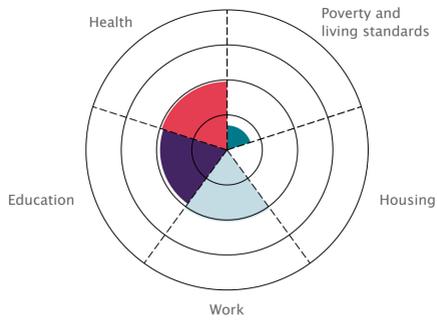


London's Poverty Profile provides evidence on and insight into poverty and inequality in London. It shines a light on these issues to prompt action from local and national government, the third sector, faith groups, practitioners, experts, businesses, the public and indeed anyone who cares about making London a fairer city to live in. This factsheet draws together insights specifically for Newham from the wider set of indicators published in London's Poverty Profile.

For details of the data sources and methods used please see <https://trustforlondon.org.uk/data/boroughs/overview-of-london-boroughs/>

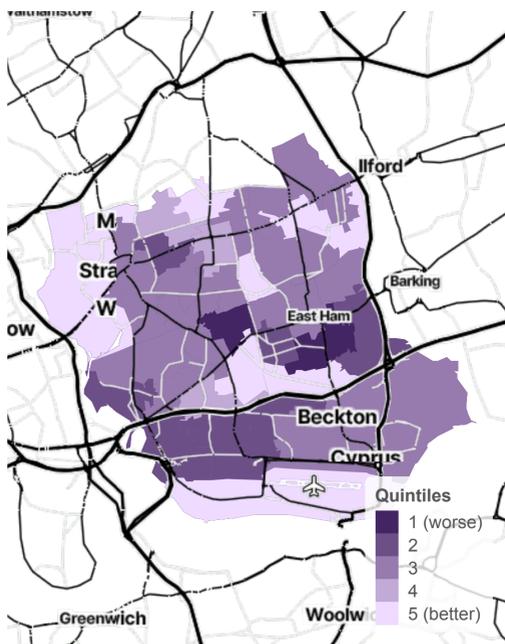
Key Points

- In 2023/24, 38% of people in the borough lived in households with an income of less than 60% the UK median after housing costs have been subtracted. This was worse than the average London Borough.
- 45% of children in the borough lived in households with an income of less than 60% the UK median after housing costs have been subtracted in 2023/24. This was worse than the average London Borough.
- In Newham, 23.5% of residents were estimated to be earning below the Living Wage in 2024. This was worse than the average London Borough.
- Affordable, social and other discounted housing completions were better than in Newham the average London Borough, with 1085 delivered in 2020/21 - 2022/23.
- Pay inequality as measured by the ratio of wages at the 80th percentile to the 20th percentile in 2024 was better than the average London Borough at (2.23).
- The unemployment rate for 2024 Q4 was 7.9% in Newham, worse than the average London Borough.
- There were 55.35 households per 1,000 in temporary accommodation in 2024, worse than the average London Borough.



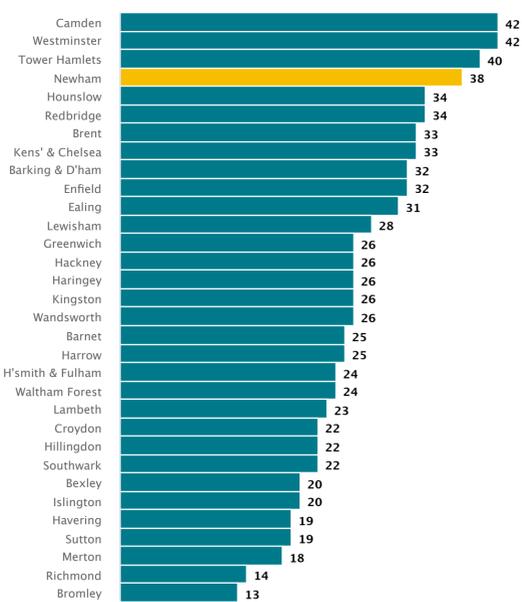
The chart above summarises the boroughs' indicators across each of our themes. The center represents worse performance, outer rings better

