

Birmingham Weekly COVID-19 Statistics

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Weekly report 26th July to 1st August 2021

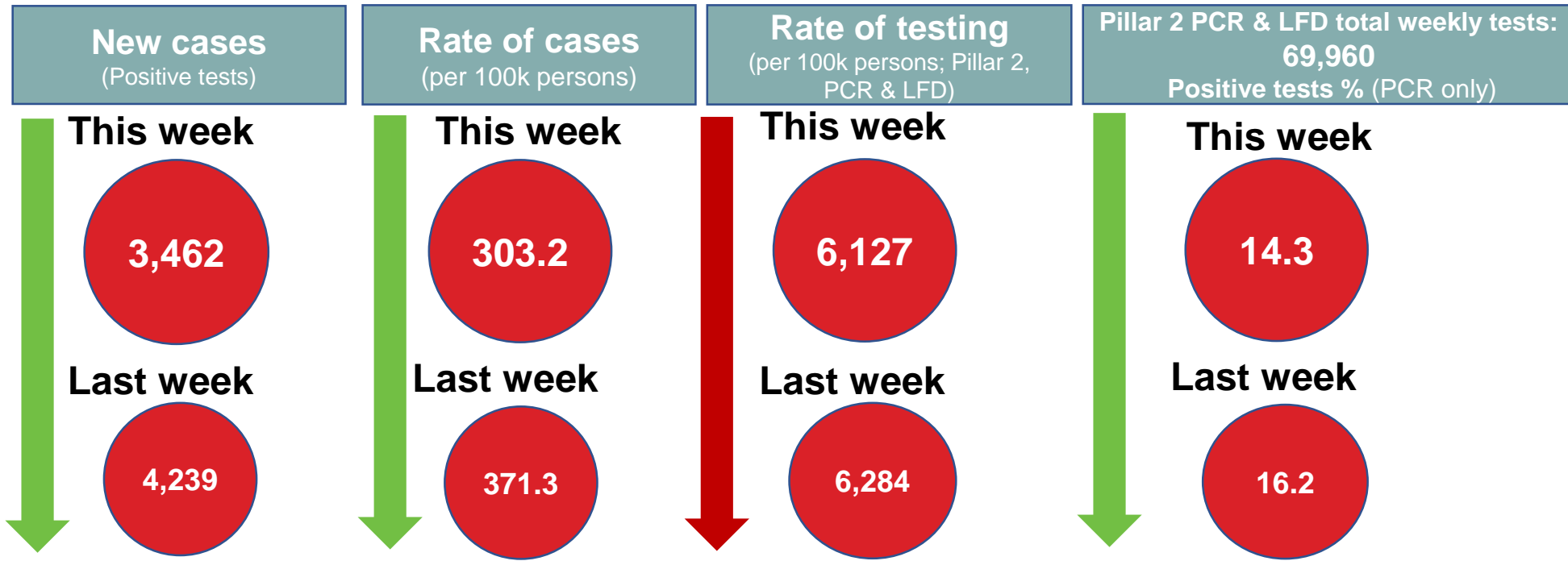
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New cases and the overall case rate continue to decrease. The % of positive tests has also decreased, and the overall rates of testing using PCR, LFD or both have decreased slightly in the past 7 days.

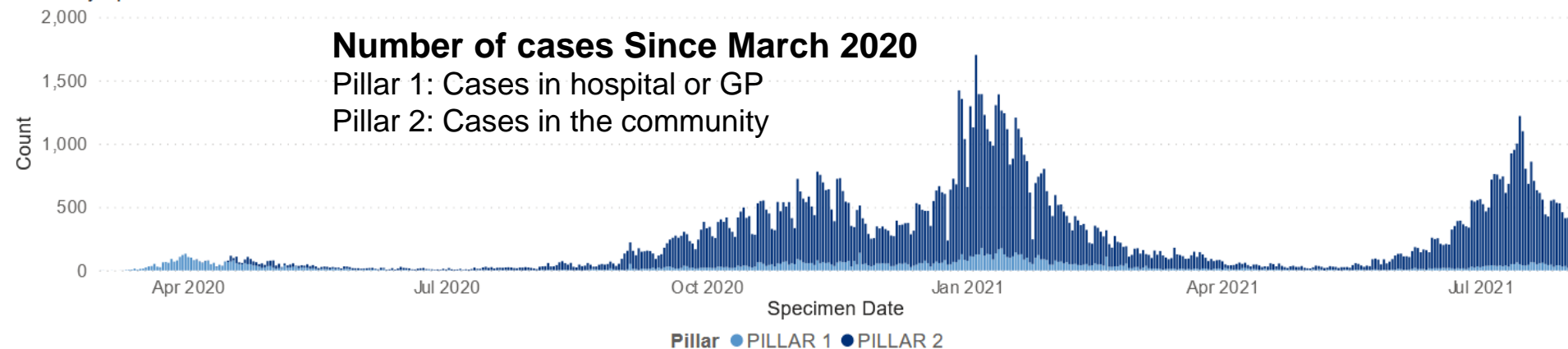
All adults are encouraged to do regular home testing using the rapid Lateral flow tests. The test kits are available at community sites and pharmacies [across the city](#) or you can also order online for home delivery directly from the government for [free by post](#) or find a [local collection site](#).

