

Vital Statistics 2005 The UK Gay Men's Sex Survey

Area Sub-samples Data Report (February 2008)
North East Strategic Health Authority

This report uses data from the UK Gay Men's Sex Survey 2005, conducted by Sigma Research in collaboration with health promoters throughout the UK. This report supplements the annual report, *Consuming passions: findings from the United Kingdom Gay Men's Sex Survey 2005* (downloadable from <http://www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/downloads/report2007c.pdf>). Survey methods and interpretation of the variables are outlined in that report. This data is intended to provide HIV health promotion planners with information about their local gay population. There is one data report for each of the Strategic Health Authority Areas in England. In each report men are usually grouped according to their local PCT of residence. The report indicates where this is not the case.

The data

The survey used two data collection methods over the summer of 2005:

- (1) A self-sealing, Freepost addressed booklet distributed by 83 health promotion agencies;
- (2) On a specific web-site <<http://www.sigmasurvey.org.uk>>, promoted via links on 55 gay and HIV related web-sites. Two sites, gay.com and gaydar.co.uk, conducted substantial paid for promotion of the survey.

This report contains data from all the men recruited through **both methods**.

The respondents are grouped according to the agency which recruited them.

To be included in the sample respondents must:

- be male;
- be aged 14 or over;
- be living in the UK;
- have had sex with a man in the last year or have an expectation of having sex with a man in the future;
- have completed at least one demographic question and one other question.

Differences between the number of surveys returned and the number of men who appear in the sample are due to these exclusions.

The tables

Groups of men living in the same PCT area appear as a line in the tables. The bottom line of each table gives the result for the entire area being considered. The first table shows the number of men recruited to the survey living in PCT areas and the size of the Sub-samples in the rest of the tables. PCT areas with fewer than 20 men and amalgamated PCT areas (where respondents cannot be allocated to an individual PCT area) are reported on further as "all other men". The tables show the proportions (%) of each sub-sample for that variable (less missing data). Rows (lines across add up to 100%. The only exception to this layout is table 3, Age averages.

Questionnaires

The contents page identifies the Booklet question number (Q) each table is derived from.

The questionnaire used in the survey is available to download at:

<http://www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/files/VS2005booklet.pdf>.

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Frequencies

1a. Local Authority of residence

	Frequency	Percent
County Durham	89	21.3
Newcastle	83	19.9
PCT area unknown	36	8.6
Gateshead	30	7.2
Sunderland Teaching	27	6.5
North Tyneside	26	6.2
North Tees	24	5.8
Middlesbrough	23	5.5
Northumberland Care Trust	22	5.3
Redcar & Cleveland	22	5.3
South Tyneside	18	4.3
Darlington	9	2.2
Hartlepool	8	1.9
Total	417	100.0

1b. Web and booklet sample sizes by PCT area of residence.

Count

	method - distribution		Total
	Web	Booklet	
PCT area unknown	36	0	36
Northumberland Care Trust	15	7	22
Newcastle	73	10	83
North Tyneside	24	2	26
Gateshead	21	9	30
South Tyneside	16	2	18
Sunderland Teaching	27	0	27
County Durham	66	23	89
Hartlepool	6	2	8
Darlington	9	0	9
North Tees	22	2	24
Middlesbrough	16	7	23
Redcar & Cleveland	19	3	22
Total	350	67	417

2. Age groups.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Age in 10s				
	<20	20s	30s	40s	50+
Northumberland Care Trust	4.5%	40.9%	27.3%	18.2%	9.1%
Newcastle	10.8%	45.8%	18.1%	14.5%	10.8%
North Tyneside		34.6%	30.8%	11.5%	23.1%
Gateshead	13.3%	26.7%	30.0%	20.0%	10.0%
Sunderland Teaching	11.1%	33.3%	18.5%	33.3%	3.7%
County Durham	16.1%	43.7%	18.4%	10.3%	11.5%
North Tees	4.2%	29.2%	16.7%	37.5%	12.5%
Middlesbrough	26.1%	39.1%	21.7%	4.3%	8.7%
Redcar & Cleveland	27.3%	27.3%	22.7%	4.5%	18.2%
All other North East SHA men	14.1%	31.0%	28.2%	15.5%	11.3%
Total	13.0%	37.3%	22.4%	15.7%	11.6%

