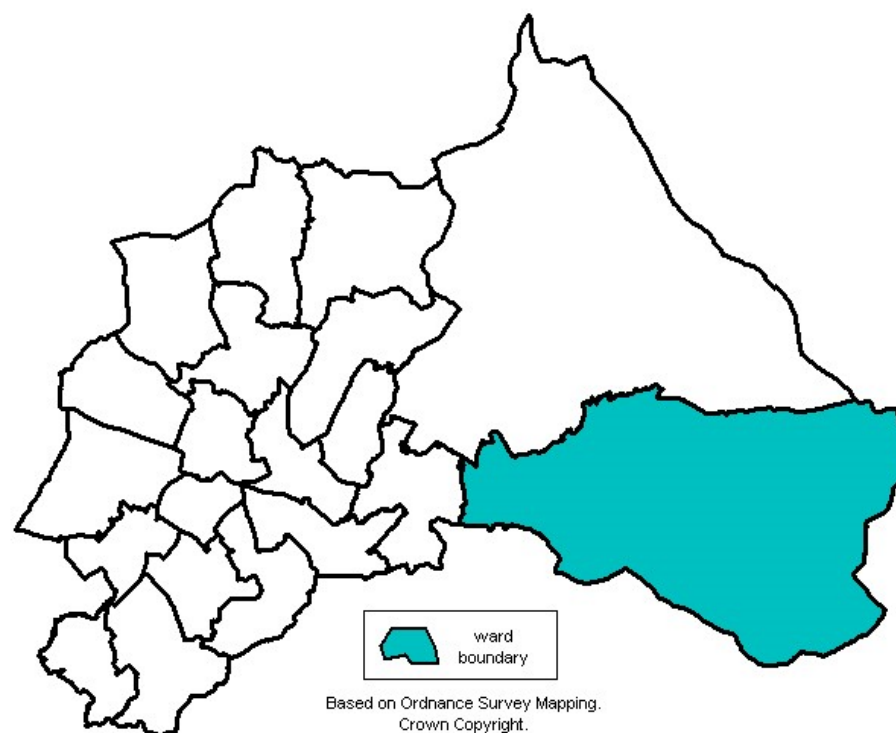
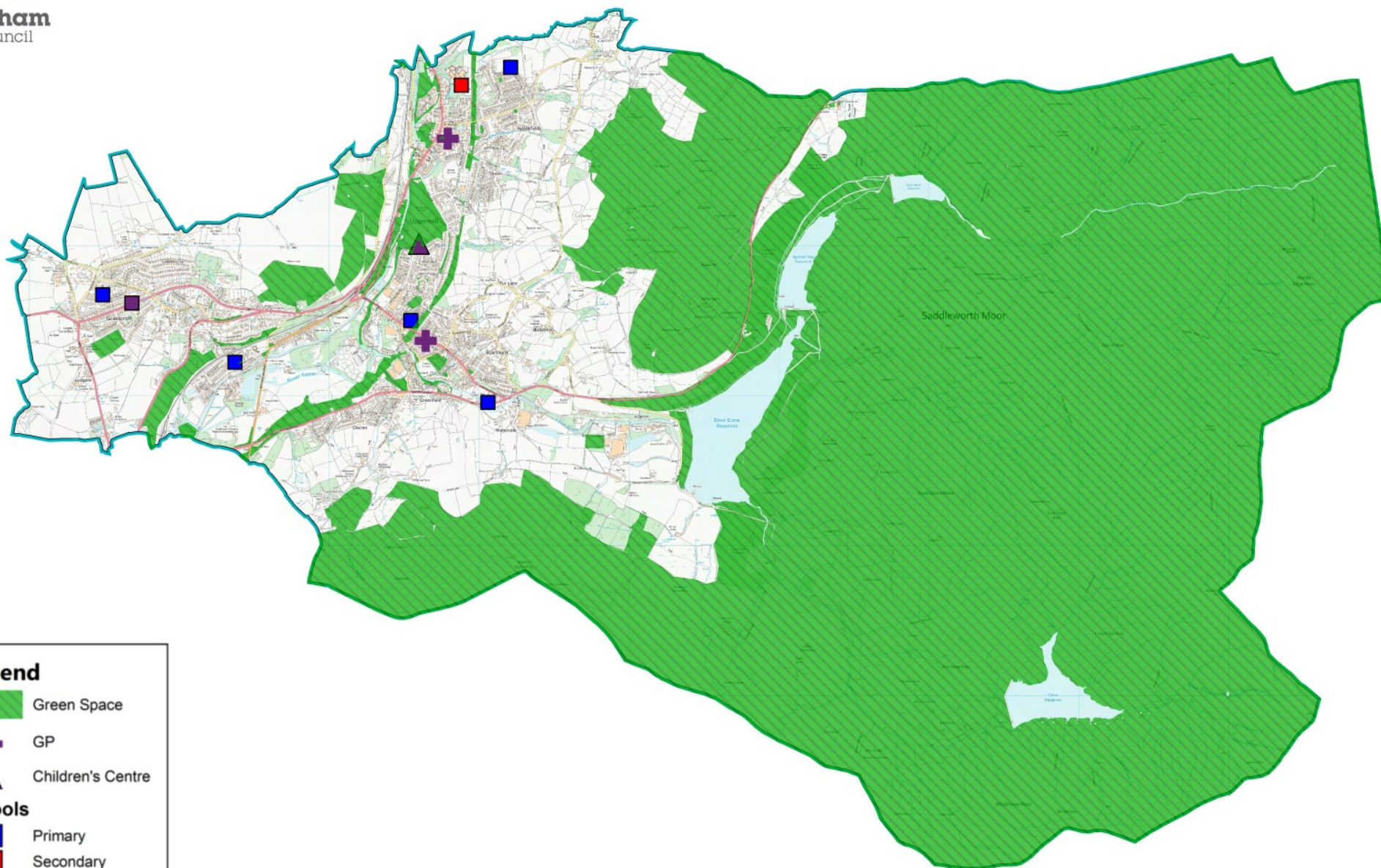


