Gypsies and travellers

Why is it important?

Gypsies and travellers may be more susceptible to poor health and less likely to seek health care. Gypsies and travellers should be able to access the same treatments and care as anyone else.

A report by the Traveller Movement, commissioned by the National Inclusion Health Board, published in January 2016 looked at how the living conditions of Gypsies and Travellers lead to poor health.

Source: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/gypsy-and-traveller-health-accommodation-and-living-environment

The Barnsley picture and how do we compare

Count of Traveller Caravans January 2019, Lookup

Select Area: Barnsley

		Authorised sites (with planning permission)				Unauthorised sites (without planning permission)				
		Socially Rented Caravans [1]	Private Caravans		All Private Caravans	No. of Caravans on Sites on Travellers' own land		No. of Caravans on Sites on land not owned by Travellers		Total All Caravans
Year	Month		Temporary Planning Permission	Permanent Planning Permission		"Tolerated"	"Not tolerated"	"Tolerated"	"Not tolerated"	
2016	January	44	3	107	110	10	0	0	0	164
	July	41	4	98	102	6	5	4	1	159
2017	January	46	1	102	103	14	0	0	0	163
	July	46	1	47	48	14	0	0	0	108
2018	January	46	0	67	67	10	0	0	0	123
	July	52	0	43	43	1	0	0	0	96
2019	January	46	0	62	62	0	0	0	0	108

Source: Live Table 1

1. Previously referred to as local authority sites. Includes sites owned by Private Registered Providers

* At least one site within this local authority has been imputed from previous years' data

Local authority names correct at time of count

Source : https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/traveller-caravan-count-january-2019

What we're doing and the assets and services we have

https://www.berneslaihomes.co.uk/your-home/your-estate/gypsy-and-traveller-sites/

https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/services/housing/gypsy-and-traveller-sites/

Resources and supporting documentation

https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/search/gypsy#page/3/gid/1/pat/6/par/E12000003/ati/102/are/E08000016/iid/90826/age/217/sex/4