3. Age averages.

Demog Age (original)

Demog - PCT area of residence	Median	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Northumberland Care Trust	31.00	18	67	34.32	13.011
Newcastle	27.00	16	63	31.63	11.865
North Tyneside	35.00	20	75	38.65	16.707
Gateshead	35.00	16	57	34.00	11.876
Sunderland Teaching	33.00	18	57	33.67	10.745
County Durham	27.00	15	71	30.66	12.579
North Tees	38.50	18	59	36.92	11.538
Middlesbrough	24.00	15	59	27.57	11.257
Redcar & Cleveland	26.50	16	59	31.18	13.372
All other North East SHA men	32.00	15	67	32.58	12.299
Total	29.00	15	75	32.53	12.584

4. Years of formal education after the age of 16 years of age.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Years in full-time education post - 16				
	None	1 year	2 years	3 to 5 years	6 or more years
Northumberland Care Trust	22.7%	13.6%	4.5%	36.4%	22.7%
Newcastle	6.0%	12.0%	9.6%	45.8%	26.5%
North Tyneside	19.2%	11.5%	19.2%	42.3%	7.7%
Gateshead	10.0%	13.3%	30.0%	20.0%	26.7%
Sunderland Teaching	14.8%	11.1%	29.6%	33.3%	11.1%
County Durham	18.0%	6.7%	23.6%	38.2%	13.5%
North Tees	16.7%		29.2%	25.0%	29.2%
Middlesbrough	13.0%	8.7%	26.1%	26.1%	26.1%
Redcar & Cleveland	9.1%	18.2%	36.4%	36.4%	
All other North East SHA men	15.5%	7.0%	19.7%	39.4%	18.3%
Total	13.9%	9.6%	20.9%	36.9%	18.7%

5. Annual income.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	£ Annual Income								
	< 5000	5000 - 9999	10000 - 14999	15000 - 19999	20000 - 24999	25000 - 29999	30000 - 34999	35000 - 39999	40 000 +
Northumberland Care Trust	4.5%	9.1%	27.3%	18.2%	13.6%	9.1%	9.1%	4.5%	4.5%
Newcastle	9.8%	9.8%	22.0%	13.4%	15.9%	6.1%	11.0%	2.4%	9.8%
North Tyneside	7.7%	23.1%	3.8%	30.8%	7.7%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	15.4%
Gateshead	13.3%	10.0%	33.3%	20.0%	6.7%	3.3%	3.3%		10.0%
Sunderland Teaching	11.1%	7.4%	11.1%	22.2%	7.4%	14.8%	14.8%		11.1%
County Durham	11.5%	13.8%	25.3%	11.5%	12.6%	10.3%	6.9%	2.3%	5.7%
North Tees		8.7%	21.7%	21.7%	8.7%	17.4%	8.7%	4.3%	8.7%
Middlesbrough	26.1%	17.4%	17.4%		8.7%	8.7%	4.3%	13.0%	4.3%
Redcar & Cleveland	13.6%	22.7%	13.6%	9.1%	13.6%	9.1%	4.5%		13.6%
All other North East SHA men	17.1%	17.1%	8.6%	15.7%	14.3%	12.9%	5.7%	1.4%	7.1%
Total	11.9%	13.6%	18.9%	15.3%	12.1%	9.5%	7.5%	2.7%	8.5%

6. Current religious practice.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Current religious practice					
	No religious practice	Christianity	Islam	Buddhism	Paganism	Other
Northumberland Care Trust		52.4%	38.1%			9.5%
Newcastle		67.1%	26.8%	2.4%	1.2%	2.4%
North Tyneside		57.7%	34.6%		3.8%	3.8%
Gateshead		66.7%	26.7%		3.3%	3.3%
Sunderland Teaching		81.5%	18.5%			
County Durham		73.0%	22.5%	2.2%		1.1%
North Tees		70.8%	29.2%			
Middlesbrough		56.5%	30.4%		8.7%	4.3%
Redcar & Cleveland		50.0%	50.0%			
All other North East SHA men		68.6%	25.7%		4.3%	1.4%
Total		66.9%	27.8%	1.0%	.7%	2.2%