Ward Profile 2019: Saddleworth South



Saddleworth South Ward Map




Legend

 Green Space

 GP

 Children's Centre

Schools

 Primary

 Secondary

 All-through

 PRU

 16 Plus

Population

10,165

2018 Population

(Oldham Population - 234,000)

48.5%

Male Population

(Oldham Male Population - 49.3%)



51.5%

Female Population

(Oldham female population - 50.7%)

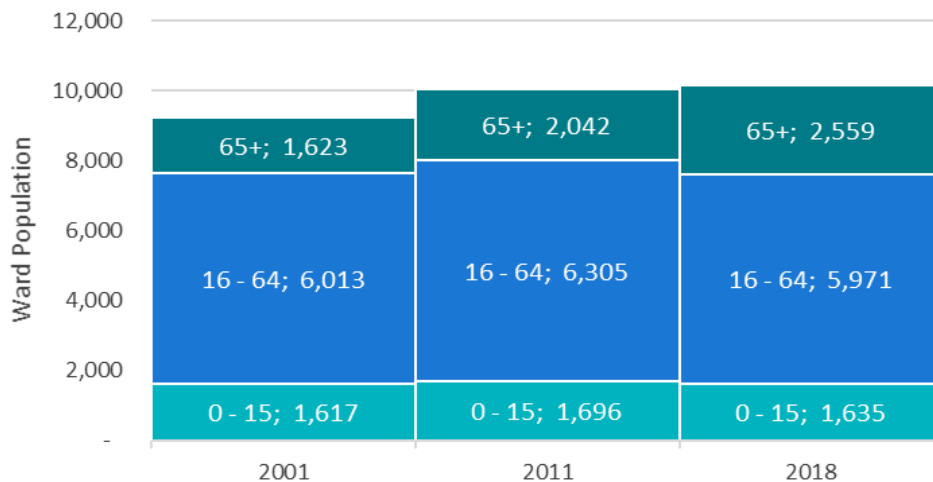


- The number of residents aged over 65 has increased by 21% between 2011 and 2018. Conversely, younger people are significantly under-represented.
- The number of residents aged 16-64 has decreased by 5% between 2011 and 2018.
- 97.5% of its residents are white, the highest proportion of any ward in Oldham.

