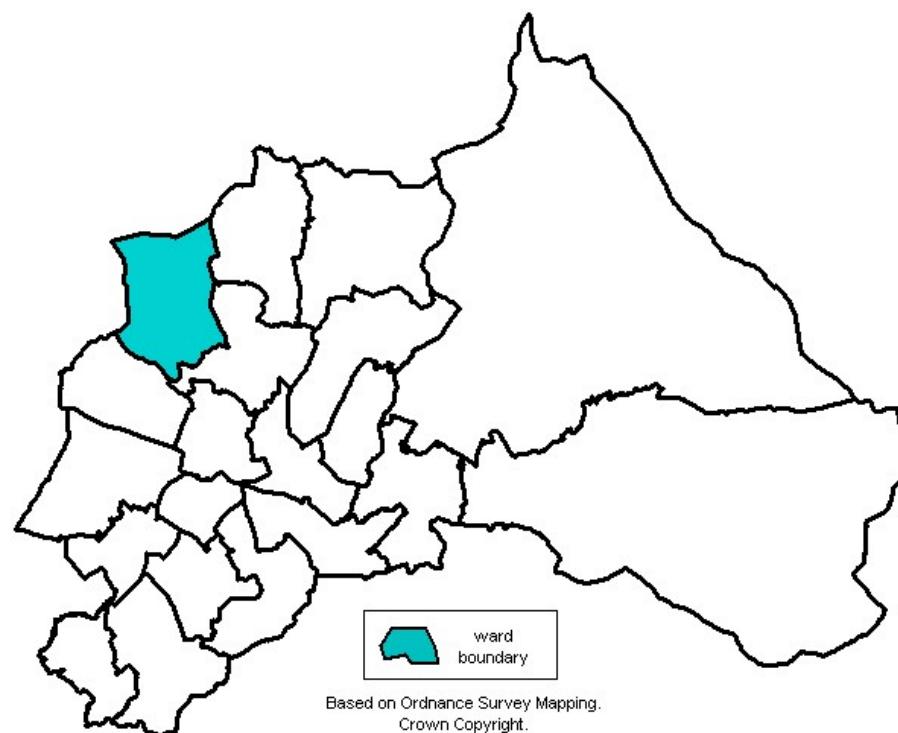
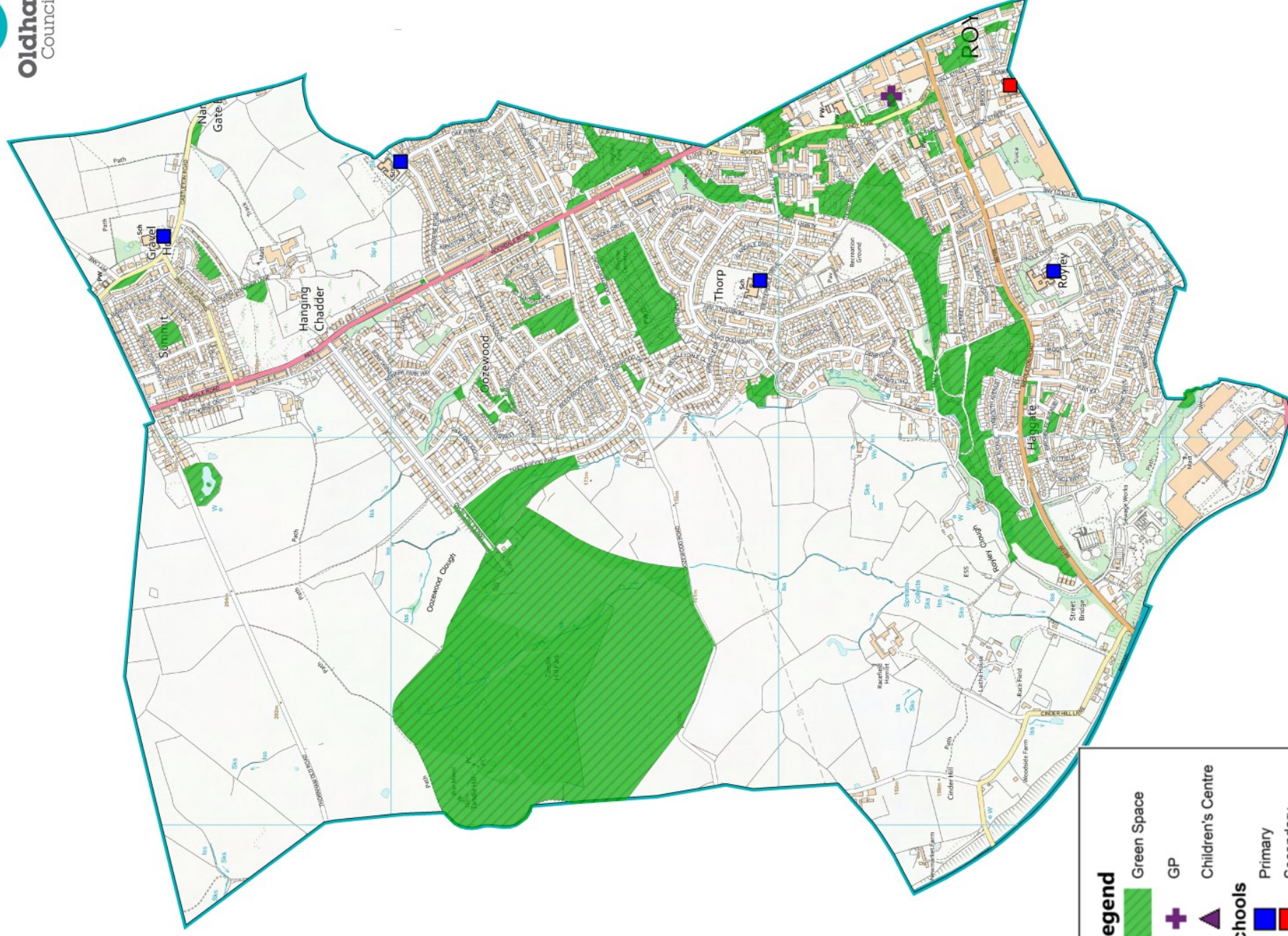


