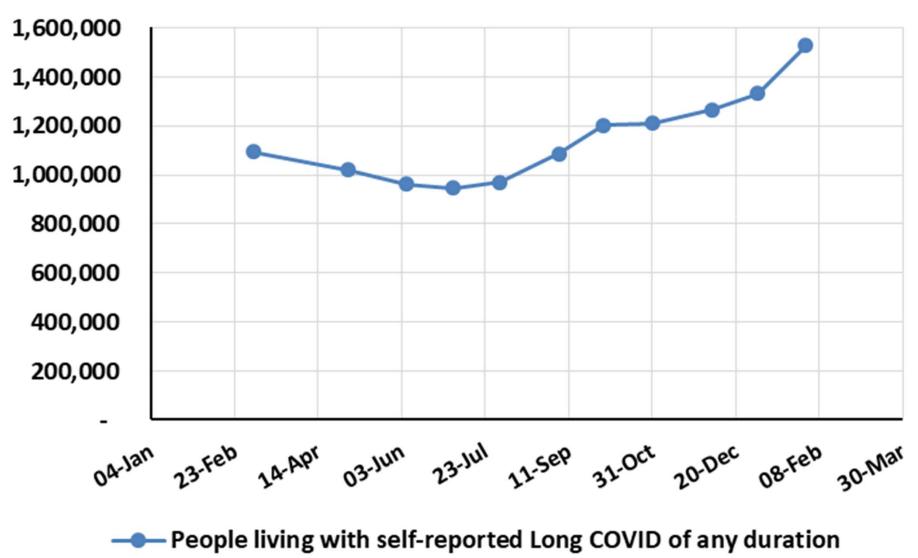


Long Covid



Number of People Living with Self-Reported Long Covid (at least 4 weeks) in the UK, Mar 6, 2021 to Jan 31, 2022

(Source: ONS Prevalence of ongoing symptoms following coronavirus (COVID-19) infection in the UK Reports)

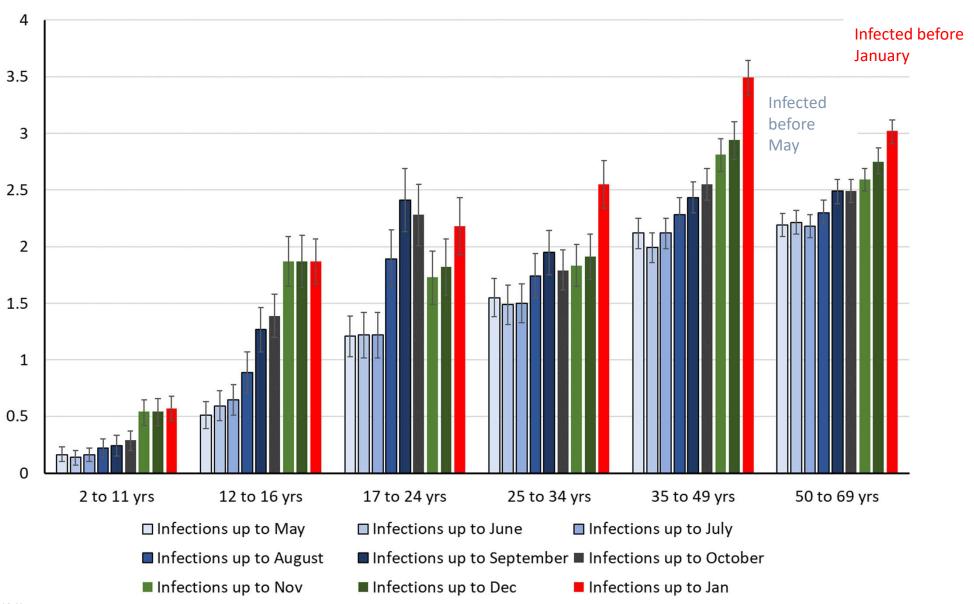


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Percentage of population living with "Long Covid" (symptoms lasting at least 4 weeks) by age over time (ONS survey)