Ethnic Composition - Source: ONS Census 2011

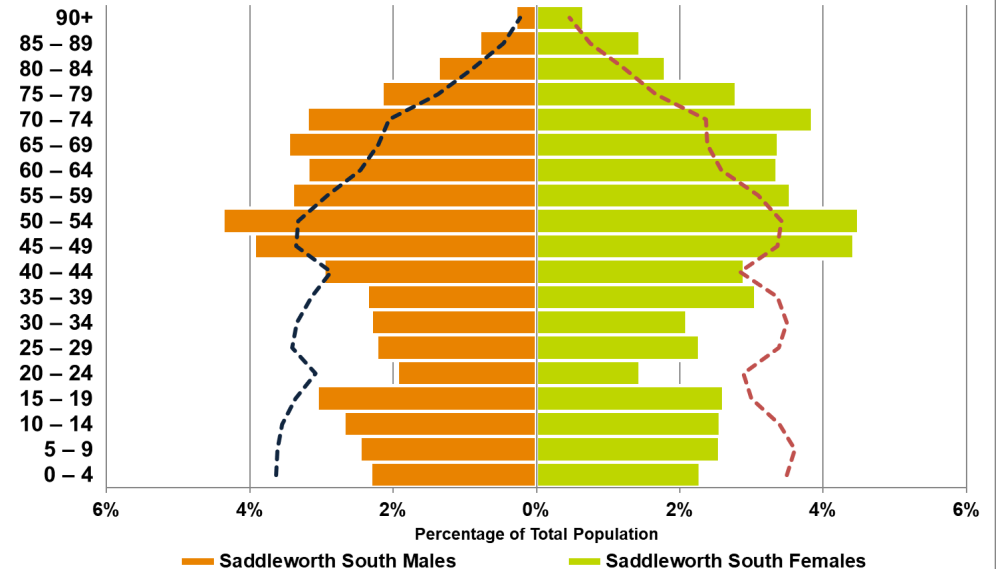
	White (%) 2011 (2001)	Pakistani (%) 2011 (2001)	Bangladeshi (%) 2011 (2001)	Other (%) 2011 (2001)
Saddleworth South	97.5 (98.3)	0.4 (0.2)	0.2 (0.1)	2.7 (1.4)
Oldham	77.5 (87.1)	9.1 (5.9)	6.6 (4.1)	4.9 (2.9)
England	85.4 (90.9)	2.1 (1.4)	0.8 (0.6)	11.7 (7.1)

Broad Age Bands in Saddleworth South



Saddleworth South Age Composition

Source: ONS MYE 2018



Economy and Income

£33,265 

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

67.0%



Employment Rate
(Oldham Average = 58.2%)

0.9%



Youth Unemployment
(Oldham Average = 7.0%)

- Saddleworth South has the second highest median household income (£33,265) in the borough, behind only Saddleworth North (£33,335). This is 50% higher than the Oldham average (£22,289).
- The employment rate (67%) is higher than the Oldham average (58%).
- A lower proportion of people are on Out of Work Benefits in Saddleworth South (4.8%) than in Oldham as a whole (11.0%).

