



**Leeds**  
CITY COUNCIL

## **ENVIRONMENT AND NEIGHBOURHOODS**

### **HOME ENERGY CONSERVATION ACT**

**Twelfth PROGRESS REPORT (2008)**

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# **APPENDIX C**

## **Fuel Poverty Statistical Information**

# HECAMON Private Sector 2008 Fuel Poverty Survey

Do you feel that your health or that of your family's is affected by cold conditions in your home?

Tenure	2008 Yes
Housing Association	29 %
Privately Rented	28 %
Owner Occupier	17 %
All	19 %

## Calculated Fuel Poverty in "Vulnerable" Groups

Household Category	% Fuel Poor
Aged 16 or under	14%
Aged 60 or over	30%
Disabled	32%
Recovering from a long term illness	32%
In receipt of benefits	41%

## Private Sector Fuel Poverty Calculated by Area Management Team (AMT) Operational Sector and Sub-Sector.

AMT	Total	Vulnerable	Non Vulnerable	AMT Sub-Sector	Total	Vulnerable	Non Vulnerable
East Northeast	26%	22%	4%	Inner East	45%	36%	9%
				Inner North East	21%	19%	3%
				Outer North East	15%	14%	1%
South East	22%	19%	3%	Outer East	21%	18%	2%
				Inner South	26%	22%	5%
				Outer South	21%	19%	2%
West Northwest	24%	18%	6%	Inner North West	29%	18%	11%
				Outer North West	19%	17%	2%
				Inner West	27%	21%	5%
				Outer West	24%	20%	4%
<b>City wide</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>4%</b>				

NB:- Data includes pre-1996 construction properties only.

## Calculated Fuel Poverty vs Ethnicity

Ethnic Group	Calculated Fuel Poverty			% Population from 2001 Census
	Total	Vulnerable	Non Vulnerable	
Caribbean	42 %	32 %	10 %	0.9 %
African	25 %	17 %	8 %	0.3 %
Other Black	60 %	60 %	0 %	0.2 %
<b>Total Black</b>	<b>39 %</b>	<b>30 %</b>	<b>9 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>
Indian	20 %	18 %	2 %	1.7 %
Kashmiri	75 %	75 %	-	-
Pakistani	47 %	44 %	4 %	2.1 %
Other Asian	21 %	17 %	3 %	0.7 %
<b>Total Asian</b>	<b>30 %</b>	<b>27 %</b>	<b>3 %</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>
White and Black Carribean	38 %	31 %	6 %	-
White and Black African	38 %	-	38 %	-
White and Asian	27 %	20 %	7 %	-
Other White Mixed	8 %	8 %	-	-
<b>Total White Mixed</b>	<b>29 %</b>	<b>21 %</b>	<b>9 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>
Chinese	44 %	28 %	16 %	0.5 %
Gypsy/Traveller	33 %	33 %	-	-
Other	23 %	23 %	-	0.4 %
<b>Other Ethnic</b>	<b>33 %</b>	<b>26 %</b>	<b>7 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>
British	20 %	17 %	3 %	89.2 %
Irish	36 %	33 %	3 %	1.2 %
Other White	16 %	11 %	4 %	1.5 %
<b>Total White</b>	<b>20 %</b>	<b>17 %</b>	<b>3 %</b>	<b>91.8 %</b>

**Note:** Due to the limited number of data returns with these Groups, the data should be treated with caution when assessing fuel poverty in the BME Community.