Spread appears to be primarily occurring through household, social and workplace interactions. Spread often happens in the home but it isn't inevitable, and www.germdefence.org can help.

Hospital admissions range between 33 and 54 new cases a day for the week 26th July to 1st August across the hospitals in the city (total = 307), an increase of 3% compared to last week's admissions of between 34 and 57 new daily cases (total = 298). There were 10 deaths from COVID-19 this week in Birmingham, up from 9 in the previous week.



Cases by Specimen Date & Pillar



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Across Birmingham, the number of cases decreased this week by 777 cases (3,462 cases this week compared to 4,239 last week). All wards in Birmingham reported new cases this week.

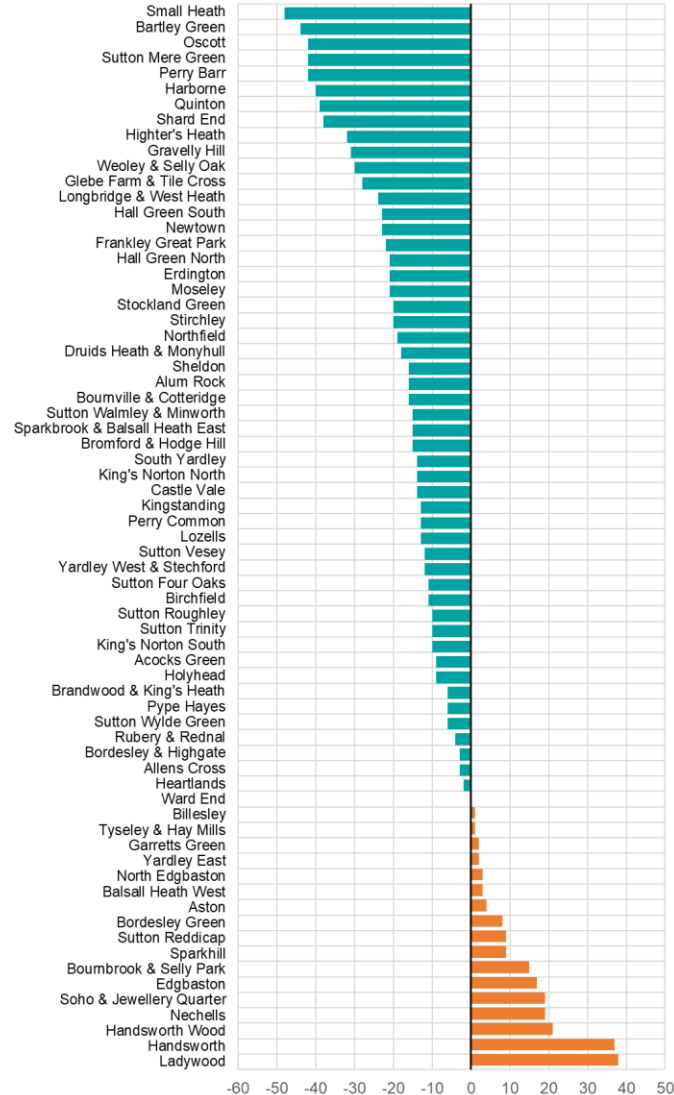
These are the wards with the highest case rates (cases per 100,000 population) this week:

- Sutton Reddicap (520)
- Frankley Great Park (507)
- Handsworth (488)
- Ladywood (461)
- Kingstanding (456)
- Yardley East (444)
- Longbridge & West Heath (432)
- Garretts Green (402)
- Bordesley Green (402)
- Soho & Jewellery Quarter (394)

Total cases fell in all age groups this week, most noticeably in the 0 – 19 age group (-36%), the 20 – 39 age group (-18%), and the 40 - 59 age group (-35%). Cases also decreased in all ethnic groups, most noticeably the White group (36%) and the Mixed/Other group (-31%).

