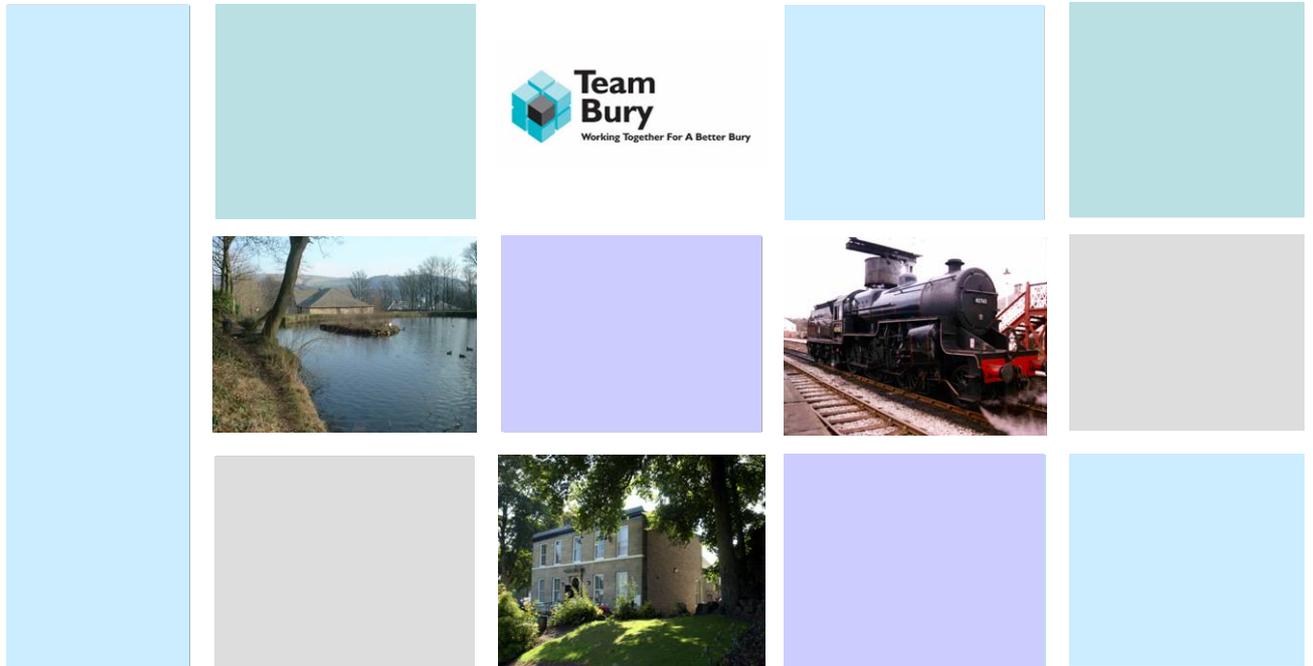


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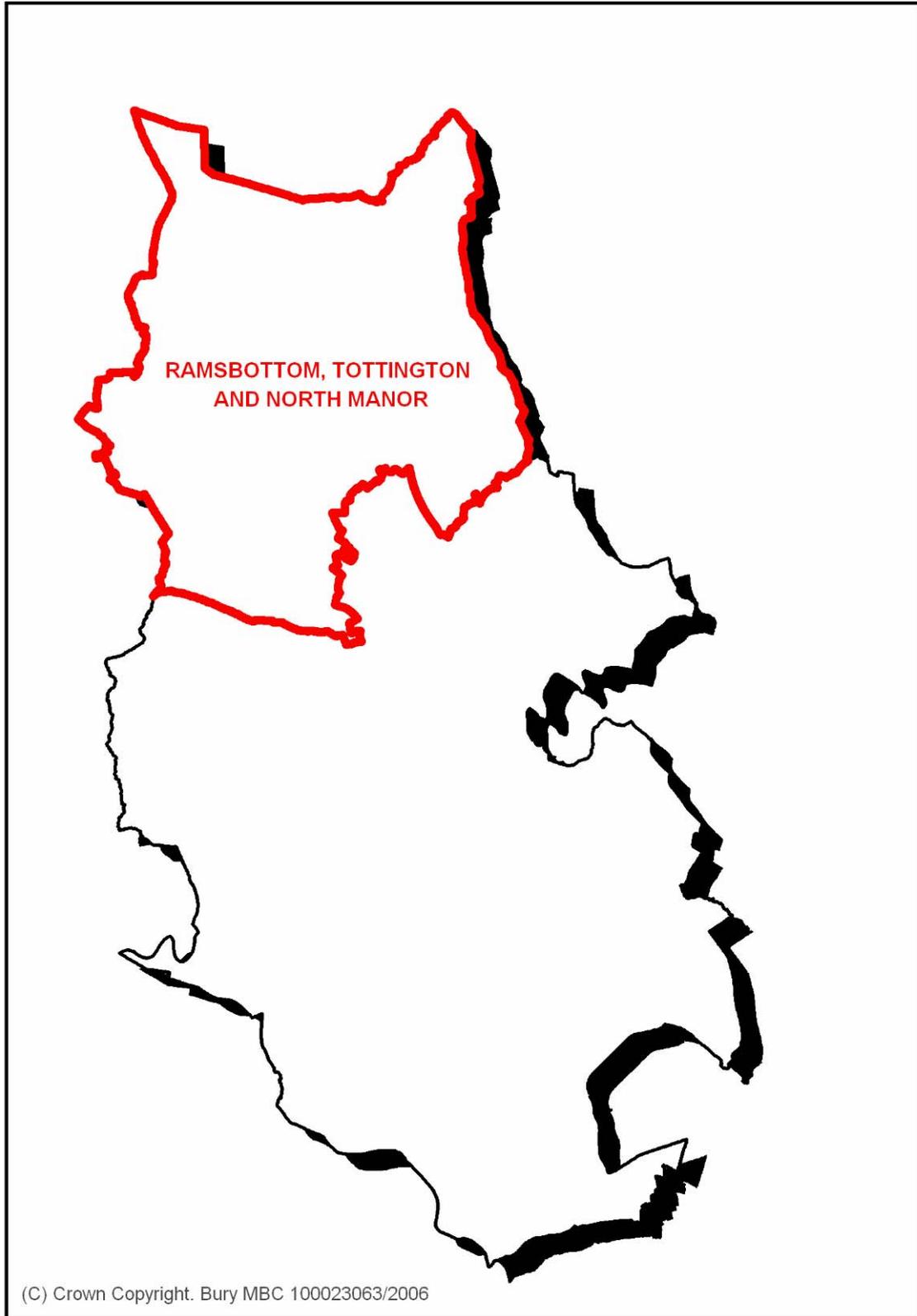
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# 1 Introduction

## 1.1 Background

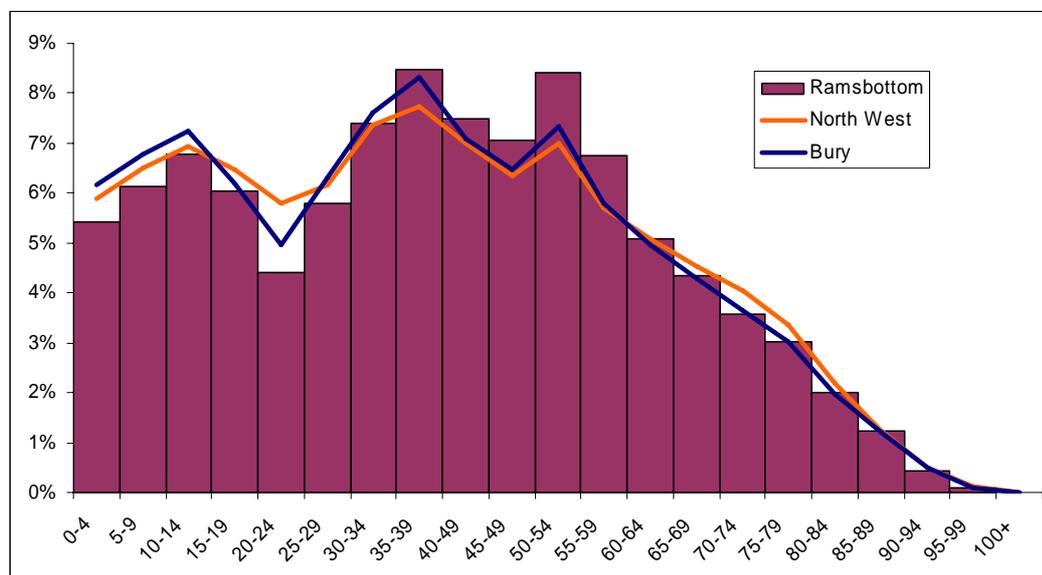
- 1.1.1 To enable the development of Bury's neighbourhood renewal strategy and to support effective neighbourhood management Team Bury has commissioned a detailed report on each of the borough's six Local Area Partnerships.
- 1.1.2 For conciseness Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has been abbreviated to RTNM in tables within this document.
- 1.1.3 These reports are based around the Index of Multiple Deprivation (IMD) but include other data set from other bodies such as the council, Police and PCT.
- 1.1.4 IMD is a measure of deprivation and has seven distinct dimensions which are experienced by individuals living in the area. This report is structured around these seven domains of deprivation.
- 1.1.5 The IMD reports at the Super Output Area (SOA) Level, an area defined within the Census and represents on average around 1,500 residents. Where available and statistically valid the report reports the data to this level of granularity. Where other relevant data does not allow SOA analysis they have been used to report at the Local Area Partnership Level.



## 2 Demographic Overview

2.1.1 The resident population of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor at the time of the last census was 31,588, representing 17% of Bury's population.

2.1.2 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor had a older profile than the borough and the North West as a whole, and its residents had the highest average age of all the Local Area Partnerships. The most noticeable difference is that there is an under representation of residents in the 20-34 age group, and an over representation in the 35-59 age group.



	RTNM	Bury	North West
Average Age	39.3	38.1	38.6
Median Age	38.0	36.0	37

(Source: Census 2001)

2.1.3 Bury as a whole mirrors quite closely the ethnicity of the North West region. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has the lowest percentage of non-white residents of any of the Local Area Partnerships.

	RTNM	Bury	North West
White: British	95%	91%	92%
White: Irish	1%	2%	1%
White: Other	1%	1%	1%
Asian (/British): Pakistani	1%	3%	2%
Other	2%	3%	4%

All groups that represent less than 1% have been aggregated into "Other".

(Source: Census 2001)

2.1.4 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor had the highest proportion of adults who were employed of all the Local Area Partnerships.

	RTNM	Bury	North West
Employed	68%	63%	58%
Unemployed	2%	3%	4%
Retired	14%	13%	14%
Students	6%	6%	7%
Looking after home / family	4%	5%	6%
Permanently sick	5%	7%	8%
Other economically inactive	2%	3%	3%

(Source: Census 2001)

2.1.5 When residents were asked to describe their health over the preceding 12 months, 72% described their health as 'good'. This compares favourably to all the other Local Area Partnerships; the overall average for Bury was 68%.

(Source: Census 2001)

2.1.6 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor had the highest percentage of households without any children.

	RTNM	Bury	North West
Lone Pensioner	13%	14%	15%
One family, all pensioners	9%	8%	8%
Lone Adult	13%	15%	16%
Couple, dependent children	25%	23%	21%
Couple, non-dependent children	8%	7%	7%
Couple, no children	21%	17%	16%
Lone Parent, dependent children	5%	7%	8%
Lone Parent, non-dependent children	3%	3%	3%
Other household with dependent children	1%	2%	2%

(Source: Census 2001)

2.1.7 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor had the equal lowest level of overcrowding of any of the Local Area Partnerships with 3.4% of households overcrowded. (Average 4.9%)

(Source: Census 2001)

2.1.8 There is relatively high levels of home ownership, whether outright or with a mortgage in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor.

	RTNM	Bury	North West
Own Outright	35%	30%	30%
Own with mortgage	50%	45%	39%
Shared ownership	0%	0%	1%
Rented, Council	6%	11%	14%
Rented, Housing Assoc	1%	5%	7%
Rented, Private Landlord	4%	6%	8%
Rented, Other	2%	3%	3%

*(Source: Census 2001)*

## 3 Index of Multiple Deprivation

### 3.1 Definition

3.1.1 The IMD 2004 is a measure of deprivation at a small area level. The model of multiple deprivation which underpins the IMD 2004 is based on the idea of distinct dimensions of deprivation which can be recognised and measured separately. These include domains such as employment, health and education. These are experienced by individuals living in an area.

3.1.2 Each dimension is measured independently using the best indicators available to generate a score of domain index. The overall IMD is conceptualised as a weighted area level aggregation of these specific dimensions of deprivation. The weightings are given as:

• Income Deprivation	22.5%
• Employment Deprivation	22.5%
• Health Deprivation	13.5%
• Education, Skills and Training Deprivation	13.5%
• Barriers to Housing	9.3%
• Living Environment Deprivation	9.3%
• Crime	9.3%

3.1.3 The index reports at a small area called Super Output Areas (SOA), which represent around 1,500 residents. In England there are 32,482 SOAs; each is given a rank on each domain of deprivation where a rank of 1 is the most deprived area, and the area with a rank of 32,482 is the least deprived. The indices facilitate comparative assessment of the relative position of small areas, they do not measure absolute change.

