



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.

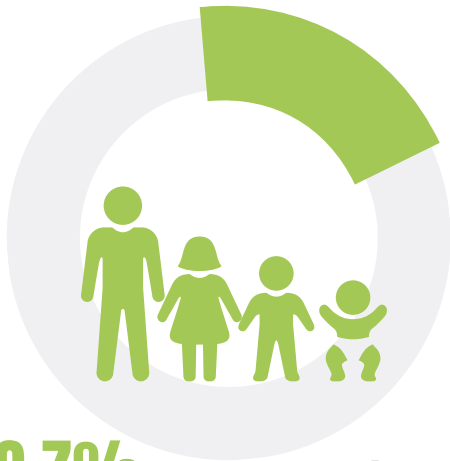
Estimated population of Auchinairn in 2021

was **5,709**

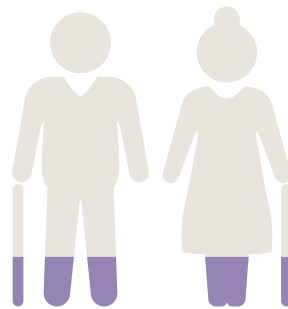
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of East Dunbartonshire's population



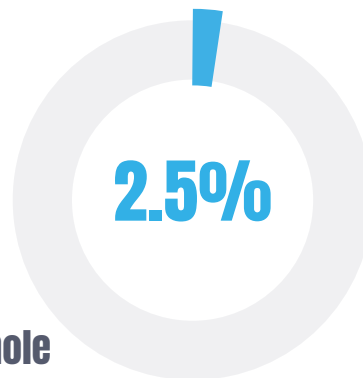
19.7% of the population are aged **0-15**, this is **2%** higher than East Dunbartonshire's average



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



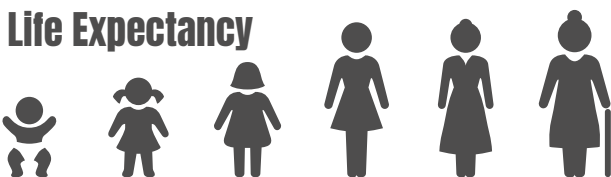
In 2020, alcohol related hospital admissions Auchinairn were **705** per **100,000** population



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

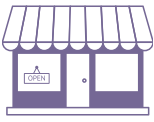


| Action | Who is the action carried out by | Resources Allocated | How will impact be assessed | Timescale |
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| Increase support for young people through youth work activities in partnership with local community groups where possible | <ul style="list-style-type: 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 |
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| 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 |
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| 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 |
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| 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 |

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| 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)

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| 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 |
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| 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 |
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| 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 |