

# Community report

## Hunters Hill (A)

Prepared from Community Explorer topic selections for briefing, planning and reporting use.

AREA

**Hunters Hill (A)**

COMPARISON

**Greater Sydney**

POPULATION

**Persons**

GENERATED

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### Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

**01** Need for assistance

### Sources and method

- Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2021 and, where available, 2016 comparison data.
- Percentages are calculated from the denominator supplied for each topic. Change (pp) is the 2021 percentage minus the 2016 percentage when the topic is comparable across years.
- Usual residence topics describe where people usually live, rather than where they were counted on Census night.

# Need for assistance

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## Key takeaway

In 2021, 85+ year olds was the most common age group among residents who needed assistance with core activities in Hunters Hill (A), accounting for 33.2% (244 people). This share was lower than Greater Sydney (48.7%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in 85+ year olds, which decreased by 175 people and 23 percentage points.

## About this topic

Need for assistance measures people who report needing help with self-care, body movement, or communication because of a disability, a long-term health condition, or older age. It is a high-needs indicator rather than a general measure of disability.

This topic is useful for planning accessible facilities, care services, respite, and support for carers. The measure is based on self-report in the Census, so it should be interpreted with care and read alongside unpaid care and other disability-related indicators.

## Interpretation notes

- The measure is self-reported and records need for help with core activities, so it is not a complete measure of disability prevalence.
- It applies to all persons and is strongest as an indicator of higher support need when read with unpaid care and ageing data.

## Need for assistance with core activities by age

Hunters Hill (A) – Persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Sydney %	Count	%	Greater Sydney %	Count	pp
0-4	3	0.5%	1.3%	12	1.7%	1.1%	-9	-1.2
5-14	32	1.8%	3.4%	27	1.4%	2.7%	+5	+0.4
15-19	15	1.5%	2.7%	12	1.0%	2.2%	+3	+0.5
20-24	11	1.6%	1.8%	8	1.2%	1.5%	+3	+0.4
25-34	16	1.6%	1.3%	18	1.6%	1.2%	-2	0.0
35-44	17	1.1%	1.6%	20	1.2%	1.8%	-3	-0.1
45-54	28	1.4%	2.9%	28	1.4%	3.2%	0	0.0
55-64	43	2.5%	5.5%	40	2.4%	5.7%	+3	+0.1
65-74	66	4.4%	10.5%	68	4.8%	9.9%	-2	-0.4
75-84	157	15.6%	23.1%	199	23.2%	23.4%	-42	-7.6
85+	244	33.2%	48.7%	419	56.2%	50.4%	-175	-23.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>5.2%</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>6.0%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>	<b>-209</b>	<b>-1.3</b>

Data basis: usual residence.