

Vital Statistics 2003 The UK Gay Men's Sex Survey

Area sub-samples data report (updated May 2008) West Midlands Strategic Health Authority

The *Gay Men's Sex Survey* 2003 was conducted by Sigma Research in collaboration with health promoters throughout Britain and Ireland. This report supplements the main annual report for the survey called *On the move: findings from the United Kingdom Gay Men's Sex Survey, 2003*. It is available at: www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/go.php/reports/report2004g/. Survey methods and interpretation of the data were outlined in that report. This data report is intended to provide HIV health promotion planners with information about their local population. There is one data report for each of the Strategic Health Authorities in England. In each report men are usually grouped according to their Primary Care Trust (PCT) of residence.

The data

The survey used two data collection methods over the summer of 2003:

- (1) A self-sealing, Freepost addressed booklet distributed by 124 British HIV health promotion and gay agencies;
- (2) On a specific website promoted via links on 35 gay and HIV-related websites. Two websites, gay.com/uk and gaydar.co.uk, conducted substantial paid for promotion of the survey.

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

To be included in this sample respondents had to:

- be male;
- be aged 14 or over;
- be living in the West Midlands SHA;
- have had sex with a man in the last year and / or expect to have 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 row (lines across) in the tables. The bottom row of each table gives the result for the entire area being considered. The first table shows the number of men living in each PCT area 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 men cannot be allocated to an individual PCT area) are reported as "all other men". The tables show the proportions (%) of each sub-sample for that variable (less missing data). Rows add up to 100%. The only exception 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:

www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/files/VS2003booklet.pdf

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Sample sizes and descriptions

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

Count

	distribution method		Total
	web	booklet	
PCT area unknown	15	2	17
North Staffordshire	17	0	17
North Staffordshire / South Staffordshire PCT Unknown (Staffordshire)	31	53	84
Stoke on Trent	24	20	44
Shropshire County	16	12	28
Telford and Wrekin	20	3	23
South Staffordshire	37	0	37
Wolverhampton City	2	8	10
Walsall Teaching	16	22	38
Dudley	35	7	42
Sandwell	34	21	55
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	162	64	226
Solihull Care Trust	21	2	23
Coventry Teaching	4	12	16
Herefordshire	18	4	22
Worcestershire	64	31	95
Warwickshire	52	6	58
Total	568	267	835

2. Age groups.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Age				
	<20	20s	30s	40s	50+
Stoke on Trent	12.8%	38.5%	23.1%	15.4%	10.3%
Shropshire County	12.0%	36.0%	20.0%	4.0%	28.0%
Telford and Wrekin	21.1%	42.1%	15.8%	10.5%	10.5%
South Staffordshire	10.0%	30.0%	33.3%	16.7%	10.0%
Walsall Teaching	19.4%	47.2%	22.2%	2.8%	8.3%
Dudley	12.9%	29.0%	41.9%	9.7%	6.5%
Sandwell	5.9%	37.3%	41.2%	13.7%	2.0%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	6.4%	43.1%	24.8%	13.9%	11.9%
Solihull Care Trust	11.1%	27.8%	33.3%	22.2%	5.6%
Herefordshire	15.0%	35.0%	30.0%	15.0%	5.0%
Worcestershire	9.8%	22.0%	28.0%	22.0%	18.3%
Warwickshire	6.1%	38.8%	28.6%	14.3%	12.2%
All other West Midlands SHA men	14.5%	35.5%	21.0%	16.1%	12.9%
Total	10.5%	36.6%	26.7%	14.5%	11.7%

3. Age averages.

age

Demog - PCT area of residence 2007	Median	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Stoke on Trent	29.00	18	61	32.38	12.102
Shropshire County	30.00	16	78	35.48	17.378
Telford and Wrekin	26.00	18	65	31.37	13.877
South Staffordshire	31.00	17	72	33.30	12.603
Walsall Teaching	25.00	18	61	28.83	10.517
Dudley	32.00	16	57	31.61	10.794
Sandwell	31.00	18	59	31.27	8.584
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	30.00	16	71	32.65	11.878
Solihull Care Trust	30.50	18	58	32.56	10.982
Herefordshire	28.50	18	53	30.55	10.719
Worcestershire	36.00	14	70	36.51	13.058
Warwickshire	30.00	16	62	33.61	11.667
All other West Midlands SHA men	29.50	15	74	33.07	13.275
Total	30.00	14	78	32.91	12.249

