



Community Profile

Elgin Bishopmill West & Newfield

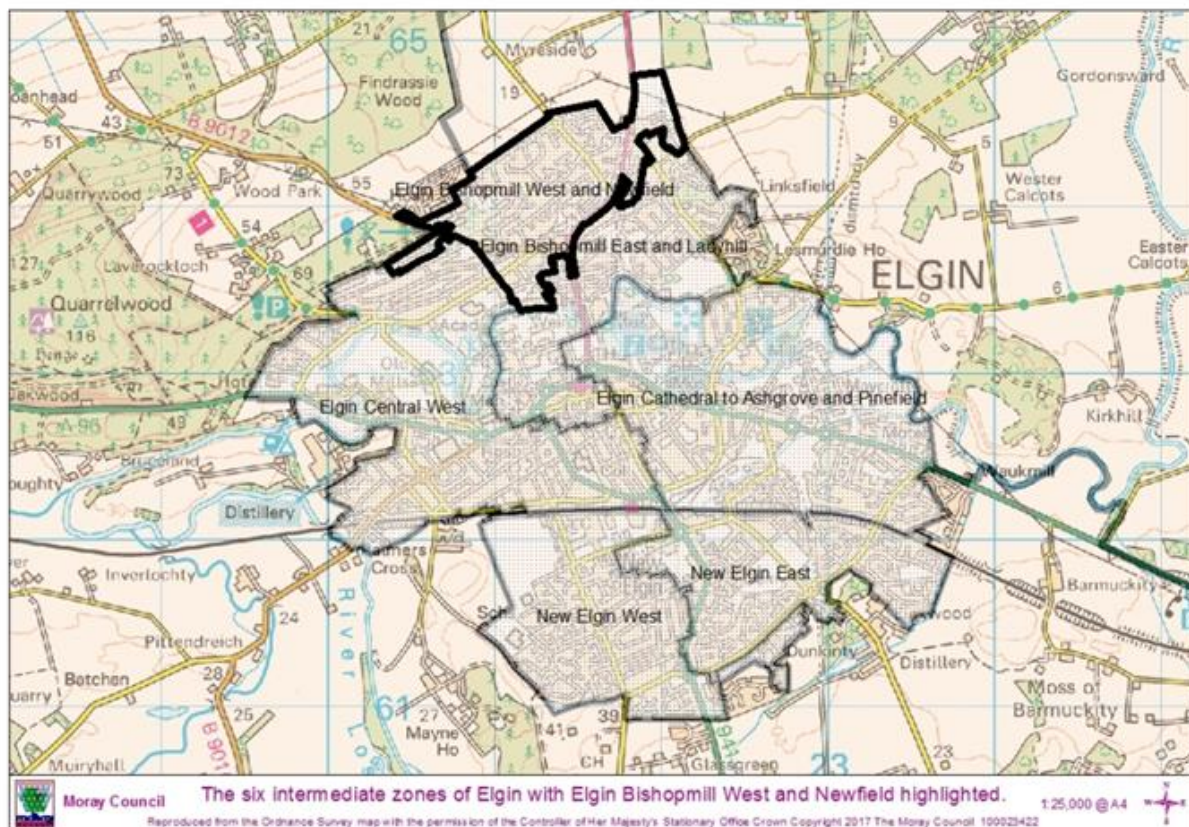


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Bishopmill West & Newfield, Elgin, Moray

Area profile

To further explore the profile of Elgin, it has been divided into six smaller intermediate data zones. Bishopmill West & Newfield is located to the north of Elgin with the majority of the zone sitting to the west of the A941 Elgin to Lossiemouth road and is bounded in the south by the river Lossie. The zone contains a mixture of housing and also a large proportion of MOD housing for personnel serving at RAF Lossiemouth. For reference the map below shows the Bishopmill West & Newfield zone outlined in black.



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1 Population Structure

1.1 Age Profile

- In the 2011 census, the population of Elgin was recorded as 23,128¹, an increase of 11% from the previous census in 2001. During the same period, the population of Bishopmill West & Newfield increased by 0.8% to 3,376².

Table 1 Age structure of Bishopmill West & Newfield ³

Age	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
% 0 to 4 years old	9.2	6.9	5.6	5.5
% 5 to 15 years old	14.6	12.6	12.6	11.8
% 16 to 29 years old	16.7	17.6	16.1	18.5
% 30 to 44 years old	24.6	21.6	19.1	20.0
% 45 to 59 years old	16.4	18.8	21.3	21.1
% 60 to 74 years old	11.8	14.5	16.9	15.5
% 75 years old and over	6.8	8.0	8.4	7.7

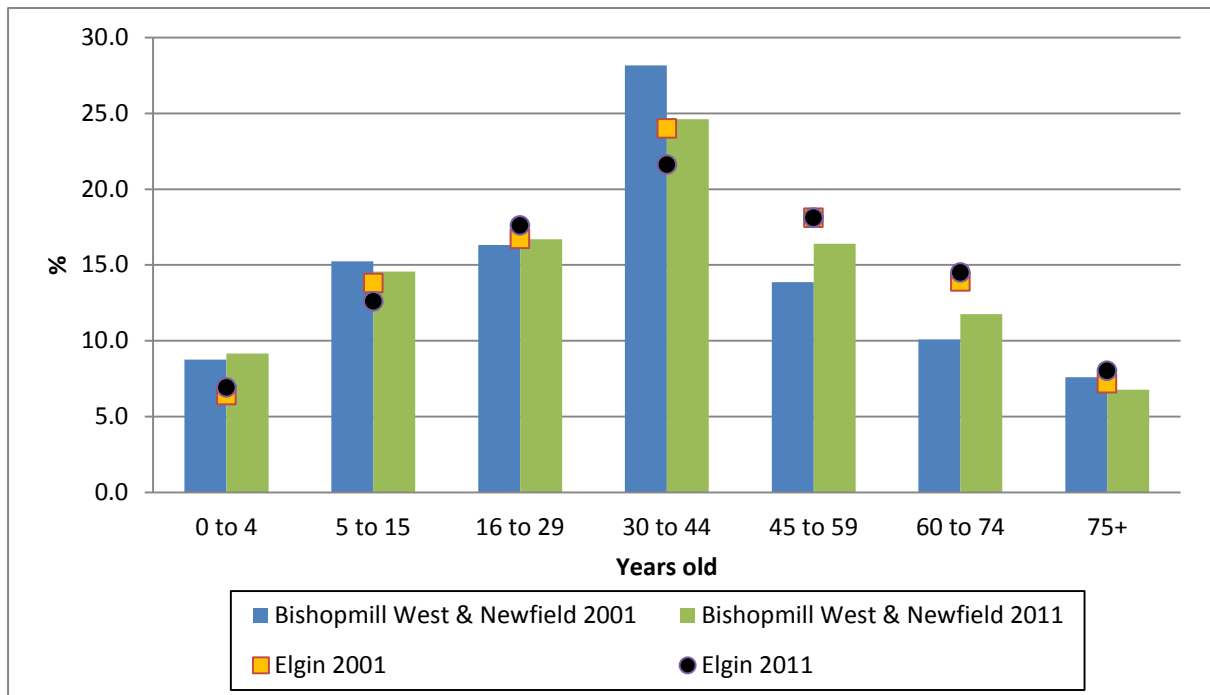
- Between 2001 and 2011, both Bishopmill West & Newfield and Elgin have seen an ageing population with the proportion of those aged 45 and over increasing in both areas. In Bishopmill West & Newfield an increase of 3.5% has been recorded (31.5% to 35%) while in Elgin the increase was slightly less at 2.2% (39.1% to 41.3%).
- Despite this increase, the population of Bishopmill West & Newfield remains proportionally younger than Elgin with those aged 44 and under representing 65% of the population compared to 58.7% in Elgin.
- The largest difference to Elgin in 2011 can be noted with the 30-44 year old age group. 24.6% of the population are noted as being in this group in Bishopmill West & Newfield, 3% higher than in Elgin as a whole.

¹ Census 2011

² Census 2011

³ Census 2011

Figure 1: Population profile of Bishopmill West & Newfield and Elgin at the 2001 and 2011 censuses



- The graph above shows that between the two census dates the Bishopmill West & Newfield area followed similar trends to those shown in Elgin, albeit to differing degrees.
- Slight differences in trends within two age groups are noticed when comparing Bishopmill West & Newfield with Elgin. The 45 to 59 age group showed a 2.5% population increase from 13.9% to 16.4%, whereas the proportion in Elgin remained the same at 18.1%. The over 75 age group saw a small proportional drop in population (7.6% to 6.8%), whereas the reverse was true in Elgin which witnessed a small proportional population growth in this age group (7.2% to 8%).