Ward Profile 2019: Royton North



Royton North Ward Map



Legend

- Green Space
- GP
- Children's Centre
- Schools**
- Primary
- Secondary
- All-through
- PRU
- 16 Plus

Population

9,834

2018 Population

(Oldham Population - 234,000)

49.4%

Male Population

(Oldham Male Population - 49.3%)



50.6%

Female Population

(Oldham female population - 50.7%)

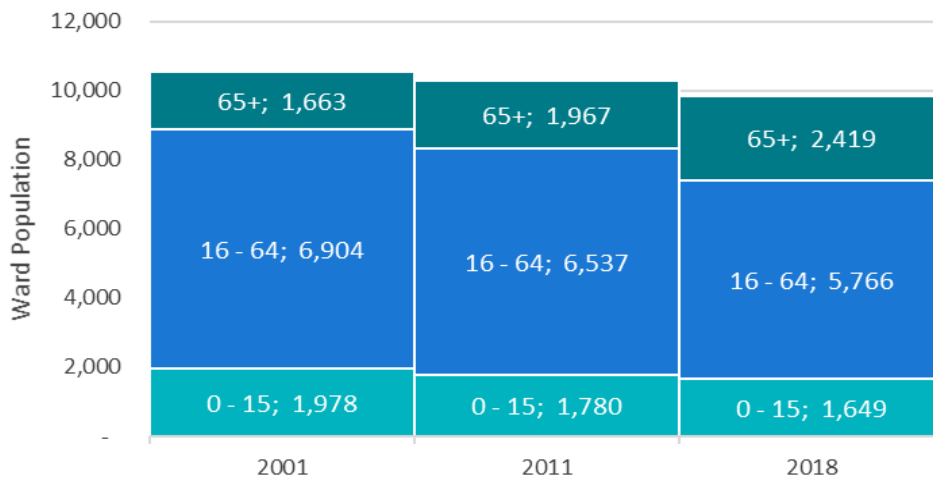


- Royton North's estimated population has decreased by 3.9% between 2011 and 2018. This compares to the Oldham wide average increase of 3.9%.
- The estimated number of residents aged over 65 has increased by 42% between 2001 and 2018.
- The estimated number of 0-15 year olds has decreased by 15% between 2001 and 2018.

