

Vital Statistics 2007 The UK Gay Men's Sex Survey

Area Sub-samples Data Report (January 2009: Version 2)

South Central Strategic Health Authority (n=323)

Important Note: This report supercedes the GMSS'07 local data reports released in August 2008. Subsequent to that release of data we identified a problem with a number of cases which we believe to have been falsified. The false cases seemed to be an attempt to systematically skew the findings in a particular area of the survey, but provided incomplete data in other areas. In order to exclude as many of these false cases as possible, while retaining valid cases, we tightened the inclusion criteria and excluded all cases missing responses for any of 31 survey items. This resulted in the loss of 29% of all cases, which accounts for the reduction in cases in the report compared with the earlier data release. This has been necessary for us to continue to have confidence in the data that remains.

This report uses data from the UK *Gay Men's Sex Survey* 2007, conducted by Sigma Research in collaboration with health promoters throughout the UK. It supplements the main survey report which will be published in April 2009. Survey methods and interpretation of the variables will be outlined in that report.

This data is intended to provide HIV health promotion planners with information about their local population of gay men and bisexual men. There is a data report for each Strategic Health Authority (SHA) in England, with men grouped according to their Primary Care Trust (PCT) of residence. There are also whole country reports for England, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland, with men grouped according to their region of residence. These, and similar reports for previous years, are available at: www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/go.php/local/gay

The data

The survey used two data collection methods over the summer of 2007: a self-sealing, Freepost addressed booklet distributed by health promotion agencies; and via a specific website promoted via links on gay and HIV-related websites.

This report contains data from all the men recruited through both methods. To be included in the sample respondents had to: be male; be aged 14 or over; be living in the UK; have had sex with a man in the last year or have a gay, bisexual or other "queer" identity; 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 appear as a row (horizontal line) in the tables. The bottom row of each table gives the result for the entire SHA. 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 in the sample are reported as "all other men". Some adjoining PCT areas are amalgamated where respondents cannot be allocated to an individual PCT area. The tables show the proportions (%) of each sub-sample for that variable (less missing data). Rows 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: www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/files/VS2007booklet.pdf

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SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

1a. Primary Care Trust (PCT) area of residence.

	Frequency	Percent
Hampshire	73	22.6
Oxfordshire	58	18.0
Milton Keynes	38	11.8
Portsmouth City Teaching	33	10.2
Berkshire West	30	9.3
Buckinghamshire	29	9.0
Southampton City	26	8.0
Berkshire East	20	6.2
Isle of Wight	12	3.7
Berkshire East or Berkshire West (PCT Unknown)	4	1.2
Total	323	100.0

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

Count

	Distribution method		Total
	Web	Booklet	
Oxfordshire	44	14	58
Buckinghamshire	22	7	29
Milton Keynes	25	13	38
Berkshire West	24	6	30
Berkshire East	13	7	20
Hampshire	51	22	73
Southampton City	16	10	26
Portsmouth City Teaching	21	12	33
All other South Central SHA men	9	7	16
Total	225	98	323

2. Age groups.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Age in 10s					Total
	<20	20s	30s	40s	50+	
Oxfordshire	13.8%	39.7%	20.7%	15.5%	10.3%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	17.2%	31.0%	20.7%	20.7%	10.3%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	15.8%	18.4%	26.3%	21.1%	18.4%	100.0%
Berkshire West	6.7%	43.3%	26.7%	20.0%	3.3%	100.0%
Berkshire East	10.0%	20.0%	35.0%	20.0%	15.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	16.4%	30.1%	13.7%	21.9%	17.8%	100.0%
Southampton City	15.4%	42.3%	19.2%	23.1%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	21.2%	24.2%	27.3%	21.2%	6.1%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	6.3%	25.0%	18.8%	31.3%	18.8%	100.0%
Total	14.6%	31.3%	21.7%	20.7%	11.8%	100.0%