Income estimates 2020



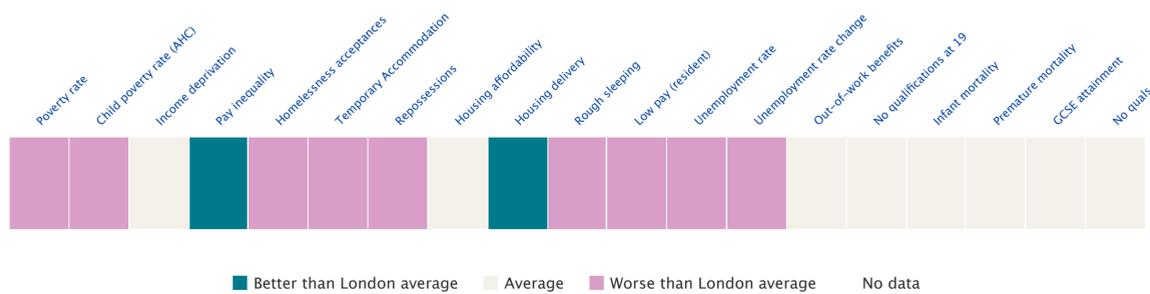
Source: MSOA Income estimates 2020, ONS

Poverty rate 2023/24



Source: Households below average income 5 year averages to 2023/24, DWP

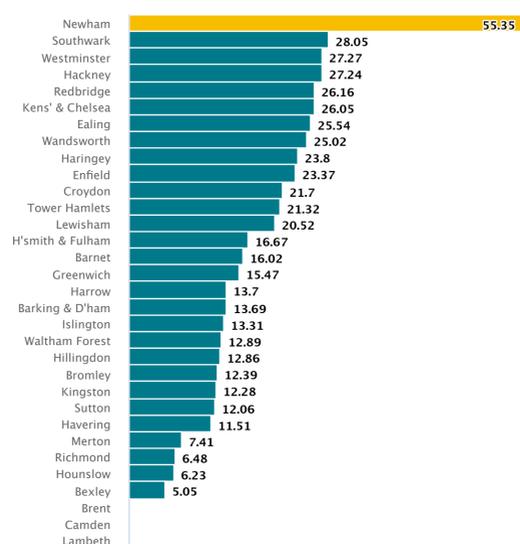
Newham ratings across key indicators



Looking across all the indicators collected at Borough level for the London Poverty Profile, Newham did worst for Proportion of households in temporary accommodation in London boroughs, and best for Average annual net housing completions in London boroughs.

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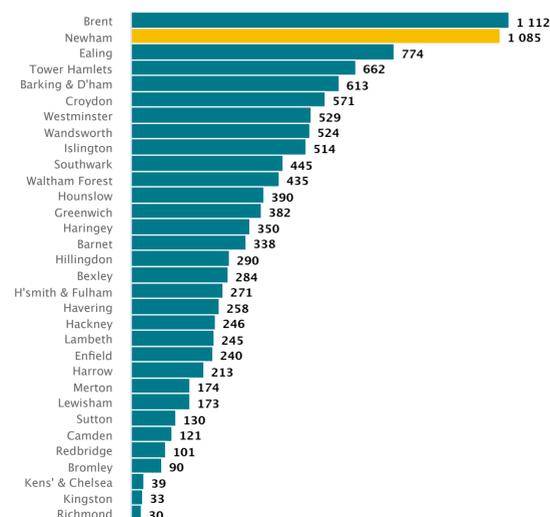
Households in temporary accommodation per 1,000 2024



Source: Statutory homelessness live tables, Detailed local authority level tables, Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government

Better for:

Average net affordable, social and discounted housing completions 2020/21 - 2022/23



Source: Live tables on housing supply: net additional dwellings, Table 122, DLUHC; Live tables on affordable housing supply, DLUHC; Local authority housing data, DLUHC; Private registered provider social housing stock in England, Regulator of Social Housing; London Plan 2021, Table 41, GLA