Ethnic Composition - Source: ONS Census 2011

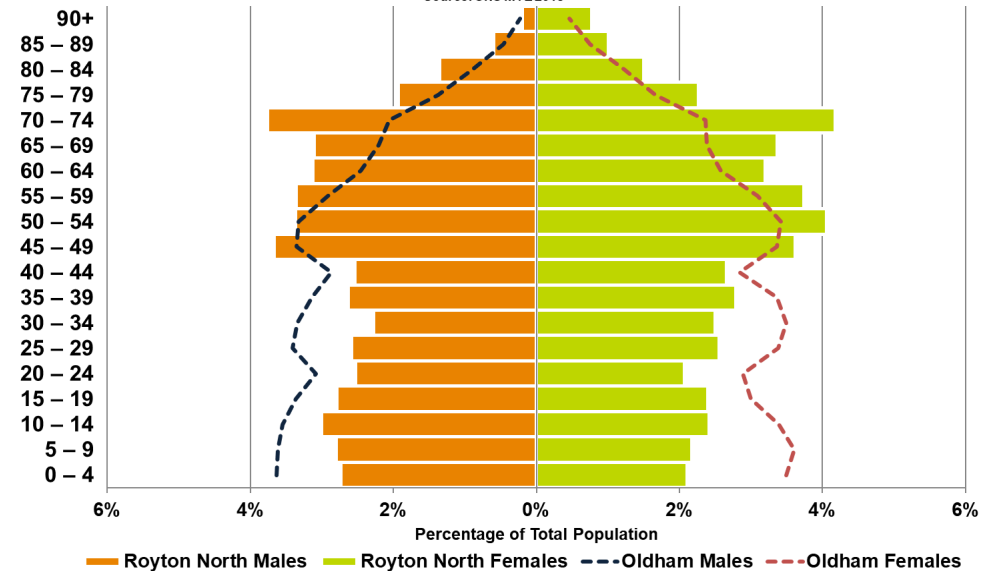
	White (%) 2011 (2001)	Pakistani (%) 2011 (2001)	Bangladeshi (%) 2011 (2001)	Other (%) 2011 (2001)
Royton North	97.4 (98.0)	0.3 (0.3)	0.4 (0.1)	2.5 (1.6)
Oldham	77.5 (87.1)	9.1 (5.9)	6.6 (4.1)	4.9 (2.9)
England	85.4 (90.9)	2.1 (1.4)	0.8 (0.6)	11.7 (7.1)

Broad Age Bands in Royton North



Royton North Age Composition

Source: ONS MYE 2018



Economy and Income

£25,021 

Median Household Income
(Oldham Average = £22,289)

64.1%



Employment Rate
(Oldham Average = 58.2%)

3.5%



Youth Unemployment
(Oldham Average = 7.0%)

- Royton North's median household income (£25,021) is higher than the Oldham average (£22,289).
- The employment rate (64.1%) is slightly higher than the Oldham average (58.2%).
- A lower proportion of people are on Out of Work Benefits in Royton North (7.5%) than in Oldham as a whole (11.0%).