3. Age averages.

Age

Demog - PCT area of residence	Median	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Oxfordshire	29.00	16	72	31.84	12.561
Buckinghamshire	33.00	17	55	32.79	11.885
Milton Keynes	36.00	16	66	37.08	14.740
Berkshire West	28.50	17	65	31.23	10.862
Berkshire East	36.00	18	58	36.10	12.785
Hampshire	34.00	15	73	35.11	15.311
Southampton City	25.50	14	45	28.62	9.770
Portsmouth City Teaching	35.00	16	60	32.39	11.858
All other South Central SHA men	39.00	16	71	39.94	15.093
Total	32.00	14	73	33.69	13.322

4. Ethnicity in 6 groups.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ethnicity						Total
	White other	Black	Asian	Mixed	Other	White British	
Oxfordshire	10.3%	5.2%		1.7%		82.8%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	10.3%	3.4%			3.4%	82.8%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	5.3%				2.6%	92.1%	100.0%
Berkshire West	10.0%				6.7%	83.3%	100.0%
Berkshire East	20.0%					80.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	6.8%			2.7%	1.4%	89.0%	100.0%
Southampton City	11.5%			3.8%	3.8%	80.8%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	6.1%		6.1%			87.9%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	18.8%			6.3%		75.0%	100.0%
Total	9.6%	1.2%	.6%	1.5%	1.9%	85.1%	100.0%

5. Sexual identity.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Sexual identity				Total
	Gay	Bisexual	I don't usually use a term	Any other term	
Oxfordshire	84.5%	10.3%	5.2%		100.0%
Buckinghamshire	82.8%	17.2%			100.0%
Milton Keynes	84.2%	5.3%	2.6%	7.9%	100.0%
Berkshire West	86.7%	3.3%	10.0%		100.0%
Berkshire East	85.0%	10.0%	5.0%		100.0%
Hampshire	79.5%	15.1%	4.1%	1.4%	100.0%
Southampton City	76.9%	19.2%	3.8%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	84.8%	9.1%	3.0%	3.0%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	87.5%		12.5%		100.0%
Total	83.0%	10.8%	4.6%	1.5%	100.0%

6. Gender of sexual partners in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Gender of sexual partners				Total
	No one	Women only	Both men and women	Men only	
Oxfordshire	5.2%		3.4%	91.4%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire			3.4%	96.6%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	7.9%	2.6%	7.9%	81.6%	100.0%
Berkshire West	20.0%		3.3%	76.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	5.0%		10.0%	85.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	9.6%	1.4%	9.6%	79.5%	100.0%
Southampton City	19.2%		11.5%	69.2%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	9.1%		15.2%	75.8%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	12.5%			87.5%	100.0%
Total	9.3%	.6%	7.4%	82.7%	100.0%

7. Marriage / civil partnership status.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Legal partnership status			Total
	in a civil partnership with a man	in a marriage with a woman	in neither of these	
Oxfordshire	5.2%		94.8%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	3.4%	3.4%	93.1%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	7.9%	5.3%	86.8%	100.0%
Berkshire West	13.3%		86.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	10.0%	5.0%	85.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	4.1%	5.5%	90.4%	100.0%
Southampton City	3.8%	3.8%	92.3%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	3.0%	6.1%	90.9%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	12.5%		87.5%	100.0%
Total	6.2%	3.4%	90.4%	100.0%

8. Sero-discordancy with male regular partner.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	HIV serodiscordancy with male partner			Total
	Not in sero-discordant relationship	In sero-discordant relationship	Don't know if sero-discordant	
Oxfordshire	81.0%	6.9%	12.1%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	96.6%		3.4%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	94.7%		5.3%	100.0%
Berkshire West	96.7%		3.3%	100.0%
Berkshire East	90.0%		10.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	82.2%	6.8%	11.0%	100.0%
Southampton City	88.5%	3.8%	7.7%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	78.8%	6.1%	15.2%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	75.0%	12.5%	12.5%	100.0%
Total	86.4%	4.3%	9.3%	100.0%

HIV TESTING & HEPATITIS SUSCEPTIBILITY

9. HIV testing history.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	HIV testing history			Total
	Never tested	Tested negative	Tested positive	
Oxfordshire	37.9%	55.2%	6.9%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	41.4%	58.6%		100.0%
Milton Keynes	36.8%	63.2%		100.0%
Berkshire West	50.0%	50.0%		100.0%
Berkshire East	40.0%	55.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	31.5%	60.3%	8.2%	100.0%
Southampton City	46.2%	46.2%	7.7%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	36.4%	51.5%	12.1%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	50.0%	43.8%	6.3%	100.0%
Total	39.0%	55.4%	5.6%	100.0%