7. Ethnicity in six groups.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ethnic Group x6					
	White British	White other	Black	Asian	Mixed	Other
Northumberland Care Trust	90.9%	9.1%				
Newcastle	80.7%	10.8%	1.2%	3.6%		3.6%
North Tyneside	92.3%	7.7%				
Gateshead	100.0%					
Sunderland Teaching	92.6%	3.7%				3.7%
County Durham	94.3%	2.3%		2.3%	1.1%	
North Tees	95.8%				4.2%	
Middlesbrough	95.7%				4.3%	
Redcar & Cleveland	86.4%	9.1%	4.5%			
All other North East SHA men	97.1%	1.4%			1.4%	
Total	91.8%	4.6%	.5%	1.2%	1.0%	1.0%

HIV testing

8. HIV testing history.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Demog HIV test history			
	Never tested	-ve test > 1 year ago	-ve test in last year	Tested HIV positive
Northumberland Care Trust	47.6%	23.8%	23.8%	4.8%
Newcastle	43.4%	19.3%	32.5%	4.8%
North Tyneside	50.0%	26.9%	19.2%	3.8%
Gateshead	36.7%	23.3%	26.7%	13.3%
Sunderland Teaching	48.1%	25.9%	18.5%	7.4%
County Durham	52.8%	18.0%	27.0%	2.2%
North Tees	62.5%	12.5%	16.7%	8.3%
Middlesbrough	43.5%	17.4%	39.1%	
Redcar & Cleveland	77.3%		18.2%	4.5%
All other North East SHA men	53.5%	25.4%	19.7%	1.4%
Total	50.5%	20.0%	25.2%	4.3%

Sexual behaviour

9. Gender of sexual partners in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Demog - Gender of sexual partners			
	No one	Women only	Both men and women	Men only
Northumberland Care Trust		4.5%	18.2%	77.3%
Newcastle	7.2%		7.2%	85.5%
North Tyneside	11.5%	3.8%	11.5%	73.1%
Gateshead	10.0%		10.0%	80.0%
Sunderland Teaching	3.7%	3.7%	14.8%	77.8%
County Durham	5.6%	3.4%	11.2%	79.8%
North Tees	4.2%		12.5%	83.3%
Middlesbrough	4.3%		21.7%	73.9%
Redcar & Cleveland	4.5%		18.2%	77.3%
All other North East SHA men	4.2%	1.4%	12.7%	81.7%
Total	5.8%	1.7%	12.2%	80.3%

10. HIV concordancy of regular male relationship.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	HIV concordancy of regular male relationship			
	No male partner	HIV concordant	HIV discordant	Concordancy unknown
Northumberland Care Trust	59.1%	36.4%	4.5%	
Newcastle	43.2%	44.4%	1.2%	11.1%
North Tyneside	50.0%	38.5%	7.7%	3.8%
Gateshead	34.5%	44.8%	10.3%	10.3%
Sunderland Teaching	40.7%	44.4%		14.8%
County Durham	44.8%	44.8%	6.9%	3.4%
North Tees	41.7%	50.0%	4.2%	4.2%
Middlesbrough	43.5%	47.8%		8.7%
Redcar & Cleveland	54.5%	40.9%	4.5%	
All other North East SHA men	46.5%	45.1%	2.8%	5.6%
Total	45.1%	44.2%	4.1%	6.6%

11. Number of male sexual partners in the last year (those who had sex with men).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Number of male sexual partners (had male partner)				
	One	2, 3 or 4	5 to 12	13 to 29	30 +
Northumberland Care Trust	14.3%	38.1%	19.0%	14.3%	14.3%
Newcastle	23.7%	38.2%	18.4%	10.5%	9.2%
North Tyneside	27.3%	22.7%	27.3%	9.1%	13.6%
Gateshead	15.4%	30.8%	19.2%	23.1%	11.5%
Sunderland Teaching	16.7%	29.2%	33.3%	12.5%	8.3%
County Durham	19.8%	35.8%	17.3%	14.8%	12.3%
North Tees	34.8%	26.1%	21.7%	17.4%	
Middlesbrough	13.6%	40.9%	31.8%	9.1%	4.5%
Redcar & Cleveland	28.6%	47.6%	9.5%	9.5%	4.8%
All other North East SHA men	28.8%	36.4%	18.2%	7.6%	9.1%
Total	22.8%	35.3%	20.2%	12.3%	9.4%

