

Rotherham Maternity Services

Health Select Commission
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Background



South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw
Geographical Footprint

During 2021 –

3100 women booked for maternity care
under Rotherham Maternity Services

2513 women birthed under Rotherham
Maternity Services

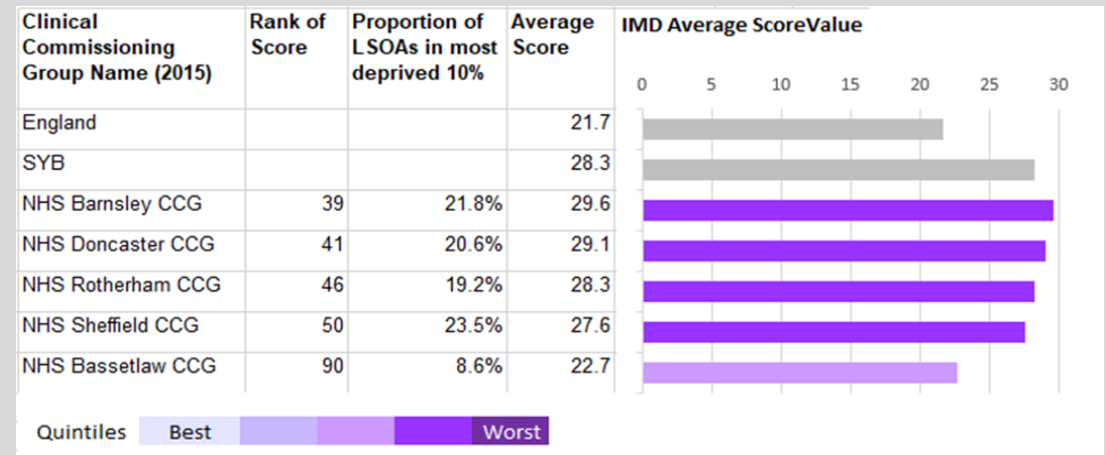
Rotherham has an industrial history of
steel and chemical industries. The
population is predominantly White
(92.6%) although with several minority
ethnic cohorts, largely clustered in the
inner urban areas

Background

Population and birth rate 2019, by CCG based on ONS number of births and mid-year population estimates

Clinical Commissioning Group	Mid-2019 Estimate	Females Aged 15-44 years		Maternities 2020-21	Birth rate/1000 females 15-44
		Number	%		
NHS Barnsley CCG	246,866	45,259	18.30%	2,693	59.5
NHS Bassetlaw CCG	117,459	19,410	16.50%	1,129	58.2
NHS Doncaster CCG	311,890	56,596	18.10%	3,468	61.3
NHS Rotherham CCG	265,411	48,474	18.30%	2,827	58.3
NHS Sheffield CCG	584,853	129,508	22.10%	5,949	45.9
SYB Footprint	1,526,479	299,247	19.60%	16,066	53.7
<i>England</i>			18.8		58.0

IMD 2019 Deprivation Score by CCG, Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government



Background

Ethnicity of the SYB Population, All ages, Persons

Local Authority	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	BAME (inc Other)
Barnsley	97.60%	0.80%	0.80%	0.60%	0.20%	2.40%
Bassetlaw	97.10%	1.10%	1.20%	0.50%	0.20%	3.00%
Doncaster	94.60%	1.40%	2.80%	0.80%	0.40%	5.40%
Rotherham	92.60%	1.30%	4.60%	0.90%	0.50%	7.30%
Sheffield	81.40%	3.20%	8.80%	4.10%	2.50%	18.60%
SYB	89.90%	1.90%	5.00%	2.00%	1.20%	10.10%
England	84.50%	2.90%	8.70%	4.30%	1.40%	17.30%

PHE Fingertips: Deliveries to mothers from Black and Minority Ethnic Groups CCGs 2019/20