Percent of age group



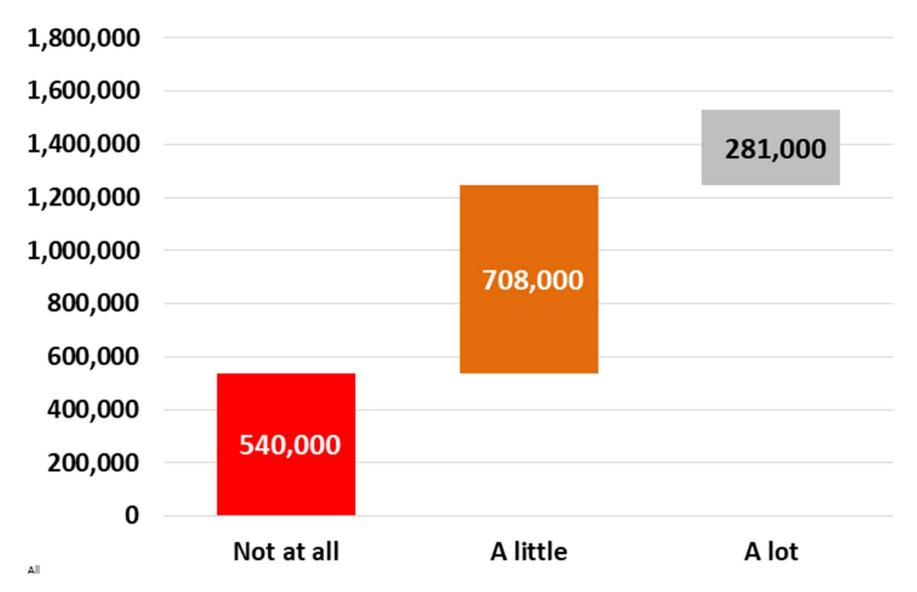
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Impact on People Living with Self-Reported Long Covid in the UK Jan 31, 2022

(Source: ONS Prevalence of ongoing symptoms following coronavirus (COVID-19) infection in the UK Reports)

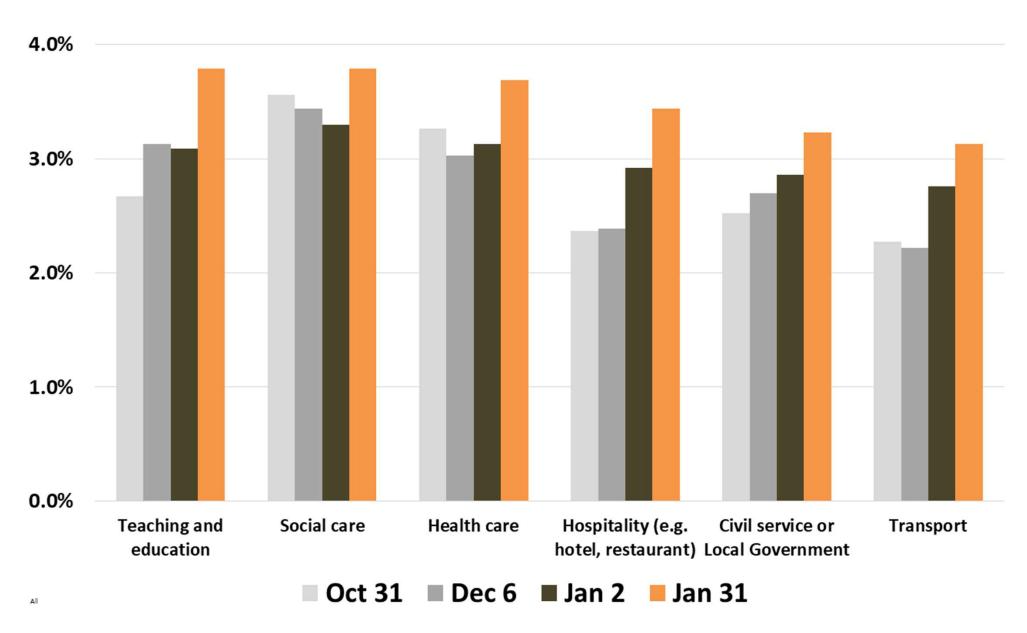


Extent to which long COVID reduces ability to undertake day-to-day activities



Percent of People in 'Top 6' Job Sectors Living with Self-Reported Long Covid in the UK: Oct 31, 2021 to Jan 31 2022

(Source: ONS Prevalence of ongoing symptoms following coronavirus (COVID-19) infection in the UK Reports)