1.2 Marital Status

Table 2 Marital Status ⁴

Marital Status	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people aged 16 and over	2,575	18,626	76,251	4,379,072
% Single (never married or never registered a same-sex civil partnership)	21.9	31.0	28.8	35.4
% Married or in a registered same-sex civil partnership	61.8	49.0	51.8	45.4
% Separated (but still legally married or still legally in a same-sex civil partnership)	2.0	3.3	3.1	3.2
% Divorced or formerly in a same-sex civil partnership which is now legally dissolved	6.7	9.0	8.5	8.2
% Widowed or surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership	7.7	7.8	7.9	7.8

- In 2011, 2,575 people living in Bishopmill West & Newfield were aged 16 and over, an increase of 1.2% from 2001. During the same period the population of Elgin aged 16 and over increased by 12% to 18,626.
- Table 2 above shows that in 2011, a high proportion of the 16 and over population in Bishopmill West & Newfield were married; 61.8% compared to 49.0% in Elgin. Of the six Intermediate zones in Elgin, Bishopmill West & Newfield has the highest proportion of people married or in same sex civil partnerships.
- In comparison, fewer residents were single (21.9% against 31.0%) or separated or divorced (8.7% compared to 12.3%).
- The proportion of those widowed was very similar to Elgin, with just a 0.1% recorded difference. This was also the only marital status group to record a decrease from the 2001 census. Bishopmill West & Newfield fell from 9.0% in 2001 to 7.7% in 2011 while Elgin fell from 9.0% to 7.8%.

⁴ Census 2011

2 Identity

2.1 Ethnicity

Table 3 Ethnicity ⁵

Ethnicity	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% White - Scottish	70.1	79.4	77.7	84
% White - Other British	25.5	14.0	18	7.9
% White - Irish	0.4	0.4	0.5	1
% White - Polish	1.5	3.0	1.1	1.2
% White - Other	1.1	1.5	1.7	2
% Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	1.0	1.1	0.6	2.7
% Other ethnic groups	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.3
Percentage of households where not all persons are in same ethnic group category	Data not available	13.8	14.5	10.6

- The proportion of residents in Bishopmill West & Newfield identifying themselves as ‘White – Scottish’ during the 2011 census was 70.1%; 9.3% lower than Elgin and 13.9% less than in Scotland as a whole. Of the six Elgin Intermediate zones profiled Bishopmill West & Newfield had the lowest concentration of “White Scottish” residents.
- In contrast, 25.5% of residents identified themselves as ‘White – Other British’, significantly more than any of the other five Elgin areas profiled, in some cases more than double the proportion. The area contains a large proportion of Ministry of Defence properties, housing predominantly RAF families, which heavily influences this figure.
- 1.5% of the population of Bishopmill West & Newfield identified themselves as ‘White – Polish’, half the figure recorded for Elgin as a whole.

⁵ Census 2011

2.2 Country of Birth

Table 4 Country of birth ⁶

Country of birth	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% Scotland	69.5	77.5	75.4	83.3
% England	21.4	13.6	17.8	8.7
% Wales	2.5	1.0	0.9	0.3
% Northern Ireland	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
% Republic of Ireland	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4
% Other EU countries (inc UK part not specified)	3.1	4.7	2.9	2.6
% Other countries	2.6	2.2	2.1	4

- Data on the Country of Birth shows a similar trend to that for Ethnicity in table 3.
- The proportion of residents stating their Country of Birth was Scotland (69.5%) is significantly less than Elgin (77.5%) and Scotland as a whole (83.3%).
- Those with a Country of Birth noted as another area of Britain (England, Wales or Northern Ireland) accounted for 24.7% of the population; 9.4% greater than in Elgin and 15% more than Scotland as a whole. As stated in section 2.1, this may be due to the high number of RAF personnel living in the area.
- Comparing data from table 4 against that collected during the 2001 census shows the largest increase for Country of Birth was with 'Other EU countries'. During the ten year period, this figure increased in the Bishopmill West & Newfield area from 2.8% to 3.1%. However this increase was significantly larger in Elgin as a whole with the proportion there increasing from 1.7% in 2001 to 4.7% in 2011.

⁶ Census 2011

2.3 Religion

Table 5 Religion ⁷

Religion	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% Church of Scotland	30.5	31.7	34.0	32.4
% Roman Catholic	7.9	8.1	6.6	15.9
% Other Christian	10.5	7.4	9.4	5.5
% Muslim	0.4	0.6	0.3	1.4
% Other religions	0.4	0.5	0.9	1.1
% No religion	42.7	44.8	41.2	36.7
% Not stated	7.6	6.9	7.7	7.0

- In Bishopmill West & Newfield, 49.7% of residents stated they followed a religious belief. 1.4% more than in Elgin as a whole.
- As in other areas, the most common religion stated was Church of Scotland, although the prevalence of this is slightly less than in Elgin; 30.5% compared to 31.7%.
- The largest difference is recorded with those stating 'Other Christian' as their religion. In Bishopmill West & Newfield, 10.5% of residents stated this option compared to 7.4% in Elgin.
- 42.7% of the population stated they followed no religion in Bishopmill West & Newfield; 2.1% less than in Elgin.

2.4 Length of residency for residents born overseas

Table 6 Length of residence in the UK ⁸

Length of residence in UK	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people born outside the UK	198	1,658	4,883	369,284
% Resident in UK for less than 2 years	18.2	15.7	14.3	22.1
% Resident in UK for 2 years or more but less than 5 years	20.7	27.9	20.2	21.7
% Resident in UK for 5 years or more but less than 10 years	16.7	19.8	16.5	18.8
% Resident in UK for 10 years or more	44.4	36.7	49.0	37.4

⁷ Census 2011

⁸ Census 2011

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- At the time of the 2011 census, 5.9% of the population resident in Bishopmill West & Newfield were born outside the UK compared to 7.2% of the population of Elgin.
 - 61.1% had been resident in the UK for five years or more, 4.6% more than in Elgin as a whole.
 - A higher proportion of those resident in the UK for less than 2 years also live in Bishopmill West & Newfield compared to Elgin; 18.2% compared to 15.7%. When compared with the other five Elgin Intermediate zones Bishopmill West & Newfield has the third highest proportion of people who have been resident in the UK for less than 2 years, only Elgin Central West and Bishopmill East & Ladyhill have higher proportions.

2.5 Language

- 98.3% of residents in Bishopmill West & Newfield aged 3 and over speak English well or very well. This is the highest level of all identified intermediate zones of Elgin and 0.7% higher than Elgin as a whole.
- 33.6% of residents in Bishopmill West & Newfield aged 3 and over stated they were able to speak Scots⁹ which is the lowest proportion of all six of the Elgin Intermediate zones.. This low proportion may be reflective of the higher relative number of 'White – Other British' residents living within the area.

⁹ Scots is the collective name for Scottish dialects

3 Housing

Household composition is important information to determine local services provided by the Council, its partners and the third sector.

Table 7 Household Composition ¹⁰

Household Composition	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Total number of households (with residents)	1,330	10,045	40,062	2,372,777
% One person household - Aged 65 or over	12.6	12.9	13.7	13.1
% One person household - Aged under 65	12.9	17.7	16.4	21.6
% One family only: Lone parent: With dependent children	3.1	6.6	5.7	7.2
% One family only: Lone parent: All children non-dependent	2.9	3.6	3.5	3.9
% One family only: Married or same-sex civil partnership couple: With dependent children	29.8	16.7	15.9	13.6
% One family only: Married or same-sex civil partnership couple: No dependent children	20.5	18.4	21.7	18.4
% One family only: Cohabiting couple: With dependent children	3.2	4.6	4	3.7
% One family only: Cohabiting couple: No dependent children	4.9	6.5	5.5	5.5
% Other households: All full-time students	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9
% Other households: All aged 65 and over	7.1	8.3	9.7	7.8
% Other households: Other	3.2	4.7	3.9	4.4

- The 3,376 residents of Bishopmill West & Newfield live in 1,330 households giving an average occupancy rating of 2.5 residents per household, slightly above the Elgin average of 2.3.
- As stated in table 2, a significant proportion of residents in Bishopmill West & Newfield are married. This links in with the Household Composition data above that shows a high proportion of residents live in a 1 family household consisting of a married or same-sex civil partnership couple with dependent children; 29.8% compared to 16.7% in Elgin. 29.8% is also significantly higher than that recorded for Moray (15.9%) and Scotland (13.6%).