4. Ethnicity.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Ethnicity			
	White	Black	Asian	Mixed and other
Stoke on Trent	97.7%			2.3%
Shropshire County	100.0%			
Telford and Wrekin	100.0%			
South Staffordshire	100.0%			
Walsall Teaching	92.1%	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
Dudley	100.0%			
Sandwell	90.7%	5.6%	1.9%	1.9%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	91.2%	3.1%	2.2%	3.5%
Solihull Care Trust	90.9%			9.1%
Herefordshire	100.0%			
Worcestershire	96.8%			3.2%
Warwickshire	94.8%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%
All other West Midlands SHA men	97.2%	.7%	1.4%	.7%
Total	95.1%	1.6%	1.2%	2.2%

5. Formal education.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Education		
	low	medium	high
Stoke on Trent	36.4%	27.3%	36.4%
Shropshire County	39.3%	25.0%	35.7%
Telford and Wrekin	43.5%	26.1%	30.4%
South Staffordshire	27.0%	32.4%	40.5%
Walsall Teaching	44.7%	42.1%	13.2%
Dudley	21.4%	50.0%	28.6%
Sandwell	25.5%	43.6%	30.9%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	29.3%	28.9%	41.8%
Solihull Care Trust	27.3%	36.4%	36.4%
Herefordshire	22.7%	45.5%	31.8%
Worcestershire	27.4%	42.1%	30.5%
Warwickshire	29.3%	34.5%	36.2%
All other West Midlands SHA men	30.6%	36.1%	33.3%
Total	30.1%	35.2%	34.7%

6. Annual income.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Annual income			
	<10 000	£10 000 - 19999	£20 000 - 29 999	£30 000 and greater
Stoke on Trent	26.2%	38.1%	16.7%	19.0%
Shropshire County	21.4%	53.6%	14.3%	10.7%
Telford and Wrekin	27.3%	36.4%	18.2%	18.2%
South Staffordshire	10.8%	37.8%	27.0%	24.3%
Walsall Teaching	18.9%	62.2%	10.8%	8.1%
Dudley	22.0%	29.3%	31.7%	17.1%
Sandwell	20.8%	43.4%	30.2%	5.7%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	20.1%	38.8%	25.4%	15.6%
Solihull Care Trust	18.2%	18.2%	31.8%	31.8%
Herefordshire	36.4%	27.3%	27.3%	9.1%
Worcestershire	19.4%	37.6%	25.8%	17.2%
Warwickshire	19.3%	35.1%	28.1%	17.5%
All other West Midlands SHA men	28.0%	32.2%	25.9%	14.0%
Total	21.9%	37.6%	25.0%	15.5%

7. Perceived financial management.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	How are you managing financially?				
	Living comfortably	Doing alright	Just about getting by	Finding it quite difficult	Finding it very difficult
Stoke on Trent	34.9%	39.5%	18.6%	7.0%	
Shropshire County	25.9%	48.1%	18.5%		7.4%
Telford and Wrekin	21.7%	34.8%	34.8%	8.7%	
South Staffordshire	27.8%	36.1%	27.8%	8.3%	
Walsall Teaching	26.3%	50.0%	15.8%	5.3%	2.6%
Dudley	29.3%	39.0%	22.0%	4.9%	4.9%
Sandwell	18.2%	45.5%	23.6%	10.9%	1.8%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	18.2%	44.4%	23.6%	9.8%	4.0%
Solihull Care Trust	30.4%	34.8%	26.1%	4.3%	4.3%
Herefordshire	22.7%	45.5%	13.6%	18.2%	
Worcestershire	24.2%	38.9%	28.4%	7.4%	1.1%
Warwickshire	22.4%	36.2%	24.1%	12.1%	5.2%
All other West Midlands SHA men	27.5%	35.2%	22.5%	12.0%	2.8%
Total	23.8%	40.7%	23.4%	9.2%	2.9%