3.1.4 There are 120 SOAs in the borough. In Bury the SOA with the highest level of deprivation was Chesham Fold in Bury East which ranked 595 on the national scale. Overall 11 SOAs in Bury fell within the 10% most deprived nationally and 24 fell within the top 20%. The most deprived SOAs were widely dispersed across the Borough, the main concentrations being in East Bury, Radcliffe and the former Besses Ward.

3.1.5 At the other end of the scale, the least deprived SOA is based around the Holcombe Road area in Tottington. This SOA was ranked 30,447 out of a total of 32,482 SOAs nationally. Only 3 SOAs in Bury fell within the 10% least deprived nationally, and a total of 7 SOAs fell within the 20% least deprived areas.

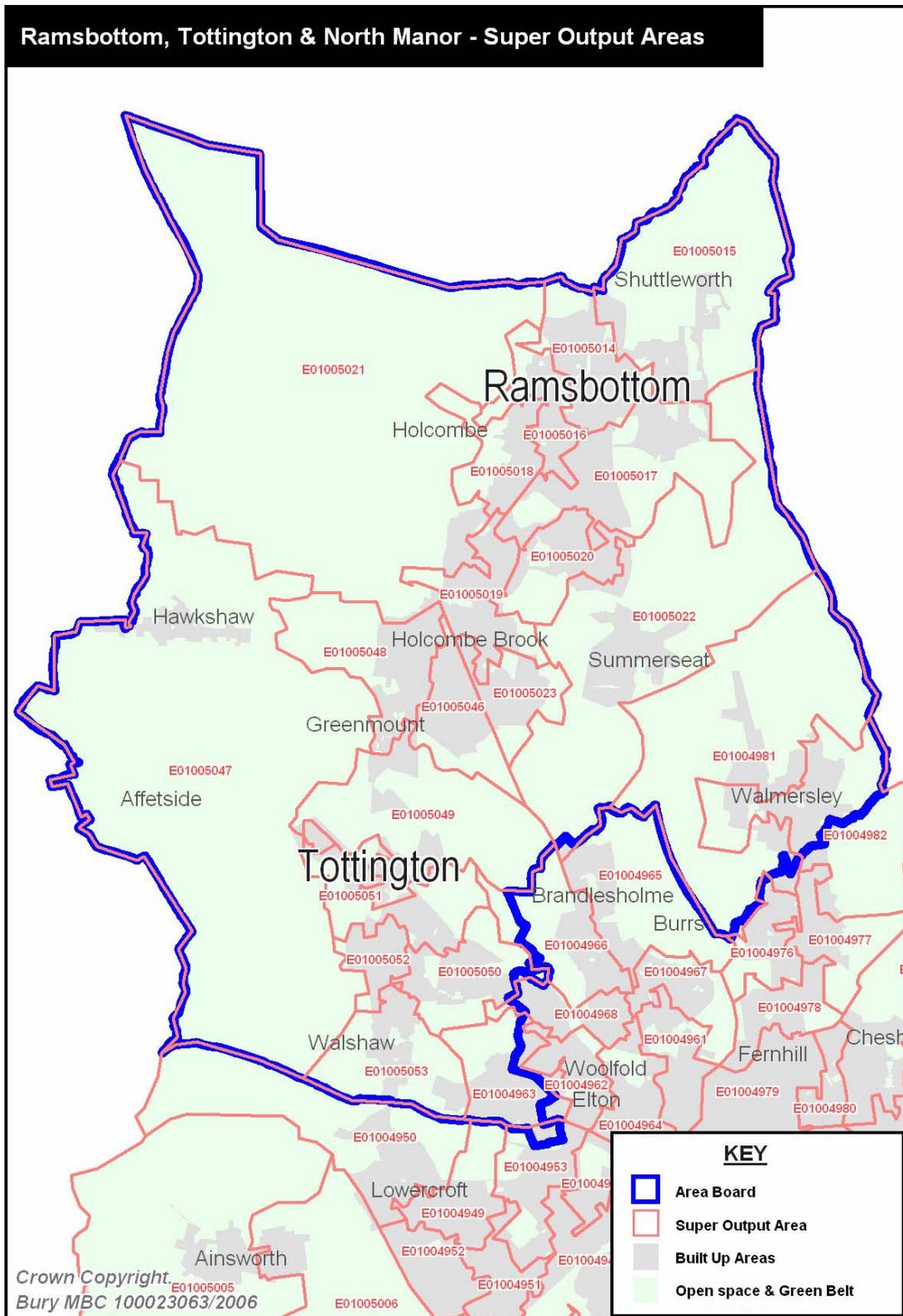
3.1.6 A feature of the data in Bury is the relative proximity of extreme values.

- 3.1.7 Data on each of the domains indicated that Bury performed relatively well in the Education and Housing domains, but less well on the indicators for Health, Crime and Living Environment compared to the national picture.
- 3.1.8 Summary measures of the Index of Deprivation (ID 2004) are presented at District Level. Bury's IMD average score gave it a national rank order of 97 out of 342 districts in England. Despite its relative affluence in comparison to its neighbours in Greater Manchester, Bury is actually quite deprived. This shows particularly on the national scale for local concentration for which Bury was ranked 81st nationally and on the two measures of income deprivation and employment deprivation, in which Bury ranked 82nd and 72nd respectively. On all three of these measures Bury was within the 25% most deprived districts in the country.
- 3.1.9 If you require any further information, please contact Kathy Hoyle, Research and Consultation Co-ordinator, Chief Executive's Dept. Tel 0161 253 5121, email [k.hoyle@bury.gov.uk](mailto:k.hoyle@bury.gov.uk).

### 3.2 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor

3.2.1 Each of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's 21 SOAs has been allocated a geographical description.

<b>SOA Code</b>	<b>Name</b>
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre
E01005015	Shuttleworth
E01005016	Pinner Street/ Top Wood/ Carr
E01005017	Nuttall Park
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane
E01005021	Holcombe Moor
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, Summerseat
E01005023	Newcombe Road Higher Summerseat
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington
E01005048	Holcombe Road area, Greenmount
E01005049	Tottington Village
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees
E01005052	Booth Farm estate
E01005053	Walshaw



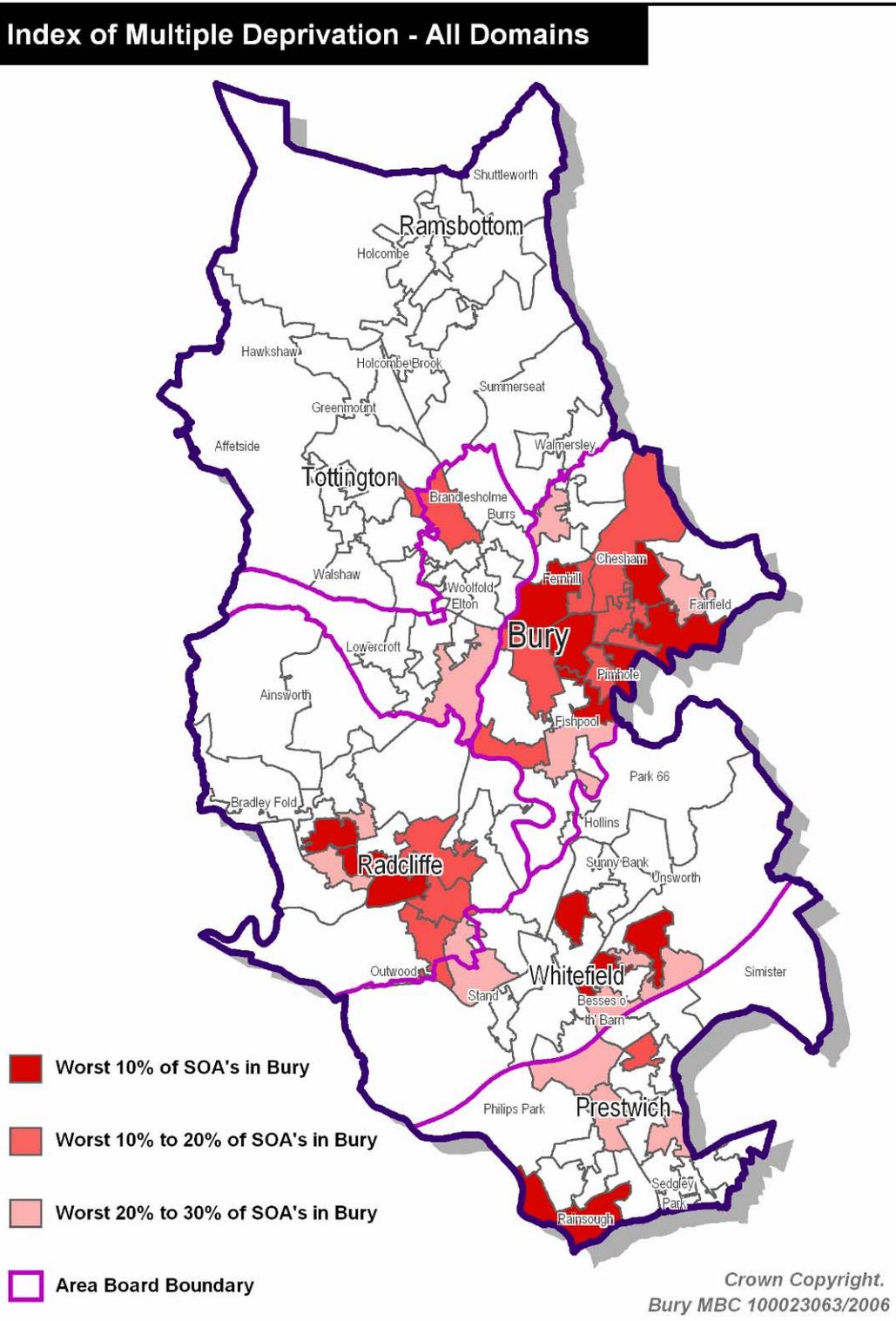


### 3.3 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's Index of Multiple Deprivation

- 3.3.1 The data from the IMD shows there is little relative deprivation in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor when compared the borough as a whole.
- 3.3.2 None of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA fall within the borough's 30% most deprived. While 11 (52%) fall within the borough's 30% least deprived.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
0%	0%	52%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Top 30% of England
0%	0%	27%



### 3.4 SOA Rankings

- 3.4.1 Only two of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs do not fall within the borough's 50% least deprived. Shuttleworth and Tagg Wood Estate are ranked 47<sup>th</sup> and 55<sup>th</sup> out of 120 respectively.
- 3.4.2 None of the SOAs fall into the 30% most deprived neighbourhoods for the Income, Employment, Health or Education domains.
- 3.4.3 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has two SOAs in the 30% most deprived SOAs, in the Crime and Living domains.
- 3.4.4 Barriers to Housing & Services domain is defined by access to housing ownership and access to essential local services. As a relatively affluent area and less urban area than other parts of Bury, Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor appears relatively deprived on this domain.
- 3.4.5 The table ranks each SOA within the whole borough. A rank of 1 shows the neighbourhood is the most deprived and a rank of 120 indicates the SOA is the least deprived in the borough.

SOA	SOA Description	Overall	Income	Employment	Health	Education	Housing	Crime	Living
E01005015	Shuttleworth	47	40	40	41	50	36	59	63
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	55	48	48	45	56	86	76	43
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	64	83	82	83	80	89	11	28
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	66	67	56	68	96	17	61	57
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	68	64	80	55	106	21	43	65
E01005053	Walshaw	71	65	71	61	66	53	81	62
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	76	82	64	72	63	33	71	93
E01005016	Piners Street/ Top Wood	78	91	87	80	75	111	35	24
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	79	95	105	78	52	23	48	49
E01005017	Nuttall park	84	79	90	90	85	29	66	73
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	90	72	78	86	81	38	112	109
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl	97	89	88	103	93	22	91	112
E01005049	Tottington Village	99	105	94	114	103	27	74	82
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	100	101	92	112	101	19	103	87
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	101	87	118	109	114	1	119	100
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	104	117	114	110	119	5	72	99
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	112	106	93	105	88	40	106	115
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	113	113	120	117	110	8	83	104
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	116	116	119	113	112	6	104	120
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	119	115	108	118	117	116	115	107
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	120	120	116	120	120	73	96	116

Lowest 10% of Bury's SOAs

Lowest 20% of Bury's SOAs

Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

## 4 Income

### 4.1 **Definition**

4.1.1 Only 10% (2) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough's 50% most deprived on Income Domain of the IMD. Neither of these fall within 30% least deprived SOAs.

4.1.2 57% (12) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough's 30% least deprived, and 24% (5) fall within the 10% least deprived.

