Colwyn Bay

Population

Population density 2011 (persons/ha)			14.13
	Males	Females	Persons
Population 1991	4,386	5,021	9,407
Population 2001	4,689	5,067	9,756
Population 2011	**5,477**	**5,504**	**10,981**
Age structure		No.	%
0-4		649	5.9%
5-15		1,368	12.5%
16-64		6,793	61.9%
65-74		998	9.1%
75+		1,173	10.7%
Born in Wales		5,454	49.7%
Born outside the UK		810	7.4%
Ethnicity - white British/Irish		10,169	92.6%
Other white		269	2.4%
Mixed ethnic group		114	1.0%
Other ethnic groups		429	3.9%
Religion - Christian		6,529	59.5%
No religion		3,226	29.4%
People with limiting long term illness		2,553	23.2%
People providing unpaid care		1,155	10.5%
(of persons aged 3+)			
Speak Welsh		1,897	17.9%
No skills in Welsh		7,510	70.8%

Economy

	No.	%
All aged 16-74	**7,791**	
Economically active	5,190	66.6%
- unemployed	422	*8.1%*
Economically inactive	2,601	33.4%
- long-term sick/disabled	554	*21.3%*
Social class		
Managerial & professional	2,378	30.5%
Skilled	2,170	27.9%
Part/unskilled	2,051	26.3%
Students & other	1,192	15.3%
Industry of employment	**4,739**	
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	11	0.2%
Mining, quarrying, energy, water	87	1.8%
Manufacturing	195	4.1%
Construction	328	6.9%
Wholesale & retail	821	17.3%
Transport & storage	152	3.2%
Accommodation & food services	383	8.1%
Communication, finance, property	257	5.4%
Professional, scientific, technical	271	5.7%
Administrative & support services	201	4.2%
Public administration & defence	362	7.6%
Education	523	11.0%
Health & social work	875	18.5%
Other	273	5.8%
No qualifications (all aged 16+)	2,068	23.1%

Housing & households

	No.	%
Total households	**4,683**	
Population in private households	10,422	94.9%
Average household size	2.23	
Household composition		
All one person household	1,687	36.0%
- one person; pensioner	688	14.7%
All households with dependent children	1,344	28.7%
- lone parents with dependents	363	7.8%
All households of only pensioners	1,103	23.6%
Tenure		
Owner occupied	2,827	60.4%
Rented from social landlord	466	10.0%
Other rented	1,390	29.7%
No central heating	191	4.1%
Overcrowed	303	6.5%
Average rooms per household	5.7	
No car	1,284	27.4%
Household spaces	**5,116**	
With usual residents	4,683	91.5%
No usual residents	433	8.5%
Detached	1,249	24.4%
Semi detached	1,297	25.4%
Terraced	616	12.0%
Flat	1,953	38.2%
Caravan or temporary structure	1	0.0%

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