8. HIV testing history.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	HIV testing history		
	Tested positive	Last test negative	Never tested
Stoke on Trent	7.0%	46.5%	46.5%
Shropshire County	3.6%	28.6%	67.9%
Telford and Wrekin		47.8%	52.2%
South Staffordshire	2.7%	51.4%	45.9%
Walsall Teaching	5.3%	42.1%	52.6%
Dudley	2.4%	45.2%	52.4%
Sandwell	3.7%	50.0%	46.3%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	10.7%	47.8%	41.5%
Solihull Care Trust	8.7%	30.4%	60.9%
Herefordshire	9.1%	27.3%	63.6%
Worcestershire	2.1%	34.0%	63.8%
Warwickshire	1.7%	44.8%	53.4%
All other West Midlands SHA men	4.9%	44.8%	50.3%
Total	5.8%	43.7%	50.5%

9. GP registration.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Registration with a GP	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	2.3%	97.7%
Shropshire County	14.3%	85.7%
Telford and Wrekin	4.3%	95.7%
South Staffordshire	2.7%	97.3%
Walsall Teaching	5.4%	94.6%
Dudley	4.8%	95.2%
Sandwell	3.6%	96.4%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	10.3%	89.7%
Solihull Care Trust	4.3%	95.7%
Herefordshire	4.5%	95.5%
Worcestershire	2.1%	97.9%
Warwickshire	8.8%	91.2%
All other West Midlands SHA men	6.4%	93.6%
Total	6.5%	93.5%

10. Awareness by GP staff of sex with men (those who are registered with a GP).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	GP staff aware of sexuality		
	No	Yes	Don't know
Stoke on Trent	76.2%	19.0%	4.8%
Shropshire County	69.6%	21.7%	8.7%
Telford and Wrekin	63.6%	18.2%	18.2%
South Staffordshire	58.3%	38.9%	2.8%
Walsall Teaching	61.8%	32.4%	5.9%
Dudley	56.4%	25.6%	17.9%
Sandwell	62.0%	24.0%	14.0%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	49.0%	31.1%	19.9%
Solihull Care Trust	59.1%	18.2%	22.7%
Herefordshire	57.1%	9.5%	33.3%
Worcestershire	64.4%	17.8%	17.8%
Warwickshire	61.5%	21.2%	17.3%
All other West Midlands SHA men	52.7%	32.1%	15.3%
Total	57.7%	26.4%	16.0%

Socio-sexual context

11. Gender of sexual partners in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Gender of sexual partners			
	no one	women only	men only	both men and women
Stoke on Trent	4.5%		84.1%	11.4%
Shropshire County	3.6%		82.1%	14.3%
Telford and Wrekin			82.6%	17.4%
South Staffordshire	2.7%		78.4%	18.9%
Walsall Teaching			81.6%	18.4%
Dudley	4.8%		88.1%	7.1%
Sandwell	7.3%		85.5%	7.3%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	1.8%		90.7%	7.5%
Solihull Care Trust			82.6%	17.4%
Herefordshire	9.1%		72.7%	18.2%
Worcestershire	12.6%		82.1%	5.3%
Warwickshire	8.6%	1.7%	81.0%	8.6%
All other West Midlands SHA men	6.3%		83.3%	10.4%
Total	5.0%	.1%	84.8%	10.1%

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

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Number of male partners				
	one	2,3 or 4	5 to 12	13 to 29	30+
Stoke on Trent	24.4%	26.8%	43.9%	4.9%	
Shropshire County	18.5%	25.9%	29.6%	14.8%	11.1%
Telford and Wrekin	18.2%	45.5%	13.6%	9.1%	13.6%
South Staffordshire	33.3%	22.2%	25.0%	13.9%	5.6%
Walsall Teaching	17.1%	40.0%	8.6%	14.3%	20.0%
Dudley	32.5%	25.0%	17.5%	15.0%	10.0%
Sandwell	10.0%	40.0%	34.0%	6.0%	10.0%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	20.2%	28.4%	21.6%	15.6%	14.2%
Solihull Care Trust	30.4%	30.4%	17.4%	17.4%	4.3%
Herefordshire	35.0%	25.0%	25.0%	5.0%	10.0%
Worcestershire	30.0%	37.5%	18.8%	8.8%	5.0%
Warwickshire	26.9%	30.8%	26.9%	7.7%	7.7%
All other West Midlands SHA men	29.7%	32.0%	19.5%	10.2%	8.6%
Total	24.5%	31.2%	22.7%	11.7%	10.0%