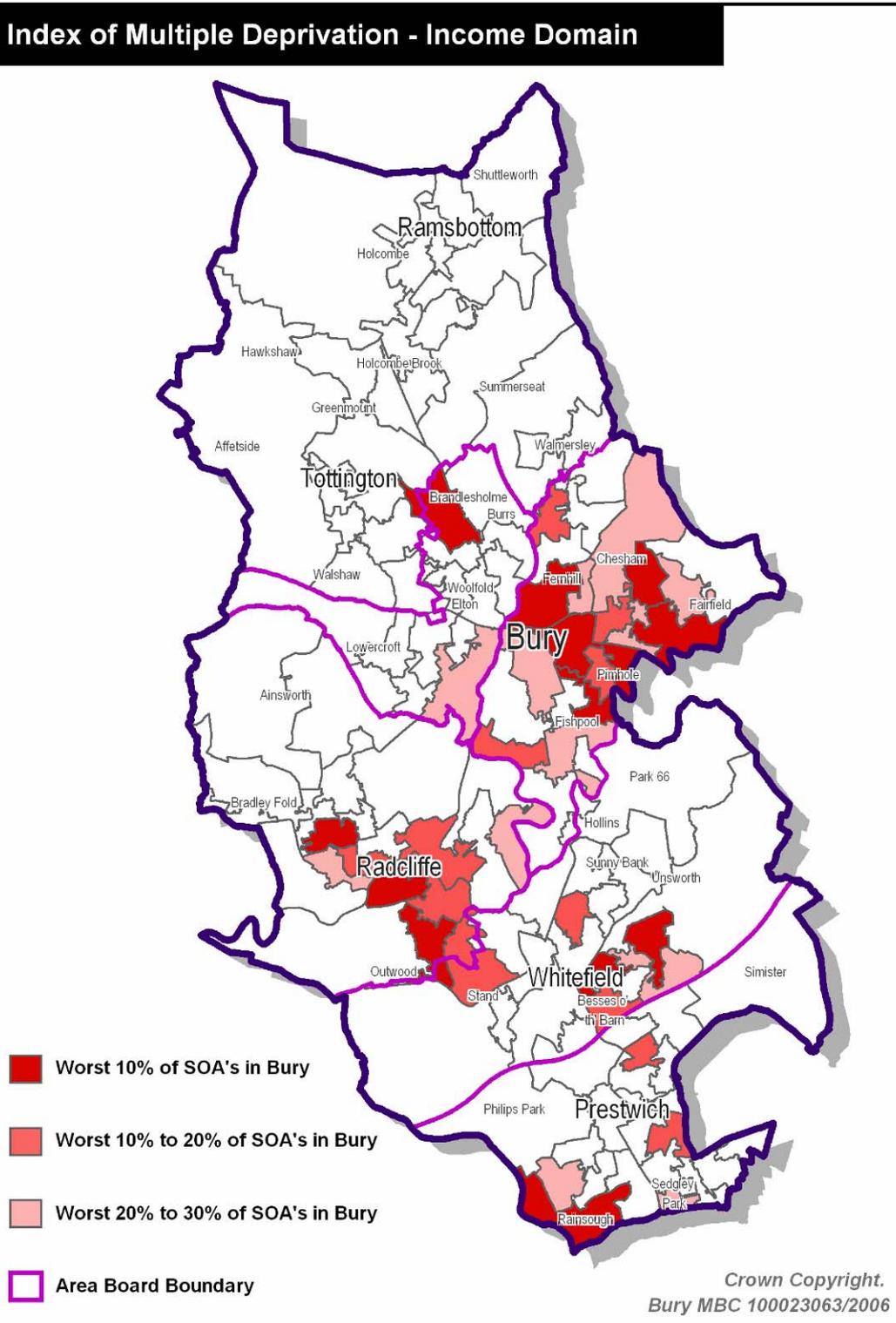
4.1.3 A similar result is shown when Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor is compared against the England's SOAs.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 50% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
0%	10%	57%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 50% of England	Top 30% of England
0%	14%	52%

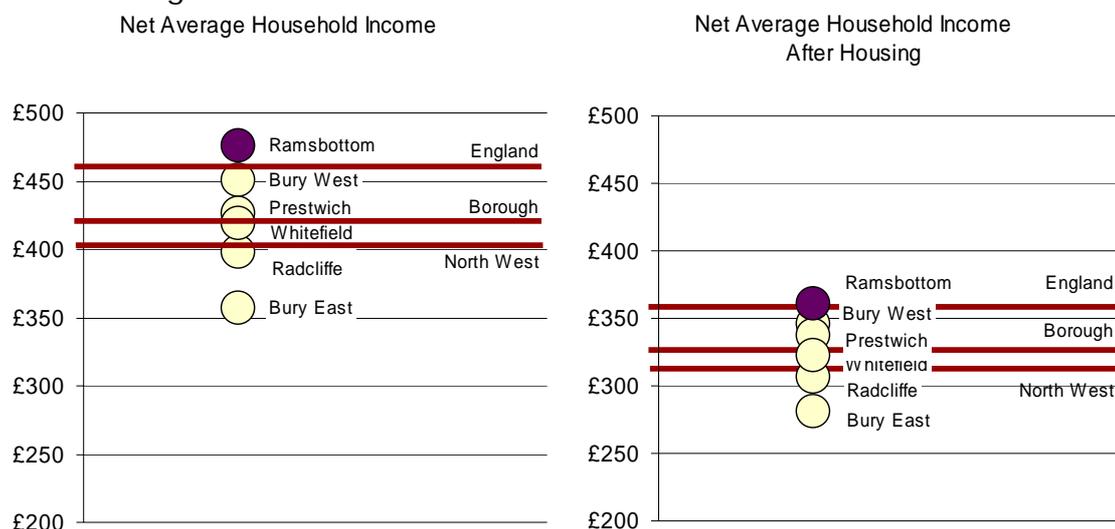
4.1.4 The purpose of this domain is to capture the proportion of the population experiencing income deprivation in an area; the domain is constructed using number of Adults and Children living in families receiving:

- Income based Job Seekers Allowance
- Income Support
- Working Tax Credit
- Disabled Person's Tax Credit
- National Asylum seekers in receipt of subsistence only and accommodation support



## 4.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

4.2.1 The Net Average Household Income for Bury is above the North West average. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor is the only Local Area Partnership in Bury with an average income greater the English average.



(source: Model Based Estimates April 01- March 02 from the ONS)

4.2.2 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has 18% of the borough's population but only 8% of the borough's families in receipt of benefits as defined in paragraph 4.1.3.

	% of Bury Population within LAP	% People in Families in receipt of benefit
Bury East	17%	29%
Bury West	12%	8%
Prestwich	18%	18%
Radcliffe	18%	21%
RTNM	18%	8%
W&U	16%	16%

(Source: 2002/03 data from Department for Communities and Local Government)

4.2.3 8% of children in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor Local Area Partnership are affected by income deprivation, compared to 19% across the borough.

	% of Children Affected by Income Deprivation
RTNM	8%
Bury	19%
North West	25%
England	21%

(Source: Office of Deputy Prime Minister, Relating to 2001)

% Children affected by Income Deprivation is defined by the percentage of children that live in families that are in receipt of income support, income based Jobseeker's Allowance, Working Families' Tax Credit or Disabled Person's Tax Credit below a given threshold.

4.2.4 9% of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's working age population claim some form of benefits compared to 15% of the borough as a whole.

4.2.5 The following table identifies claimants by the hierarchy of claims; where multiple benefits are claimed then only the primary reason is recorded. The hierarchy is defined by the order of reasons appearing in the table below. Thus, for example, the table doesn't fully indicate the number of those claiming lone parent benefits as some will be counted within the Job Seeker or Incapacity Benefits categories.

4.2.6 Bearing this in mind, Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has a lower percentage of claimants across all main benefit types when compared against Bury and the North West.

	Total	Job Seeker	Incapacity Benefits	Lone Parent	Carer	Others Income related benefit
RTNM	9%	1.0%	5%	0.6%	0.7%	0.5%
Bury	15%	2.1%	9%	1.7%	1.0%	0.3%
North West	18%	2.8%	10%	2.4%	1.2%	0.4%
England	14%	2.5%	7%	2.1%	1.0%	0.4%

*(Source: Number of claimants May 2006 – DWP Information Directorate, Working Age Population estimates Mid 2004 – Office of National Statistics)*

4.2.7 Across the borough 26% of those entitled to State Pension are claiming some level of Pension Credit. (Pension Credit is a payment to those pensioners whose income is below a certain level set by law). This is a similar level to the North West. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has 18% of pensioners claiming some level of pension credit.

	Pensioners claiming pension credit
RTNM	18%
Bury	26%
North West	28%
England	26%

*(Source: Number on Pension Credit May 2006 – DWP, Number of State Pension May 2006 - DWP)*

### 4.3 SOA Analysis

4.3.1 The table shows four broad areas of Income Deprivation; how many families it affects, what proportion of children it affects, what proportion of working aged adults are claiming benefits and the proportion of pensioners that qualify and apply for pension credit. Each of these areas of Income Deprivation is correlated with the others; in the same SOAs you find high levels of children affected by Income Deprivation, high levels of working adults claiming benefits and high levels of pensioners claiming pension credit.

4.3.2 The table would suggest income deprivation is not a significant issue in any part of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor, though this kind of analysis does not look at individuals within each neighbourhood.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	No. People in Families in receipt of benefits	% of Children that are affected by Income Deprivation	% Working Age Adults claiming benefits					% on Pension Credit
					Job Seeker	Incap. Benefit	Lone Parent	Carer	Other Income Related	
E01005015	Shuttleworth	40	245	20%	2.2%	9.3%	2.2%	1.1%	0.0%	41%
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	48	160	20%	2.4%	8.3%	2.4%	0.6%	0.0%	29%
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	64	130	6%	1.1%	9.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	39%
E01005053	Walshaw	65	130	17%	0.9%	7.0%	0.9%	0.9%	0.5%	23%
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	67	125	9%	1.8%	8.8%	1.2%	0.6%	0.0%	21%
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	72	95	10%	0.6%	6.4%	0.6%	1.2%	0.0%	21%
E01005017	Nuttall park	79	115	11%	0.9%	5.1%	0.5%	0.9%	0.0%	23%
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	82	110	8%	2.7%	6.6%	1.6%	0.5%	0.0%	15%
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	83	115	12%	1.6%	5.3%	1.6%	1.1%	0.0%	25%
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	87	65	3%	0.5%	2.7%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	15%
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl	89	80	8%	1.1%	6.8%	0.6%	1.1%	0.0%	10%
E01005016	Pinner Street/ Top Wood	91	100	10%	0.9%	3.3%	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%	21%
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	95	105	8%	1.0%	5.4%	1.0%	1.0%	0.0%	25%
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	101	80	7%	0.6%	5.1%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	14%
E01005049	Tottington Village	105	55	4%	0.5%	5.0%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	14%
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	106	40	4%	0.5%	4.6%	0.0%	1.0%	0.0%	10%
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	113	30	3%	1.3%	1.9%	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%	8%
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	115	30	1%	0.0%	3.8%	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%	9%
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	116	25	3%	1.0%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	11%
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	117	60	2%	0.0%	3.3%	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%	14%
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	120	20	1%	0.9%	3.1%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	4%

Lowest 10% of Bury's SOAs

Lowest 20% of Bury's SOAs

Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

## 5 Employment

### 5.1 Definition

5.1.1 None of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough's 30% most deprived SOAs on the Economic domain of the IMD.

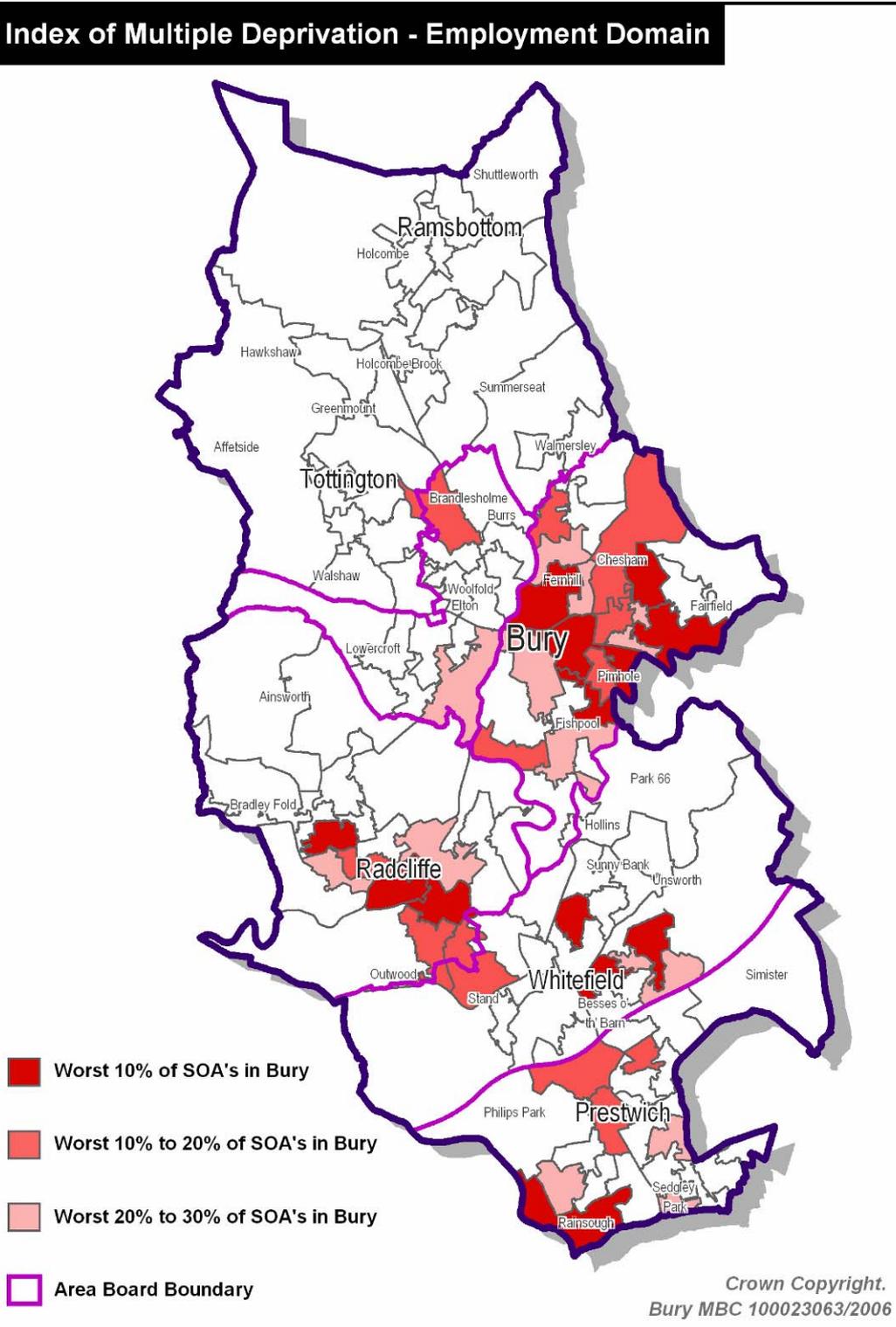
5.1.2 62% (13) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough 30% least deprived SOAs.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
0%	0%	62%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Top 30% of England
0%	5%	27%

5.1.3 This domain measures employment deprivation conceptualised as involuntary exclusion of the working age population from the world of work and is constructed of the following factors:

- Unemployment claimant count of the working age population averaged over 4 quarters
- Incapacity Benefit claimants of the working age population
- Severe Disablement Allowance claimants of the working age population
- Participants in New Deal for 18-24 who are not included in claimant count
- Participants in New Deal for 25+ who are not included in the claimant count
- Participants in New Deal for Lone Parents aged 18 and over.