12. Insertive AI and frequency of condom use in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	IAI and frequency of condom use			
	No IAI	IAI never used a condom	IAI sometimes used a condom	IAI always used a condom
Northumberland Care Trust	27.3%	18.2%	22.7%	31.8%
Newcastle	39.8%	8.4%	27.7%	24.1%
North Tyneside	38.5%	7.7%	30.8%	23.1%
Gateshead	33.3%	3.3%	30.0%	33.3%
Sunderland Teaching	29.6%	7.4%	29.6%	33.3%
County Durham	30.3%	11.2%	25.8%	32.6%
North Tees	17.4%	8.7%	21.7%	52.2%
Middlesbrough	26.1%	8.7%	30.4%	34.8%
Redcar & Cleveland	45.5%	13.6%	22.7%	18.2%
All other North East SHA men	29.6%	12.7%	32.4%	25.4%
Total	32.5%	10.1%	27.9%	29.6%

13. Condom Failure in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Condom failure in the last year		
	No IAI with a condom	No failure	Failure
Northumberland Care Trust	45.5%	45.5%	9.1%
Newcastle	48.2%	43.4%	8.4%
North Tyneside	46.2%	38.5%	15.4%
Gateshead	36.7%	56.7%	6.7%
Sunderland Teaching	37.0%	63.0%	
County Durham	41.6%	44.9%	13.5%
North Tees	26.1%	73.9%	
Middlesbrough	34.8%	60.9%	4.3%
Redcar & Cleveland	59.1%	36.4%	4.5%
All other North East SHA men	42.3%	57.7%	
Total	42.5%	50.5%	7.0%

14. Receptive AI and frequency of condom use in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	RAI and frequency of condom use			
	No RAI	RAI never used a condom	RAI sometimes used a condom	RAI always used a condom
Northumberland Care Trust	40.9%	13.6%	18.2%	27.3%
Newcastle	38.6%	9.6%	24.1%	27.7%
North Tyneside	34.6%	7.7%	34.6%	23.1%
Gateshead	37.9%	10.3%	20.7%	31.0%
Sunderland Teaching	29.6%	7.4%	22.2%	40.7%
County Durham	27.3%	13.6%	27.3%	31.8%
North Tees	21.7%	17.4%	21.7%	39.1%
Middlesbrough	34.8%	13.0%	30.4%	21.7%
Redcar & Cleveland	22.7%	13.6%	40.9%	22.7%
All other North East SHA men	31.0%	12.7%	32.4%	23.9%
Total	32.1%	11.8%	27.3%	28.7%

15. Unprotected anal intercourse (UAI) in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Unprotected Anal intercourse			
	No UAI	RUAI only	IUAI only	Both RUAI & IUAI
Northumberland Care Trust	54.5%		13.6%	31.8%
Newcastle	54.9%	7.3%	17.1%	20.7%
North Tyneside	46.2%	15.4%	11.5%	26.9%
Gateshead	56.7%	10.0%	13.3%	20.0%
Sunderland Teaching	51.9%	7.4%	11.1%	29.6%
County Durham	51.1%	11.4%	6.8%	30.7%
North Tees	41.7%	25.0%	8.3%	25.0%
Middlesbrough	52.2%	13.0%	8.7%	26.1%
Redcar & Cleveland	36.4%	18.2%	13.6%	31.8%
All other North East SHA men	43.7%	9.9%	12.7%	33.8%
Total	49.6%	10.8%	11.8%	27.7%