Measure		England	SYB	Barnsley	Bassetlaw	Doncaster	Rotherham	Sheffield
Deliveries to mothers from Black and Minority Ethnic groups	Num		2425	105	45	310	310	1655
	%	20.78	15.00%	3.9	4.21	9.28	11.61	28.36
% Population from Black and Minority Ethnic Groups (all ages, persons)	%	17.30%	10.10%	2.40%	3.00%	5.40%	7.30%	18.60%

Background

LA Ward profile for Rotherham East ward reports:

- Rotherham East has the highest proportions of BAME residents (29.7%)
- Highest rates of child poverty in Rotherham at twice the national average
- Higher rates of low birth-weight births and deliveries to teenage mothers than England and Rotherham average
- High rates of poor health and disability with 10.1% rating their health as bad or very bad

<https://www.rotherham.gov.uk/downloads/file/608/rotherham-east-ward-profile>

Maternity Service

Maternity Service includes:

- Community Midwifery inc Continuity of Carers Teams
- Greenoaks / Early Pregnancy Assessment Unit
- Labour Ward
- Wharnccliffe (antenatal and postnatal)
- Specialist Midwives
- 14 birthing rooms, all with en-suite facilities
- A birthing pool
- An antenatal and postnatal ward
- A high-dependency room on the labour ward
- Homebirth Service
- ITU care in Labour
- Specialist Care Baby Unit
- 24 hour consultants are available
- 24 hour epidural service
- Midwives who specialise in a range of areas from teenage pregnancy to diabetes

Workforce

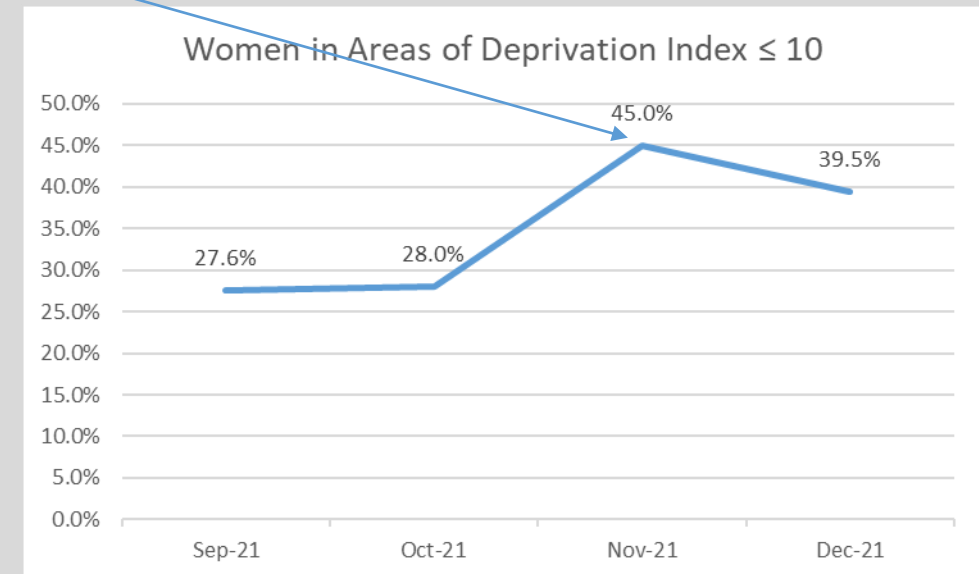
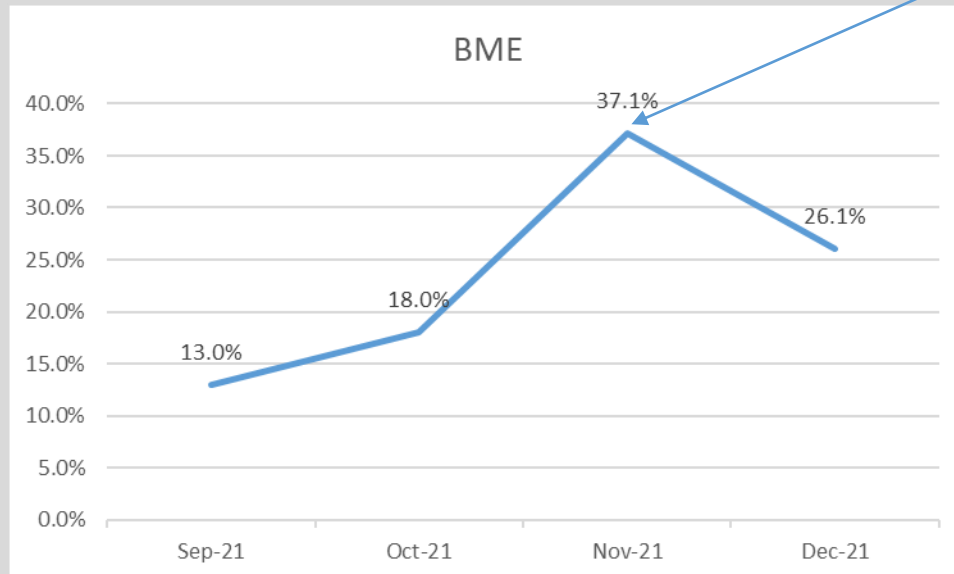
- 112 WTE midwives in post
- 24.99 WTE support workers in post
- 26.76 WTE medical staff in post