Case number change in Birmingham (ward level)

Change in weekly cases compared to the previous week

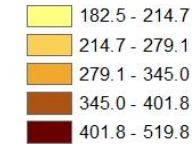


Comparison of seven-day total cases from 25 Jul to 01 Aug by ward level covering Birmingham.

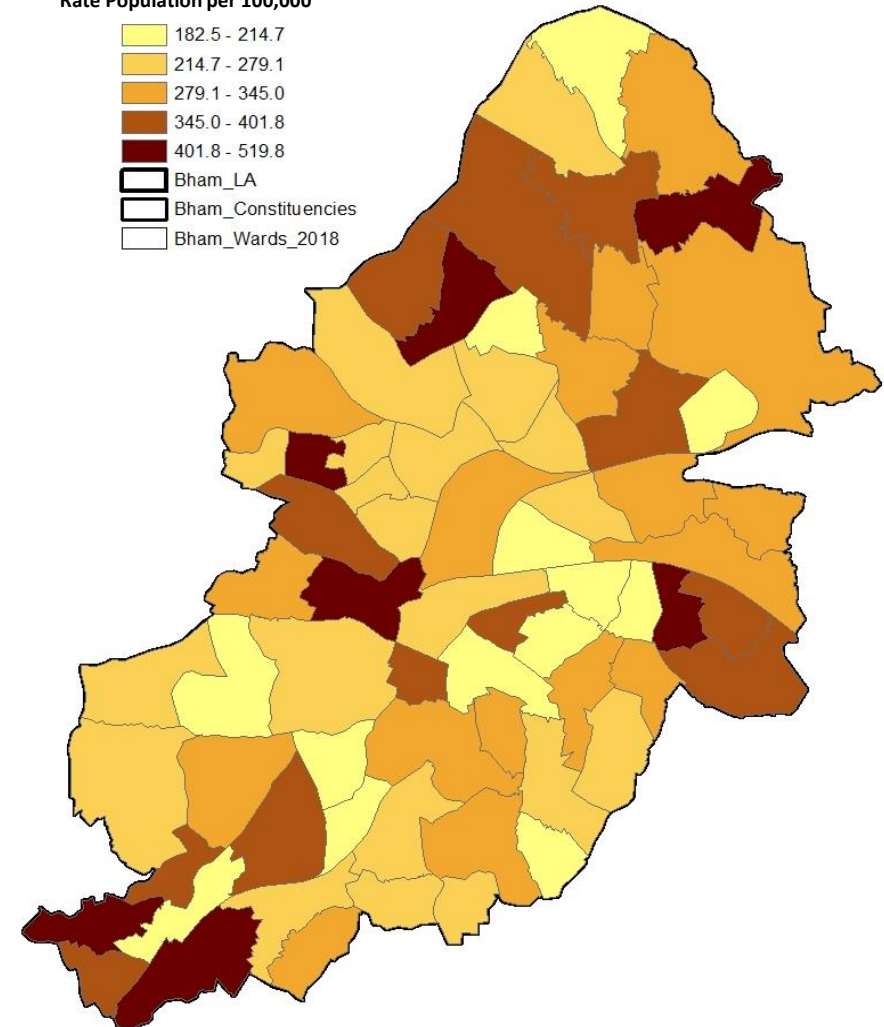
Source: PHE, updated on 03 Aug 14:30

Confirmed Cases by Ward 26th July to 1st August 2021 (Pillar 1 & Pillar 2 Tests)