¹⁰ Census 2011

- Households with married or same sex civil partnerships and no dependent children are the second largest group in Bishopmill West & Newfield, although the proportion is only slightly higher than Elgin; 20.5% compared to 18.4%.
- Of the 19.7% of households with occupants aged 65 or over, 12.6% (168 households) are people living alone. This compares to 20.9% in 2001 with 13.0% living alone.
- 12.9% of households in the area consist of a sole occupant aged under 65 years of age; an increase of 2.0% since 2001 but still 4.8% less than in Elgin.

3.1 Tenure and House Type

Table 8 Tenure and House Type ¹¹

Tenure	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Total number of households (with residents)	1,330	10,045	40,062	2,372,777
% Owned	54.3	60.4	65.9	62.0
% Rented from Council	17.5	16.5	14.1	13.2
% Other social rented	2.5	7.5	5.2	11.1
% Private rented	25.1	14.5	12.6	12.4
% Living rent free	0.6	1.1	2.1	1.3
House Type				
% House or bungalow	82.5	76.9	87.0	63.4
% Detached	31.7	24.0	37.2	21.9
% Semi - detached	31.7	32.1	31.4	22.8
% Terraced house (including end-terrace)	19.2	20.9	18.4	18.6
% Flat or maisonette or apartment, caravan or other mobile or temporary structure	17.5	23.1	13.0	36.6

- There are a particularly high number of privately rented properties within Bishopmill West & Newfield (25.1%), the highest proportion in comparison to the other five Elgin Intermediate zones. The large proportion of MOD properties are likely to be the major influencing factor.
- Of the 1,330 households in Bishopmill West & Newfield, the rate of house ownership is low at 54.3%; 6.1% less than in Elgin.

¹¹ Census 2011

- 20% of households in the area rent from the Council or another social housing association, 4% less than in Elgin. Council properties make up the majority of social housing in the area at 17.5% while other social housing is low at 2.5%; 5% less than in Elgin.
- As a quarter of Moray's households are in Elgin the statistics for Moray, in the table above, are greatly influenced by Elgin figures, a more accurate picture of differences can be seen when the Elgin data is excluded from Moray. In particular the number of owned properties in Moray increases as the statistics are not so heavily influenced by the high proportion of Moray Council rented properties. In addition the total number of rental properties decreases by 2.2%.

Table 9: Tenure comparison between Bishopmill West & Newfield, Elgin and the rest of Moray

Tenure	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray (Excluding Elgin)
Total number of households (with residents)	1,330	10,045	30,017
% Owned	54.3	60.4	67.7
% Rented from Council	17.5	16.5	13.3
% Other social rented	2.5	7.5	4.4
% Private rented	25.1	14.5	12.0
% Living rent free	0.6	1.1	2.6

- 82.5% of properties in the Bishopmill West & Newfield area were recorded as a house or bungalow, 5.6% higher than in Elgin. This links with high proportion of families with dependent children living in the area as identified in table 7.

3.2 Transport¹²

Table 10 Cars per household

Car or van availability	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Total number of households (with residents)	1,330	10,045	40,062	2,372,777
% No car or van	18.6	24.6	19.9	30.5
% 1 car or van	48.2	49.3	46.9	42.2
% 2 cars or vans	27.8	21.3	25.5	21.6
% 3 or more cars or vans	5.3	4.8	7.7	5.6

- In Bishopmill West & Newfield, the proportion of households stating they had at least 1 car or van was 81.3%. 5.9% more than in Elgin and 11.8% more than Scotland as a whole.
- In 2011, around a third of residents (33.1%) had access to 2 or more vehicles, a 9.3% increase since the previous census in 2001. This compares to an increase in Elgin during the same period of 5.3% from 20.8% to 26.1%.
- This high proportion of 2 or more vehicles in Bishopmill West & Newfield may link in with the Household Composition data (table 7) where 68.7% of households were identified as married (or same-sex civil partnerships), co-habiting couples or other households (not one person or lone parent) compared to 59.2% in Elgin. It is likely that this high proportion of married/co-habiting households in the area have 2 or more cars.

¹² Census 2011

4 Economy and Labour

Table 11 Economic Activity¹³

Economic activity	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All persons 16 to 74	2,346	16,781	68,410	3,970,530
% Economically active	73.0	72.8	71.5	69
% Employees - part-time	15.9	16.4	15.7	13.3
% Employees - full-time	46.0	44.5	41.4	39.6
% Self-employed	5.4	5.6	8.4	7.5
% Unemployed	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.8
% Full-time student - employed	1.6	1.9	1.7	2.9
% Full-time student - unemployed	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.8
% Economically inactive	27.0	27.2	28.5	31
% Retired	12.8	14.4	16.3	14.9
% Student	3.3	3.4	3.4	5.5
% Looking after home or family	6.3	3.8	3.9	3.6
% Long-term sick or disabled	2.9	3.9	3.2	5.1
% Other	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.9

- Between 2001 and 2011, all persons aged 16 to 74 in Bishopmill West & Newfield increased by 2.4% from 2,291 to 2,346. During the same period in Elgin figures rose by 11% from 15,115 to 16,781.
- The proportion of residents who are economically active in Bishopmill West & Newfield (73.0%) is very similar to that for Elgin (72.8%). When compared with 2001 census data the proportion of Economically active residents has increased by 2.5%.
- A low proportion of residents are retired (12.8%) which is reflective of the lower age demographic; in comparison Elgin has 1.6% more retired residents, Moray has 3.5% more Scotland has 2.1% more retired residents. Between 2001 and 2011 censuses the proportion of retirees has increased slightly.
- In 2011, 6.3% of residents in Bishopmill West & Newfield were looking after their home or family; 2.5% more than in Elgin.
- The proportion of those registered long term sick or disabled was 2.9%, a fall of 2.0% from the 2001 census, and 1% less than the 2011 figure for Elgin.

¹³ Census 2011

4.1 Industry

Table 12 Employment by Industry¹⁴

Industry	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All persons aged 16 to 74 in employment	1,615	11,477	45,983	2,516,895
% A. Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.2	0.9	3.2	1.7
% B. Mining and quarrying	1.9	2.2	2.9	1.4
% C. Manufacturing	8.5	11.8	12.1	8.0
% D. Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.8
% E. Water supply; sewage, waste management and remediation activities	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.8
% F. Construction	7.1	9.7	9.1	8.0
% G. Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	15.0	17.6	14.8	15.0
% H. Transport and storage	2.7	3.7	4.2	5.0
% I. Accommodation and food service activities	3.9	6.4	6.0	6.3
% J. Information and communication	1.1	1.2	1.1	2.7
% K. Financial and insurance activities	1.7	1.4	1.2	4.5
% L. Real estate activities	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.2
% M. Professional scientific and technical activities	2.8	3.1	3.5	5.2
% N. Administrative and support service activities	2.8	3.1	3.2	4.3
% O. Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	27.9	12.6	11.9	7.0
% P. Education	7.0	7.0	7.9	8.4
% Q. Human health and social work activities	12.2	13.7	12.7	15.0
% R, S, T, U. Other	3.3	3.6	4.1	4.9

- Between 2001 and 2011, all persons aged 16 to 74 in employment in Bishopmill West & Newfield increased by 6.8% from 1,512 to 1,615. During the same period in Elgin figures rose by 20.2% from 9,544 to 11,477.
- During the 2011 Census, 27.9% of the population were employed within Public Administration and defence or compulsory social security; 15.3% higher than Elgin and 20.9% more than Scotland. This high percentage links with the concentration of RAF personnel living in the area previously identified in sections 2.1, 2.2 and 3.1.

¹⁴ Census 2011

- A relatively low proportion of residents work within the manufacturing sector (8.5%). In comparison to the other five Elgin Intermediate zones Elgin Bishopmill West & Newfield has the lowest proportion working within this sector.
- As probably to be expected due to the urban setting of the area, Agriculture, forestry and fishing accounts for the lowest number of employees at only 0.2%, 0.7% less than Elgin.