Other health behaviour

16. Cigarette smoking.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Cigarette Smoker		
	No cigarettes	<10 per day	10 or more per day
Northumberland Care Trust	68.2%	9.1%	22.7%
Newcastle	73.2%	7.3%	19.5%
North Tyneside	73.1%	7.7%	19.2%
Gateshead	80.0%	6.7%	13.3%
Sunderland Teaching	51.9%	7.4%	40.7%
County Durham	64.0%	16.9%	19.1%
North Tees	79.2%	16.7%	4.2%
Middlesbrough	52.2%	17.4%	30.4%
Redcar & Cleveland	68.2%	9.1%	22.7%
All other North East SHA men	55.7%	5.7%	38.6%
Total	66.0%	10.4%	23.6%

17. Use of recreational drugs in the last year (Ecstasy, LSD, amphetamine, crystal methamphetamine, cocaine, crack cocaine, ketamine, GHB or heroin).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Recreational drug use (Ecstasy, LSD, Cocaine, Crack, Heroin + Speed, Crystal, K & GHB)	
	Did not use	Used recreational drugs listed
Northumberland Care Trust	77.3%	22.7%
Newcastle	83.1%	16.9%
North Tyneside	84.6%	15.4%
Gateshead	70.0%	30.0%
Sunderland Teaching	85.2%	14.8%
County Durham	82.0%	18.0%
North Tees	91.7%	8.3%
Middlesbrough	73.9%	26.1%
Redcar & Cleveland	81.8%	18.2%
All other North East SHA men	81.4%	18.6%
Total	81.5%	18.5%

18. Use of crystal methamphetamine in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	ION Drug USe Frequency - Crystal methamphetamine/Tina		
	Once or twice a month	Less than once a month	Not at all
Northumberland Care Trust	4.5%		95.5%
Newcastle		1.2%	98.8%
North Tyneside			100.0%
Gateshead			100.0%
Sunderland Teaching		3.7%	96.3%
County Durham			100.0%
North Tees			100.0%
Middlesbrough			100.0%
Redcar & Cleveland			100.0%
All other North East SHA men		1.4%	98.6%
Total	.2%	.7%	99.0%

Other health needs

19. I would like to stop smoking tobacco (of tobacco smokers).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Like to stop smoking tobacco (of smokers)				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Northumberland Care Trust	44.4%	22.2%	22.2%	11.1%	
Newcastle	32.3%	16.1%	29.0%	16.1%	6.5%
North Tyneside	22.2%	22.2%	11.1%	33.3%	11.1%
Gateshead	44.4%	33.3%	22.2%		
Sunderland Teaching	21.4%	57.1%		14.3%	7.1%
County Durham	29.4%	17.6%	29.4%	14.7%	8.8%
North Tees	40.0%		20.0%	40.0%	
Middlesbrough	66.7%	16.7%	8.3%	8.3%	
Redcar & Cleveland	44.4%	11.1%	11.1%	11.1%	22.2%
All other North East SHA men	28.6%	17.1%	14.3%	34.3%	5.7%
Total	34.1%	21.0%	19.2%	19.2%	6.6%

20. I sometimes worry about how much I drink (of drinkers).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Worry about alcohol use (of drinkers)				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Northumberland Care Trust	4.8%	19.0%	4.8%	23.8%	47.6%
Newcastle	4.1%	21.6%	8.1%	41.9%	24.3%
North Tyneside	9.1%	18.2%	9.1%	31.8%	31.8%
Gateshead	7.1%	21.4%	14.3%	32.1%	25.0%
Sunderland Teaching		20.0%	12.0%	48.0%	20.0%
County Durham	5.1%	21.5%	6.3%	35.4%	31.6%
North Tees	8.7%	26.1%	4.3%	26.1%	34.8%
Middlesbrough		27.3%	9.1%	40.9%	22.7%
Redcar & Cleveland		9.1%	13.6%	45.5%	31.8%
All other North East SHA men	8.8%	13.2%	11.8%	41.2%	25.0%
Total	5.2%	19.5%	9.1%	37.8%	28.4%