Continuity of Carer

- A recommendation of Better Births and the commitments of the NHS Long Term Plan, is the ambition for the NHS in England is for Continuity of Carer to be the default model of care for maternity services, and available to all pregnant women in England. Where safe staffing allows – with rollout prioritised to those most likely to experience poorer outcomes first. **March 2023**
- TRFT team rollout
 - Willow - March 2019
 - Poplar - September 2019
 - Maple - May 2020
- Point prevalence 41%

Continuity of Carer Prevalence

Service reconfigured November 2021



- Inspection June 2021 – Report September 2021
- Rating - Good

Safe	Effective	Caring	Responsive	Well-Led
Good	Good	Good	Good	Good

- Actions – 4 Must Do, 2 Should Do
- 31st July 2021 – 58% of Trusts were rated good, 37% requires improvement, 4% inadequate, 1% outstanding

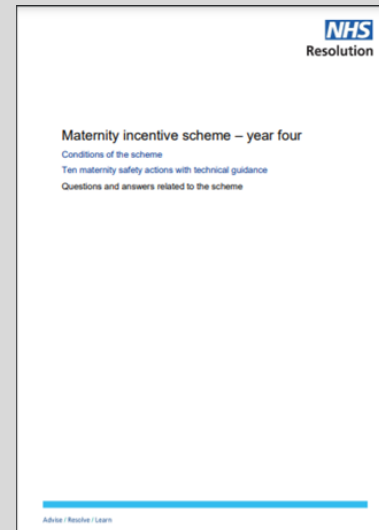
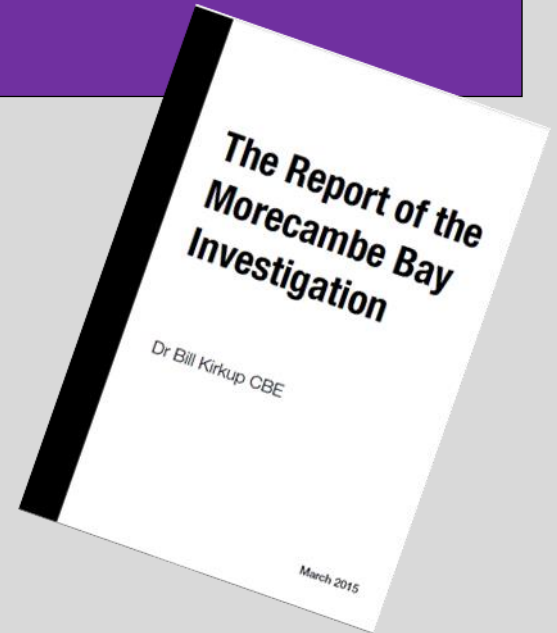
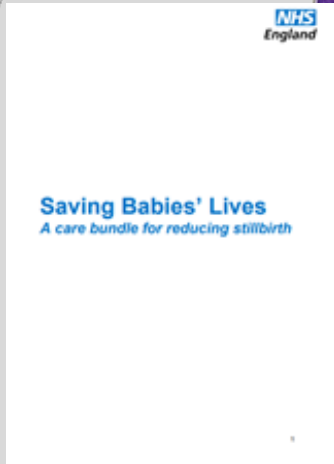
Respondents and response rate