4.2 Occupation

Table 13 Occupation ¹⁵

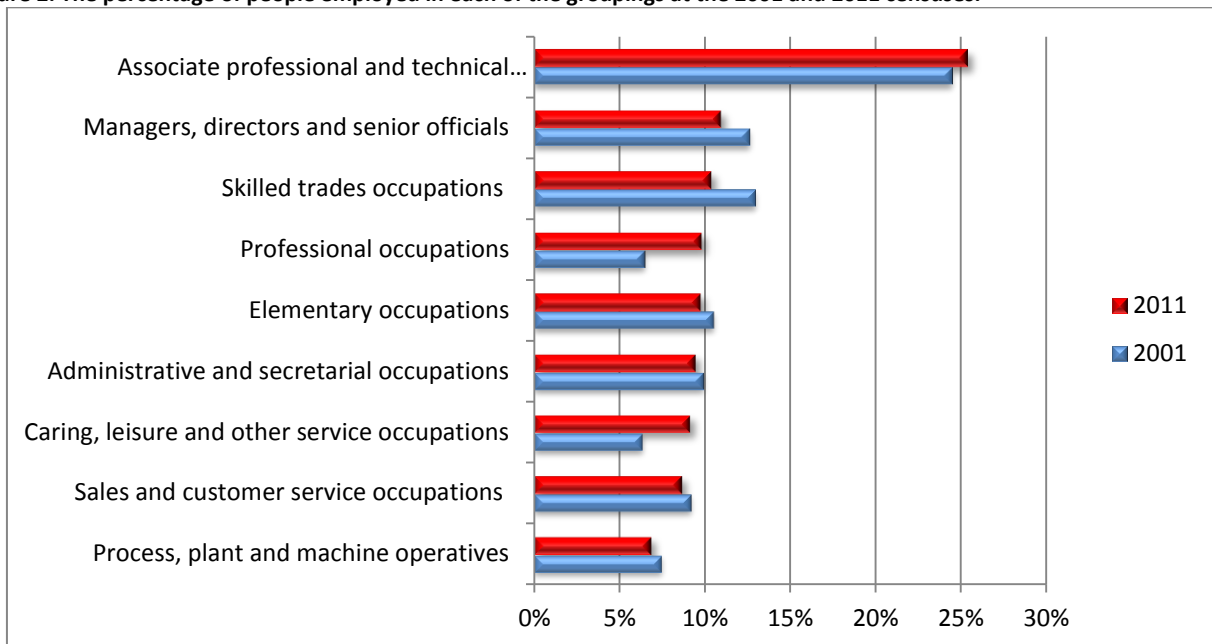
Occupation	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All persons 16 to 74 in employment	1,615	11,477	45,983	2,516,895
% Managers, directors and senior officials	10.9	7.4	7.6	8.4
% Professional occupations	9.8	11.0	11.4	16.8
% Associate professional and technical occupations	25.3	14.9	14.7	12.6
% Administrative and secretarial occupations	9.4	8.7	8.4	11.4
% Skilled trades occupations	10.3	14.4	16.6	12.5
% Caring, leisure and other service occupations	9.1	9.8	10	9.7
% Sales and customer service occupations	8.6	9.7	8.1	9.3
% Process, plant and machine operatives	6.8	10.3	10.4	7.7
% Elementary occupations	9.7	13.8	12.8	11.6

- Of the 1,615 persons aged 16 to 74 in employment in Bishopmill West & Newfield, 46% work in occupations classed as managerial, professional or technical; 12.7% more than Elgin and 8.2% more than Scotland as a whole.
- The highest proportion, 25.3%, work in Associate professional and technical occupations, 10.4% higher than Elgin and double the recorded figure for Scotland. Managers, directors and senior officials account for the second largest group at 10.9%; 3.4% higher than Elgin.
- This high proportion of managerial, professional or technical occupations is again likely to be related to the high number of RAF Personnel living in the area.
- The occupation recording the lowest figure in the area is those working as Process, plant and machine operatives at 6.8%; 3.5% lower than Elgin. This is a similar difference to Elgin noted in section 4.1 for Manufacturing.

¹⁵ Census 2011

- The largest differences with Elgin in 2011 are noted with those in Skilled trades occupations and Elementary occupations. Both recorded figures 4.1% less than Elgin.

Figure 2: The percentage of people employed in each of the groupings at the 2001 and 2011 censuses.



- Figure 2 above shows the changes recorded for the proportion of people employed per occupation between the 2001 and 2011 censuses. The biggest increase has been recorded with those employed in a Professional occupation; 60 more people stated this was their occupation in 2011, a 3.3% increase from 2001.
- In comparison, Skilled trades recorded the largest decrease of 2.7% between 2001 and 2011.

4.3 Unemployment

- Between 2001 and 2011, the proportion of those unemployed (excluding full time students) in Bishopmill West & Newfield fell by 0.3% from 4.2% to 3.9%. During the same period, the proportion in Elgin increased by 0.3% from 3.7% to 4.0%.
- 3.9% equates to 92 unemployed people in the area. Of this 92, 40.2% were aged 16 to 24. An increase of 15.5% since the 2001 census.

4.4 Transport

Table 14 Travel to Work ¹⁶

Travel to work	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All persons aged 16 to 74 who were in employment (excluding full-time students)	1,578	11,152	44,816	2,400,925
% Car (including passengers car pools and taxis)	67.9	62.0	63.7	62.4
% Train	2.2	2.8	2.2	3.7
% Bus	2.6	2.9	3.4	10
% On foot	11.3	17.8	12.2	9.9
% Other	7.9	5.8	6.3	3.1
% Works mainly at or from home	8.1	8.6	12.1	10.8

- From table 13 it is clear the vast majority (67.9%) use a car when travelling to work. This is 5.9% higher than Elgin; the same difference against Elgin noted in section 3.2 for the proportion of households having access to a car.
- The second most popular method of travelling to work from the area is on foot at 11.3%; however this is 6.5% less than in Elgin as a whole and the lowest of all the six Elgin Intermediate zones.
- The option of other means of travel from Bishopmill West & Newfield, likely to include cycling, is 2.1% higher than Elgin and is the highest of all six of the Elgin Intermediate zones.
- In 2001, the options of travelling 'On foot' and 'Other' were reported as a combined figure of 23.2% for Bishopmill West & Newfield. Combining the 2011 figures shows a total of 19.2%; an overall fall of 4% from 2001. During the same period, the combined total of 'On foot' and 'Other' for Elgin fell by 3.8% from 27.4% to 23.6%.
- The options for 'Train' and 'Bus' were also reported previously as combined figures. Between 2001 and 2011, combined figures for these options increased in both Bishopmill West & Newfield and Elgin by 0.6% and 0.7% respectively.
- Again looking at 2001 data, large increases are noted for 'Works mainly at or from home'. In 2001, 3.8% of those aged 16 to 74 and in employment (excluding full time students) stated this option while for Elgin the figure was given as 4.3%. Therefore since 2001, both areas have recorded an increase of 4.3%.

¹⁶ Census 2011

5 Education

Table 15 Education Facts ¹⁷

Interesting facts	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Percentage 16 to 17 year olds in education	78.2	75.4	76.6	79.8
Percentage of households where no person aged 16 to 64 has a highest level of qualification of Level 2 or above, or no person aged 16-18 is a full-time student	Data Not Available	48.8	49.0	47.2

- The Bishopmill West & Newfield area has a high proportion of 16 to 17 year olds remaining in education (78.2%) compared to Elgin (75.4%). This is the second highest proportion when looking at all 6 intermediate zones in Elgin.
- Elgin has a similar proportion of households to Moray where no one holds a national level qualification above level 2 (SCE Higher or similar) or no person aged 16-18 is a full-time student. This proportion of around 49% is higher than the Scottish figure of 47%.

Table 16 Travel to study ¹⁸

Travel to study	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people aged 4 and over studying	612	3,885	15,771	996,282
% Car (including passengers car pools and taxis)	20.6	25.7	23.2	22.3
% Train	0.8	1.0	1.0	2.9
% Bus	6.0	8.1	20.3	21.5
% On foot	61.4	52.4	41.5	39.1
% Other	2.8	2.9	2.0	1.7
% Studies mainly at or from home	8.3	9.9	12.0	12.4

- Travel on foot is particularly high in Bishopmill West & Newfield at 61.4%; 9% higher than in Elgin. In 2001 'On foot' and 'Other' were given as a combined figure of 62.7%. Adding 2011's figures together gives 64.2%, an increase of 1.5% in the ten years. In comparison, combined figures for Elgin have fallen by 5.3% over the same period, from 60.6% to 55.3%.

¹⁷ Census 2011

¹⁸ Census 2011

- In 2011, 20.6% of those travelling to study in the Bishopmill West & Newfield area did so by car; a decrease of 8.3% from 2001. During the same period, the recorded figure for Elgin has fallen by just 0.8% from 26.5% in 2001 to 25.7% in 2011.
- Like working from home in table 13, study from home has increased between 2001 and 2011 in both Bishopmill West & Newfield and Elgin, this time by 4.6% each.