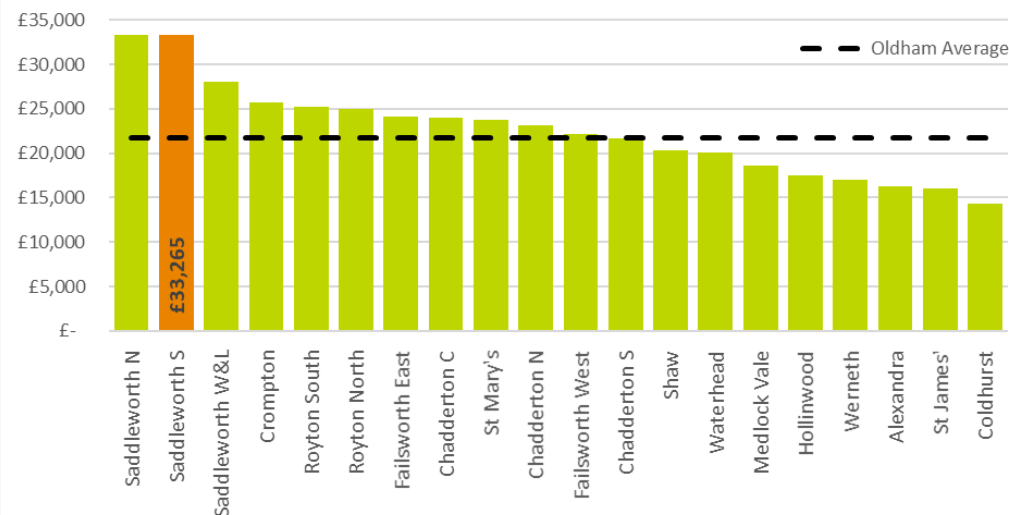
Economic Status (aged 16-74) - Source ONS Census 2011

	Saddleworth South (Number)	Saddleworth South (%)	Oldham %	England %
Employed	4,988	67.0	58.2	62.1
Part-time	1,047	14.1	13.9	13.7
Full-time	2,983	40.1	36.6	38.6
Self employed	958	12.9	7.8	9.8

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

	Saddleworth South (Number)	Saddleworth South (%)	Oldham (%)	England (%)
Employment Support Allowance (ESA)	215	3.6	6.2	5.0
Universal Credit (UC)	62	1.0	4.5	2.7
Total Out of Work Benefit Claimants	285	4.8	11.0	8.1

Median Household Income



Housing

4,515



Number of Households

8.9%



Households in Fuel Poverty
(Oldham average - 12.1%)

£263,000



Median Sold House Price
Oldham average = £130,000

- Saddleworth South's housing stock has a large proportion of owner occupied properties (80.8%) and a low proportion of social rented housing (6.5%).
- The average sold house price in the ward is over double the Oldham average.
- A low proportion of households are receiving Council Tax Reduction and/or Housing Benefit (6.4%) or have pre-pay energy meters (2%). 82% can afford to keep their house in a decent state of repair.

Housing Tenure: Source ONS Census 2011

	2011			2001		
	% Owner occupied	% Social rented	% Private rented	% Owner occupied	% Social rented	% Private rented
Saddleworth South	80.8	6.5	11.8	83.3	8.3	5.6
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