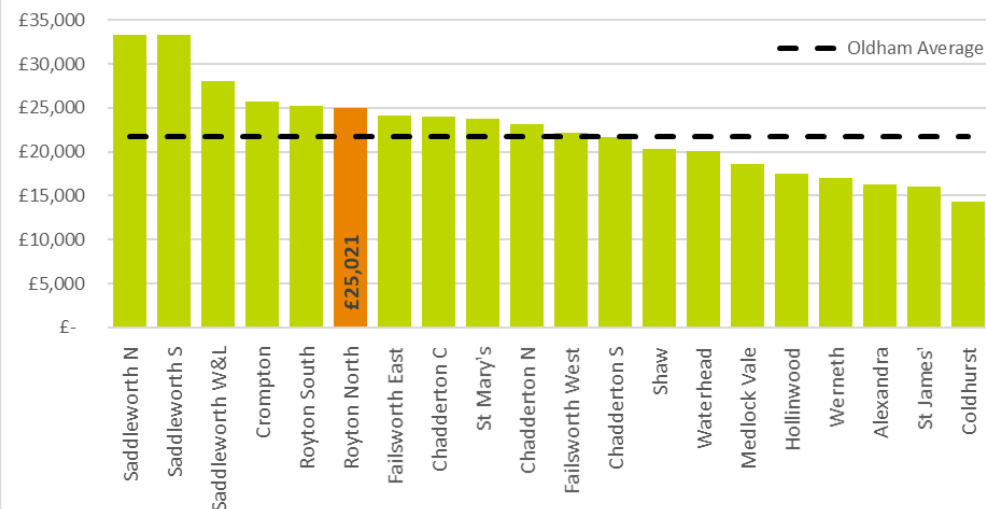
Economic Status (aged 16-74) - Source ONS Census 2011

	Royton North (Number)	Royton North (%)	Oldham %	England %
Employed	4,938	64.1	58.2	62.1
Part-time	1,114	14.5	13.9	13.7
Full-time	3,220	41.8	36.6	38.6
Self employed	604	7.8	7.8	9.8

Out of Work Benefit Claimants (Aged 16-64) - Source: DWP 2019

	Royton North (Number)	Royton North (%)	Oldham (%)	England (%)
Employment Support Allowance (ESA)	285	4.9	6.2	5.0
Universal Credit (UC)	145	2.5	4.5	2.7
Total Out of Work Benefit Claimants	440	7.5	11.0	8.1

Median Household Income



Housing

4,423



Number of Households

9.3%



Households in Fuel Poverty
(Oldham average - 12.1%)

£140,975



Median Sold House Price
Oldham average = £130,000

- Royton North's housing stock has a large proportion of owner occupied properties (75.9%) and a growing number of private rented properties (6.6%).
- The average sold house price in the ward is 8.4% higher than the Oldham average.
- 62% of households can afford to keep their house in a decent state of repair. This is higher than the Oldham average rate of 54%. Fuel poverty rates are also low.

Housing Tenure: Source ONS Census 2011

	2011			2001		
	% Owner occupied	% Social rented	% Private rented	% Owner occupied	% Social rented	% Private rented
Royton North	75.9	16.7	6.6	76.2	18.7	2.2
Oldham	65.3	21.1	12.2	68.4	22.9	5.5
England	64.1	17.7	16.8	68.7	19.3	8.8