Table 17 Highest qualification¹⁹

Highest qualification ²⁰	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All persons aged 16 and over	2,575	18,626	76,251	4,379,072
% With no qualifications	22.8	26.6	26.7	26.8
% Highest qualification attained - Level 1	26.4	27.3	26.3	23.1
% Highest qualification attained - Level 2	16.3	14.6	14.4	14.3
% Highest qualification attained - Level 3	11.1	10.6	9.9	9.7
% Highest qualification attained - Level 4 and above	23.4	20.9	22.7	26.1

- In Bishopmill West & Newfield residents have better qualifications compared to the rest of Elgin. In 2011, 50.8% of the population stated they had attained qualifications at level 2 and above; 4.7% higher than Elgin.
- 23.4% had attained a degree (or equivalent); 2.5% more than the average for Elgin.

¹⁹ Census 2011

²⁰ The following table shows what the levels used in the census mean.

Level 1	Standard Grade (equivalent or above)	Level 2	Higher (equivalent or above)
Level 3	HNC (equivalent or above)	Level 4	Degree (equivalent or above)

5.1 Attainment

5.1.1 S4 Attainment

Children living in Bishopmill West & Newfield are within the catchment zone to attend Elgin Academy. It is likely that most children will attend Elgin Academy; however there are a number who alternatively attend Elgin High. The figures in the tables in the following sections show results for pupils living in Bishopmill West & Newfield who may attend either school.

Table 18 S4 Attainment ²¹

	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Total S4 Students from 2008/9 to 2012/13 ²²	220	1586	5,499	280,909
S4: No pupils with 5 awards at SCQF level 5 and above	96	641	2,161	103,795
Percentage of pupils with 5 awards at SCQF level 5 and above	43.6%	40.4%	39.3%	36.9%
Average S4 Tariff	204	191	198	185

- Over the five years between 2008/09 and 2012/13, 43.6% of S4 pupils from Bishopmill West & Newfield attained five awards at SCQF level 5 and above. This performance is higher than Elgin (40.4%), Moray (39.3%) and Scotland (36.9%). It is also the second highest of all intermediate zones, there is however a notable difference of 19.8% between the highest achieving zone (Elgin Central West) and Bishopmill West & Newfield.
- During the same period the average tariff score achieved was 204, again higher than Elgin (191), Moray (198) and Scotland (185) and the second highest of all intermediate zones.

²¹ Source – Scottish Neighbourhood Statistics - <http://www.sns.gov.uk>

²² The sample is taken over five years to comply with the other monographs of other areas/localities of Moray. Nearly all of those other areas did not have sufficient numbers in a single year to make a comparison with the larger data sets of Moray and Scotland.

5.1.2 S5 Attainment

Table 19 S5 Education Attainment²³

	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Total Students for S5	185	1270	4,380	235,893
S5: No pupils with 1 award at SCQF level 6 and above : 2008/9 - 2012/13	118	701	2,521	128,253
S5: Percentage of pupils with 1 award at SCQF level 6 and above : 2008/9 - 2012/13	63.8%	55.2%	57.6%	54.4%
S5: No pupils with 3 award at SCQF level 6 and above : 2008/9 - 2012/13	63	369	1,399	74,789
S5: Percentage of pupils with 3 award at SCQF level 6 and above : 2008/9 - 2012/13	34.1%	29.1%	31.9%	31.7%
S5: No pupils with 5 award at SCQF level 6 and above : 2008/9 - 2012/13	28	151	595	34667
S5: Percentage of pupils with 5 award at SCQF level 6 and above : 2008/9 - 2012/13	15.1%	11.9%	13.6%	14.7%
5 year Tariff average	391	354	365	347

- Over the five year period between 2008/09 and 2012/13 the proportion of S5 pupils in Bishopmill West & Newfield attaining 1, 3 and 5 awards at SCQF level 6 is consistently higher than Elgin, Moray and Scotland. When compared to other intermediate zones in Elgin, the proportion of S5 pupils in Bishopmill West & Newfield is also continually the second highest of all zones for the attainment of 1,3 and 6 awards.
- The largest difference compared to Elgin is with pupils achieving 1 award at SCQF level 6. In Bishopmill West & Newfield, 63.8% of pupils attained 1 award compared to 55.2% in Elgin.
- For the five year period between 2008/09 and 2012/13, S5 pupils from Bishopmill West & Newfield attained a tariff score of 391. This places Bishopmill West & Newfield above Elgin (354), Moray (365) and Scotland (347). It is also second highest tariff score of all intermediate zones, 40 below the highest zone Central West (431).

²³ The sample is taken over five years to comply with the other monographs of other areas/localities of Moray. Nearly all of those other areas did not have sufficient numbers in a single year to make a comparison with the larger data sets of Moray and Scotland.

5.2 Leaver Destination

Table 20 Leaver Destination ²⁴

	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
Total leavers	192	1498	5,237	265,363
Higher Education	44.8%	31.6%	33.3%	36.0%
Further Education	25.0%	29.0%	27.2%	27.1%
Training ²⁵	0.5%	1.6%	1.5%	5.7%
Employment	22.9%	28.6%	28.7%	19.7%
Total Positive	93.2%	90.8%	90.7%	88.4%
Unemployment and seeking employment or training	6.3%	7.0%	7.4%	9.6%
Unemployed not seeking employment or training	0.5%	2.0%	1.7%	1.3%
Total Negative Destination	6.8%	9.0%	9.1%	10.9%
Unknown	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%

- School leaver destination data for the five years between 2008/09 and 2012/13, shows that the destination of all school leavers from Bishopmill West & Newfield was recorded and a higher proportion went to positive destinations (93.2%) than Elgin (90.8%), Moray (90.7%) and Scotland (88.4%).
- 93.2% also places Bishopmill West & Newfield second highest of all intermediate zones, 4.6% behind Central West.
- Of those leaving for a positive destination, 69.8% went onto Higher or Further Education, 9.2% more than in Elgin as a whole.
- Only 0.5% of pupils left school for a training position. This is the lowest of all intermediate zones and 1.1% lower than in Elgin as a whole.
- The remaining 22.9% of pupils left for employment; 5.7% less than Elgin but 3.2% higher than the average for Scotland.
- 6.8% are recorded as leaving for a negative destination (2.2% less than Elgin) although the majority, 6.3%, are seeking employment or training.

²⁴ Data for the 5 year period from 2008/09-2012/13, Source – Scottish Neighbourhood Statistics - <http://www.sns.gov.uk>

²⁵ The “Training” destination shown in the table above refers to destinations where there is no employer or no formal education establishment (For example a government training scheme). As these opportunities occur less frequently away from the large centres of population the uptake in Moray is small.

6 Health, Social Care and Wellbeing

6.1 Health

Table 21 Self-Assessed Health ²⁶

General Health	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% Very good	61.8	54.2	53.7	52.5
% Good	24.8	30.5	31.3	29.7
% Fair	9.0	11.2	11.1	12.2
% Bad	3.6	3.2	2.9	4.3
% Very bad	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.3

- A high proportion of the population of Bishopmill West & Newfield self-assessed their health as 'Very good' or 'Good', 86.6% compared to 84.7% in Elgin.
- Those stating their health as 'Bad' or 'Very Bad' is also slightly higher at 4.4% compared to 4.1% in Elgin.

Table 22 Disability ²⁷

Long-term health problem or disability	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% Limited a lot	7.4	7.4	7.6	9.6
% Limited a little	7.9	9.9	10.2	10.1
% Not limited	84.7	82.7	82.3	80.4

- Of the 3,376 people living in Bishopmill West & Newfield, 84.7% state they are not limited by a long-term health problem or disability the highest of all six Elgin Intermediate zones and an increase of 1.1% from the 2001 census.

²⁶ Census 2011

²⁷ Census 2011

Table 23 Long Term Health Conditions ²⁸

Long-term health condition	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% With no condition	74.1	71.5	70.9	70.1
% With one or more long-term health conditions	25.9	28.5	29.1	29.9
% With deafness or partial hearing loss	6.1	6.4	7.0	6.6
% With blindness or partial sight loss	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.4
% With learning disability (eg, Down's Syndrome)	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.5
% With learning difficulty (eg, dyslexia)	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0
% With developmental disorder (eg, Autistic Spectrum Disorder, Asperger's Syndrome)	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
% With physical disability	5.5	6.0	5.8	6.7
% With mental health condition	3.6	3.8	3.2	4.4
% With other condition	16.6	17.9	18.2	18.7

- The residents of Bishopmill West & Newfield appear to keep good health with 74.1% of stating they have no long term health conditions the highest of all six Elgin Intermediate zones and 3.2% higher than Moray as a whole.
- 25.9% claimed to have one or more long term health conditions, 2.6% less than in Elgin.
- Of the named conditions in table 22, deafness or partial hearing loss was the most common at 6.1%, 0.3% less than in Elgin.