13. HIV concordancy of regular relationship.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	HIV concordancy or regular relationship			
	Single	HIV concordant	HIV discordant	Concordancy unknown
Stoke on Trent	47.6%	42.9%	2.4%	7.1%
Shropshire County	44.4%	29.6%		25.9%
Telford and Wrekin	45.5%	40.9%	4.5%	9.1%
South Staffordshire	37.8%	40.5%	5.4%	16.2%
Walsall Teaching	44.7%	39.5%		15.8%
Dudley	53.7%	26.8%	4.9%	14.6%
Sandwell	60.8%	27.5%	3.9%	7.8%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	48.9%	30.9%	5.4%	14.8%
Solihull Care Trust	26.1%	34.8%	8.7%	30.4%
Herefordshire	54.5%	22.7%		22.7%
Worcestershire	53.3%	24.4%	2.2%	20.0%
Warwickshire	46.6%	43.1%	1.7%	8.6%
All other West Midlands SHA men	47.1%	35.5%	2.2%	15.2%
Total	48.4%	33.0%	3.4%	15.1%

Sexual Risk Behaviours [see contents for acronyms]

14. Number of RUAI partners in the last year (those who had male partners).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Number of RUAI partners			
	none	one	two, three or four	5 or more
Stoke on Trent	80.5%	7.3%	7.3%	4.9%
Shropshire County	63.0%	29.6%	7.4%	
Telford and Wrekin	45.5%	40.9%	13.6%	
South Staffordshire	71.4%	14.3%	11.4%	2.9%
Walsall Teaching	57.1%	25.7%	17.1%	
Dudley	60.0%	27.5%	12.5%	
Sandwell	72.0%	20.0%	6.0%	2.0%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	59.2%	18.3%	13.8%	8.7%
Solihull Care Trust	60.9%	34.8%	4.3%	
Herefordshire	45.0%	45.0%	5.0%	5.0%
Worcestershire	65.9%	25.6%	6.1%	2.4%
Warwickshire	55.8%	28.8%	13.5%	1.9%
All other West Midlands SHA men	56.2%	26.9%	11.5%	5.4%
Total	61.0%	23.6%	11.0%	4.4%

15. Likelihood of having RUAI with a man with a different HIV status (among those who had RUAI in the last year).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Likelihood of having SdRUAI		
	Probably/Definitely have been	I may have, may not have been	Probably/definitely have not been
Stoke on Trent	12.5%	25.0%	62.5%
Shropshire County	10.0%	10.0%	80.0%
Telford and Wrekin		16.7%	83.3%
South Staffordshire	10.0%	10.0%	80.0%
Walsall Teaching	13.3%	26.7%	60.0%
Dudley	12.5%	6.3%	81.3%
Sandwell	21.4%	7.1%	71.4%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	15.9%	22.7%	61.4%
Solihull Care Trust	22.2%	11.1%	66.7%
Herefordshire		30.0%	70.0%
Worcestershire	3.7%	14.8%	81.5%
Warwickshire	4.3%	8.7%	87.0%
All other West Midlands SHA men	8.9%	16.1%	75.0%
Total	11.1%	17.1%	71.8%

