



Auchinairn

Why do we have Locality Plans

The Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 introduced Locality Planning as a way for Community Planning Partners to address inequality in communities facing disadvantage.

What is a Locality Plan

A Locality Plan is a vital tool that empowers communities by giving them a voice in shaping their future. Its purpose is to address poverty and inequalities within a community. By involving residents, organisations and partners, the Locality Plan establishes an action plan that details specific steps and initiatives to address community needs and bring about positive change.

Foreword

Gordan Low, Leader, East Dunbartonshire Council

Our Locality Plan is a culmination of extensive collaboration and collective effort. It reflects the aspirations we share for our communities' future as well as the challenges that we must overcome. This Plan is a testament to our commitment to fostering a thriving and inclusive environment that should ultimately benefit everyone within East Dunbartonshire.

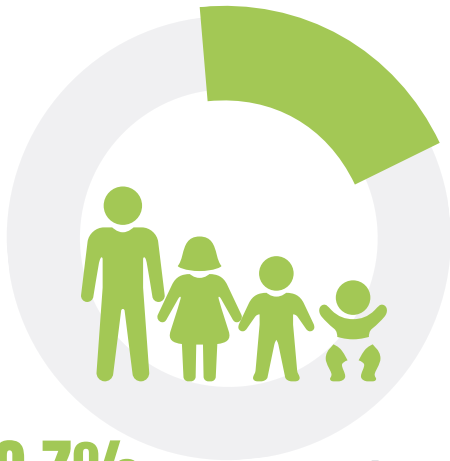
Estimated population of Auchinairn in 2021

was **5,709**

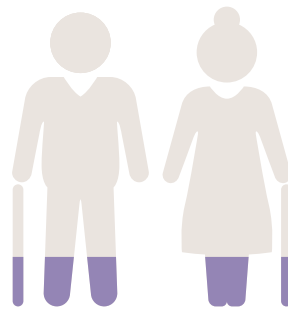
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of East Dunbartonshire's population



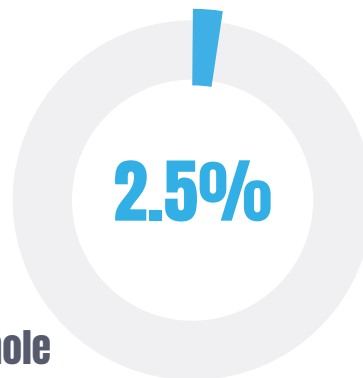
19.7% of the population are aged **0-15**, this is **2%** higher than East Dunbartonshire's average



15.7% of the population in Auchinairn are aged **over 65**, this is **7.3%** lower than East Dunbartonshire's average



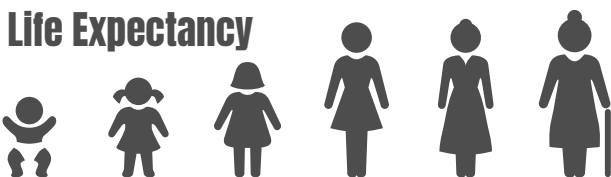
In 2020, alcohol related hospital admissions Auchinairn were **705** per **100,000** population



Approximately **2.5%** of the population in Auchinairn are claiming out of work benefits, the age group with the highest proportion are those aged **25-49**

In 2020 for East Dunbartonshire as a whole there were **392.26** alcohol related hospital admissions per **100,000** population

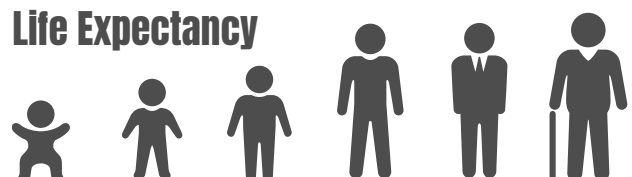
Female Life Expectancy



East Dunbartonshire 83.4 years

Auchinairn 80.8 years

Male Life Expectancy



East Dunbartonshire 80.2 years

Auchinairn 75.5 years

The Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD) is a tool that identifies areas of poverty and inequality across Scotland using indicators within Income, Employment, Health, Education, Housing, Access to Services and Crime.

In 25% MOST Deprived of Scottish Datazones

In 50% MOST Deprived of Scottish Datazones

In 50% LEAST deprived of Scottish Datazones

Auchinairn

The most and least deprived SIMD domains for Auchinairn
(all datazones in Auchinairn).