## 5.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

5.2.1 Many claimants claim multiple forms of benefit and analysis becomes confused due to double counting but the Department for Work and Pensions provides information on the primary reason why people claim benefit.

5.2.2 The borough of Bury has fewer people of working age claiming job seeking related benefits than the national average, but more people claiming incapacity type benefits. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor is significantly below the average for both Job Seeking type benefits and Incapacity Benefits.

	Job Seeking Benefits	Incapacity Benefits
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>
Bury	2.1%	8.6%
North West	2.8%	9.9%
Great Britain	2.5%	6.8%

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

5.2.3 Those claiming job seeking benefits in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor tend to be older, and are slightly more likely to be male than the borough as a whole.

Table: Age and Gender distribution of Job Seekers Benefit Claimants

	Age Group			Gender	
	16-24	25-49	50+	Male	Female
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>24%</b>
Bury	33%	51%	16%	73%	27%
North West	33%	53%	15%	75%	25%
Great Britain	30%	54%	16%	74%	26%

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

5.2.4 As with the Job Seekers, those claiming Incapacity Benefits in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor tend to be older, but are marginally more likely to be female.

Table: Age and Gender distribution of Incapacity Benefit Claimants

	Age Group				Gender	
	16-24	25-49	50-59	60+	Male	Female
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>43%</b>
Bury	6%	47%	34%	12%	59%	41%
North West	6%	46%	35%	13%	58%	42%
Great Britain	6%	47%	34%	13%	58%	42%

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

5.2.5 Of those claiming Incapacity Benefit in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor 10.5% are in receipt of Severe Disablement Allowance; this is relatively high when compared to the borough as a whole or the North West.

	Incapacity Benefit	Severe Disablement Allowance
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>89.5%</b>	<b>10.5%</b>
Bury	91.1%	8.9%
North West	90.9%	9.1%
Great Britain	89.7%	10.3%

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

5.2.6 And there appears to be little difference in terms of how long people have been on Incapacity Benefit between Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor and the rest of the borough.

	< 6 months	6 – 12 months	1 – 2 years	2 – 5 years	5+ years
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>57%</b>
Bury	8%	6%	9%	22%	56%
North West	8%	5%	9%	21%	57%
Great Britain	9%	6%	9%	22%	55%

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

5.2.7 In terms of the type of condition, Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor claimants suffer less from Mental Health Care issues and more from muscular-skeletal issues than the borough as a whole.

	Mental	Nervous System	Resp/ Circul.	Musco-skeletal	Injury / Poison.	Oth.
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>19%</b>
Bury	46%	6%	7%	18%	6%	18%
North West	41%	5%	9%	18%	5%	21%
Great Britain	40%	6%	8%	18%	6%	22%

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

5.2.8 New Deal is a scheme to enable people to get back to work. There are exceptions but generally those under the age of 25 go on to New Deal if they have been claiming Job Seekers Allowance for more than 6 months and those over 25 if they have been claiming Job Seekers Allowance for more than 2 years.

5.2.9 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's working age population constitute 18% of the borough's working population, but its residents represent 9% of the borough's New Deal participants.

	Type of New Deal			Total	
	Young People	25 year plus	Lone Parent	Number	Percentage (vs working age population)
Bury East	150	75	195	420	32% (17%)
Bury West	39	12	69	120	9% (12%)
Prestwich	45	24	108	177	13% (18%)
Radcliffe	87	36	168	291	22% (18%)
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>9% (18%)</b>
W&U	54	21	123	198	15% (17%)

(Source: May 2006 DWP Information Directorate)

### 5.3 SOA Analysis

5.3.1 There are large variations in the proportion of adult population claiming Job Seekers benefits and Incapacity Benefits by SOA.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	% Job Seeker	% Incapacity Benefit
E01005015	Shuttleworth	40	2.2%	9.3%
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	48	2.4%	8.3%
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	56	1.8%	8.8%
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	64	2.7%	6.6%
E01005053	Walshaw	71	0.9%	7.0%
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	78	0.6%	6.4%
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	80	1.1%	9.3%
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	82	1.6%	5.3%
E01005016	Pinner Street/ Top Wood	87	0.9%	3.3%
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd	88	1.1%	6.8%
E01005017	Nuttall park	90	0.9%	5.1%
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	92	0.6%	5.1%
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	93	0.5%	4.6%
E01005049	Tottington Village	94	0.5%	5.0%
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	105	1.0%	5.4%
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	108	0.0%	3.8%
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	114	0.0%	3.3%
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	116	0.9%	3.1%
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	118	0.5%	2.7%
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	119	1.0%	2.9%
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	120	1.3%	1.9%

Lowest 10% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 20% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

*(Please note the New Deal information was not available by SOA.)*

5.3.2 The Job Seeker and Incapacity Benefit statistics here are more up to date data than the IMD ranking statistic.

5.3.3 Though no SOAs in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor appear in the 30% most deprived neighbourhoods in terms of the Employment domain there are still some SOAs with Job Seeker Allowance and Incapacity Benefit claimants above the Borough averages of 2.1% and 8.6% respectively.

5.3.4 Though prosperous they is still a wide variation of employment within Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor itself.

## 6 Health

### 6.1 Definition

6.1.1 The Health Domain of the IMD shows none of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough's 30% most deprived. 57% (12) fall within the borough's 30% least deprived.

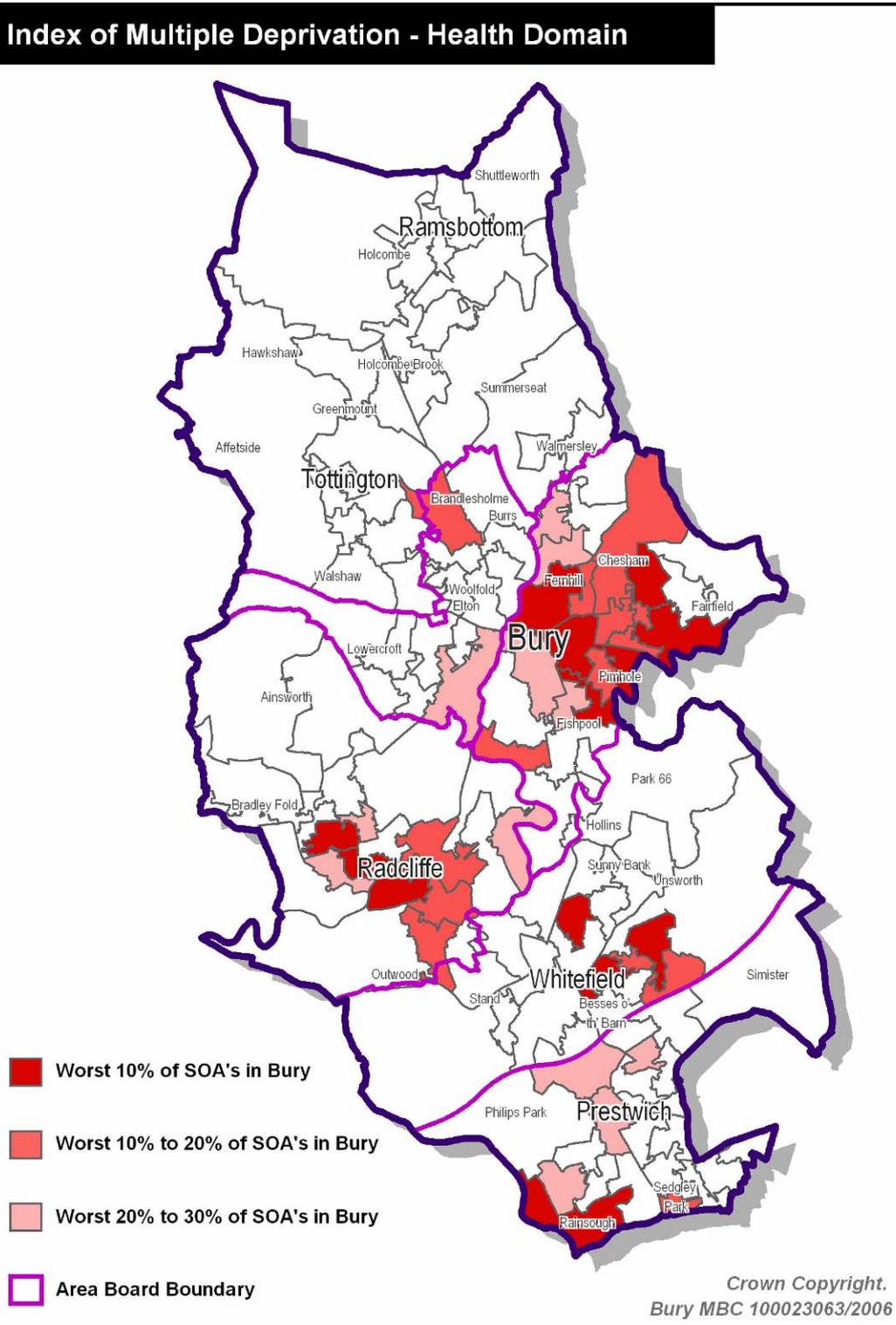
6.1.2 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor compares relatively well with the borough as a whole, but Bury as a whole does poorly when compared to England. None of the borough's SOAs fall within England's 30% least deprived neighbourhoods. Only 38% (8) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA fall within England's 50% least deprived neighbourhoods.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
0%	0%	57%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Bottom 30% of England
0%	19%	0%

6.1.3 This domain identifies areas with relatively high rates of people who die prematurely or whose quality of life is impaired by poor health or who are disabled, across the whole population. In particular it uses the following factors:

- Years of Potential Life Lost.
- Comparative Illness and Disability Ratio.
- Measures of emergency admissions to hospital.
- Adults under 60 suffering from mood or anxiety disorders.

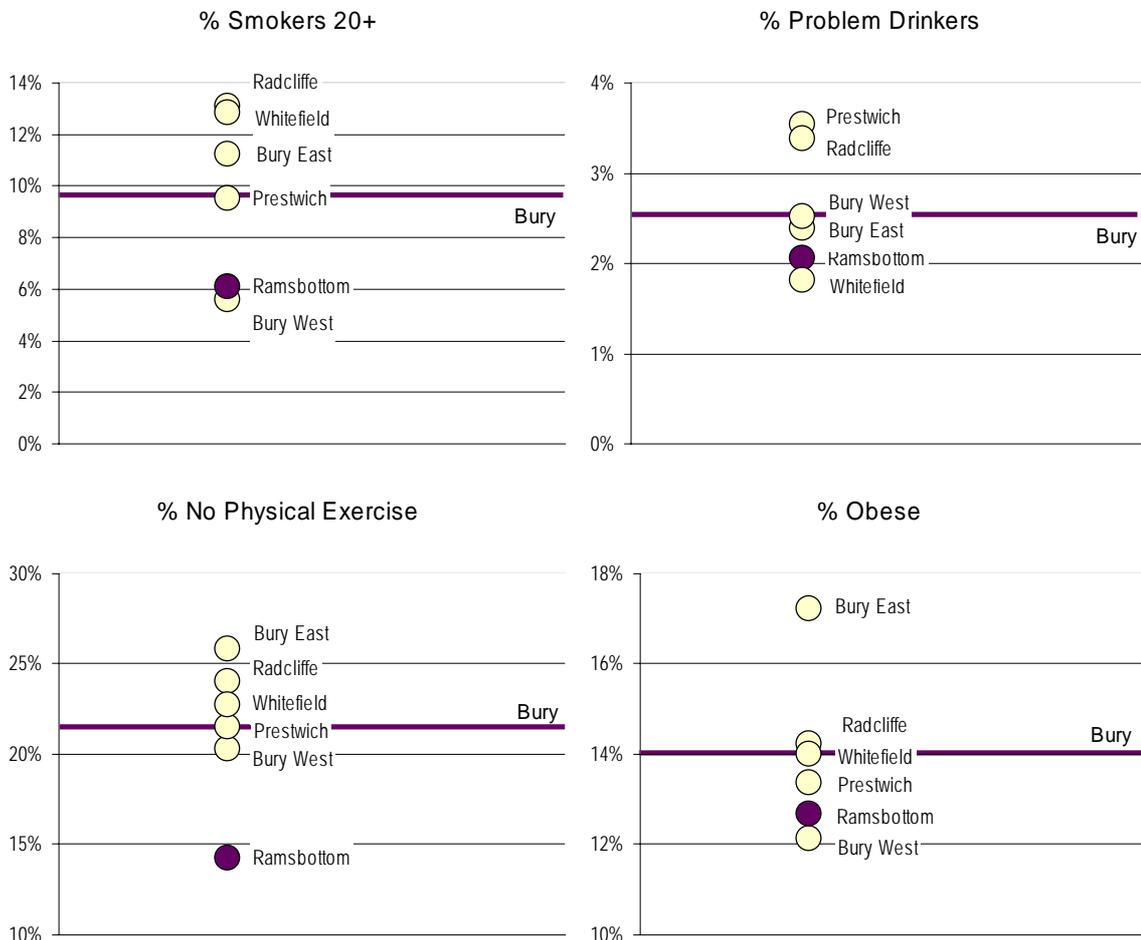




## 6.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

6.2.1 Bury PCT regularly conduct a Health Survey which provides prevalence of key lifestyle factors that contribute to ill health. The data below relates to the results of this survey. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor is shown to perform relatively well with its residents being some of the least likely to smoke more than 20 a day, some of the least likely to be problem drinkers, some of the least likely to be obese and the least likely to do no physical exercise.