16. Number of IUI partners in the last year (those who had male partners).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Number of IUI partners			
	none	one	two, three or four	5 or more
Stoke on Trent	51.2%	29.3%	14.6%	4.9%
Shropshire County	55.6%	33.3%	7.4%	3.7%
Telford and Wrekin	54.5%	31.8%	13.6%	
South Staffordshire	69.4%	13.9%	16.7%	
Walsall Teaching	57.1%	25.7%	17.1%	
Dudley	62.5%	32.5%	2.5%	2.5%
Sandwell	62.0%	22.0%	10.0%	6.0%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	54.8%	24.4%	12.4%	8.3%
Solihull Care Trust	56.5%	34.8%	4.3%	4.3%
Herefordshire	60.0%	30.0%	5.0%	5.0%
Worcestershire	62.2%	29.3%	6.1%	2.4%
Warwickshire	48.1%	34.6%	13.5%	3.8%
All other West Midlands SHA men	54.3%	24.8%	16.3%	4.7%
Total	56.7%	26.7%	11.8%	4.8%

17. Likelihood of having IUI with a man with a different HIV status (those who had IUI in the last year).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Likelihood of having SdIUI		
	Probably/Definitely have been	I may have, may not have been	Probably/definitely have not been
Stoke on Trent	5.3%	21.1%	73.7%
Shropshire County		8.3%	91.7%
Telford and Wrekin		20.0%	80.0%
South Staffordshire	9.1%	9.1%	81.8%
Walsall Teaching	20.0%	20.0%	60.0%
Dudley	7.1%	7.1%	85.7%
Sandwell	16.7%	33.3%	50.0%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	15.5%	21.6%	62.9%
Solihull Care Trust	20.0%	10.0%	70.0%
Herefordshire		12.5%	87.5%
Worcestershire	3.3%	10.0%	86.7%
Warwickshire		3.7%	96.3%
All other West Midlands SHA men	8.8%	21.1%	70.2%
Total	9.8%	17.4%	72.9%

18. Sexual Assault in the last 12 months.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Forced to have sex	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	84.1%	15.9%
Shropshire County	88.9%	11.1%
Telford and Wrekin	91.3%	8.7%
South Staffordshire	94.6%	5.4%
Walsall Teaching	94.7%	5.3%
Dudley	92.7%	7.3%
Sandwell	92.7%	7.3%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	92.9%	7.1%
Solihull Care Trust	91.3%	8.7%
Herefordshire	95.5%	4.5%
Worcestershire	94.7%	5.3%
Warwickshire	91.2%	8.8%
All other West Midlands SHA men	90.0%	10.0%
Total	92.0%	8.0%

19. "I sometimes have a problem getting hold of condoms".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Problem getting hold of condoms				
	strongly agree	agree	not sure	disagree	strongly disagree
Stoke on Trent	4.7%	16.3%	2.3%	23.3%	53.5%
Shropshire County	7.1%	10.7%		35.7%	46.4%
Telford and Wrekin		9.1%	13.6%	27.3%	50.0%
South Staffordshire		8.1%	2.7%	29.7%	59.5%
Walsall Teaching	2.6%	7.9%		34.2%	55.3%
Dudley		16.7%	2.4%	28.6%	52.4%
Sandwell	3.6%	10.9%		30.9%	54.5%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	2.2%	6.7%	2.2%	30.7%	58.2%
Solihull Care Trust		13.0%		21.7%	65.2%
Herefordshire	4.8%	4.8%		23.8%	66.7%
Worcestershire	2.2%	18.5%	2.2%	27.2%	50.0%
Warwickshire		14.0%	5.3%	31.6%	49.1%
All other West Midlands SHA men	4.2%	10.5%	3.5%	22.4%	59.4%
Total	2.5%	10.9%	2.5%	28.2%	55.8%

20. "Water-based lube is sometimes hard to get hold of".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Problem getting hold of water-based lube				
	strongly agree	agree	not sure	disagree	strongly disagree
Stoke on Trent	11.9%	9.5%	2.4%	33.3%	42.9%
Shropshire County	7.1%	10.7%	7.1%	32.1%	42.9%
Telford and Wrekin	9.1%	18.2%	4.5%	31.8%	36.4%
South Staffordshire	2.7%	16.2%	5.4%	32.4%	43.2%
Walsall Teaching	5.3%	7.9%	13.2%	31.6%	42.1%
Dudley	9.8%	12.2%	7.3%	34.1%	36.6%
Sandwell	5.5%	14.5%	7.3%	29.1%	43.6%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	4.9%	12.4%	6.6%	29.6%	46.5%
Solihull Care Trust	8.7%	13.0%	17.4%	26.1%	34.8%
Herefordshire	5.0%	15.0%	15.0%	10.0%	55.0%
Worcestershire	10.8%	17.2%	9.7%	24.7%	37.6%
Warwickshire		19.0%	22.4%	27.6%	31.0%
All other West Midlands SHA men	6.3%	14.7%	11.2%	20.3%	47.6%
Total	6.3%	13.9%	9.4%	27.5%	42.9%