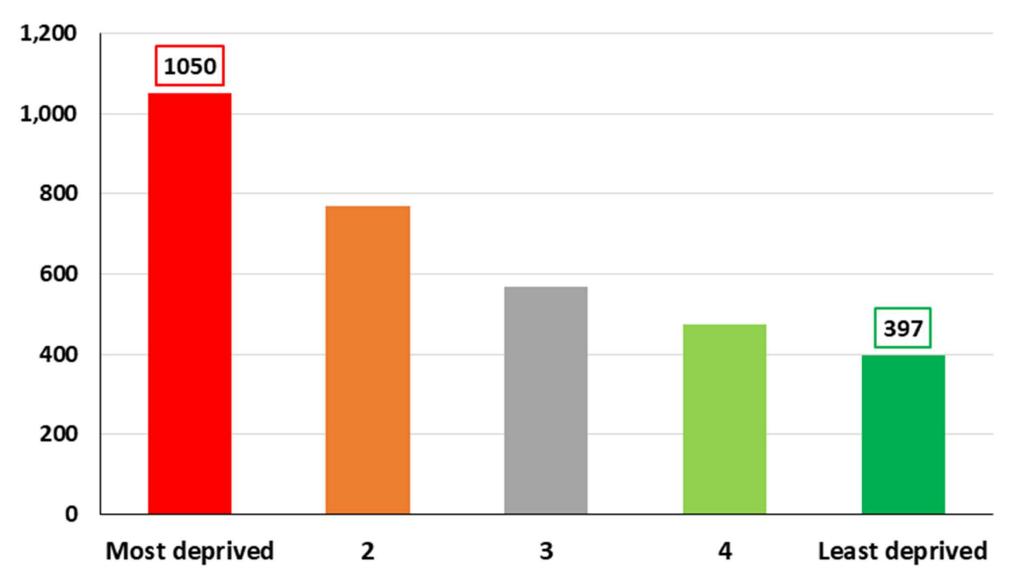
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Inequalities



Hospital Admission Rate per 100,000 by Deprivation in England for the Period Mar 2020 to Nov 2021

(Source: COVID-19 Health Inequalities Monitoring for England (CHIME) tool)

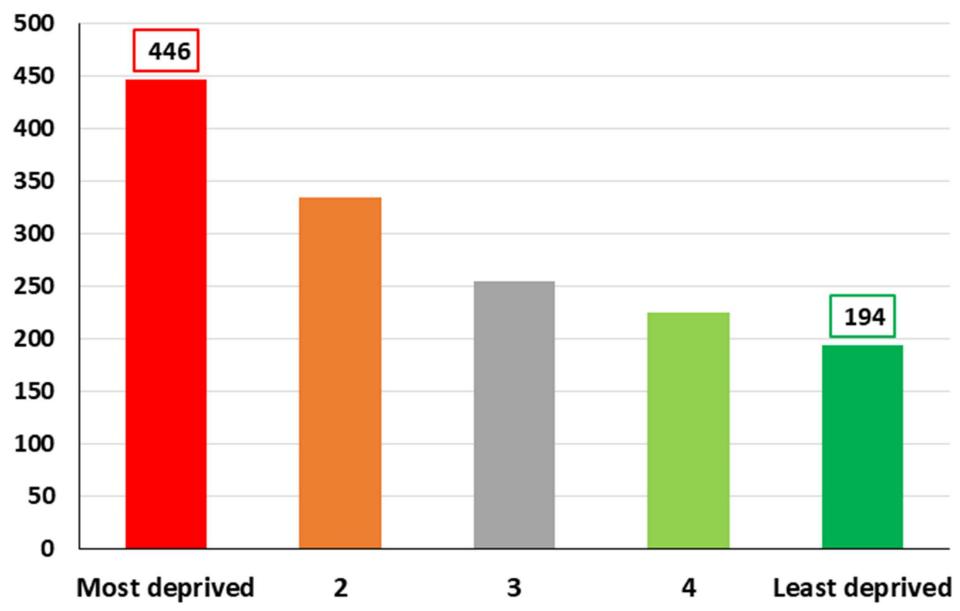


Age Standardised Adm Rate



Mortality Rate per 100,000 by Deprivation in England for the Period Mar 2020 to Dec 2021