- 150 The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust patients responded to the survey
- The response rate for The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust was 50.34%

Banding

- **Better**
 - Your trust's results were much better than most trusts for **5** questions.
 - Your trust's results were better than most trusts for **18** questions.
 - Your trust's results were somewhat better than most trusts for **8** questions.
- **Worse**
 - Your trust's results were much worse than most trusts for **0** questions.
 - Your trust's results were worse than most trusts for **0** questions.
 - Your trust's results were somewhat worse than most trusts for **0** questions.
- **Same**
 - Your trust's results were about the same as other trusts for **19** questions.

Current Drivers



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COVID-19 in Pregnancy



Ockenden

- Report published in December 2020
- Trusts required to respond on 12 priorities with a commitment to 7 immediate and essential actions



Maternity Voices Partnership



Public Health England

Pregnant?

Have your COVID-19 vaccines!

It is important to have both doses of your COVID-19 vaccine to protect you and your unborn baby. COVID-19 infection is currently circulating and can be serious for pregnant women. Thousands of pregnant women have been safely vaccinated in the UK and worldwide.

Call 119 or go online to www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/vaccinations/ to register for your vaccination appointment. You can also attend walk in, mobile or pop up vaccination clinics in your area.

COVID-19 immunisation
Helping to protect you and your pregnancy

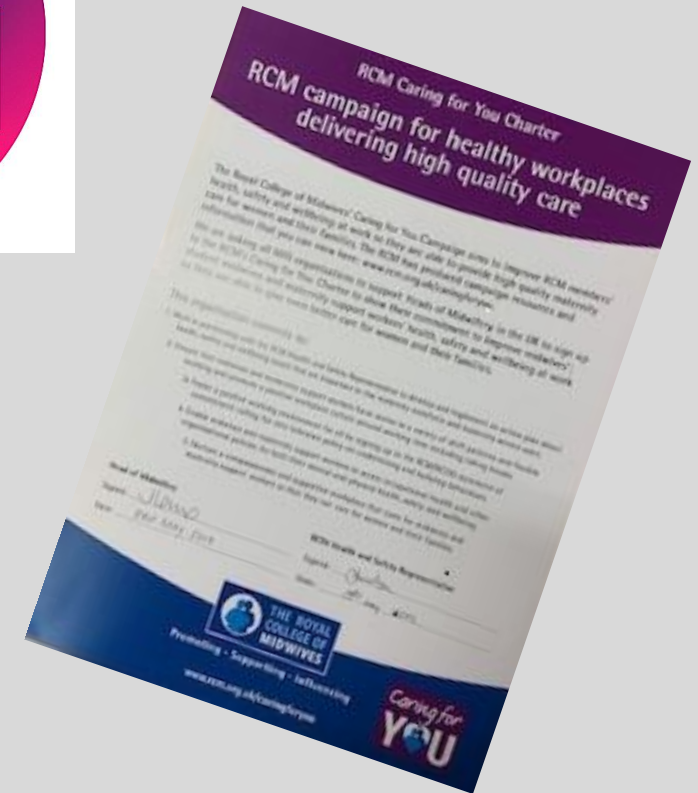


Challenges

- Workforce inc Attrition
- Pressure from National Drivers / Scrutiny
- Demographics
- Expectations
- Capacity

Proud Moments

- CQC rating
- CQC in-patient survey
- Trust Chairman's Award 2021
- Response to Covid-19
- Continuity of Carer
- Home birth rate
- Refurbishment
- Staff survey 2020 – top 5 out of 12 providers
- Early implementer for Pre-Term Clinic
- Maternal Mental Health



ANY
Questions?