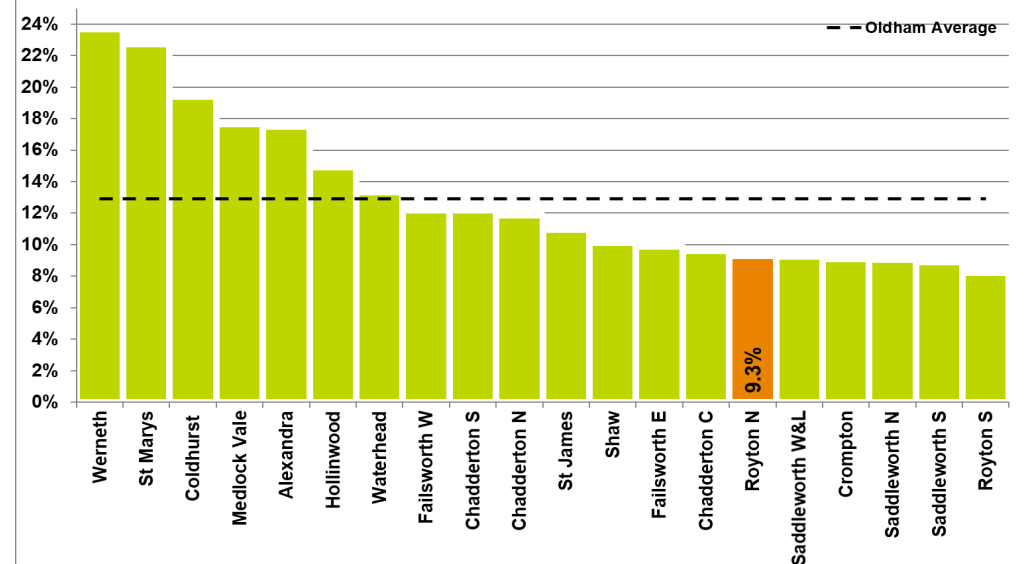
Housing

Sources: Oldham Council 2019, You and Your Community Survey 2013

	Royton North (%)	Oldham (%)
Vacant properties	2.4	3.3
Claiming Council Tax Reduction and/or Housing Benefit	13.7	20.7
Can afford to keep house in decent state of repair	62	54
Pre-pay energy meters	12	20

Fuel Poverty

Source: DECC 2019



Household Composition

28.7%



Single Person Households
(Oldham average = 30.3%)

10.4%



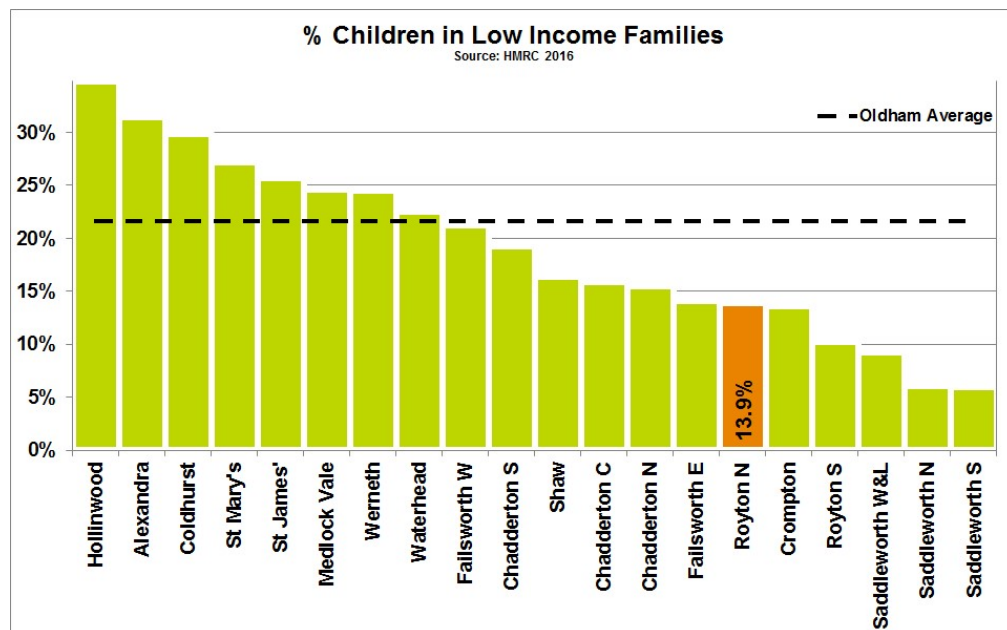
Lone Parent households
(Oldham average = 13.1%)

4.3%



Overcrowded households
Oldham average = 7.5%

- Royton North has a slightly lower proportion of single person households (28.7%) than the Oldham average (30.3%).
- The proportion of lone parent households in the ward (10.4%) is lower than the Oldham average (13.1%).
- The proportion of households overcrowded in the ward (4.3%) is lower than the Oldham average (7.5%).