10. Hepatitis B susceptibility.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Hepatitis B susceptibility		Total
	Susceptible	Not Susceptible	
Oxfordshire	48.3%	51.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	48.3%	51.7%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	55.3%	44.7%	100.0%
Berkshire West	53.3%	46.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	55.0%	45.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	53.4%	46.6%	100.0%
Southampton City	61.5%	38.5%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	60.6%	39.4%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	56.3%	43.8%	100.0%
Total	53.9%	46.1%	100.0%

11. Hepatitis A susceptibility.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Hepatitis A susceptibility		Total
	Susceptible	Not Susceptible	
Oxfordshire	79.3%	20.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	75.9%	24.1%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	86.8%	13.2%	100.0%
Berkshire West	93.3%	6.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	65.0%	35.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	82.2%	17.8%	100.0%
Southampton City	88.5%	11.5%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	84.8%	15.2%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	75.0%	25.0%	100.0%
Total	82.0%	18.0%	100.0%

SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR

12. Number of male sexual partners in the last year.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Number of male sexual partners in the last year						Total
	None	One	2,3 or 4	5 to 12	13 to 29	30 or more	
Oxfordshire	5.2%	29.3%	29.3%	27.6%	6.9%	1.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire		20.7%	44.8%	27.6%		6.9%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	10.5%	18.4%	34.2%	21.1%	13.2%	2.6%	100.0%
Berkshire West	20.0%	26.7%	26.7%	16.7%	3.3%	6.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	5.0%	15.0%	30.0%	25.0%	20.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	11.0%	19.2%	24.7%	26.0%	11.0%	8.2%	100.0%
Southampton City	19.2%	15.4%	19.2%	30.8%	7.7%	7.7%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	9.1%	3.0%	24.2%	27.3%	9.1%	27.3%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	13.3%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%		6.7%	100.0%
Total	9.9%	19.9%	28.6%	25.5%	8.4%	7.8%	100.0%

13. Met new male sexual partner/s in last year (among those who had any male partners).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Met new male partner		Total
	No	Yes	
Oxfordshire	23.6%	76.4%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	20.7%	79.3%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	20.6%	79.4%	100.0%
Berkshire West	29.2%	70.8%	100.0%
Berkshire East		100.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	12.3%	87.7%	100.0%
Southampton City		100.0%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	3.3%	96.7%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	35.7%	64.3%	100.0%
Total	16.2%	83.8%	100.0%

14. Unprotected anal intercourse (UAI) in the previous year with partners whose HIV status was unknown or discordant.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	UAI with partners of unknown or discordant status				Total
	Not done	Insertive only	Receptive only	Both Insertive and Receptive	
Oxfordshire	83.9%	7.1%	5.4%	3.6%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	82.8%	6.9%	3.4%	6.9%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	86.8%	7.9%	5.3%		100.0%
Berkshire West	73.3%	13.3%	6.7%	6.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	75.0%	5.0%	5.0%	15.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	79.7%	5.8%	8.7%	5.8%	100.0%
Southampton City	69.2%	3.8%	19.2%	7.7%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	56.3%	15.6%	9.4%	18.8%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	68.8%	12.5%	6.3%	12.5%	100.0%
Total	76.9%	8.2%	7.6%	7.3%	100.0%

15. Perceived HIV transmission risk in the last year (for all men).

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	HIV transmission risk in last year		Total
	No	Yes	
Oxfordshire	69.0%	31.0%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	72.4%	27.6%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	73.7%	26.3%	100.0%
Berkshire West	70.0%	30.0%	100.0%
Berkshire East	80.0%	20.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	69.9%	30.1%	100.0%
Southampton City	61.5%	38.5%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	51.5%	48.5%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	68.8%	31.3%	100.0%
Total	68.4%	31.6%	100.0%