²⁸ Census 2011

Table 24 Health Condition Prevalence rates by GP Practice²⁹

Health Condition Prevalence Rates (per 100 patients)	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
1. Hypertension	13.9	14.9	13.9
2. Asthma	6.4	6.4	6.4
3. Depression	5.6	5.7	5.0
4. Diabetes	5.4	5.8	6.8
5. Coronary Heart Disease	3.9	4.2	4.1

The table above shows the 5 most common health conditions recorded at the three GP practices in Elgin (Elgin Community Surgery, Linkwood Medical Practice and Maryhill Group Practice) between April 2015 and March 2016 through the NHS Quality & Outcomes framework data collection. The figures for Elgin are an average of these three practices taking into consideration the number of patients within each practice. Data collected in previous years recorded rates for smoking related conditions and obesity, which featured within the top five recorded conditions. Details of these two conditions were not collected within the latest data recorded (2015-16). In March 2016 there were a total of 32,967 patients registered within the three practices. For comparison the Moray and Scotland rates have been included.

- The top two conditions for Elgin, Moray and Scotland were Hypertension and Asthma. The prevalence rate in Elgin is identical to the overall Scotland rate (13.9%), Moray overall however has a slightly higher rate (14.9%).
- Moray in general has a higher Diabetes prevalence rate (5.7%) in comparison with Scotland (5.0%). Elgin shows no significant difference to the overall Moray rate. Between 2013/14 and 2015/16 both Moray and Scotland have seen small increases in the rates of diabetes (0.2%), levels in Elgin however have remained at the same level.

²⁹ Elgin is served by three GP Practices (Elgin Community, Linkwood, and Maryhill). The data shown is the weighted average of all three practices using the list sizes of each practice. The source data is from <http://www.isdscotland.org/Health-Topics/General-Practice/Quality-And-Outcomes-Framework/2015-16/Register-and-prevalence-data.asp>

- Rates of depression have increased significantly between 2013/14 and 2015/16 within Elgin, Moray and Scotland. Levels in Elgin have increased at a faster rate showing a 2.9% increase over the period, in comparison, both Moray (1.6%) and Scotland (1.0%) saw smaller increases. Although rates in Moray are lower than Scotland if this trend continues in the near future rates in Moray will exceed those of Scotland.
- Coronary Heart Disease prevalence significantly reduced between 2013/14 and 2015/16 in Elgin (1.6% reduction). Moray and Scotland also saw smaller drops in rates of 0.1%.

6.1.1 Maternity

Table 25 Teenage Pregnancies ³⁰

Teenage Pregnancies (Rate per 1000 women)	Moray	Scotland
Teenage pregnancies aged under 16, rate per 1000 women aged 13_15. : 2012-2014	3.0	4.9
Teenage pregnancies aged under 18, rate per 1000 women aged 15_17. : 2012-2014	21.2	24.9
Teenage pregnancies aged under 20, rate per 1000 women aged 15_19. : 2014	32.9	34.1

- Rates of pregnant women smoking at booking are steadily decreasing across Scotland. For the period 2014-16, the percentage of pregnant women reporting that they were current smokers at their ante-natal booking appointment in Bishopmill West & Newfield was 13.3%; a decrease of 2.7% from 2013-15.
- During the same period, those smoking at their ante-natal appointment in Moray fell from 18.8% to 18.4% while in Scotland figures fell from 17.8% to 16.8%.
- Rates of teenage pregnancies are also decreasing. Between 2013 and 2016, 5.6% of first time mothers in Bishopmill West & Newfield, were aged under 20.
- During the same period in Moray, first time mothers aged 19 and under fell from 10.8% to 10.0%. For Scotland as a whole a fall of 1% was recorded from 9.4% to 8.4%.

³⁰ Source – Scottish Neighbourhood Statistics - <http://www.sns.gov.uk>

6.2 Social Care

Table 26 Provision of Unpaid Care ³¹

Provision of unpaid care	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Elgin	Moray	Scotland
All people	3,376	23,128	93,295	5,295,403
% Not providing care	92.9	92.2	91.6	90.7
% Providing 1 to 19 hours of care a week	3.7	4.3	4.8	5.2
% Providing 20 to 34 hours of care a week	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9
% Providing 35 to 49 hours of care a week	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.8
% Providing 50 or more hours of care a week	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.5

- In 2011, 7.1% of residents in Bishopmill West & Newfield provided unpaid care each week, an increase of 1% from the 6.1% recorded in 2001. Between the same period, those providing unpaid care in Elgin increased by 0.6% from 7.2% to 7.8%.
- In 2001, those providing between 20 – 49 hours of care for Bishopmill West & Newfield and residents was 0.7%. By 2011, the proportion of those providing this level of care had increased to 1.3%.
- Both Bishopmill West & Newfield and Elgin have the same proportion of those providing 50 or more hours of care; an increase of 0.1% and 0.3% from 2001 respectively.

³¹ Census 2011

6.3 Health and Wellbeing

Table 27 ScotPHO indicators³² for all Intermediate Zones of Elgin

highest	lowest
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ScotPHO Indicator	Elgin	Moray	Scotland	ELGIN					
				Bishopmill East & Ladyhill	Bishopmill West & Newfield	Central West	Cathedral to Ashgrove & Pinefield	New Elgin East	New Elgin West
Male life expectancy (Years) [a]	Data not available for Elgin	77.4	76.6	77.7	73.7	81.4	73.6	75.9	78.4
Female life expectancy (Years) [a]		81.7	80.8	81.2	79.0	86.7	78.6	83.7	84.3
Early deaths from Coronary Heart Disease under 75 years of age/100,000 population [b]		43.4	54.2	76.8	0.0	52.5	54	67.9	111.1
Patients hospitalised with coronary heart disease/100,00 population [b]		347	403	323	311	343	381	422	460
Patients with emergency hospitalisations/100,000 population [c]		5,798	7,473	7,651	5,964	5,569	7,535	8,215	6,368
Patients (65+) with multiple emergency hospitalisations/100,000 population [d]		3,246	5,238	5,126	4,936	2,989	3,440	5,997	3,501
% Adults claiming incapacity benefit/severe disability allowance/ employment and support allowance [e]		4.1	6.2	5.8	3.6	3.0	7.9	8.3	5.7
% Working age population claiming Out of Work benefits [f]		7.6	11.2	10.2	5.8	5.0	13.5	13.4	9.8
% Children Living in Poverty [g]		9.5	15.3	11.5	4.8	2.5	16.4	15.3	9.0
% Child dental health in primary 1 [h]		73.8	69.9	80.0	84.6	81.0	76.9	80.6	77.8
% Child dental health in primary 7 [i]		53.2	67.9	33.3	42.3	52	50.0	58.8	38.1

³² Source: Public Health Information for Scotland (ScotPHO <http://www.scotpho.org.uk/>)

[a] 2011 - Three year average for health boards, local authorities and Scotland.

[b] 2013-2015 - Early Deaths from Coronary heart disease (under 75 years): 3 yr rolling average number - rate per 100,000 population.

[c] 2013-2015 - Patients discharged from hospital following and emergency admission: 3 yr rolling average number - rate per 100,000 population.

[d] 2013-2015 - Patients aged 65+ yrs with 2 or more emergency hospital admissions, discharged from hospital: 3 yr rolling average number - rate per 100,000 population.

[e] 2015 May snapshot - Number and percentage of all adults aged 16+ claiming incapacity benefit/severe disability allowance (SDA) or employment and support allowance (ESA).

[f] 2015 May Snapshot - Number and percentage of working age population claiming "key out of work benefits".

[g] 2012 August Snapshot - Number and percentage of dependent children under the age of 20 in families in receipt of Child Tax Credits (<60% median income) or Income Support/Jobseekers Allowance.