Household Composition - Source ONS Census 2011

	Royton North (%)	Oldham (%)	England (%)
Single person households aged under 65	14.2	17.1	17.9
Single person households aged 65 and over	14.5	12.8	12.4
Married couples	46.6	39.7	41.3
Cohabiting couples	9.1	10.2	9.9
Lone parents (with dependent children)	6.4	9.1	7.1
Lone parents (without dependent children)	4.0	4.0	3.5
Other	5.3	7.1	8.0

Types of Households - Source: ONS Census 2011

Households with:	Royton North (%)	Oldham (%)
No Children	66.0	60.7
One Person Household	29	30

Education and Skills

75.0%



Early Years
“Good Level of Development”
 (Oldham average - 68.1%)

24.8%

Adults with No Qualifications
 (Oldham average - 29.6%)

22.7%



Adults with Degree
 (Oldham average - 18.6%)

- 75% of pupils in Royton North leave the Early Years Foundation stage with a Good Level of Development. This compares to 68.1% in Oldham as a whole.
- 61.1% of pupils attain Grade 4 or above in English and Maths GCSE, compared with 56.1% in Oldham as a whole.
- An excellent 0.9% of pupils gain no GCSE passes, compared with 2.7% in Oldham as a whole.

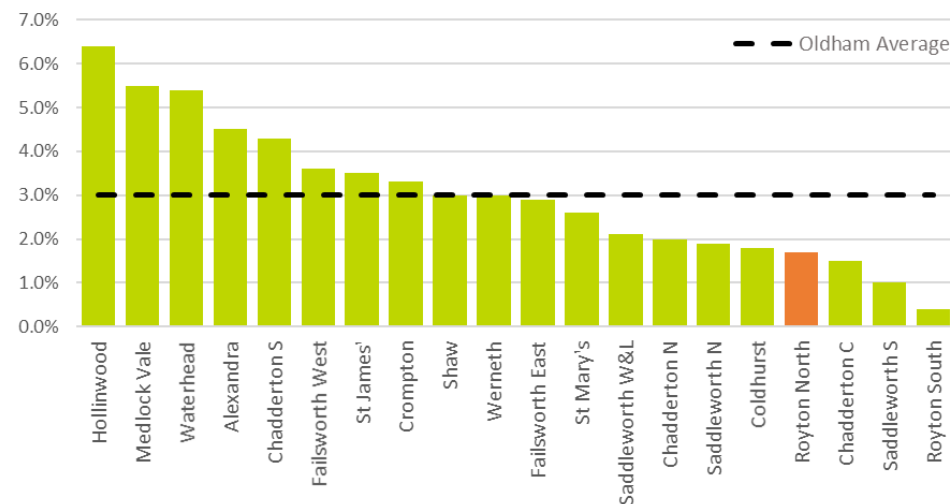
Early Years Foundation Stage 2018

Good Level of Development:	Royton North (%)	Oldham (%)
All	75.0	68.1
Boys	68.2	60.5
Girls	80.8	75.5

GCSE Results 2019

	Royton North	Oldham	England
GCSE Attainment 8 score	44.3	42.3	46.6
Attaining Grade 4 or above in English and maths GCSEs	61.1%	56.1%	64.4%
No GCSE passes	0.9%	2.7%	2.0%

Not in Education, Employment or Training



Health

19.4%



Limiting Long-Term Illnesses
(Oldham Average - 16.3%)

79.5



Male Life Expectancy
(Oldham Average - 77.2)

83.1



Female Life Expectancy
(Oldham Average - 80.9)

- Royton North's Male Life Expectancy (79.5 years) is higher than the Oldham wide average for males (77.2 years).
- Royton North's Female Life Expectancy (83.1 years) is higher than the Oldham wide average for females (80.9 years).
- A lower proportion of Year 6 children (17.4%) are obese than in Oldham as a whole (23.4%). However, breastfeeding rates are very low.