Crime



Employment



Income



Education



Health



Housing



Access to Services

Source: Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation 2020

Draft Action Plan

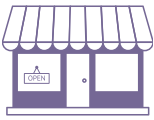


Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Increase support for young people through youth work activities in partnership with local community groups where possible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • Third Sector • EDVA • EDC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of young people engaging in community based activities	1 year
			A reduction in youth anti-social behaviour	1 year
			Young people's perception of improved mental health	3 years
Improve access to information about support available to families/people with additional support needs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • EDC • HSCP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of people accessing appropriate services	1 year
			Young people perception - they feel more supported and grow in confidence	1 year
Explore delivering local community based activities for people with additional support needs and their families/carers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • EDC • HSCP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of people accessing community based activities	1 year
			Number of opportunities delivered in Auchinairn	1 year



Financial Wellbeing

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Develop and deliver financial literacy workshops at a time that community members can attend	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDCAB • EDLCT • EDC • HSCP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of people accessing workshops	1 year
			Number of workshops delivered	1 year
			Measure learning gained by participants.	1 year
Develop and deliver community based workshops to address issues such as how to read an energy meter, what is a kilowatt? Understand an energy bill etc, at a time that community members can attend	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDCAB • EDLCT • EDC • HSCP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of local Energy Advice Services available in Auchinairn	1 year
			Evaluation and feedback from participants	1 year
Raise the profile of what financial support is available to people and share information about how to access support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDCAB • EDLCT • EDVA • EDC • Social Security Scotland • DWP • HSCP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of communications delivered to promote financial support available in Auchinairn	1 year
			Record income generated	1 year



Access to services & facilities

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Explore extending week end opening of the community centre (Sunday opening)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of community based activities for Mon-Fri working families	1 year
Enquire how to approach reversing the planning restrictions attached to centre opening hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EDVA • EDC • HSCP • PoliceScotland 		Number of people accessing the centre	3 years
			Number of individuals supported to engage in activities	1 year
Raise the profile of statutory partners and third sector organisations within the local area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of communications advising Auchinairn of services delivered	1 year
			Number of shares on Social Media platforms	1 year
			People's perception they are accessing right support at right time	1 year
			Number of additional services introduced	3 years
			Number of people engaging with CAB/Foodbank advice support services	1 year

Access to services & facilities (continued)

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Explore ring-fencing spaces for babies and toddlers who already access community groups to attend services delivered by EDC Early Years eg LEND and other NHS community based services.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Auchinairn Parent & Toddlers • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of families accessing child development support	1 year
			Number of measures implemented	3 years
			Parents perception they feel more supported and grow in confidence	3 years
			Number and method of communication to advise parents of support in Auchinairn	1 year
Mapping exercise of existing service provision in Auchinairn.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multidisciplinary locality team 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Mapping exercise completed and next steps agreed	1 year
Mapping exercise of existing community-led and third sector activity in Auchinairn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multidisciplinary locality team 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Mapping exercise completed and next steps agreed	1 year

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Raise the profile of Community Safety services and staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of community engagement activities	1 year
			Number of attendance at key community meetings	1 year
Community Safety staff drop in to community group activities on a regular basis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of activities/services are available locally	1 year
			Number of communications campaigns	1 year
			Number of interactions with key messages on social media	3 years
			Number of partnership initiatives	3 years
			People's perception they feel safe in Auchinairn	3 years

Community Safety (continued)

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Develop and deliver themed community based workshops to address issues such as personal safety, online safety, bullying etc hosted by community groups at a time that suits community members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of community based workshops delivered	1 year
			Reduction in anti-social behaviour incidences	1 year
			Participants learning and confidence measured	3 years



Community Development

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Recognise community based groups and the work they do in the local community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of community organisations	1 year
			Number of partnership activities/events delivered	3 years
Develop a locality forum formed in partnership of lived experience and statutory/third sector representatives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Auchinairn Parent & Toddler Group • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Locality Forum established with clear roles and remit	1 year
			Reports to Community Planning Partnership Board	1 year
			Impact reports codeveloped	1 year

Community Development (continued)

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Enable experts by experience voices to inform policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FACT • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of people accessing services	1 year
			Number of services delivered in Auchinairn	1 year
			Statement with specific policy commitments produced	3 years
			People's perception that their voice is heard.	3 years
More frequent community events planned and delivered in partnership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue • Social Security Scotland 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of community, and co-delivered events	1 year
			Number of people participating in community events	1 year



Environment

Action	Who is the action carried out by	Resources Allocated	How will impact be assessed	Timescale
Explore how community groups/members can gain access to Auchinairn Community Garden space without going through the café kitchen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of people using the garden for group activities	1 year
			Number of garden based opportunities delivered	1 year
Explore the potential of developing a co-ordinated programme of activities that help to improve the appearance of the local area – eg litter picks, repurposing derelict land and other emerging issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Anchor Community Organisations • EDVA • Third Sector • EDC • HSCP • New College Lanarkshire • PoliceScotland • Scottish Fire & Rescue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within existing resource 	Number of community activity events/activities delivered	1 year
			People's perception Auchinairn is well kept	3 years