# DoLS data 2022-23: West Midlands extract

• There has been a 17.5% increase in applications in the region

The West Midlands has received 34,755 applications in the year 2022-23 of which 33,220 were completed. This compares with 26,730 received the previous year. This represents a 30% increase for the region which is far beyond the national average of 11%.

However, one council was unable to submit data last year and their applications alone are 3,340, so deducting this to find a comparable increase results in a 17.5% increase which is still above the national average.

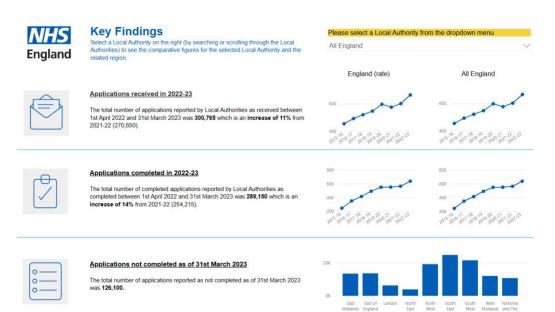
Of these completed applications, 17,575 were not granted of which 575 did not meet the criteria, 12,080 change of circumstances (most likely reason discharge from hospital) and 4465 died.

12,110 applications were outstanding at year end compared with 9,925 the previous year (22% increase). The national backlog is 126,050 compared with 122,095 the previous year.

The full report can be found here <u>Mental Capacity Act 2005</u>, <u>Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards</u>, 2022-23 - <u>NHS Digital</u>

The interactive tool can be found here Microsoft Power BI

Some key extracts appear below:





# Number of applications received per 100,000 adults

The analysis presented on this page relates to applications received by local authorities. Data relating to the local authority selected from the menu on the left side of the screen as well as that local authority's regional or peer groups are displayed in Figure 5. Please select a year.
 2018-= 62 Figure 5: Number of applications received per 100,000 adults (age standardised) for the selected local authority and its regional or peer groups 2015-16 2018-19 2021-22 2016-17 2019-20 2022-23 2017-18 2020-21 Coventry City Counci Birmingham City Counci Please select a grouping: litan Borough Counci Peers 1 Please select one local authority: Search Comwall Council ough Counci Corporation of The City of Lon... County Counci Stoke-on-Trent City Council Telford and Wrekin Council olitan Borough Council Warwickshire County Council Number of applications received during latest year per 100,000 adults in England: Wolverhampton City Council Worcestershire County Council 0 800 664 600 1.000 Source: NHS England Copyright © 2023, NHS England.



#### Proportion of applications received by urgent/standard status

The analysis presented on this page relates to applications received by local authorities by urgent/standard status. Data relating to the local authority selected from the menu on the left side of the screen as well as that local authority's regional or peer groups are displayed in Figure 6.

	Figure 6: Proportion of applications red	ceived accompanied by a	in urgent/standard autho	risation for the selected local au	thority and	its regional or peer		
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2016-17 2019-20 2022-23	Measure Standard Urgent							
2017-18 2020-21								
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	Coventry City Council 48.1%				51.9%			
Peers Region	Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council	70.3%				29.7%		
	Herefordshire Council	Herefordshire Council 33.2%		66.8%				
Please select one local authority:	Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council		72.0%			28.0%		
	Shropshire Council	29.9%		70.1%				
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	5 Staffordshire County Council	46.2%			53.8%			
Bedford Borough Council Birmingham City Council	Stoke-on-Trent City Council				24.1%			
Blackburn with Darwen Boroug	Telford and Wrekin Council			37.1%				
Blackpool Borough Council	Waisall Metropolitan Borough Council			34.4%				
Bolton Metropolitan Borough C	Warwickshire County Council	30.6%		69.4%				
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Bracknell Forest Borough Cou	Worcestershire County Council	44.4%			55.6%			
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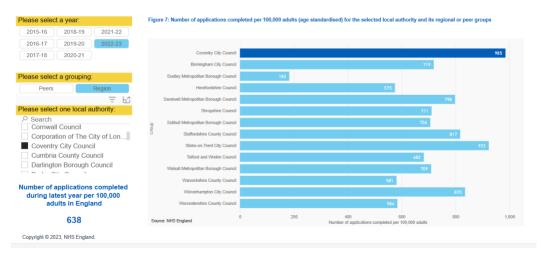
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	Stoke-on-Trent City Council			75.9%				24.1%	
,	Telford and Wrekin Council		6	2.9%			1	37.1%	
	Walsall Metropolitan Borough Council			65.6%				34.4%	
	Warwickshire County Council	30.6%				69.4%			
Wolverhampton City Council					94.0%				6.0%
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### Number of applications completed per 100,000 adults

The analysis presented on this page relates to applications completed by local authorities. Data relating to the local authority selected from the menu on the left side of the screen as well as that local authority's regional or peer groups are displayed in Figure 7.



#### NHS Proportion of applications completed by the outcome England The analysis presented on this page relates to applications completed by local authorities. Data relating to the local authority selected from the menu on the left side of the screen as well as that local authority's regional or peer groups are displayed in Figure 8. Figure 8: Proportion of applications completed by the outcome for the selected local authority and its regional or peer groups (per cent) ease select a vea 2018-19 2021-22 2015-16 2016-17 2019-20 2022-23 Measure Granted Not granted 2017-18 2020-21 Birmingham City Cor 64.4% Coventry City Coun Please select a grouping: y Metropolitan Borough Cou 5.0% Peers Herefordshire Cou ell Metropolitan Borough Counc Please select one local authority: Shropshire Counc 73.7% Search an Borough Cou Barnsley Metropolitan Borough... ire County Counc

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# Number of applications not completed at the end of the reporting year

The analysis presented on this page relates to **applications that were not completed by local authorities by the end of the reporting year**. Data relating to the local authority selected from the menu on the left side of the screen as well as that local authority's **regional or peer groups** are displayed in Figure 9.

Figure 9: Number of applications not completed as at 31 March 2023 for the select local authority and its regional or peer groups

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Peers Region						
	Coventry City Council	460				
Please select one local authority:	Birmingham City Council					2,585
	Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council	540				
Barnsley Metropolitan Borough	Herefordshire Council	400				
Bath and North East Somerset Bedford Borough Council	Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council	125				
Birmingham City Council	Shropshire Council		970			
Blackburn with Darwen Boroug	9. Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council	355				
Blackpool Borough Council	5 Staffordshire County Council			1,355		
Bolton Metropolitan Borough C	Stoke-on-Trent City Council		815			
Bournemouth, Christchurch an	Telford and Wrekin Council	325				
Total number of applications	Walsall Metropolitan Borough Council	335				
not completed at the end of the reporting year in England	Warwickshire County Council				2,225	
	Wolverhampton City Council	175				
126,050	Worcestershire County Council			1,440		
	Source: NHS England	0 500	) 1,	000 1, Number of not completed	2,000	2,500
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