Condom Sources

21. "I bought them".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Where got condoms - bought	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	69.8%	30.2%
Shropshire County	75.0%	25.0%
Telford and Wrekin	63.6%	36.4%
South Staffordshire	45.9%	54.1%
Walsall Teaching	73.7%	26.3%
Dudley	47.6%	52.4%
Sandwell	70.9%	29.1%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	69.9%	30.1%
Solihull Care Trust	52.2%	47.8%
Herefordshire	45.5%	54.5%
Worcestershire	64.1%	35.9%
Warwickshire	55.2%	44.8%
All other West Midlands SHA men	74.8%	25.2%
Total	66.0%	34.0%

22. "I got them free".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Where got condoms - free	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	34.9%	65.1%
Shropshire County	32.1%	67.9%
Telford and Wrekin	59.1%	40.9%
South Staffordshire	64.9%	35.1%
Walsall Teaching	28.9%	71.1%
Dudley	50.0%	50.0%
Sandwell	27.3%	72.7%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	31.9%	68.1%
Solihull Care Trust	43.5%	56.5%
Herefordshire	54.5%	45.5%
Worcestershire	54.3%	45.7%
Warwickshire	50.0%	50.0%
All other West Midlands SHA men	36.4%	63.6%
Total	40.2%	59.8%

23. "My sexual partners usually had them".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Where got condoms - from partner	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	88.4%	11.6%
Shropshire County	71.4%	28.6%
Telford and Wrekin	90.9%	9.1%
South Staffordshire	78.4%	21.6%
Walsall Teaching	81.6%	18.4%
Dudley	78.6%	21.4%
Sandwell	90.9%	9.1%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	82.3%	17.7%
Solihull Care Trust	87.0%	13.0%
Herefordshire	90.9%	9.1%
Worcestershire	87.0%	13.0%
Warwickshire	77.6%	22.4%
All other West Midlands SHA men	86.7%	13.3%
Total	84.0%	16.0%

24. "My friends usually gave them to me".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Where got condoms - friends	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	97.7%	2.3%
Shropshire County	85.7%	14.3%
Telford and Wrekin	95.5%	4.5%
South Staffordshire	97.3%	2.7%
Walsall Teaching	97.4%	2.6%
Dudley	100.0%	
Sandwell	94.5%	5.5%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	95.6%	4.4%
Solihull Care Trust	100.0%	
Herefordshire	100.0%	
Worcestershire	98.9%	1.1%
Warwickshire	96.6%	3.4%
All other West Midlands SHA men	90.9%	9.1%
Total	95.5%	4.5%

HIV Knowledge

25. "An HIV negative man is more likely to pick up HIV by getting fucked by an HIV positive man than by fucking him".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Knowledge negative RUAI>IUI risk		
	I knew this	I wasn't sure	I didn't know this
Stoke on Trent	72.1%	16.3%	11.6%
Shropshire County	82.1%	3.6%	14.3%
Telford and Wrekin	73.9%	8.7%	17.4%
South Staffordshire	78.4%	13.5%	8.1%
Walsall Teaching	70.3%	21.6%	8.1%
Dudley	80.5%	12.2%	7.3%
Sandwell	70.9%	14.5%	14.5%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	86.6%	8.9%	4.5%
Solihull Care Trust	65.2%	8.7%	26.1%
Herefordshire	77.3%	9.1%	13.6%
Worcestershire	69.9%	12.9%	17.2%
Warwickshire	71.9%	22.8%	5.3%
All other West Midlands SHA men	77.5%	8.5%	14.1%
Total	77.6%	11.8%	10.7%