HEALTH NEEDS

16. Ever heard of PEP.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Heard of PEP		Total
	No	Yes	
Oxfordshire	43.1%	56.9%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	41.4%	58.6%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	36.8%	63.2%	100.0%
Berkshire West	50.0%	50.0%	100.0%
Berkshire East	45.0%	55.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	54.8%	45.2%	100.0%
Southampton City	53.8%	46.2%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	66.7%	33.3%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	56.3%	43.8%	100.0%
Total	49.5%	50.5%	100.0%

17. Any concern about your alcohol use.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Any concern about alcohol use		Total
	No	Yes	
Oxfordshire	89.3%	10.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	89.7%	10.3%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	91.9%	8.1%	100.0%
Berkshire West	82.8%	17.2%	100.0%
Berkshire East	95.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	93.2%	6.8%	100.0%
Southampton City	92.3%	7.7%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	90.9%	9.1%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	100.0%		100.0%
Total	91.2%	8.8%	100.0%

18. Any concern about your drug use.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Any concern about drug use		Total
	No	Yes	
Oxfordshire	91.1%	8.9%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	93.1%	6.9%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	97.3%	2.7%	100.0%
Berkshire West	96.6%	3.4%	100.0%
Berkshire East	100.0%		100.0%
Hampshire	97.3%	2.7%	100.0%
Southampton City	84.6%	15.4%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	97.0%	3.0%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	100.0%		100.0%
Total	95.0%	5.0%	100.0%

19. I would sometimes rather risk HIV transmission than use a condom.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Sometimes rather risk HIV transmission than use a condom					Total
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly disagree	
Oxfordshire		5.2%	5.2%	27.6%	62.1%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire		3.4%	10.3%	27.6%	58.6%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	2.6%	2.6%	7.9%	31.6%	55.3%	100.0%
Berkshire West		6.7%	3.3%	23.3%	66.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	10.0%		15.0%	15.0%	60.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	1.4%	8.2%	8.2%	13.7%	68.5%	100.0%
Southampton City		7.7%	15.4%	34.6%	42.3%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	3.0%	15.2%	12.1%	21.2%	48.5%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	6.3%		18.8%	18.8%	56.3%	100.0%
Total	1.9%	6.2%	9.3%	23.2%	59.4%	100.0%

20. I can talk to my friends about safer sex and HIV.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	I can talk to my friends about safer sex and HIV					Total
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly disagree	
Oxfordshire	44.8%	44.8%	10.3%			100.0%
Buckinghamshire	27.6%	44.8%	10.3%	13.8%	3.4%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	52.6%	36.8%	7.9%	2.6%		100.0%
Berkshire West	40.0%	36.7%	16.7%	3.3%	3.3%	100.0%
Berkshire East	45.0%	35.0%	5.0%	5.0%	10.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	37.0%	45.2%	11.0%	2.7%	4.1%	100.0%
Southampton City	26.9%	53.8%	3.8%	15.4%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	48.5%	24.2%	9.1%	15.2%	3.0%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	25.0%	37.5%	6.3%	18.8%	12.5%	100.0%
Total	39.9%	40.9%	9.6%	6.5%	3.1%	100.0%

21. I have someone to talk to if I'm worried about safer sex and HIV.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	I have someone to talk to if I'm worried about safer sex and HIV.					Total
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly disagree	
Oxfordshire	37.9%	46.6%	8.6%	5.2%	1.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	44.8%	27.6%	10.3%	17.2%		100.0%
Milton Keynes	42.1%	31.6%	13.2%	7.9%	5.3%	100.0%
Berkshire West	36.7%	36.7%	13.3%	3.3%	10.0%	100.0%
Berkshire East	35.0%	30.0%	15.0%	10.0%	10.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	30.1%	39.7%	12.3%	9.6%	8.2%	100.0%
Southampton City	30.8%	50.0%	3.8%	11.5%	3.8%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	30.3%	30.3%	12.1%	24.2%	3.0%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	37.5%	18.8%	18.8%	12.5%	12.5%	100.0%
Total	35.6%	36.8%	11.5%	10.5%	5.6%	100.0%

