



Healthy Cities scorecard: London

Key:

- Topic colour:
- Active travel
 - Planet health
 - Community wellbeing
 - Physical and mental health

* National Average

😊 Better than the national average

😞 Worse than the national average

Average distance someone needs to travel to access green space

291.94m 😊



*385.5m

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Green space per person

19m² 😞
*29m²

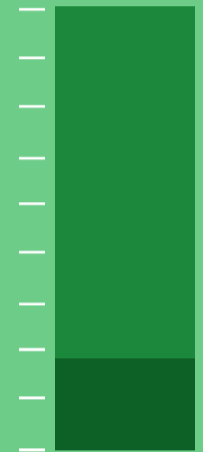


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People who don't live within 10 minutes walk of green space

2.1% 😊 *7.8%

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Canopy cover

21% 😊
*16%

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How many days per year is the air quality unsafe?

56 😞
*8.9 (Urban)



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Households in some form of deprivation

51.9% 😞
*51.6%

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Life expectancy - Female

84.4% 😊
*83.2



Life expectancy - Male

80.3% 😊
*79.3%



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Is there a Green Prescribing test site?

No



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Number of walking trails available

688



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Adults who walk or cycle at least once per week

72.7% 😊
*70.6%



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How many 10-11 year olds are overweight or obese?

38.8% 😞

*36.6%

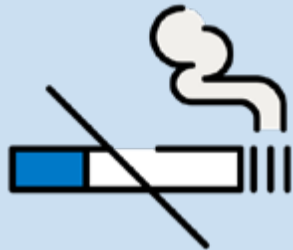


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Percentage of smokers

11.7% 😊

*12.7%



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How many people have asthma?

4.7% 😊

*6.5%



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How prevalent is diabetes?

6.9% 😊

*7.5%



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How many adults have common mental health disorders

21.4% 😞

*16.9%



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Percentage of the population participating in volunteering

66% 😊

*42%



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Percentage of non-decent homes

14.0% 😊

*16.7%



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People are in good, or very good health

81.9% 😊

*81.7%



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