Rate Population per 100,000



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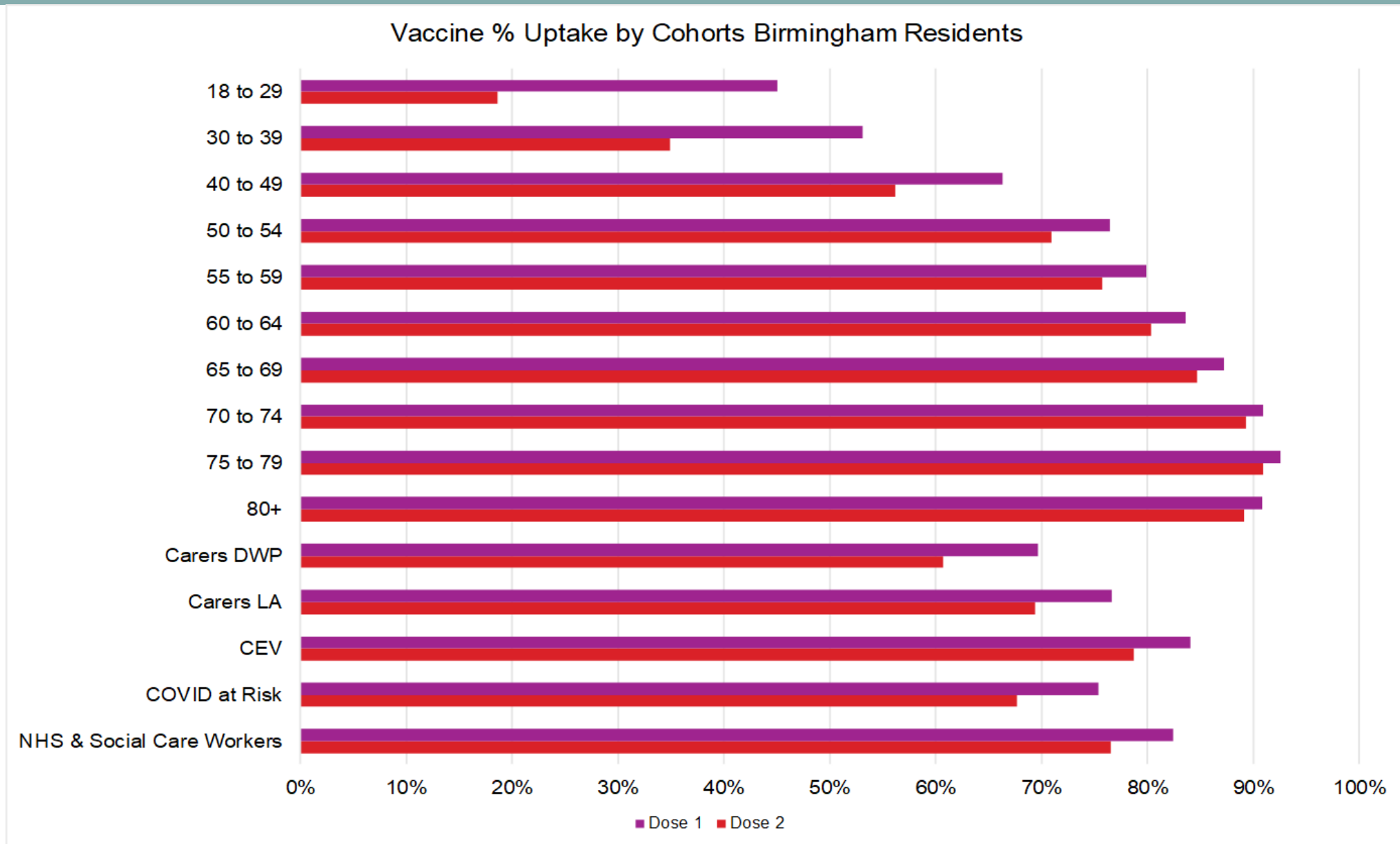
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Case Rates by Ward 26th July to 1st August 2021