Health Outcomes Public Health England

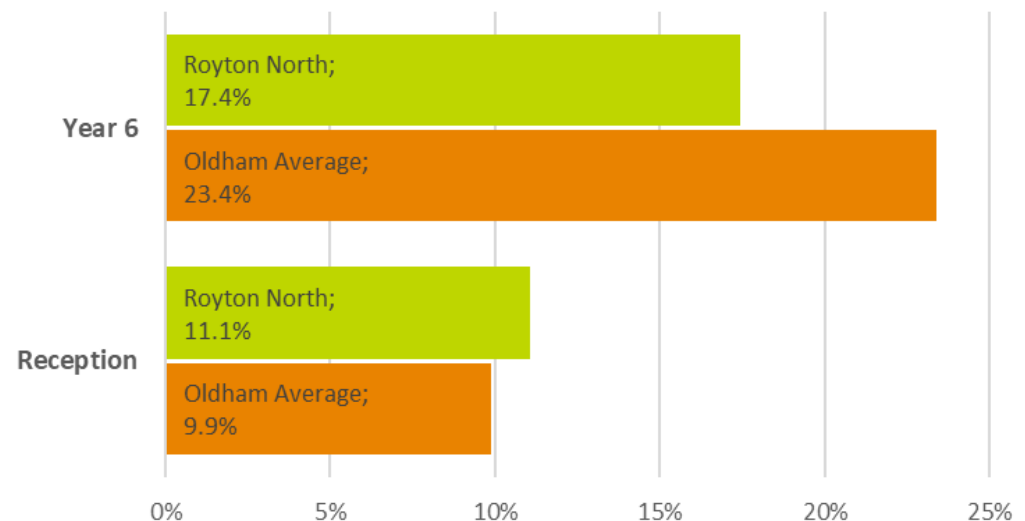
	Royton North	Oldham
Emergency hospital admissions - all causes (ratio)	107.8	126.0
Emergency hospital admissions - CHD (ratio)	113.3	137.6
Under 75 deaths all causes (ratio)	104.0	129.0
Under 75 deaths for cancer (ratio)	118.8	123.0
Prevalence of Obesity in Year 6 Children	17.4%	23.4%

Health Behaviours

Bridgewater 2017 / Mosaic 2019 / PHE 2013/14-2017/18

	Royton North	Oldham
Mothers breastfeeding at 6-8 weeks %	18.6%	37.5%
Smoking %	19.9%	24.3%
Hospital stays for alcohol related harm (narrow definition) (ratio)	89.8	106.6

Childhood Obesity Rates



Community Safety

1,115

Reported Crimes

(Oldham Average - 1,483)

113

Reported Crimes Rate

Rate per 10,000 population
(Oldham Average - 124)



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Fatal or Serious

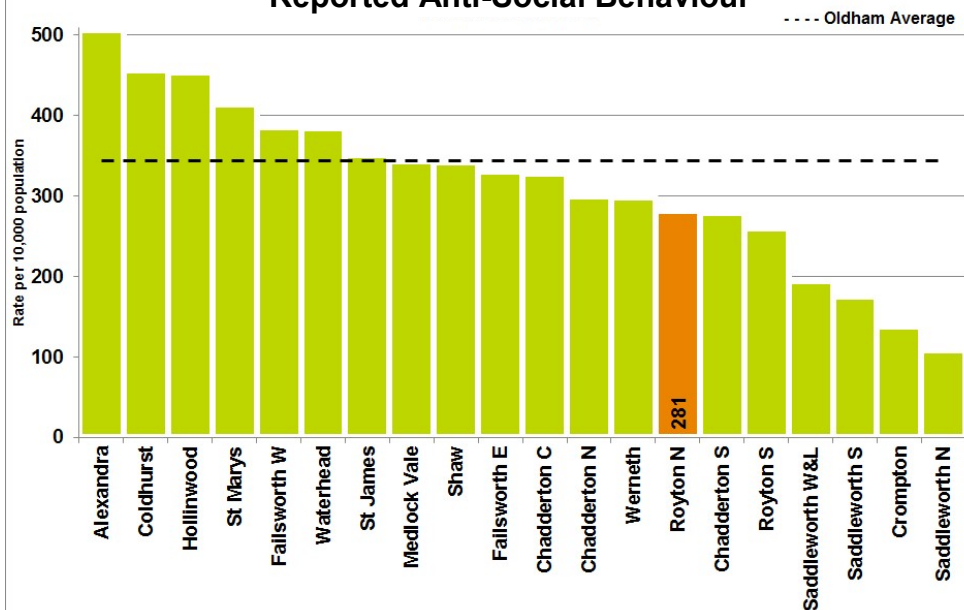
Road Traffic Accidents

- Royton North's rate of reported Anti-Social Behaviour is lower than the average for the borough.
- The overall rate of reported crimes is lower than the Oldham average.
- Police intelligence suggests a fall in the rate of reporting. New crime recording standards have changed the classification of certain offences, meaning we can't compare over time.