6.2.2 Analysis at level does hide some variation with the Local Area Partnership. The percentage of problem drinkers is reported to be 4.4% in Tottington, and 0% in Ramsbottom.



(Source: Bury PCT Health Survey, 2005)

6.2.3 The PCT survey also provides some very high level indications of health in Bury. The results have been aggregated to Local Area Partnership level.

6.2.4 Poor Health was a self defined measure over the last 12 month period. Though this is a simple measure, the PCT Bury Health report states that "there is evidence that this measure... correlates with more complex measures and objective assessments of health". Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has the lowest percentage of residents stating they were in poor health of all the Local Area Partnerships.

6.2.5 The Department of Health defines mental health as "An individual's ability to manage and cope with stresses and challenges of life". The PCT survey included 12 questions used to measure the mental health of the population; a score is constructed from the questions and threshold has been defined over which the respondent has a potential mental health issue. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has one of the lowest incidence of mental health issues of the Local Area Partnerships.

	% Poor Health	% Mental Health	% 6+ visits to GP
Bury East	9.1%	21.7%	18.7%
Bury West	7.3%	15.8%	15.6%
Prestwich	8.4%	19.1%	15.7%
Radcliffe	12.0%	21.1%	17.6%
RTNM	6.4%	16.8%	13.6%
W&U	7.7%	20.3%	18.2%
Bury	8.6%	19.3%	16.6%

(Source: Bury PCT Health Survey, 2005)

6.2.6 The PCT survey also requested the number of times each respondee visited their GP. Across the borough 16.6% of people visited 6 or more times. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor had 13.6% of people claiming they had visited their GP six or more times; less than any other Local Area Partnership.

### 6.3 SOA Analysis

- 6.3.1 4 of the 21 SOAs are in the lowest 30% of England's SOA.
- 6.3.2 Comparative Illness Index on average should equal 100. It measures the numbers of people on any sort of disability allowance and standardises the result by age and sex, so that SOAs with higher average age do not necessarily come out worse.
- 6.3.3 Emergency Admissions Index on average should equal 100. It measures the emergency admissions to hospital that last for more than 1 day, standardised by age and sex.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	Comparative Illness Index	Emergency Admissions to Hospital	Years of Potential Life Lost	Mental Health Indicator	Smokers 20+	% Obese	% 6+ visits to GP
E01005015	Shuttleworth	41	161	129	72	0.79	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	45	142	119	78	1.28	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	55	136	137	87	0.93	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01005053	Walshaw	61	126	124	74	1.00	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	68	122	120	59	0.50	7.50	20.20	20.50
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	72	115	121	71	0.79	6.20	12.70	15.20
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	78	127	124	72	0.39	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01005016	Pimmers Street/ Top Wood	80	114	121	75	0.32	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	83	112	127	65	0.73	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	86	100	102	59	0.43	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005017	Nuttall park	90	103	115	69	0.83	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd	103	99	122	54	0.46	7.50	20.20	20.50
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	105	89	103	54	0.55	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	109	77	95	57	0.53	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	110	89	110	63	0.22	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	112	88	102	62	0.40	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	113	90	96	61	-0.04	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005049	Tottington Village	114	96	108	58	0.40	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	117	78	97	56	-0.14	8.00	12.80	12.30
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	118	77	90	56	0.65	3.60	10.80	13.40
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	120	69	98	56	-0.05	3.60	10.80	13.40

Lowest 10% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 20% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

- 6.3.4 The Years of Potential Life Lost on average should equal 100. It represents a standardised measure of potential life lost; a figure over 100 shows that more years of potential life have been lost in that area compared to the expected figure given the age/sex distribution in the area.
- 6.3.5 The Mental Health Indicator is the proportion of adults under 60 suffering from mood or anxiety disorders in each area. It is expected to be zero.

## 7 Education

### 7.1 Definition

7.1.1 None of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough's 30% most deprived SOAs on the Education, Skills and Training domain of the IMD.

7.1.2 The borough as a whole does relatively well in the Education domain and so more SOAs appear in England's 30% least deprived.

7.1.3 62% (13) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within the borough 30% least deprived SOAs.

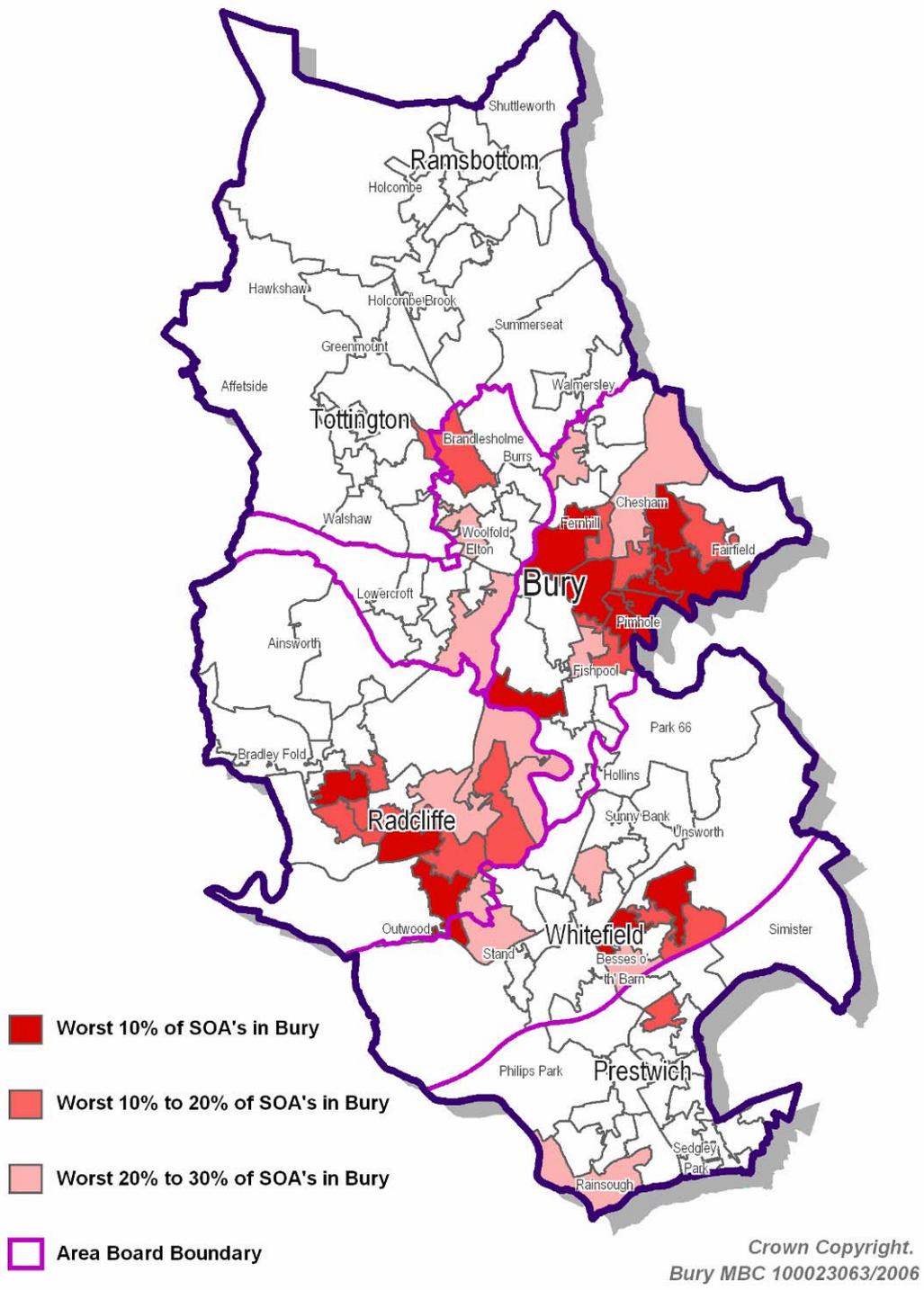
% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
0%	0%	62%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Top 30% of England
0%	0%	76%

7.1.4 This domain captures the extent of deprivation in terms of education, skills and training in a local area and is constructed from the following:

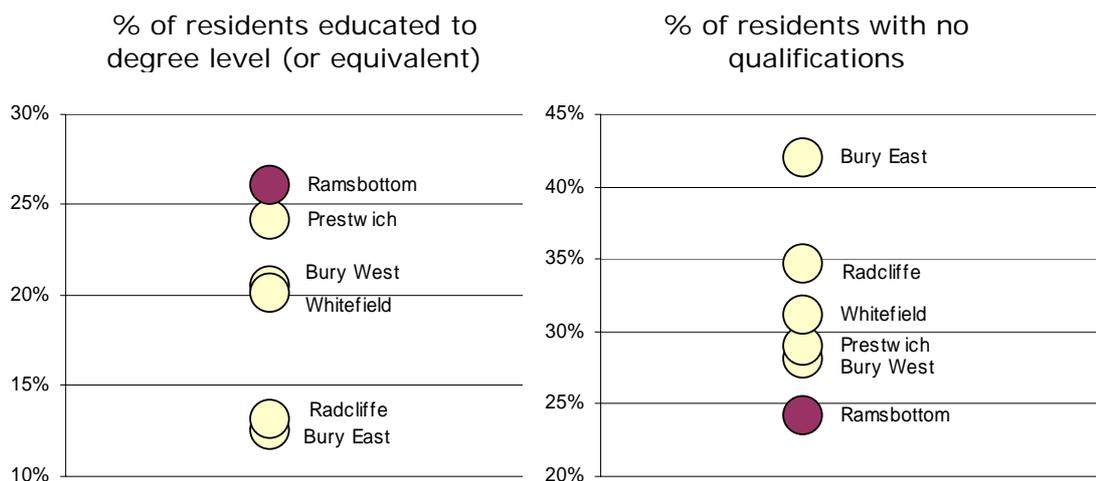
- Average points score of pupils at Key Stage 2, Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4
- Secondary School absence rate
- Proportion of young people not staying on in school or non-advanced further education above 16
- Proportion of those aged 21 not entering Higher Education
- Proportion of working adults (aged 25-54) in the area with no or low qualifications

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## 7.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

7.2.1 Ofsted's latest figures suggest Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor Local Area Partnership has the highest percentage of residents educated to degree level, and the lowest percentage of residents with no qualifications.



(Source: Ofsted, derived from Census 2001 data)

7.2.2 The following analysis identifies the differences in educational attainment of children 16 years old and under in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor against the borough as a whole. It does this using the 2006 SAT outcomes and identifying the proportion of pupils that achieve the national expectation level or above, at the four key stages. These are defined in the education appendix.

7.2.3 The point of the analysis is not to score schools but to give an overview of the education attainment within Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor. To ensure the reader is not swamped with statistics, those pupils that achieved the expected level in all of the tested areas appropriate to that stage in their development have been identified, rather than report on each individual subject level. The individual statistics have been included in the appendix for completeness.

7.2.4 The analysis has been conducted on pupils that live within Bury and that attend Bury Local Authority schools. This analysis will not capture a number of Bury children that either attend non-state schools or schools outside Bury.

7.2.5 The average attainment of the pupils within the schools of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor is above that of the borough as a whole at each of the four key stages.