26. "When fucking an HIV negative man without a condom, an HIV positive man is more likely to pass on HIV infection if either of them already has another sexually transmitted infection".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Knowledge >risk with existing STI		
	I knew this	I wasn't sure	I didn't know this
Stoke on Trent	62.8%	20.9%	16.3%
Shropshire County	67.9%	10.7%	21.4%
Telford and Wrekin	69.6%	13.0%	17.4%
South Staffordshire	59.5%	21.6%	18.9%
Walsall Teaching	59.5%	27.0%	13.5%
Dudley	51.2%	17.1%	31.7%
Sandwell	67.3%	16.4%	16.4%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	65.6%	12.5%	21.9%
Solihull Care Trust	39.1%	26.1%	34.8%
Herefordshire	50.0%	22.7%	27.3%
Worcestershire	55.4%	25.0%	19.6%
Warwickshire	56.1%	8.8%	35.1%
All other West Midlands SHA men	63.4%	12.0%	24.6%
Total	61.2%	16.1%	22.7%

27. "Men can have HIV without knowing it".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Knowledge men can have unknown HIV infection		
	I knew this	I wasn't sure	I didn't know this
Stoke on Trent	97.7%	2.3%	
Shropshire County	85.7%	10.7%	3.6%
Telford and Wrekin	91.3%	8.7%	
South Staffordshire	86.5%	10.8%	2.7%
Walsall Teaching	83.3%	11.1%	5.6%
Dudley	90.2%		9.8%
Sandwell	92.7%	3.6%	3.6%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	96.4%	1.8%	1.8%
Solihull Care Trust	95.7%	4.3%	
Herefordshire	90.5%	4.8%	4.8%
Worcestershire	87.1%	7.5%	5.4%
Warwickshire	94.7%	5.3%	
All other West Midlands SHA men	88.1%	7.0%	4.9%
Total	91.6%	5.1%	3.3%

28. "When fucking an HIV negative man without a condom, an HIV positive man is more likely to pass on HIV infection if he ejaculates (cums) in his partner".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Knowledge >risk if IUAIO		
	I knew this	I wasn't sure	I didn't know this
Stoke on Trent	90.7%	2.3%	7.0%
Shropshire County	92.9%	7.1%	
Telford and Wrekin	91.3%	4.3%	4.3%
South Staffordshire	83.8%	10.8%	5.4%
Walsall Teaching	89.2%	8.1%	2.7%
Dudley	95.1%	4.9%	
Sandwell	89.1%	9.1%	1.8%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	92.4%	4.5%	3.1%
Solihull Care Trust	82.6%	17.4%	
Herefordshire	100.0%		
Worcestershire	87.1%	9.7%	3.2%
Warwickshire	92.9%	7.1%	
All other West Midlands SHA men	87.3%	7.0%	5.6%
Total	90.2%	6.7%	3.2%

29. "Condoms are less likely to break if you use a water-based lubricant".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Knowledge condom breakage < water lube		
	I knew this	I wasn't sure	I didn't know this
Stoke on Trent	90.7%	4.7%	4.7%
Shropshire County	82.1%	10.7%	7.1%
Telford and Wrekin	87.0%	4.3%	8.7%
South Staffordshire	86.5%	5.4%	8.1%
Walsall Teaching	86.5%	13.5%	
Dudley	97.5%	2.5%	
Sandwell	89.1%	5.5%	5.5%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	88.8%	5.8%	5.4%
Solihull Care Trust	87.0%	13.0%	
Herefordshire	81.8%	13.6%	4.5%
Worcestershire	82.8%	7.5%	9.7%
Warwickshire	78.9%	14.0%	7.0%
All other West Midlands SHA men	83.2%	4.9%	11.9%
Total	86.3%	7.0%	6.7%

30. "An HIV positive man who has undetectable viral load (in his blood) can still pass on HIV".