[h] 2015/16 - Primary 1 children receiving a % Letter C (Low Risk) from Basic Inspection ("No obvious decay experience, but child should continue to see the family dentist on a regular basis")

[i] 2015/16 - Primary 7 children receiving a % Letter C (Low Risk) from Basic Inspection ("No obvious decay experience, but child should continue to see the family dentist on a regular basis")

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- Bishopmill West & Newfield has the second lowest life expectancy of all 6 intermediate zones of Elgin. For males this is 73.7 (3.7 years less than the Moray average) while female life expectancy is 79.0 (2.7 years less than Moray).
 - The 3 year rolling average up to 2015 for Early deaths from Coronary Heart Disease under 75 years of age (per 100,000 population) shows no deaths in the Bishopmill West & Newfield area. There were also only 311 (per 100,000 population) recorded hospital admissions relating to this disease, the lowest of all intermediate zones.
 - Bishopmill West & Newfield has the second lowest proportion of adult residents claiming benefits. 3.6% of adults in the area claim some form of incapacity benefit compared to the Moray average of 4.1% while 5.8% of those of working age claim out of work benefit compared to 7.6% in Moray.
 - Similarly, the proportion of children living in poverty is also low at 4.8%; just over half the 9.5% average for Moray.
 - In primary 1, 84.6% of children have no obvious signs of tooth decay. This is the highest proportion of all intermediate zones and 10.8% above the Moray average. However, for those in primary 7, this rate falls to just 42.3%, 10.8% less than the Moray average.

7 Antisocial Behaviour

Table 28 Number of Antisocial Behaviour Complaints per 1000 population ³³

Type of Complaint	Elgin	Moray
Noise	17.3	12.2
Rowdy Behaviour	0.6	4.0
Neighbour Dispute	5.9	3.9
Graffiti	0.6	0.3
Vandalism	10.3	8.1
Litter	0.5	1.7
Fly Tipping	0.2	3.5
Dog Fouling	2.4	1.3

Antisocial Behaviour data is only available for Elgin as a whole and not for the 6 intermediate zones.

- From table 27, it is clear Elgin has relatively more complaints of noise, neighbour disputes, vandalism and dog fouling compared to the rest of Moray. Elgin is the largest town in Moray with more built up residential areas which could be a contributory factor to the high number of these complaints.
- In comparison, Rowdy Behaviour, Fly Tipping, and Litter complaints received by the Community Safety Team are low.

Table 29 Crime Rates ³⁴

Number of Crimes per 1,000 residents per year		
Year	Elgin	Moray
2012/13	104.8	95.7
2013/14	109.3	101.1

Data is not available individually for the six Elgin zones; however SIMD 2016 crime rankings are provided for smaller Datazone areas, which make up Bishopmill West & Newfield, within table 31 at the end of the report. Generalised observations for Elgin are shown below.

- From the table above crime rates in Elgin are slightly higher than that recorded for the whole of Moray.

³³ Average number of complaints over the two years 2012/13 and 2013/14 – from Community Safety and Police records

³⁴ From police records of reported crimes

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- Elgin is the largest town in Moray with a higher proportion of residents, shops, pubs etc all likely to be a factor in the higher crime rate.
 - Elgin is also the location of the main police station in the area. This tends to increase the crime rate as some crimes which occur out with Elgin may be recorded against the address of the police station.
 - In 2016 the 5 data zones which make up the Bishopmill West & Newfield area had an overall average crime ranking (3 out of 5).

8 Access to Service

8.1 Drive Time to

Table 30 Drive time to ³⁵

	GP	Post Office	Petrol Station	Primary School	Secondary School	Shopping Facilities
Bishopmill West & Newfield	4.47	2.15	2.21	2.09	4.95	4.53

- There are five data zones³⁶ which together make up the Bishopmill West & Newfield area. The drive time shown is an average drive time for all the data zones weighted by the population of each.
- Times given in table 30 above are an average drive time in minutes against each category and show that all essential services are located less than a 5 minute drive away.
- Bishopmill Post Office is located within the area on Morriston Road inside a local convenience store. A petrol station is also available in the area on Lossiemouth Road.
- Bishopmill West & Newfield is split into two primary school catchment areas, (Bishopmill and Seafield Primaries) both of which are located just outside the area boundary. Secondary School education is delivered at nearby Elgin Academy.

8.2 Public Transport to

Table 31 Public transport time to ³⁷

	GP	Post Office	Shopping Facilities
Bishopmill West & Newfield	12.9	10.2	12.6

- The above table provides estimated journey times in minutes by public transport to essential services for those residing in the Bishopmill West & Newfield area. Again the travel times given are averages of all 5 data zones that together make the Bishopmill West & Newfield intermediate zone.
- By public transport essential services are on average all less than 13 minutes away.

³⁵ Source – Statistics.gov.uk: <http://statistics.gov.uk>

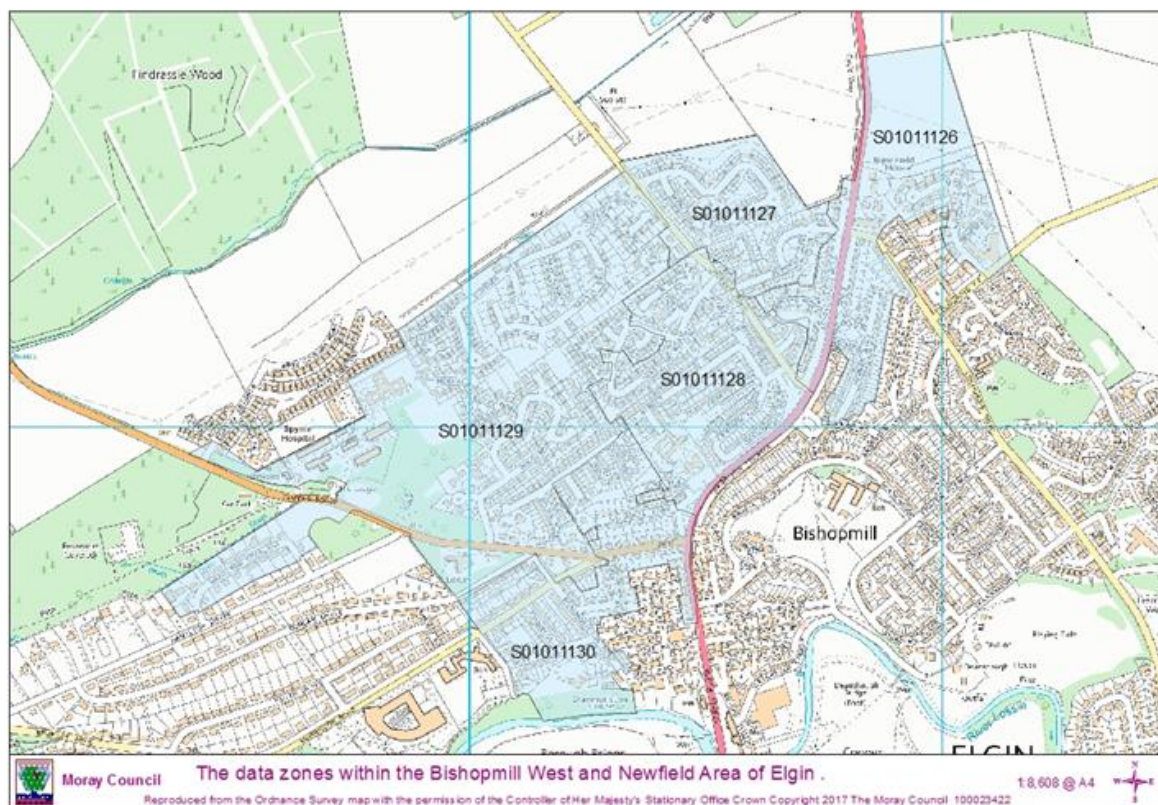
³⁶ The Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD16) divides Scotland into 6,976 small areas, called data zones, each containing around 760 people.

³⁷ Source – Statistics.gov.uk: <http://statistics.gov.uk>

9 Summary

Table 31 SIMD 2016 quintile ranking³⁸ for the 5 datazones which cover the Bishopmill West & Newfield area

Name	Income	Housing	Health	Employment	Education/ Skills/Training	Crime	Access to Services	Overall
S01011126 Bishopmill West & Newfield - 01	4	5	4	4	3	4	3	4
S01011127 Bishopmill West & Newfield - 02	5	5	5	5	5	2	2	5
S01011128 Bishopmill West & Newfield - 03	4	4	3	3	3	3	2	3
S01011129 Bishopmill West & Newfield - 04	5	5	4	5	5	5	1	5
S01011130 Bishopmill West & Newfield - 05	3	3	3	3	3	1	4	3
Overall Average Ranking	4	4	4	4	4	3	2	4