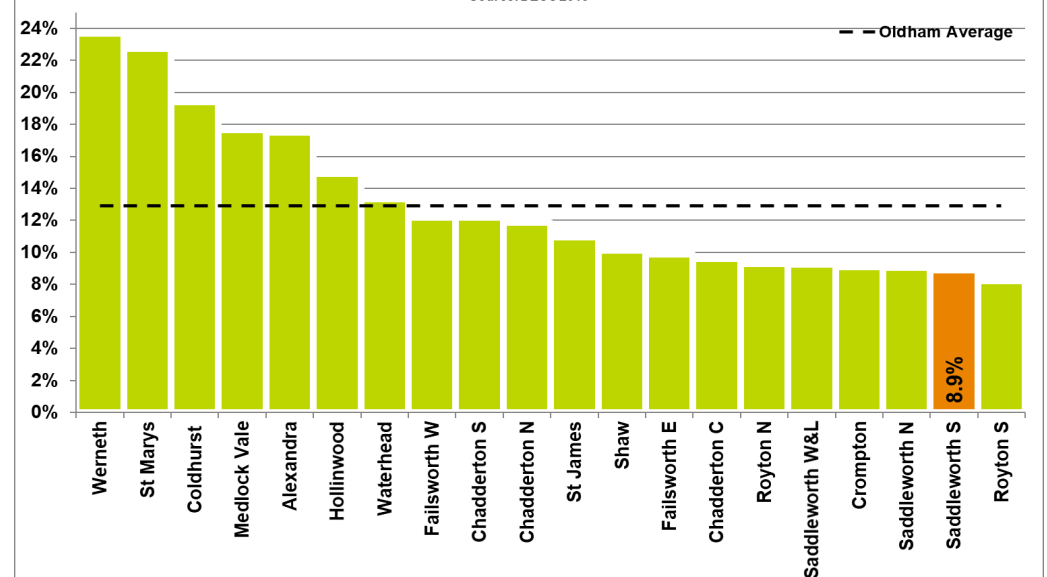
Housing

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

	Saddleworth South (%)	Oldham (%)
Vacant properties	3.1	3.3
Claiming Council Tax Reduction and/or Housing Benefit	6.4	20.7
Can afford to keep house in decent state of repair	82	54
Pre-pay energy meters	2	20

Fuel Poverty

Source: DECC 2019



Household Composition

28.1%



Single Person Households
(Oldham average = 30.3%)

6.9%



Lone Parent households
(Oldham average = 13.1%)

3.4%



Overcrowded households
(Oldham average = 7.5%)

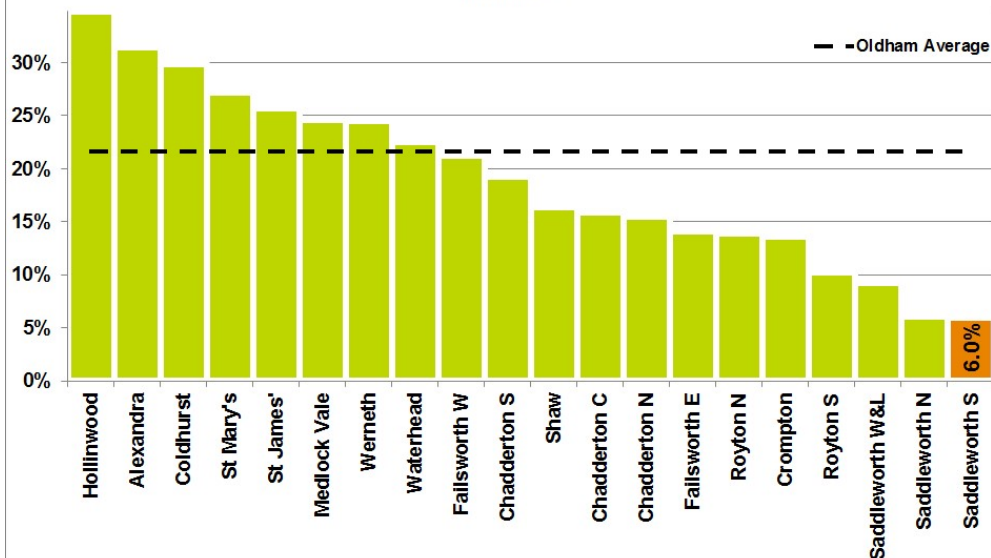
- Saddleworth South has a lower proportion of single person households (28.1%) than the Oldham average (30.3%).
- The proportion of lone parent households in the ward (6.9%) is lower than the Oldham average (13.1%).
- The proportion of households overcrowded in the ward (3.4%) is lower than the Oldham average (7.5%).

Household Composition - Source ONS Census 2011

	Saddleworth South (%)	Oldham (%)	England (%)
Single person households aged under 65	12.3	17.1	17.9
Single person households aged 65 and over	15.8	12.8	12.4
Married couples	50.5	39.7	41.3
Cohabiting couples	10.5	10.2	9.9
Lone parents (with dependent children)	4.4	9.1	7.1
Lone parents (without dependent children)	2.5	4.0	3.5
Other	4.0	7.1	8.0

% Children in Low Income Families

Source: HMRC 2016



Types of Households - Source: ONS Census 2011

Households with:	Saddleworth South (%)	Oldham (%)
No Children	72.5	60.7
One Person Household	28	30

Education and Skills

83.0%



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

15.3%

Adults with No Qualifications
 (Oldham average - 29.6%)

39.8%



Adults with Degree
 (Oldham average - 18.6%)

- 83% of pupils in Saddleworth South enter the Early Years Foundation stage with a Good Level of Development. This compares to 68.1% in Oldham as a whole.
- 67.9% of pupils attain Grade 4 or above in English and Maths GCSE, compared with 56.1% in Oldham as a whole.
- 1.2% of pupils gain no GCSE passes, compared with 2.7% in Oldham as a whole. This is then reflected in the very low NEET rate.