Electoral Ward Name	No. Positive cases per 100,000 (current week)	No. Positive cases per 100,000 (previous week)	Electoral Ward Name	No. Positive cases per 100,000 (current week)	No. Positive cases per 100,000 (previous week)	Electoral Ward Name	No. Positive cases per 100,000 (current week)	No. Positive cases per 100,000 (previous week)
Sutton Mere Green	213	639	Frankley Great Park	507	693	Nechells	345	232
Garretts Green	402	383	Yardley East	444	425	Erdington	294	396
Sutton Trinity	378	486	Handsworth Wood	340	238	Castle Vale	204	347
Sutton Roughley	319	405	Bromford & Hodge Hill	337	406	Hall Green South	210	430
Sutton Walmley & Minworth	294	388	Perry Common	215	326	Bordesley & Highgate	279	298
Sheldon	392	472	South Yardley	289	420	Heartlands	202	217
Sutton Reddicap	520	430	Pype Hayes	351	407	Weoley & Selly Oak	317	442
Quinton	260	451	Longbridge & West Heath	432	550	Alum Rock	190	249
Oscott	367	576	Hall Green North	241	333	Aston	278	261
Rubery & Rednal	378	415	Billesley	317	312	Small Heath	185	412
Kingstanding	456	518	Perry Barr	257	461	Highter's Heath	266	550
Northfield	182	365	Yardley West & Stechford	213	307	Tyseley & Hay Mills	316	308
Brandwood & King's Heath	263	295	Acocks Green	259	297	Stockland Green	265	348
Lozells	275	408	Bordesley Green	402	339	Sparkhill	295	253
King's Norton North	237	356	Allens Cross	371	399	Druids Heath & Monyhull	255	408
Ward End	242	242	Gravelly Hill	277	564	North Edgbaston	325	313
Shard End	341	650	Glebe Farm & Tile Cross	320	437	Sparkbrook & Balsall Heath East	199	257
Balsall Heath West	368	343	Newtown	253	410	Soho & Jewellery Quarter	394	324
Sutton Wylde Green	303	371	Stirchley	208	406	Birchfield	247	335
King's Norton South	309	398	Moseley	303	400	Bournbrook & Selly Park	207	146
Sutton Four Oaks	240	360	Bournville & Cotteridge	369	459	Handsworth	488	197
Bartley Green	258	451	Ladywood	461	327	Holyhead	241	313
Sutton Vesey	376	438	Harborne	191	357	Edgbaston	263	186

Birmingham COVID-19 Vaccine uptake

Extracted 3rd August 2021



Vaccine Uptake by Ward (updated 01/08/2021)

- Vaccine uptake is low in some wards that have the highest case rates for week ending 1st August 2021.
- The following wards have low vaccine uptake and high case rates:
 - Handsworth
 - Ladywood
 - Nechells
 - Bordesley Green
 - Soho Jewellery Quarter
 - Balsall Heath West
 - Sparkhill
 - North Edgbaston

Ward Name	Total Uptake 18+	Total Uptake 50+	Case Rate 26th July - 1st August 21
Newtown	41.8%	60.1%	253.1
Holyhead	43.1%	61.0%	240.9
Alum Rock	43.8%	68.0%	190.4
Nechells	44.8%	69.9%	345.0
Birchfield	45.5%	65.4%	246.9
Bordesley & Highgate	46.5%	67.4%	279.1
Bordesley Green	46.7%	66.5%	401.5
Sparkbrook & Balsall Heath East	47.4%	68.0%	199.3
Soho & Jewellery Quarter	47.8%	63.5%	394.4
Handsworth	48.4%	66.5%	488.1
Ward End	48.6%	73.3%	242.3
Aston	49.0%	68.1%	277.5
Ladywood	49.0%	66.9%	461.0
Balsall Heath West	49.2%	72.5%	367.9
Sparkhill	49.4%	72.3%	294.6
Heartlands	49.6%	72.6%	201.6
North Edgbaston	50.5%	68.6%	325.2
Small Heath	50.6%	73.5%	184.7
Edgbaston	51.3%	81.0%	262.5
Lozells	51.7%	68.8%	275.3
Bournbrook & Selly Park	53.3%	84.7%	207.3
Gravelly Hill	53.9%	77.1%	277.2
Stockland Green	56.1%	78.9%	264.8
Tyseley & Hay Mills	56.5%	79.2%	315.7
Bromford & Hodge Hill	60.5%	85.1%	336.7
Handsworth Wood	61.2%	80.7%	339.6
Yardley West & Stechford	61.2%	83.2%	212.6
Glebe Farm & Tile Cross	61.8%	84.0%	320.4
Perry Barr	62.5%	83.4%	257.0
Garretts Green	62.6%	83.6%	401.8
Acocks Green	64.0%	84.3%	259.5
Weoley & Selly Oak	66.1%	85.9%	316.6
Harborne	66.4%	84.8%	190.8
Hall Green North	67.2%	85.7%	240.9
Kingstanding	67.9%	85.3%	456.0
Erdington	68.2%	85.6%	294.5
Perry Common	68.2%	86.1%	214.7
Castle Vale	68.4%	88.1%	203.8
Moseley	68.8%	84.2%	303.1
Shard End	69.1%	89.2%	341.2