Census Atlas: Household Composition

Introduction

This document provides a set of thematic maps on the **household composition** data by estate and settlement in Milton Keynes from 2011 Census data.

You can download the tables of data used in the maps via the MKi Observatory using the link below:

Household Composition – Estates and Settlements

Methodology

These maps were created by the Research and Intelligence team at Milton Keynes Council based on 2011 Census data published by the Office for National Statistics.

The 2011 Census data was not released at estate level. The Research and Intelligence team at Milton Keynes Council therefore added together Output Area (the smallest census geography) data to provide an estimate at estate level. As Output Areas (OAs) boundaries and estate boundaries do not always match, the data for OAs is weighted to estates. The data in the maps should therefore be seen as estimates based on 2011 Census data rather than actual figures. Full information on the methodology used to estimates the data at estate level can be viewed here:

http://www.mkiobservatory.org.uk/document.aspx?id=10215&siteID=1026

Further Information

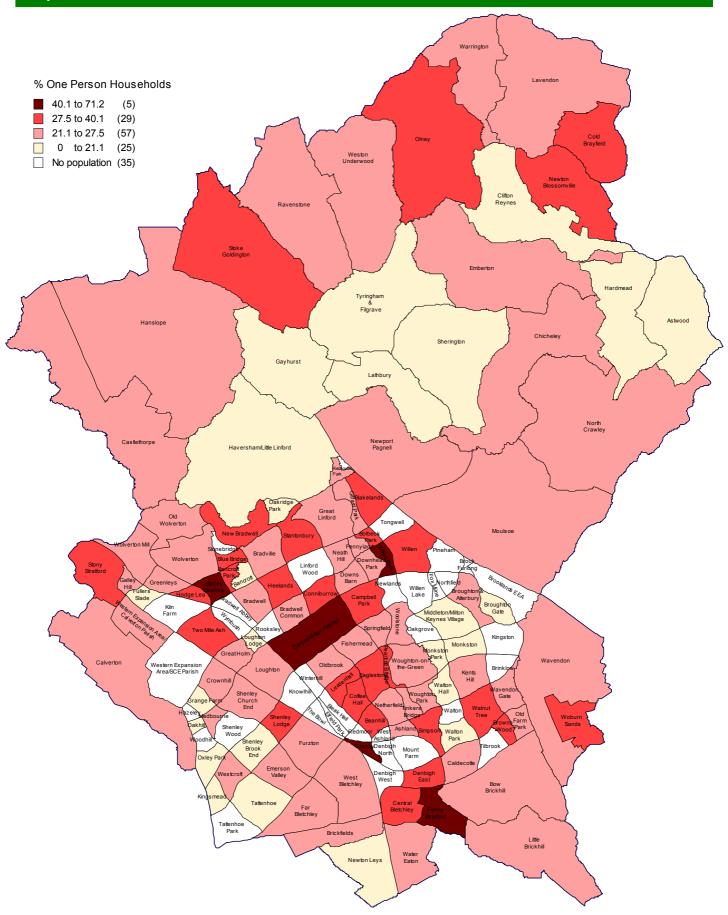
Further information, data and analysis on the 2011 Census can be viewed on the MKi Observatory via the link below:

http://www.mkiobservatory.org.uk/page.aspx?id=1924&siteID=1026

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Map 1: % of Households - One Person Households