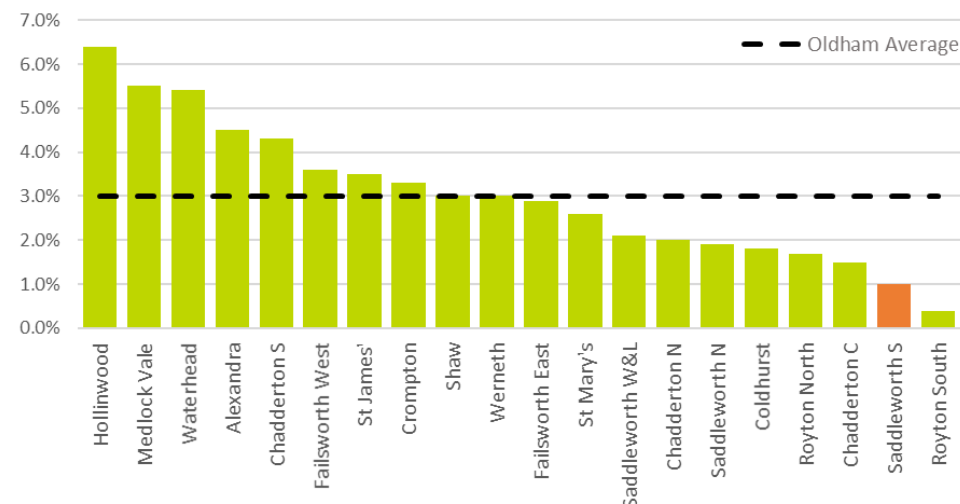
Early Years Foundation Stage 2018

Good Level of Development:	Saddleworth South (%)	Oldham (%)
All	83.0	68.1
Boys	79.4	60.5
Girls	88.4	75.5

GCSE Results 2019

	Saddleworth South	Oldham	England
GCSE Attainment 8 score	50.9	42.3	46.6
Attaining Grade 4 or above in English and maths GCSEs	67.9%	56.1%	64.4%
No GCSE passes	1.2%	2.7%	2.0%

Not in Education, Employment or Training



Health

16.7%



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

82.9



Male Life Expectancy
(Oldham Average - 77.2)

87.9



Female Life Expectancy
(Oldham Average - 80.9)

- Saddleworth South has the highest life expectancy of any ward in the borough, for both males and females. Male life expectancy is 5.7 years longer than the Oldham average, and female life expectancy is 7 years longer.
- Positive health behaviours are widespread, and in turn lead to positive health outcomes.
- A far lower proportion of Year 6 children (12.1%) are obese than in Oldham as a whole (23.4%).

Health Outcomes Public Health England

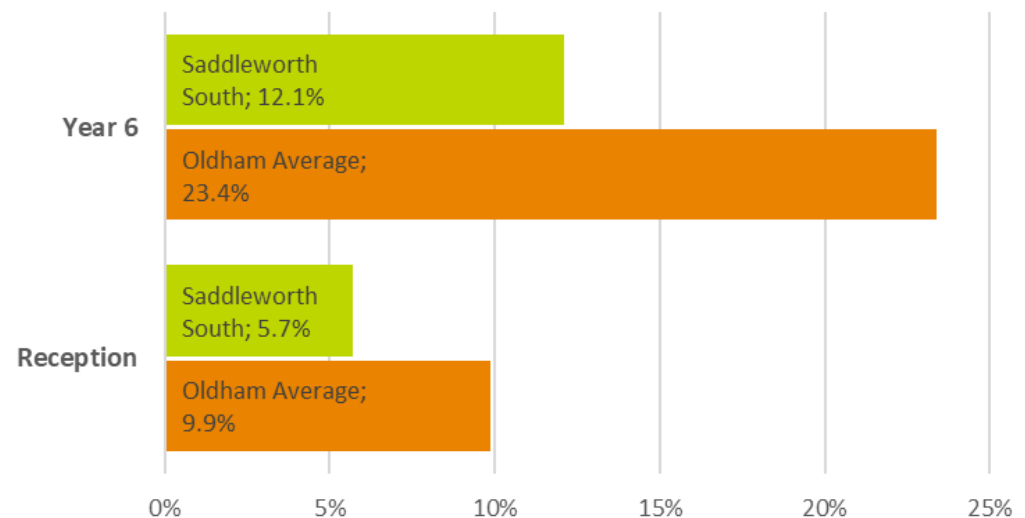
	Saddleworth South	Oldham
Emergency hospital admissions - all causes (ratio)	84.9	126.0
Emergency hospital admissions - CHD (ratio)	95.7	137.6
Under 75 deaths all causes (ratio)	62.1	129.0
Under 75 deaths for cancer (ratio)	64.2	123.0
Prevalence of Obesity in Year 6 Children	12.1%	23.4%