% pupils who achieved national expected standard or above

	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>66%</b>
Bury	77%	74%	63%	60%

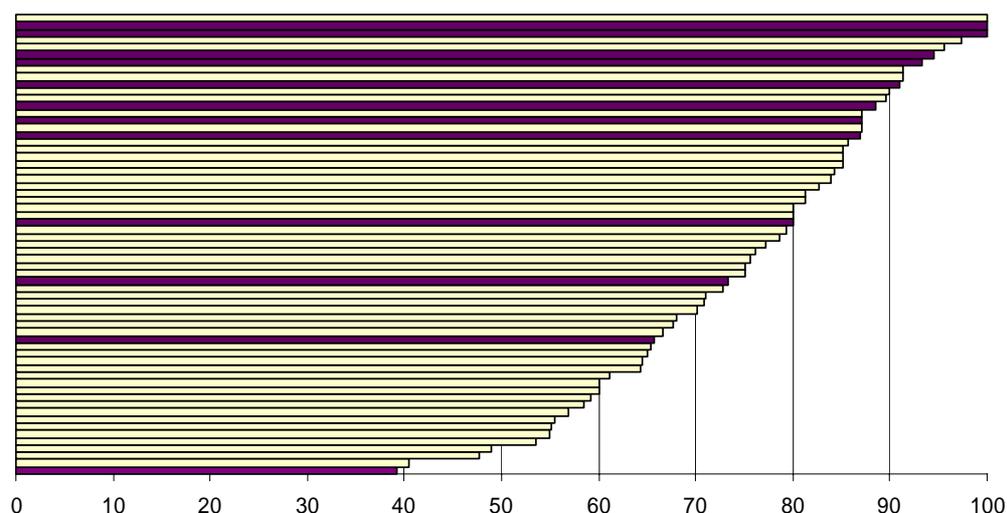
7.2.6 The difference in attainment is around 8% for each of the first three key stages, the difference reduces to 6% in Key Stage 4.

7.2.7 The pupils of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor primary schools are most likely to achieve the national standards than pupils from any of the other five Local Area Partnerships. Pupils attending Secondary schools in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor do comparatively better on average than all other Local Area Partnerships except for Prestwich at Key Stage 4. (There are no secondary schools in the Bury West Local Area Partnership).

Rank	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
1	<b>Ramsbottom</b>	<b>Ramsbottom</b>	<b>Ramsbottom</b>	Prestwich
2	Prestwich	Bury West	Prestwich	<b>Ramsbottom</b>
3	Bury West	Whitefield	Whitefield	Bury East
4	Whitefield	Prestwich	Bury East	Whitefield
5	Radcliffe	Radcliffe	Radcliffe	Radcliffe
6	Bury East	Bury East		

7.2.8 There is a clustering of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's primary schools in a ranking of schools by attainment levels; most fall within the top third of attaining schools.

**Schools ranked by percentage of pupils attaining Expected Level in Key Stage 2**

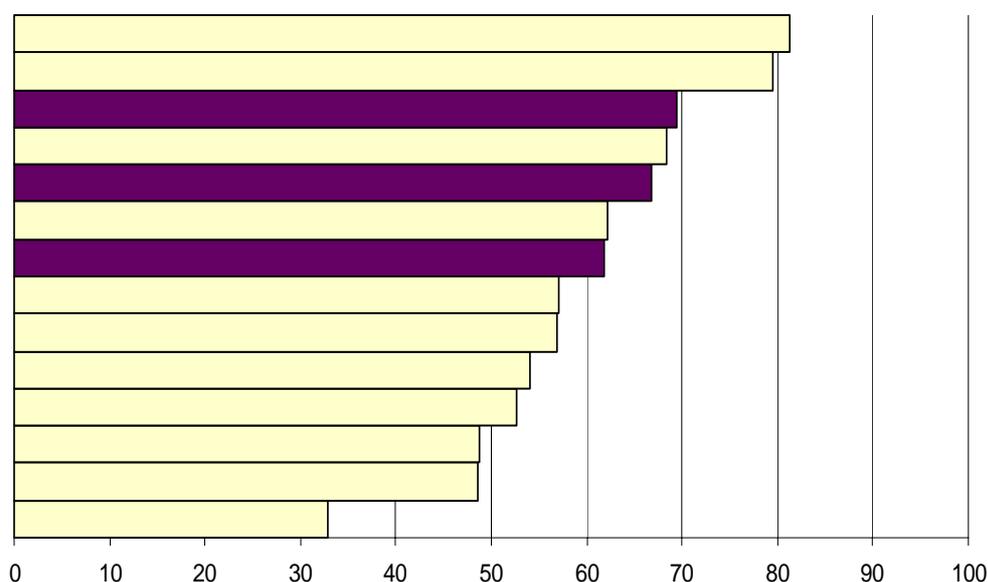


(Data Sources: Quality and Advisory Service, 2006)

Primary Schools	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Emmanuel Holcombe C.E. Primary	90%	100%
Holly Mount R.C. Primary	92%	100%
St. Joseph's R.C. Primary	92%	94%
Summerseat Methodist Primary	92%	93%
Greenmount Primary	94%	91%
Hazlehurst Primary	79%	88%
St. Andrew's C.E. Primary Ramsbottom	81%	87%
Christ Church C.E. Primary Walshaw	94%	87%
Peel Brow Primary	82%	80%
St. Mary's C.E. Primary Hawkshaw	86%	75%
Holcombe Primary School	82%	73%
Tottington Primary	69%	66%
Springside Primary	77%	39%

7.2.9 All the secondary schools in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor fall within the top 50% of schools in terms of attainment at Key Stage 4.

**Schools ranked by percentage of pupils attaining Expected Level in Key Stage 4**



(Data Sources: Quality and Advisory Service, 2006)

Secondary Schools	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
The Elton High	70%	70%
Tottington High	74%	67%
Woodhey High	70%	62%

7.2.10 Taking the view from the perspective of pupils' home address rather than the schools' address may be the most appropriate way to measure the educational attainment of an area. The difference between the analysis done by residence rather than school attended is minimal for each of the Key Stages.

RTNM: % pupils who achieved national expected standard or above

	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
Place of residence	84%	84%	73%	67%
Place of education	85%	82%	72%	66%

7.2.11 The difference between Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor and the borough is around 7% to 10% depending on the key stage.

% pupils who achieved national expected standard or above

	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>67%</b>
Bury	77%	74%	63%	60%

7.2.12 And with this approach the pupils from Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor are again shown to be the highest performing students at each of the key stages except for Key Stage 4.

Rank	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
1	<b>Ramsbottom</b>	<b>Ramsbottom</b>	<b>Ramsbottom</b>	Prestwich
2	Prestwich	Whitefield	Prestwich	<b>Ramsbottom</b>
3	Whitefield	Bury West	Bury West	Bury West
4	Bury West	Prestwich	Whitefield	Whitefield
5	Radcliffe	Radcliffe	Radcliffe	Radcliffe
6	Bury East	Bury East	Bury East	Bury East

7.2.13 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has a relatively small ethnic minority, and so analysis by ethnicity group is not a reliable measure but those that have classified themselves as White British (or English) have been compared against the remainder of the population to identify as issues.

7.2.14 The numbers of Non-White British pupils at each Key Stage are relatively small and are shown in the brackets in the table below. Given the small samples the results should not be considered particularly representative.

**Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor:**

% pupils who achieved national expected standard or above

	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
White British	85%	85%	75%	71%
All Other	91% (11)	100% (6)	64% (14)	43% (7)

7.2.15 The White British show a significant difference between Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor and the borough as a whole at each of the Key Stages.

**White British:**

% pupils who achieved national expected standard or above

	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>71%</b>
Bury	79%	76%	65%	61%

**Non White British:**

% pupils who achieved national expected standard or above

	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>43%</b>
Bury	70%	66%	55%	53%

7.2.16 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has the lowest authorised and equal lowest unauthorised absenteeism rate of all the Local Area Partnerships.

**Levels of Absenteeism (secondary schools in Key Stage years)**

	Unauthorised	Authorised	Total
Bury East	0.8%	7.5%	8.3%
Bury West	0.5%	6.4%	6.9%
Prestwich	1.8%	6.2%	8.0%
Radcliffe	0.7%	5.9%	6.6%
<b>RTNM</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>
W&U	1.6%	6.9%	8.5%
Overall	1.0%	6.3%	7.3%

7.2.17 There is very little difference White British and Non White British absenteeism rates.

**Levels of Absenteeism within RTNM**

	Unauthorised	Authorised	Total
White British	0.5%	4.9%	5.4%
Non White British	0.2%	4.9%	5.1%

### 7.3 SOA Analysis

7.3.1 Data within an SOA is often reliant on relatively small samples; the average number of pupils taking their key stages in each SOA is around 20, but some are as low as 8. Consequently the percentages must be regarded with caution as unrepresentative numbers could easily occur. Unrepresentative numbers are not unlikely to appear across the full range of indicators shown in the table and so for a SOA that consistently appears in the bottom 30% there is enough evidence to further investigate.

7.3.2 There are no SOAs which have poor values across all the indicators, though the difference between the SOAs in terms of these KPIs can be great. Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street had 15% going on to further education, 50% achieving 5 grade A\*-C GCSEs and an absenteeism rate of 6.8%. Vernon Road Greenmount had 50% going on to further education, 70% achieving 5 grade A\*-C GCSEs and an absenteeism rate of 2.9%.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	Not Staying on Furth. Ed.	No Quals	Key Stage Targets				Absenteeism
					KS1	KS2	KS3	KS4	
E01005015	Shuttleworth	50	77%	39%	92%	68%	59%	56%	6.9%
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	52	85%	42%	86%	76%	61%	50%	6.8%
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	56	84%	39%	84%	86%	83%	58%	5.9%
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	63	59%	43%	33%	73%	71%	59%	5.4%
E01005053	Walshaw	66	63%	38%	93%	85%	83%	80%	5.5%
E01005016	Pinners Street/ Top Wood	75	62%	34%	73%	83%	56%	44%	7.1%
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	80	53%	37%	88%	92%	57%	67%	6.4%
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	81	77%	38%	82%	91%	79%	61%	3.6%
E01005017	Nuttall park	85	83%	32%	75%	100%	62%	85%	4.4%
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	88	60%	36%	92%	67%	68%	67%	4.6%
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd	93	49%	35%	80%	62%	65%	71%	5.2%
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	96	67%	34%	86%	50%	38%	53%	5.9%
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	101	71%	30%	74%	80%	72%	67%	5.3%
E01005049	Tottington Village	103	61%	33%	86%	82%	88%	82%	5.8%
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	106	74%	30%	82%	92%	78%	89%	6.1%
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	110	62%	27%	89%	100%	93%	73%	4.7%
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	112	66%	26%	84%	96%	80%	64%	5.6%
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	114	55%	26%	92%	91%	77%	60%	4.4%
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	117	50%	28%	92%	92%	70%	70%	2.9%
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	119	49%	23%	100%	90%	86%	64%	6.2%
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	120	45%	22%	100%	95%	94%	87%	4.5%

Lowest 10% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 20% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

7.3.3 The number of people with no qualifications within a SOA is clearly correlated with the attainment of the pupils from the SOA.

7.3.4 The level of secondary school absenteeism (unauthorised and authorised) varies significantly between the SOAs.

## 7.4 Educational Appendix – Additional Information

7.4.1 Whether a pupil has reached the national expected level at each stage can be by:

Key Stage	Subjects	National Expectation
1	Reading, Writing & Mathematics	Level of 2 or more
2	English, Mathematics & Science	Level of 4 or more
3	English, Mathematics & Science	Level of 5 or more
4	GCSE	5 or more A*-C grades

<b>Key Stage 1</b>		Reading	Writing	Maths	Overall
By School address	Ramsbottom	92%	87%	96%	85%
	Borough exc. Ram	84%	77%	90%	75%
	Borough	86%	79%	91%	77%
By Pupil address		Reading	Write	Maths	Overall
	Ramsbottom	92%	86%	94%	84%
	Borough exc. Ram	85%	78%	90%	75%
	Borough	86%	79%	91%	77%
<b>Key Stage 2</b>		English	Maths	Science	Overall
By School address	Ramsbottom	87%	87%	93%	82%
	Borough exc. Ram	81%	80%	89%	73%
	Borough	82%	81%	90%	74%
By Pupil address		English	Maths	Science	Overall
	Ramsbottom	89%	89%	94%	84%
	Borough exc. Ram	81%	80%	89%	73%
	Borough	82%	81%	90%	74%
<b>Key Stage 3</b>		English	Maths	Science	Overall
By School address	Ramsbottom	79%	87%	83%	72%
	Borough exc. Ram	70%	75%	71%	60%
	Borough	72%	78%	74%	63%
By Pupil address		English	Maths	Science	Overall
	Ramsbottom	80%	85%	85%	73%
	Borough exc. Ram	70%	77%	72%	61%
	Borough	72%	78%	74%	63%
<b>Key Stage 4</b>		Overall			
By School address	Ramsbottom	66%			
	Borough exc. Ram	58%			
	Borough	60%			
By Pupil address		Overall			
	Ramsbottom	67%			
	Borough exc. Ram	58%			
	Borough	60%			

## 8 Housing and Services

### 8.1 Definition

8.1.1 62% (13) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall in Bury's 30% most deprived neighbourhoods in the Housing and Services domain of the IMD.

8.1.2 19% (4) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs appear in Bury's 30% least deprived neighbourhoods.