Crime Statistics - Rates per 10,000 Population

Crime	Royton North	Oldham
Burglary (Rate)	11	11
Criminal Damage (Rate)	13	15
Drug Offences (Rate)	1	2
Other Offences (Rate)	4	5
Robbery (Rate)	3	2
Sexual Offences (Rate)	3	3
Theft and Handling Stolen Goods (Rate)	31	32
Violence Against the Person (Rate)	47	54
Total Crime (Rate)	113	124

Reported Anti-Social Behaviour



Most Committed Crimes

Crime	Number of Reported Incidents in Year
Violence Against the Person	462
Theft and Handling Stolen Goods	305
Criminal Damage	133

Community

79%



Satisfied with Local Area
(Oldham average = 71%)

32.3%



Turnout to Local Election
(Oldham average = 33.0%)

39%



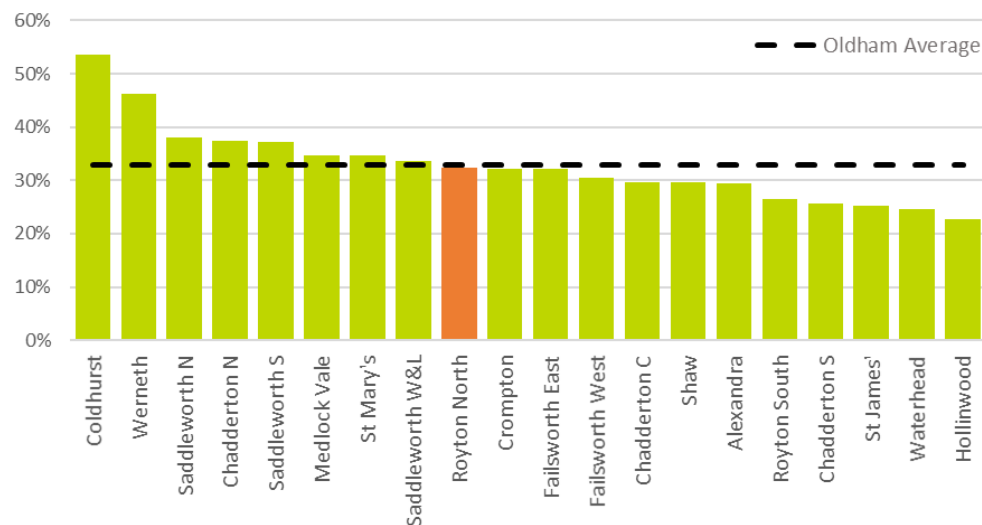
Volunteered in Last 12 Months
(Oldham average = 38%)

Royton North benefits from areas of green space at Tandle Hill Country Park, Dogford Park, and the corridor surrounding River Irk. There are some easily definable geographical communities particularly around areas such as Thorpe, Thornham, Haggate, Dogford, and Royton Hall. It also houses the Elk Mill Oldham Shopping Park (which serves the Oldham community and further afield alike), small industrial areas, and shares a border with Rochdale to the north.

Approximately three quarters of the housing stock is in private ownership, but also houses small areas of social housing - particularly around the district centre. There are high levels of resident engagement, with local people active in Friends groups and special interest groups across the ward.

The hub of the community is the district centre. The recent development of another supermarket has made the district centre a bustling area. There is also a lively night time economy which has improved greatly in recent years, with the addition of new good quality restaurants and bars. However, like many district centres, both youth and adult anti-social behaviour continues to be a source of community tensions.

Voter Turnout



Co-operation and Cohesion: You and Your Community Survey 2013

	Royton North %	Oldham %
Satisfied with local area as place to live	79	71
Dissatisfied with local area as place to live	11	15
Feel very involved/fairly involved in your local community	21	26
Have volunteered in last 12 months	39	38
Neighbourhood is a place where people from different ethnic backgrounds get on well together	20	30

Sources

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Further Information

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