Health Behaviours

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

	Saddleworth South	Oldham
Mothers breastfeeding at 6-8 weeks %	60.5%	37.5%
Smoking %	13.6%	24.3%
Hospital stays for alcohol related harm (narrow definition) (ratio)	74.0	106.6

Childhood Obesity Rates



Community Safety

516

Reported Crimes

(Oldham Average - 1,483)

51

Reported Crimes Rate

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



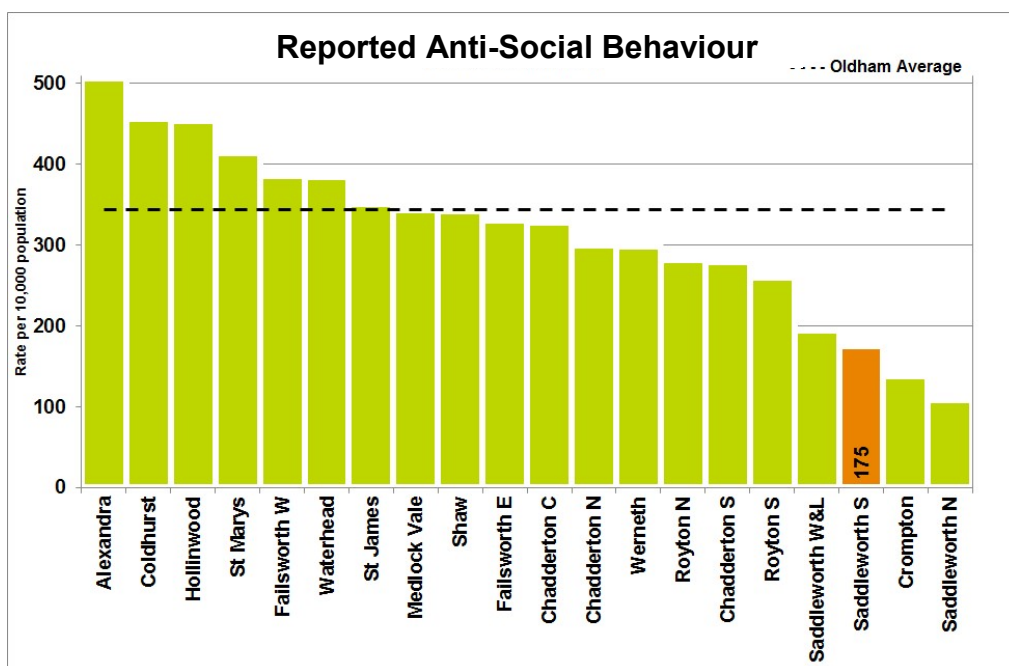
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Fatal or Serious

Road Traffic Accidents

- Saddleworth South's rate of reported Anti-Social Behaviour is lower than the average for the borough.
- The overall rate of reported crimes is much lower than the Oldham average. Theft is particularly low.
- 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	Saddleworth South	Oldham
Burglary (Rate)	7	11
Criminal Damage (Rate)	7	15
Drug Offences (Rate)	0	2
Other Offences (Rate)	2	5
Robbery (Rate)	1	2
Sexual Offences (Rate)	1	3
Theft and Handling Stolen Goods (Rate)	10	32
Violence Against the Person (Rate)	23	54
Total Crime (Rate)	51	124