22. If I wanted to know something about safer sex or HIV, I'd know how to find the answer.

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	If I wanted to know something about safer sex or HIV, I'd know how to find the answer.					Total
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly disagree	
Oxfordshire	51.7%	41.4%	5.2%		1.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	55.2%	34.5%	6.9%		3.4%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	57.9%	31.6%	7.9%		2.6%	100.0%
Berkshire West	53.3%	36.7%	6.7%		3.3%	100.0%
Berkshire East	40.0%	40.0%	10.0%	5.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	49.3%	42.5%	5.5%	1.4%	1.4%	100.0%
Southampton City	57.7%	26.9%	3.8%	7.7%	3.8%	100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	54.5%	36.4%	9.1%			100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	43.8%	31.3%	12.5%		12.5%	100.0%
Total	52.0%	37.2%	6.8%	1.2%	2.8%	100.0%

23. How easy do you find it to decline sexual contact from other men?

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ease of declining sexual contact from other men				Total
	Very easy	Quite easy	Quite difficult	Very difficult	
Oxfordshire	34.5%	43.1%	19.0%	3.4%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	31.0%	44.8%	17.2%	6.9%	100.0%
Milton Keynes	31.6%	47.4%	15.8%	5.3%	100.0%
Berkshire West	36.7%	46.7%	13.3%	3.3%	100.0%
Berkshire East	40.0%	60.0%			100.0%
Hampshire	38.4%	34.2%	21.9%	5.5%	100.0%
Southampton City	46.2%	38.5%	15.4%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	18.2%	33.3%	33.3%	15.2%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	31.3%	31.3%	37.5%		100.0%
Total	34.4%	41.2%	19.5%	5.0%	100.0%

24. How easy is it for you to have safer sex during sexual encounters?

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ease of having safer sex during sexual encounters				Total
	Very easy	Quite easy	Quite difficult	Very difficult	
Oxfordshire	53.4%	43.1%	1.7%	1.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	34.5%	58.6%	6.9%		100.0%
Milton Keynes	55.3%	39.5%	5.3%		100.0%
Berkshire West	43.3%	46.7%	10.0%		100.0%
Berkshire East	60.0%	30.0%	5.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	56.2%	35.6%	5.5%	2.7%	100.0%
Southampton City	57.7%	38.5%	3.8%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	33.3%	30.3%	30.3%	6.1%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	37.5%	37.5%	12.5%	12.5%	100.0%
Total	49.5%	39.9%	8.0%	2.5%	100.0%

25. How easy is it for you to negotiate the sex that you want?

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ease of negotiating sex that is wanted				Total
	Very easy	Quite easy	Quite difficult	Very difficult	
Oxfordshire	32.8%	48.3%	13.8%	5.2%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	27.6%	55.2%	17.2%		100.0%
Milton Keynes	28.9%	55.3%	13.2%	2.6%	100.0%
Berkshire West	26.7%	50.0%	23.3%		100.0%
Berkshire East	45.0%	35.0%	15.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	31.5%	54.8%	11.0%	2.7%	100.0%
Southampton City	42.3%	46.2%	11.5%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	30.3%	45.5%	21.2%	3.0%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	31.3%	43.8%	18.8%	6.3%	100.0%
Total	32.2%	49.8%	15.2%	2.8%	100.0%

26. How easy is it for you to maintain condom use in your sexual encounters?

% within Demog - PCT area of residence

	Ease of maintaining condom use in sexual encounters				Total
	Very easy	Quite easy	Quite difficult	Very difficult	
Oxfordshire	39.7%	44.8%	13.8%	1.7%	100.0%
Buckinghamshire	44.8%	41.4%	13.8%		100.0%
Milton Keynes	44.7%	42.1%	13.2%		100.0%
Berkshire West	40.0%	43.3%	10.0%	6.7%	100.0%
Berkshire East	65.0%	5.0%	15.0%	15.0%	100.0%
Hampshire	42.5%	42.5%	8.2%	6.8%	100.0%
Southampton City	46.2%	42.3%	11.5%		100.0%
Portsmouth City Teaching	27.3%	36.4%	24.2%	12.1%	100.0%
All other South Central SHA men	31.3%	43.8%	12.5%	12.5%	100.0%
Total	41.8%	39.9%	13.0%	5.3%	100.0%

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