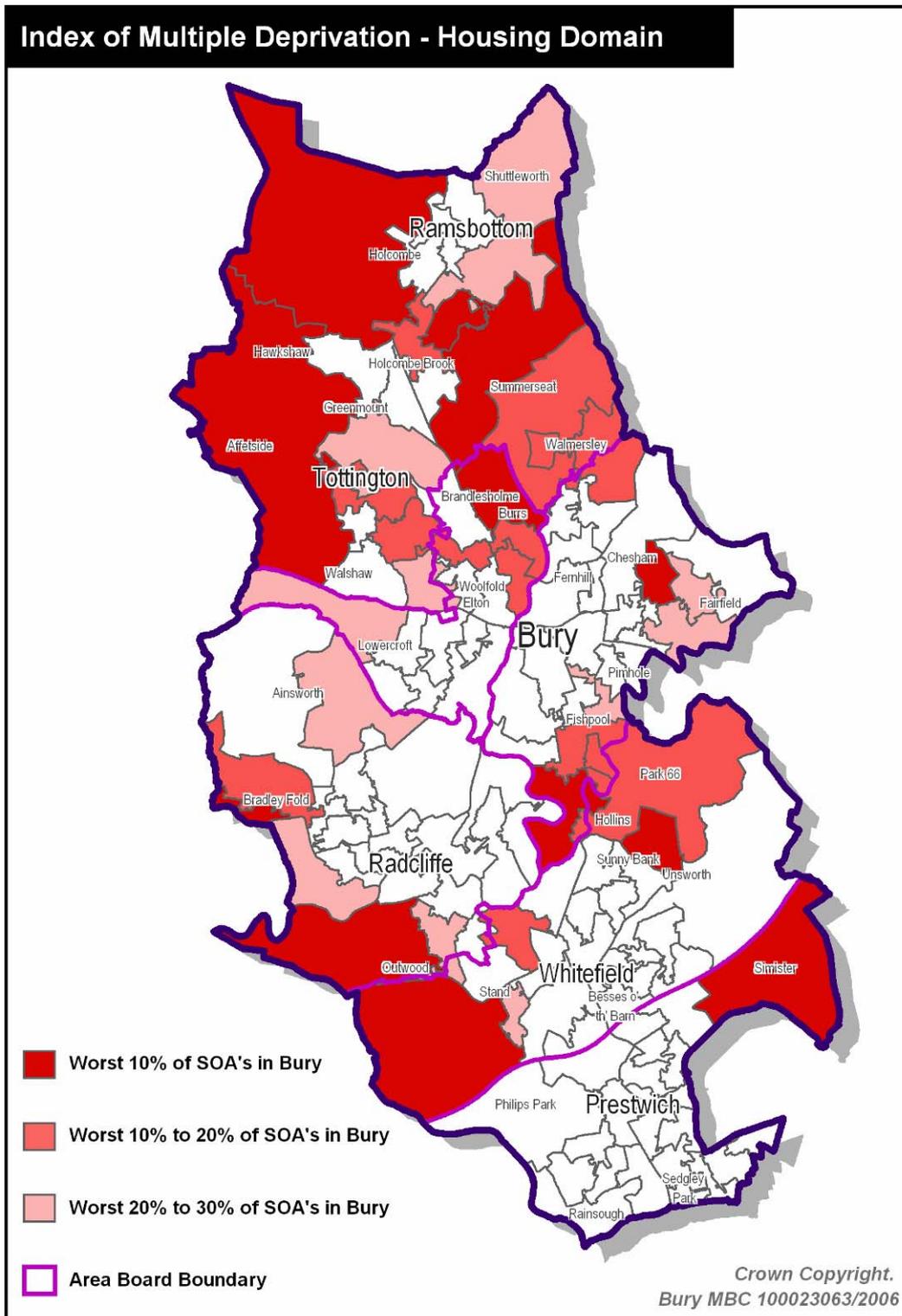
8.1.3 The borough as whole does well on this measure but 19% (4) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within England's 30% most deprived neighbourhoods.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
19%	62%	19%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Top 30% of England
0%	19%	24%

8.1.4 The purpose of this Domain is to measure barriers to housing and key local services. The indicators fall into two sub-domains: 'geographical barriers' and 'wider barriers' which also includes issues relating to access to housing, such as affordability.

- Household overcrowding (2001).
- LA level percentage of households for whom a decision on their application for assistance under the homeless provisions of housing legislation has been made, assigned to SOAs.
- Difficulty of Access to owner-occupation.
- Road distance to GP premises, supermarket or convenience store, primary school and post office.



## 8.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

8.2.1 The level of household over crowding and the ease of access to owner occupation are key drivers in the Housing & Services domain. Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has the joint lowest level of household overcrowding of all the Local Area Partnerships.

	% Households Overcrowded
Bury East	8.0%
Bury West	4.4%
Prestwich	5.1%
Radcliffe	5.5%
RTNM	3.4%
W&U	3.4%
Bury	4.9%

(Source: Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, derived from 2001 Census data)

8.2.2 The latest house price to income ratio is not readily available and old data may not be truly representative as the house price inflation differs significant by area. As a proxy the percentage of households in owner-occupation situations has been calculated. This identifies Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor as having the highest level of ownership.

	<i>Owned</i>	<i>Social Rented</i>	<i>Private Rented</i>	<i>Other</i>
Bury East	64%	25%	9%	2%
Bury West	82%	12%	5%	1%
Prestwich	77%	14%	9%	0%
Radcliffe	69%	19%	7%	5%
RTNM	85%	8%	5%	2%
W&U	80%	13%	6%	0%
Bury	76%	16%	7%	2%

(Source: 2001 Census)

8.2.3 Another key element of the Housing and Services domain is the access to the key services; GP, Primary School, Post Office and Supermarket. It should be noted that this is a measure of distance, and does not take account of the ability to access these resources or indeed their quality.

8.2.4 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has largest distances to services of all the Local Area Partnerships. The GP data is available but the results do not seem to tally with the reality in the borough – the data is currently being checked with the PCT.

	Distance (km)			
	GP	Primary School	Post Office	Supermarket
Bury East	X	0.55	0.61	0.78
Bury West	X	0.67	0.65	0.76
Prestwich	X	0.70	0.71	0.78
Radcliffe	X	0.68	0.76	1.12
RTNM	X	0.81	0.82	1.29
W&U	X	0.69	0.70	0.91
Bury	X	0.68	0.71	0.95
North West	X	0.77	0.84	1.33
National	X	0.90	0.94	1.59

(Source: Office of Deputy Prime Minister, 2004)

8.2.5 Other elements not included in the domain measure are access to leisure facilities. This measures the percentage of households within 1 mile of the facility in an urban area, or 5 miles within rural areas.

	Sports / Health Centre	Football Pitch	Cricket Pitch	Tennis Court	Bowling Green
Bury East	93%	99%	68%	59%	100%
Bury West	87%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Prestwich	93%	95%	82%	95%	97%
Radcliffe	92%	100%	94%	17%	100%
RTNM	61%	99%	98%	100%	97%
W&U	100%	100%	100%	84%	96%
Bury	88%	99%	90%	74%	98%

(Source: Bury Council, Environment & Development Services, 2006)

### 8.3 SOA Analysis

8.3.1 Distance to the nearest GP appears to be wrong is currently being checked by the PCT.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	Distance to Service (km)				% Households Overcrowded
			GP	Primary School	Post Office	Supermarket	
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	1	x	2.09	2.01	1.98	1
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	5	x	1.06	1.31	2.2	2
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	6	x	1.3	1.28	2.19	1
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	8	x	0.87	1.51	2.04	1
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	17	x	0.8	0.83	1.81	2
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	19	x	0.78	0.93	1.62	3
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	21	x	1.21	0.57	0.67	9
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd	22	x	0.8	0.84	1.45	1
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	23	x	0.75	0.69	1.23	4
E01005049	Tottington Village	27	x	1.24	0.73	0.71	3
E01005017	Nuttall park	29	x	0.78	0.92	1.46	2
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	33	x	0.66	0.62	1.37	4
E01005015	Shuttleworth	36	x	0.68	0.76	1.17	7
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	38	x	0.92	0.8	0.85	0
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	40	x	0.65	0.78	1.04	2
E01005053	Walshaw	53	x	0.4	0.58	1.66	4
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	73	x	0.61	0.59	1.02	0
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	86	x	0.38	0.46	1.37	5
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	89	x	0.6	0.57	0.58	5
E01005016	Pinners Street/ Top Wood	111	x	0.3	0.51	0.87	3
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	116	x	0.46	0.5	0.39	0

Lowest 10% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 20% of Bury's SOAs
Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

8.3.2 Crucially we do not have any data relating to access to the ability to purchase a house data (e.g. house price to income ratio) which would be a key driver of the domain statistic.

## 9 Living Environment

### 9.1 Definition

9.1.1 10% (2) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall in Bury's 30% most deprived neighbourhoods on the Living Environment domain of the IMD. Neither of these fall into the 10% most deprived.

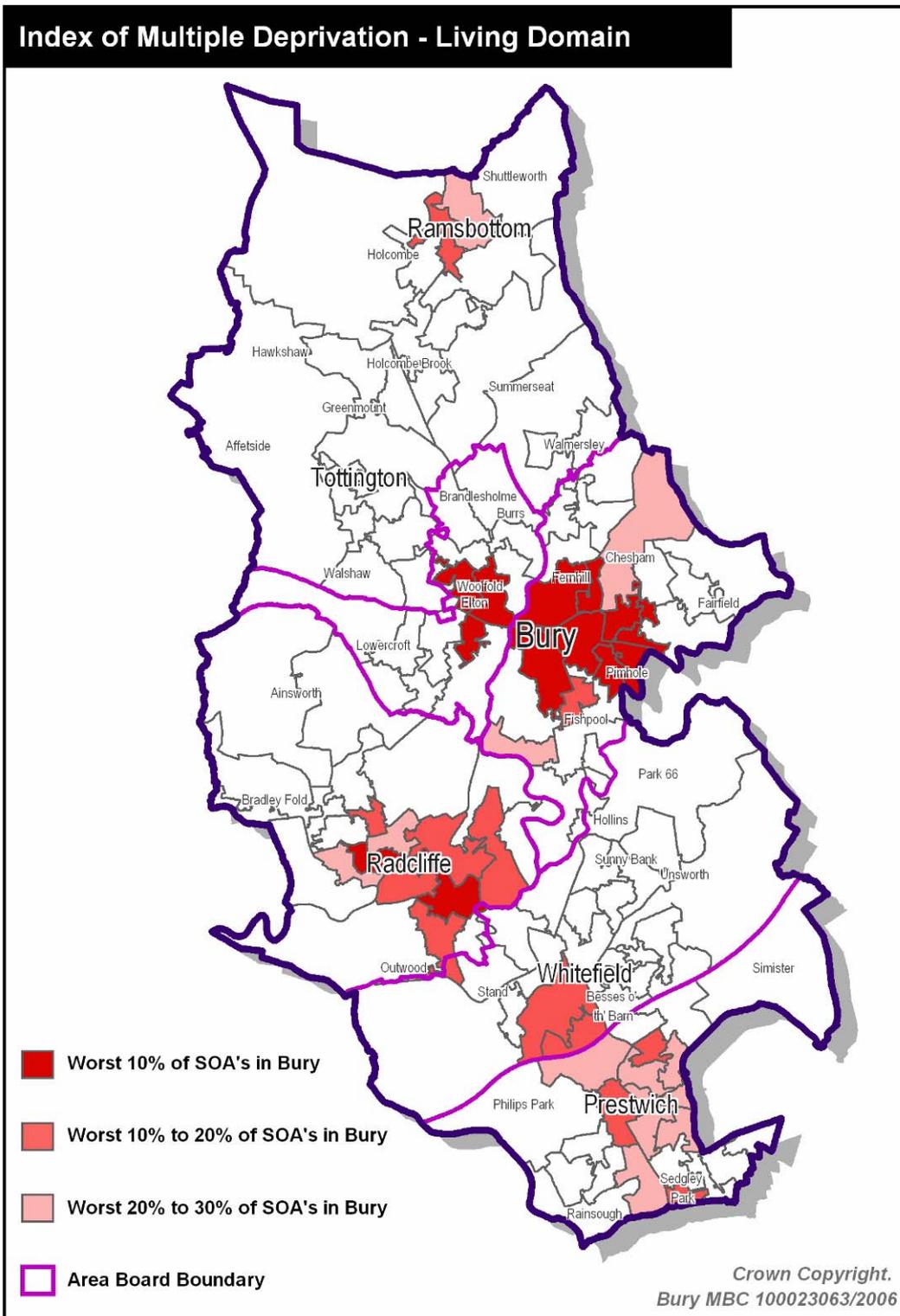
9.1.2 52% (11) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs appear in Bury's 30% least deprived neighbourhoods.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
0%	10%	52%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Top 30% of England
0%	19%	29%

9.1.3 This domain focuses on the deprivation with respect to the characteristics of the living environment and has two themes, the indoor living environment and the external environment, specifically:

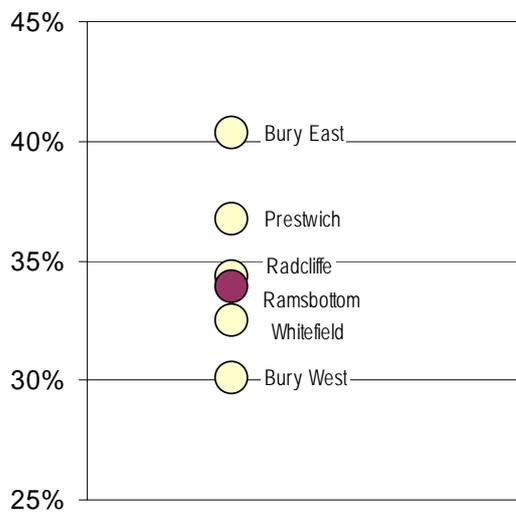
- Social and private housing in poor condition.
- Houses without central heating.
- Air quality.
- Road traffic accidents involving injury to pedestrians and cyclists.