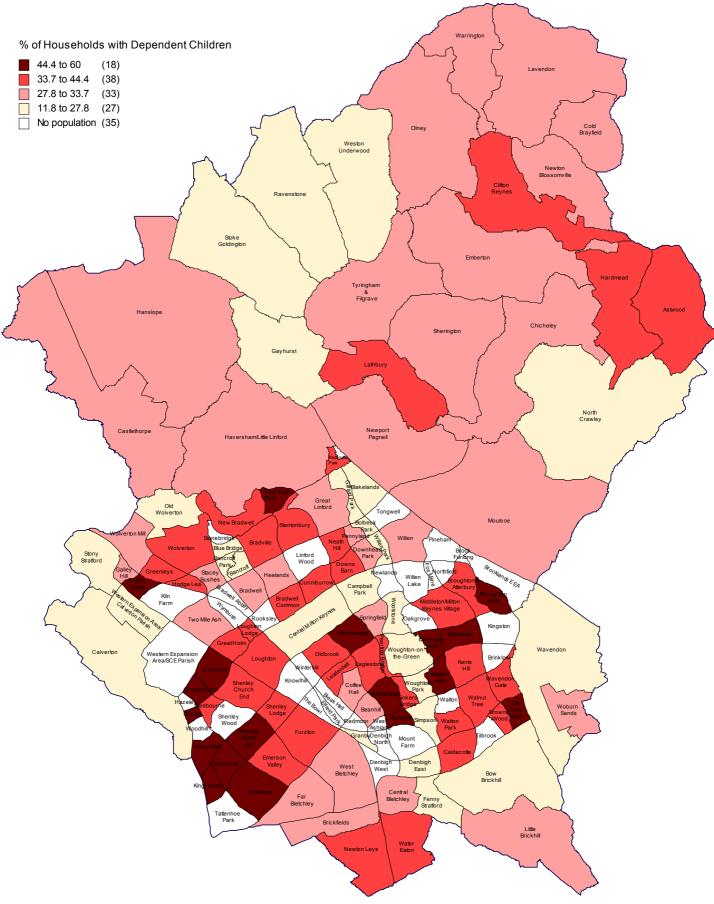


Granby (71.1%) has the highest percentage of households who are single person households. Central Milton Keynes (51.4%) has the second highest percentage. Both of these estates have a very high proportion of flats. Stacey Bushes (42.2%), Fenny Stratford (40.5%) and Willen Park (40.2%) also have a high percentage.

Map 2: % of Households - All Persons Aged 65+ % All Residents in Household Aged Over 65+ 20.9 to 42.4 (30) 14.5 to 20.9 (34)8.3 to 14.5 (18) 0 to 8.3 (34) No population (35) Newport Pagnell

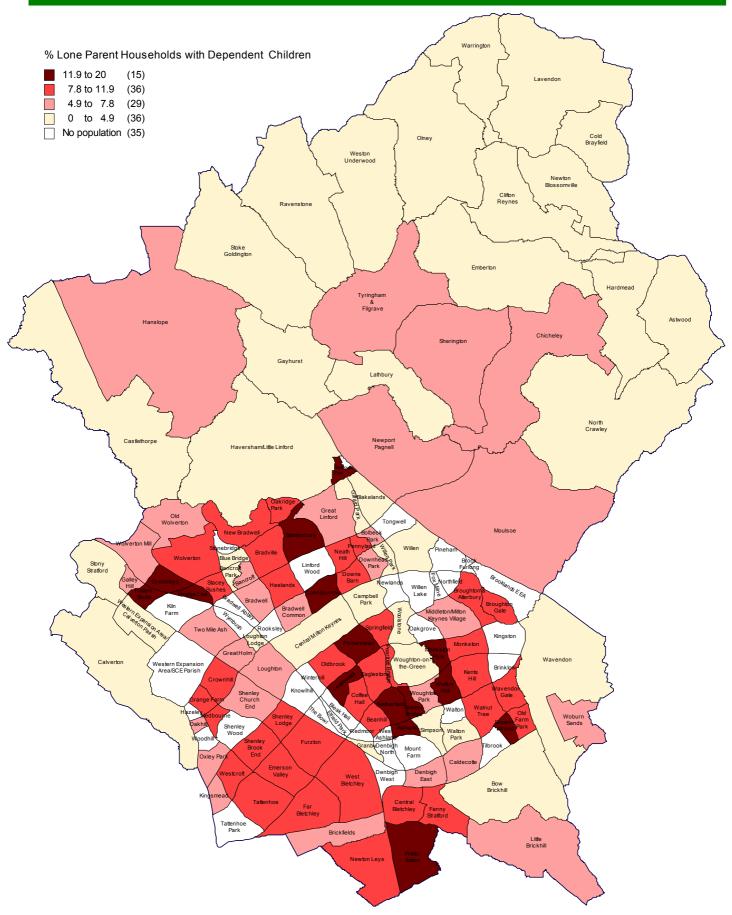
Rural areas and more established areas in the urban area such as Bletchley and Stony Stratford have a high percentage of households which are all persons aged 65+. Areas with the highest percentage include Walton Park (42.4%), Old Wolverton (32.4%), Bow Brickhill (29.7%), Stoke Goldington (29.1%), Woughton Park (28.8%) and North Crawley (28.4%).

Map 3: % of Households – With Dependent Children



Newer areas in the city tend to have the highest percentage of households with dependent children. Estates with more than half of households containing dependent children include Kingsmead (57.6%), Oakhill (54.9%), Shenley Brook End (54.4%), Westcroft (53.8%), Monkston (51.5%) and Oxley Park (51.4%).

Map 4: % of Households – Lone Parent Households with Dependent Children



Estates with the highest proportion of lone parent households with dependent children include Fullers Slade (19.6%), Netherfield (18.1%), Fishermead (16.0%) and Ashland (14.5%).