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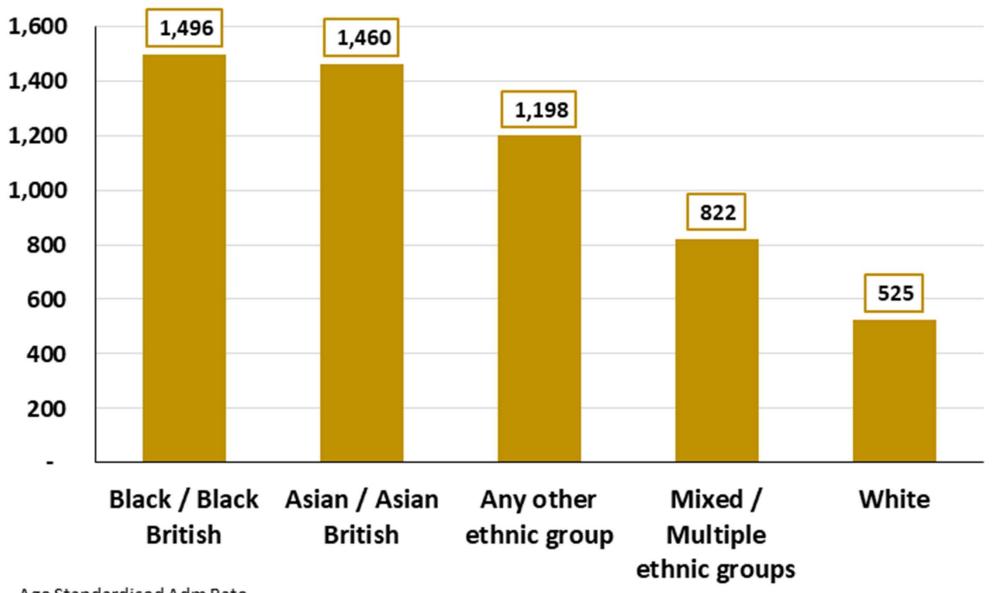


Age Standardised Mortality Rate



Hospital Admission Rate per 100,000 by Ethnicity in England for the Period Mar 2020 to Nov 2021

(Source: COVID-19 Health Inequalities Monitoring for England (CHIME) tool)