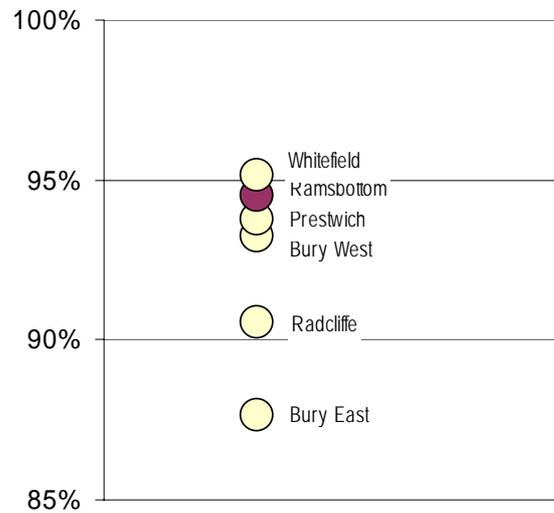
## 9.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

- 9.2.1 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has a level of households in poor condition similar to that of the borough as a whole; this is defined by the ODPM "Decent Homes Standard".
- 9.2.2 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor scores the second highest in terms of percentage with central heating.

**Household in poor condition**



**Households with Central Heating**



(Source: ODPM, 2006)

### 9.3 SOA Analysis

- 9.3.1 There is strong correlation between the two “housing” environmental measures.
- 9.3.2 There is significant variation on the “Housing in Poor Condition Indicator” and “% Central Heating” within the Local Area Partnership.
- 9.3.3 Road traffic accidents are not available by SOA.
- 9.3.4 We have the Air Quality Indicators used in the IMD. This indicator does not show that the air quality in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor particularly poor.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	Housing in Poor Condition Indicator	Central Heating %	Air Quality Indicator
E01005016	Pinners Street/ Top Wood	24	0.49	89.17	1.04
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	28	0.49	93.2	1.1
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	43	0.41	89.76	1.04
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	49	0.41	90.63	1.05
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	57	0.37	94	1.09
E01005053	Walshaw	62	0.4	92.78	1.04
E01005015	Shuttleworth	63	0.4	93.6	1.07
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	65	0.4	93.56	1.01
E01005017	Nuttall park	73	0.36	94.5	1.1
E01005049	Tottington Village	82	0.37	94.11	1.02
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	87	0.3	93.49	1.01
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	93	0.29	94.4	1.12
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	99	0.34	96.04	1.05
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	100	0.36	95.04	0.94
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	104	0.29	97.54	0.89
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	107	0.27	96.61	1
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	109	0.27	96.08	1
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd	112	0.27	96.68	1.12
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	115	0.24	98.09	1.01
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	116	0.2	99.37	0.98
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	120	0.08	99.61	1.01

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Lowest 30% of Bury's SOAs

## 10 Crime

### 10.1 Crime Domain

10.1.1 10% (2) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall in Bury's 30% most deprived neighbourhoods on the Crime domain of the IMD.

10.1.2 38% (8) of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs appear in Bury's 30% least deprived neighbourhoods.

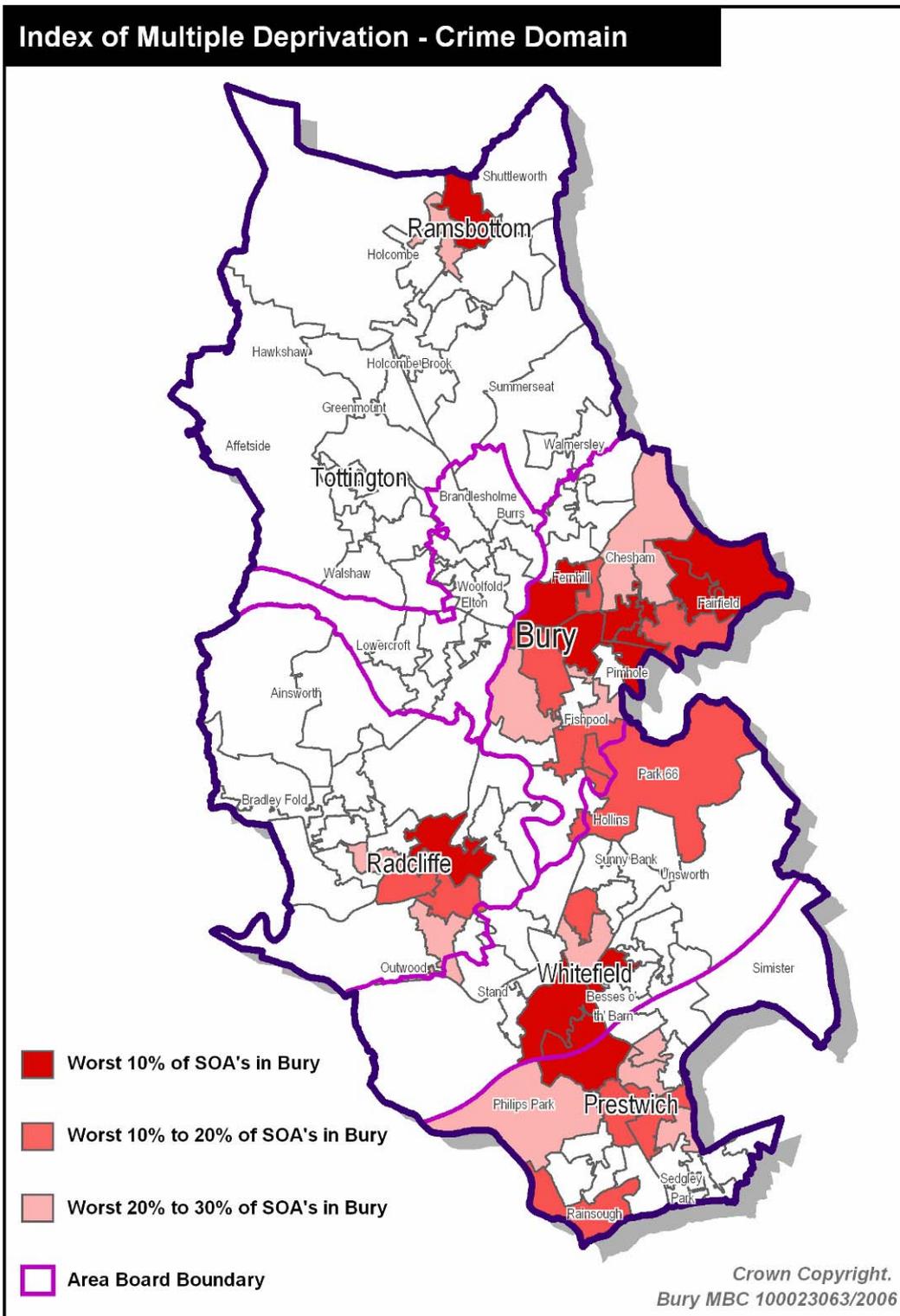
10.1.3 The borough as a whole does poorly on this measure and none of Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOAs fall within England's 30% least deprived neighbourhoods.

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of Bury	Bottom 30% of Bury	Top 30% of Bury
5%	10%	38%

% Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor's SOA are in the		
Bottom 10% of England	Bottom 30% of England	Top 30% of England
5%	33%	0%

10.1.4 This Domain measures the incidence of recorded crime for four major crime themes, representing the occurrence of personal and material victimisation and is constructed of:

- Burglary.
- Theft.
- Criminal damage.
- Violence.



## 10.2 Local Area Partnership Analysis

10.2.1 Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor has the lowest level of crime, with less crimes per 1000 people in the four of the five categories. The only exception is Criminal Damage where Bury West had less reported crimes. The percentage of people that don't feel safe during the day is half that of any other Local Area Partnership.

	Crimes per 1000					% do not feel safe	
	Burglary	Business	Criminal Damage	Theft	Violence	% Day	After dark
Bury East	23.8	10.1	34.7	67.9	45.7	3.5%	29.9%
Bury West	10.4	4.1	18.1	22.9	13.2	2.1%	20.2%
Prestwich	15.6	5.1	19.8	41.1	11.5	2.7%	30.4%
Radcliffe	19.3	2.5	28.9	33.3	18.5	2.4%	27.2%
RTNM	9.9	0.9	18.9	21.4	9.4	1.0%	14.4%
W&U	15.9	2.5	21.4	33.0	12.8	2.6%	24.8%
Bury	16.2	4.2	24.0	37.4	18.8	2.4%	24.8%

(Source: Crime counts from the Community Safety Team Apr05-Mar06, Perception of crime from Bury PCT Health Survey, 2005)

10.2.2 Crime is less likely to be undertaken under the influence of alcohol or drugs in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor compared to the rest of the borough.

	RTNM			Bury		
	Incidents per 1000	% Drug Influence	% Alcohol Influence	Incidents per 1000	% Drug Influence	% Alcohol Influence
Burglary	9.9	0.0%	0.0%	16.2	0.0%	0.0%
Business	0.9	0.0%	0.0%	4.2	0.0%	0.1%
Criminal Damage	18.9	0.0%	0.7%	24.0	0.0%	1.5%
Theft	21.4	0.0%	0.0%	37.4	0.1%	0.3%
Violence	9.4	0.7%	11.1%	18.8	0.8%	14.3%

(Source: Community Safety Team, Apr05-Mar06)

10.2.3 In Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor there are 1.8 drug crimes committed per 1000 people compared to 4.1 in the borough as a whole.

10.2.4 The percentage of crimes with guns involved is much greater in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor than the rest of the borough, but as this is off a very small base the numbers of crimes per 1,000 is lower.

	RTNM		Bury	
	Incident per 1000	% Guns Used	Incident per 1000	% Guns Used
Criminal Damage	18.9	0.7%	24.0	0.6%
Theft	21.4	0.6%	37.4	0.4%
Violence	9.4	3.0%	18.8	1.7%

(Source: Community Safety Team, Apr05-Mar06)

10.2.5 The rate of domestic violence crimes per 1000 people is much lower in Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor (1.20) than the rest of the borough (2.16).

*(Source: Community Safety Team, Apr05-Mar06)*

10.2.6 In Ramsbottom, Tottington and North Manor there are 0.2 hate crimes per 1000 people compared to a borough average of 0.7 per thousand people.

*(Source: Community Safety Team, Apr05-Mar06)*

### 10.3 SOA Analysis

10.3.1 The perception of crime figures come from the Bury PCT Health survey and were reported at Ward level. These Ward perception values were allocated to the SOAs within their boundaries

10.3.2 It should be noted that the crime statistics relate to the latest period available and so will not correlate exactly with the IMD Crime statistic.

SOA	SOA Description	Borough Rank	Burglarly per 1000	Business per 1000	Criminal Damage per 1000	Theft per 1000	violence per 1000	% who do not feel safe during the day	% who do not feel safe after dark
E01005014	Ramsbottom Centre	11	23.8	6.3	78	76	36	0.8%	13.1%
E01005016	Pinners Street/ Top Wood	35	12.9	0.6	14	24	6	0.8%	13.1%
E01005051	Laurel Street/ Kirklees	43	12.0	0.7	24	33	12	0.8%	12.2%
E01005050	Sycamore Road/ Scobell Street	48	8.5	0.0	22	18	4	0.8%	12.2%
E01005015	Shuttleworth	59	9.4	0.0	24	23	13	0.8%	13.1%
E01004981	Gin Hall Walmersley	61	13.2	0.7	11	16	10	2.3%	26.8%
E01005017	Nuttall park	66	13.0	1.2	18	26	9	0.8%	13.1%
E01004963	Cotswold Crescent	71	12.0	0.0	9	34	10	1.8%	21.2%
E01005022	Rowlands Rd, S/seat	72	5.7	0.0	9	18	4	0.8%	13.1%
E01005049	Tottington Village	74	6.4	0.0	12	12	10	0.8%	12.2%
E01005018	Tagg Wood Estate	76	13.2	1.5	34	21	18	0.8%	13.1%
E01005053	Walshaw	81	8.8	0.0	14	14	8	0.8%	12.2%
E01005021	Holcombe Moor	83	11.0	0.8	52	30	30	0.8%	13.1%
E01004982	Walmersley Old Rd/ Tetrosyl/ Mill Rd	91	5.4	0.7	7	11	5	2.3%	26.8%
E01005048	Holcombe Road area	96	9.8	0.6	5	9	3	0.8%	12.2%
E01005019	Lancaster Ave/ Bolton Road West	103	7.9	0.0	16	22	5	0.8%	13.1%
E01005020	Whittingham Drive/ Nuttall Lane	104	4.5	0.0	7	9	2	0.8%	13.1%
E01005052	Booth Farm estate	106	1.3	0.0	4	9	1	0.8%	12.2%
E01005023	Newcombe Road H. Summerseat	112	4.7	0.0	20	13	10	0.8%	13.1%
E01005046	Vernon Road Greenmount	115	10.2	5.5	18	21	5	0.8%	12.2%
E01005047	Turton Road Tottington	119	14.1	0.6	10	14	3	0.8%	12.2%

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