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Knowledge transmission possible with undetectable viral load		
	I knew this	I wasn't sure	I didn't know this
Stoke on Trent	65.1%	18.6%	16.3%
Shropshire County	67.9%	7.1%	25.0%
Telford and Wrekin	59.1%	18.2%	22.7%
South Staffordshire	48.6%	18.9%	32.4%
Walsall Teaching	54.1%	27.0%	18.9%
Dudley	57.5%	20.0%	22.5%
Sandwell	61.8%	21.8%	16.4%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	70.1%	15.2%	14.7%
Solihull Care Trust	56.5%	30.4%	13.0%
Herefordshire	59.1%	22.7%	18.2%
Worcestershire	45.2%	28.0%	26.9%
Warwickshire	57.9%	14.0%	28.1%
All other West Midlands SHA men	62.0%	13.4%	24.6%
Total	60.9%	18.2%	20.9%

Post Exposure Prophylaxis

31. Heard of Post Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Health and Prevention tech - Heard PEP	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	81.4%	18.6%
Shropshire County	82.1%	17.9%
Telford and Wrekin	71.4%	28.6%
South Staffordshire	81.1%	18.9%
Walsall Teaching	85.7%	14.3%
Dudley	90.5%	9.5%
Sandwell	77.4%	22.6%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	73.7%	26.3%
Solihull Care Trust	78.3%	21.7%
Herefordshire	81.8%	18.2%
Worcestershire	87.4%	12.6%
Warwickshire	87.7%	12.3%
All other West Midlands SHA men	77.5%	22.5%
Total	79.8%	20.2%

32. Tried to get PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Health and Prevention tech - tried to get PEP	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	100.0%	
Shropshire County	100.0%	
Telford and Wrekin	100.0%	
South Staffordshire	100.0%	
Walsall Teaching	100.0%	
Dudley	100.0%	
Sandwell	100.0%	
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	98.2%	1.8%
Solihull Care Trust	100.0%	
Herefordshire	100.0%	
Worcestershire	100.0%	
Warwickshire	100.0%	
All other West Midlands SHA men	98.6%	1.4%
Total	99.3%	.7%

33. Ever taken PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Health and Prevention tech - ever taken PEP	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	100.0%	
Shropshire County	100.0%	
Telford and Wrekin	100.0%	
South Staffordshire	100.0%	
Walsall Teaching	100.0%	
Dudley	100.0%	
Sandwell	100.0%	
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	98.7%	1.3%
Solihull Care Trust	100.0%	
Herefordshire	100.0%	
Worcestershire	100.0%	
Warwickshire	100.0%	
All other West Midlands SHA men	99.3%	.7%
Total	99.5%	.5%

34. Know anyone who received PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Health and Prevention tech - know anyone got PEP	
	No	Yes
Stoke on Trent	97.7%	2.3%
Shropshire County	96.4%	3.6%
Telford and Wrekin	100.0%	
South Staffordshire	91.9%	8.1%
Walsall Teaching	100.0%	
Dudley	100.0%	
Sandwell	90.6%	9.4%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	94.6%	5.4%
Solihull Care Trust	100.0%	
Herefordshire	100.0%	
Worcestershire	97.9%	2.1%
Warwickshire	100.0%	
All other West Midlands SHA men	95.1%	4.9%
Total	96.2%	3.8%

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

% within Demog - PCT area of residence 2007

	Health and Prevention tech - would you try to get PEP		
	No	Yes	Maybe
Stoke on Trent	5.0%	70.0%	25.0%
Shropshire County	3.8%	69.2%	26.9%
Telford and Wrekin	4.8%	81.0%	14.3%
South Staffordshire		75.0%	25.0%
Walsall Teaching		72.7%	27.3%
Dudley	2.4%	78.0%	19.5%
Sandwell	2.0%	71.4%	26.5%
Heart of B Teaching / B East & North / South Birmingham	4.6%	70.9%	24.5%
Solihull Care Trust		66.7%	33.3%
Herefordshire		90.0%	10.0%
Worcestershire	3.3%	63.0%	33.7%
Warwickshire	3.6%	60.7%	35.7%
All other West Midlands SHA men	3.0%	63.6%	33.3%
Total	3.1%	69.2%	27.7%

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