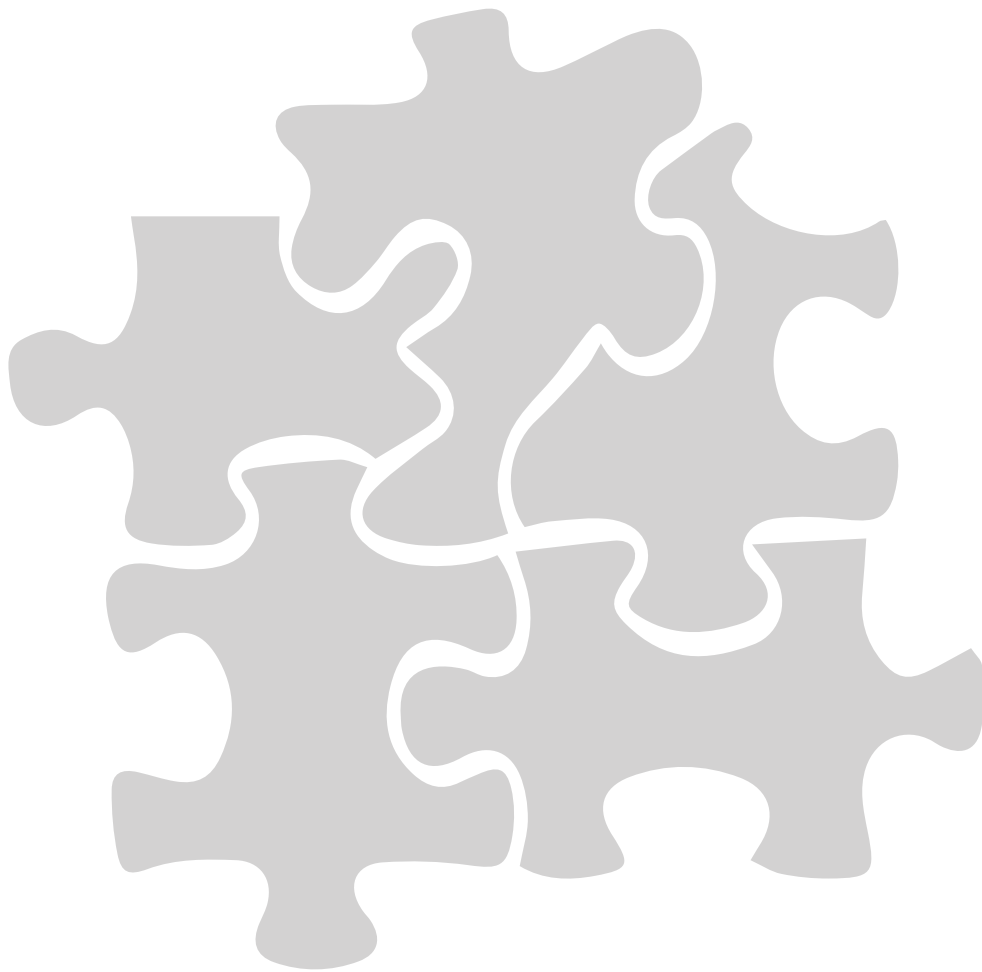


³⁸ The Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD) divides Scotland into 6,976 small areas, called data zones, each containing around 760 people. An average ranking is calculated by using a population weighted average of SIMD scores of all 5 data zones. The SIMD score for each data zone is between 1 and 6,976. In quintiles, the rankings are 1 (most deprived) to 5 (least deprived)

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1. Table 31 above shows that there are five Datazones that form the Intermediate zone of Bishopmill West & Newfield. Two of the Datazones display many similarities with each other (Bishopmill West & Newfield 2 & 4); the remaining three show much diversity. The element that performs best within the Bishopmill West & Newfield Intermediate zone is “Housing” with three of the five datazones being rated as in the 20% least deprived areas of Scotland. Collectively the Intermediate zone of Bishopmill West & Newfield has five of the seven domains placed within the 40% least deprived areas of Scotland. One element performs less well than the other six (Access to Services), which overall is placed in the 40% most deprived areas of Scotland. One datazone (S01011129) has been ranked in the 20% most deprived of areas for access to services even though travel times by car are within 5 minutes of essential services, which is not excessive. No explanation can be given for this anomaly apart from the possibility that more weighting is given to large urban areas with more services.
 2. The population of Bishopmill West & Newfield is proportionally younger than Elgin with 65.1% aged 44 and under compared to 58.7% in Elgin. The area has the highest proportionate number of people in the 0-4, 5-15 and 30-44 age groups in comparison to the other five Elgin Intermediate zones. As a consequence the area has the lowest proportions in the 45+ and 60-74 age groups of all Elgin Intermediate zones.
 3. A significantly higher proportion of population in Bishopmill West & Newfield were married; 61.8% compared to 49.0% in Elgin. Of all the six areas of Elgin profiled Bishopmill West & Newfield had the highest proportion of married couples or couples in same-sex civil partnerships. A large contributory factor is likely to be MOD married quarters within the area.
 4. A quarter of residents are noted as ‘White – Other British’ having been born in Britain but outside Scotland which is the highest proportion of all six Elgin Intermediate zones.. This is a significantly higher proportion than in Elgin or Scotland as a whole and can likely be attributed to the large number of RAF personnel and their families living in the area.
 5. Of the 198 residents who were born outside the UK, over 60% have been resident for more than 5 years. Nearly 20% are new to the UK with a residency of less than 2 years.

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6. Over 25% of residents live alone, with 12.6% of these residents aged over 65.
 7. House ownership in the area is relatively low compared to Elgin, Moray and Scotland. Private rentals however are significantly higher accounting for just over a quarter of all properties, in comparison Elgin has 14.5% and the proportion in Moray (12.0%) is half that of Bishopmill West & Newfield. The majority of these rentals are likely to be MOD properties housing RAF personnel and their families.
 8. Almost 30% of households consist of Married couples with dependent children which is significantly higher than Elgin (16.7%), almost double the Moray proportion (15.9%) and more than double that of Scotland (13.6%). This fact together with the younger age demographic in the area indicates that these households are young families and similar to the point above a large proportion of them are likely to be RAF families.
 9. Over two thirds of those economically active in the area are noted as working. 2.9% are registered long term sick or disabled; a fall of 2.0% since the previous census in 2001.
 10. The largest employment Industry in the area is Public Administration and Defence at 27.9%; 15.3% more than Elgin and 20.9% more than Scotland. This high proportion confirms the level of military personnel living in the area.
 11. 46% of residents work in an occupation classed as managerial, professional or technical. 12.7% more than Elgin.
 12. Travelling to work by car remains the most common method in the area at 69.7%, the highest level of all Elgin Intermediate zones and 5.9% higher than the overall Elgin rate. Travel on foot is the most common method for those travelling to study at 61.4% which is also the highest rate of all six Elgin Intermediate zones and 9% higher than Elgin.
 13. Between 2001 and 2011, the proportion of those who work or study mainly at home, has increased by 4.3% and 4.6% respectively. Elgin has also recorded exactly the same level of increase in both.
 14. Over half of residents in the area have qualifications at Higher level or above while nearly a quarter have a Degree (or equivalent). Attainment is also high for both S4 and S5 school pupils and total positive leaver destinations are above Elgin, Moray and Scotland.

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15. Tariff scores are a measure by which overall attainment is judged and can be used to compare against other geographical areas. High attainment by students from Bishopmill West & Newfield is reflected by higher than average Tariff scores at S4 level (204) and S5 level (391) in comparison to the average Moray scores (S4- 198, S5 – 365). Bishopmill West & Newfield have the second highest tariff scores, at both S4 & S5 levels, of the Elgin Intermediate zones, only surpassed by Elgin Central West.
 16. The majority of the population (86.6%) assessed their health as very good or good while a similar amount (84.7%) stated they were not limited by a long term health problem or disability. Bishopmill West & Newfield was the only intermediate zone to record zero early deaths in the under 75s due to Coronary Heart Disease. It also recorded the lowest level of hospital admissions due to this disease.
 17. In Bishopmill West & Newfield, available figures mirror the national trend for decreasing levels of teenage pregnancies and the reduction in the number of woman recorded as current smokers at their ante-natal booking appointment.
 18. Between 2001 and 2011, the proportion of residents providing some level of unpaid care has increased in both Bishopmill West & Newfield and Elgin. This is likely to be a reflection of the aging of the general population. Rates of care in the area however remain low in comparison to both Elgin and Scotland.
 19. Bishopmill West & Newfield had the second lowest of all intermediate zones in Elgin for the proportion of adults claiming benefits and children living in poverty. Figures are also well below that for Moray and Scotland.
 20. Access to essential services is good within Bishopmill West & Newfield with all under a 5 minute drive away or within 13 minutes on public transport.
 21. Despite data indicating many positives to the area including, apparent good health of the residents, low child poverty, low reliance on social benefits, high attainment, good employment and also the close proximity of essential services, ScotPHO indicators show life expectancy for both male and female residents as lower than the Scottish average and the second lowest of all the 6 intermediate zones of Elgin.



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