Most Committed Crimes

Crime	Number of Reported Incidents in Year
Violence Against the Person	228
Theft and Handling Stolen Goods	106
Burglary	71

Community

96%



Satisfied with Local Area
(Oldham average = 71%)

37.2%



Turnout to Local Election
(Oldham average = 33.0%)

53%



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

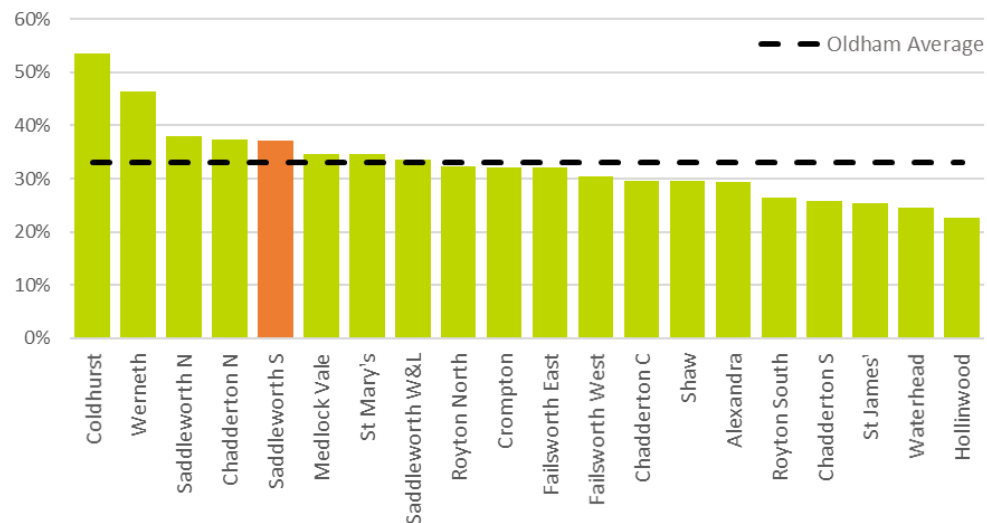
Saddleworth South has a largely healthy, prosperous and well educated population, concentrated within the villages of Lydgate, Friezland, Grasscroft, Greenfield, and Uppermill - which are situated with the Saddleworth Parish boundary.

In addition there are large areas of heather moorland, some of which are within the boundary of the Peak District National Park, numerous recreational cycling, walking and riding networks along with the fully navigable Huddersfield Canal with a marina situated in the village of Greenfield.

Uppermill is the largest and busiest of the Saddleworth villages, and is considered to be the district centre for Saddleworth. It contains a variety of shops and cafes and has a vibrant night time economy with traditional pubs, and more recently, wine bars and restaurants appealing to locals and visitors from further afield. Community spirit is strong and there are a large number of voluntary organisations, events, and festivals throughout the year.

There is a feeling that high property values and lack of available development land has meant that it is difficult for young people and first time buyers to find suitable accommodation within the ward.

Voter Turnout



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

	Saddleworth South %	Oldham %
Satisfied with local area as place to live	96	71
Dissatisfied with local area as place to live	1	15
Feel very involved/fairly involved in your local community	57	26
Have volunteered in last 12 months	53	38
Neighbourhood is a place where people from different ethnic backgrounds get on well together	32	30

Sources

Population:	Office for National Statistics (ONS) Census 2011 Office for National Statistics (ONS) Mid Year estimates 2018.
Economy and Income:	Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) Data 2019, Office for National Statistics (ONS) Census 2011, CACI Paycheck Data 2019.
Housing:	Office of National Statistics (ONS) Census 2011, Land Registry 2019, You and Your Community Survey, September 2013, Ipsos MORI, Oldham Council Benefits Data 2019, Department for Energy and Climate Change (DECC) 2013.
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Further Information

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