21. I sometimes worry about my recreational drug use (of recreational drug users).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Worry about recreational drug use (of rec drug users)				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Northumberland Care Trust			46.2%	30.8%	23.1%
Newcastle	2.3%	9.3%	7.0%	34.9%	46.5%
North Tyneside				33.3%	66.7%
Gateshead		12.5%	18.8%	31.3%	37.5%
Sunderland Teaching				63.6%	36.4%
County Durham	2.4%	4.9%	9.8%	43.9%	39.0%
North Tees	18.2%	9.1%	9.1%	18.2%	45.5%
Middlesbrough	10.0%	30.0%	10.0%	40.0%	10.0%
Redcar & Cleveland	11.1%		11.1%	22.2%	55.6%
All other North East SHA men	2.3%	9.3%	4.7%	37.2%	46.5%
Total	3.3%	7.7%	10.0%	36.8%	42.1%

Interventions - Clinic use

22. Recency of clinic use.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Recency of clinic use				
	I've never been to a clinic	More than 5 years ago	More than 1 year ago	Within last year but not in last month	Within the last month
Northumberland Care Trust	45.5%	4.5%	27.3%	22.7%	
Newcastle	36.1%	8.4%	19.3%	22.9%	13.3%
North Tyneside	42.3%	19.2%	15.4%	23.1%	
Gateshead	30.0%	16.7%	16.7%	33.3%	3.3%
Sunderland Teaching	44.4%	14.8%	11.1%	18.5%	11.1%
County Durham	43.2%	8.0%	18.2%	21.6%	9.1%
North Tees	45.8%	4.2%	12.5%	29.2%	8.3%
Middlesbrough	54.5%	4.5%	18.2%	18.2%	4.5%
Redcar & Cleveland	63.6%	9.1%	4.5%	18.2%	4.5%
All other North East SHA men	54.3%	10.0%	15.7%	14.3%	5.7%
Total	44.7%	9.7%	16.7%	21.5%	7.5%

23. Offered an HIV test on last clinic visit (of those not already diagnosed with HIV).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Offered HIV test on last visit (not already diagnosed with HIV)		
	Never visited a clinic	Not offered test	Offered test
Northumberland Care Trust	45.5%	18.2%	36.4%
Newcastle	37.5%	13.8%	48.8%
North Tyneside	44.0%	8.0%	48.0%
Gateshead	34.6%	7.7%	57.7%
Sunderland Teaching	48.0%	4.0%	48.0%
County Durham	44.2%	14.0%	41.9%
North Tees	45.8%	16.7%	37.5%
Middlesbrough	57.1%	14.3%	28.6%
Redcar & Cleveland	66.7%	14.3%	19.0%
All other North East SHA men	55.9%	4.4%	39.7%
Total	46.5%	11.3%	42.2%

Interventions - PEP

24. Heard of PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Heard of PEP	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	77.3%	22.7%
Newcastle	60.2%	39.8%
North Tyneside	69.2%	30.8%
Gateshead	80.0%	20.0%
Sunderland Teaching	66.7%	33.3%
County Durham	67.4%	32.6%
North Tees	62.5%	37.5%
Middlesbrough	73.9%	26.1%
Redcar & Cleveland	63.6%	36.4%
All other North East SHA men	77.5%	22.5%
Total	69.1%	30.9%

25. Tried to get PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Tried to get PEP (all)	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	100.0%	
Newcastle	98.8%	1.2%
North Tyneside	100.0%	
Gateshead	100.0%	
Sunderland Teaching	100.0%	
County Durham	100.0%	
North Tees	100.0%	
Middlesbrough	100.0%	
Redcar & Cleveland	100.0%	
All other North East SHA men	100.0%	
Total	99.8%	.2%

26. Ever taken PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ever taken PEP (all)	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	100.0%	
Newcastle	98.8%	1.2%
North Tyneside	100.0%	
Gateshead	100.0%	
Sunderland Teaching	100.0%	
County Durham	100.0%	
North Tees	95.7%	4.3%
Middlesbrough	100.0%	
Redcar & Cleveland	100.0%	
All other North East SHA men	100.0%	
Total	99.5%	.5%