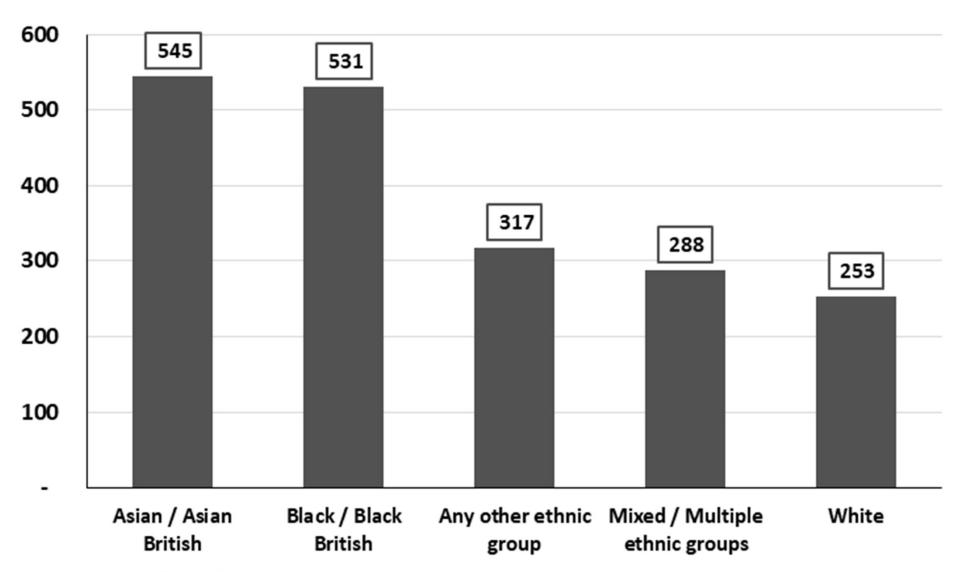


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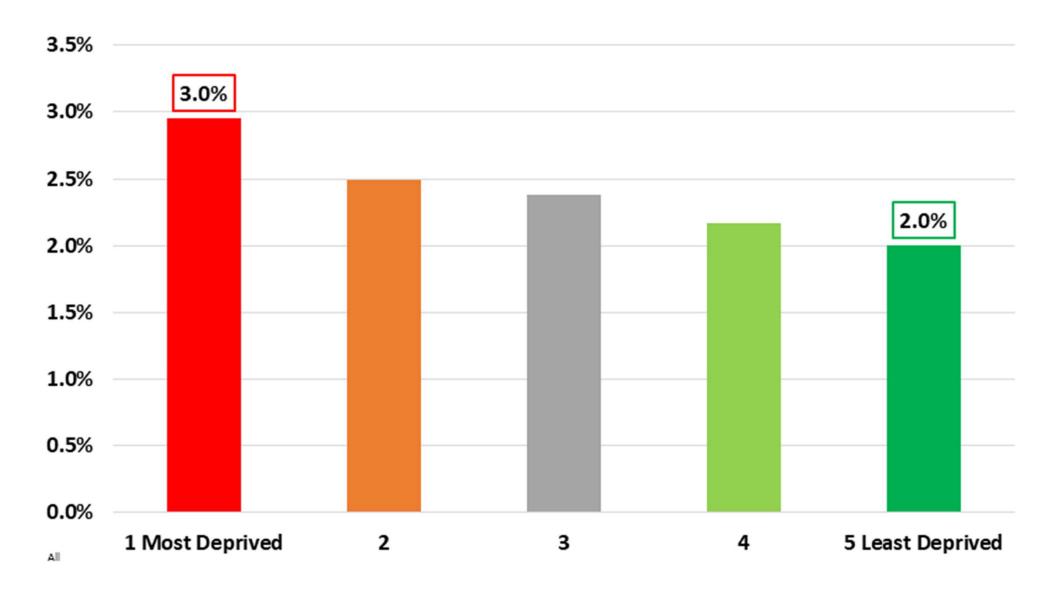


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Percent of Deprivation Quintile Living with Self-Reported Long Covid in the UK: Jan 31, 2022

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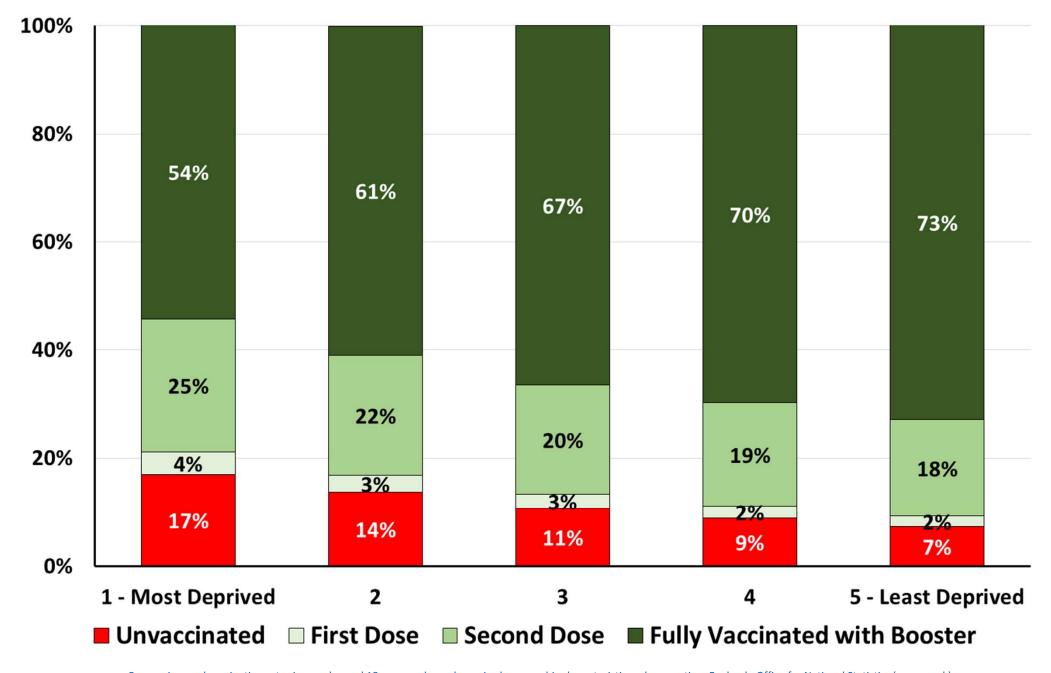


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Vaccine Coverage by Deprivation for Over 18's in England as at 31 Dec 2021

(Source: ONS report on Coronavirus and vaccination rates in people by socio-demographic characteristic & occupation in England)



- ONS shows that the number of people with Covid is falling in England, Wales, and NI but rising in Scotland
- Number of people in hospital is continuing to fall in all nations except Scotland where they are rising. Admissions in England have also risen in the last few days.
- Deaths are flat or declining in all nations apart from Scotland.
- The Omicron subvariant (BA.2) continues to increase in all nations, is dominant in N Ireland, England and likely Scotland.
- Inequalities in hospitalisations, deaths and vaccination are stark.