27. Know anyone who received PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Know anyone who has got PEP (all)	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	95.2%	4.8%
Newcastle	94.0%	6.0%
North Tyneside	96.2%	3.8%
Gateshead	93.3%	6.7%
Sunderland Teaching	96.3%	3.7%
County Durham	96.6%	3.4%
North Tees	95.7%	4.3%
Middlesbrough	95.7%	4.3%
Redcar & Cleveland	100.0%	
All other North East SHA men	97.2%	2.8%
Total	95.9%	4.1%

28. Consideration of getting PEP if exposed to HIV (those not tested positive).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Would you try to get PEP (men not diagnosed with HIV)		
	No	Yes	Maybe
Northumberland Care Trust	5.0%	50.0%	45.0%
Newcastle	7.7%	73.1%	19.2%
North Tyneside		80.0%	20.0%
Gateshead	3.8%	73.1%	23.1%
Sunderland Teaching		84.0%	16.0%
County Durham	3.5%	62.8%	33.7%
North Tees	9.1%	63.6%	27.3%
Middlesbrough		72.7%	27.3%
Redcar & Cleveland	10.0%	65.0%	25.0%
All other North East SHA men		69.6%	30.4%
Total	3.8%	69.2%	27.0%

Hate crime

29. Homophobic physical assault in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Physical assault	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	90.9%	9.1%
Newcastle	94.0%	6.0%
North Tyneside	84.6%	15.4%
Gateshead	93.3%	6.7%
Sunderland Teaching	92.6%	7.4%
County Durham	85.4%	14.6%
North Tees	95.8%	4.2%
Middlesbrough	76.2%	23.8%
Redcar & Cleveland	100.0%	
All other North East SHA men	90.0%	10.0%
Total	90.1%	9.9%

30. Homophobic physical assault reported to the police (of those physically assaulted).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Physical assault reported to police	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	50.0%	50.0%
Newcastle	80.0%	20.0%
North Tyneside	50.0%	50.0%
Gateshead	100.0%	
Sunderland Teaching	100.0%	
County Durham	61.5%	38.5%
North Tees	100.0%	
Middlesbrough	40.0%	60.0%
All other North East SHA men	28.6%	71.4%
Total	58.5%	41.5%

31. Homophobic verbal abuse in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Verbal abuse	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	81.8%	18.2%
Newcastle	74.7%	25.3%
North Tyneside	57.7%	42.3%
Gateshead	63.3%	36.7%
Sunderland Teaching	73.1%	26.9%
County Durham	60.2%	39.8%
North Tees	86.4%	13.6%
Middlesbrough	54.5%	45.5%
Redcar & Cleveland	77.3%	22.7%
All other North East SHA men	67.1%	32.9%
Total	68.4%	31.6%

32. Homophobic verbal abuse reported to the police (of those verbally abused).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Verbal abuse reported to police	
	No	Yes
Northumberland Care Trust	100.0%	
Newcastle	90.5%	9.5%
North Tyneside	100.0%	
Gateshead	100.0%	
Sunderland Teaching	100.0%	
County Durham	80.0%	20.0%
North Tees	66.7%	33.3%
Middlesbrough	90.0%	10.0%
Redcar & Cleveland	80.0%	20.0%
All other North East SHA men	91.3%	8.7%
Total	89.2%	10.8%

Internet profile

33. Active (currently in use) internet profile on www.gay.com or www.gaydar.co.uk.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Has active gay.com and/or gaydar profile			
	gay.com	gaydar.co.uk	Both	Neither
Northumberland Care Trust		63.6%	9.1%	27.3%
Newcastle	6.2%	49.4%	6.2%	38.3%
North Tyneside	4.0%	68.0%	8.0%	20.0%
Gateshead		53.3%	3.3%	43.3%
Sunderland Teaching		59.3%	3.7%	37.0%
County Durham	5.8%	57.0%	9.3%	27.9%
North Tees		50.0%	16.7%	33.3%
Middlesbrough		59.1%	9.1%	31.8%
Redcar & Cleveland	4.5%	40.9%	18.2%	36.4%
All other North East SHA men	5.7%	57.1%	12.9%	24.3%
Total	3.9%	55.3%	9.3%	31.5%

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