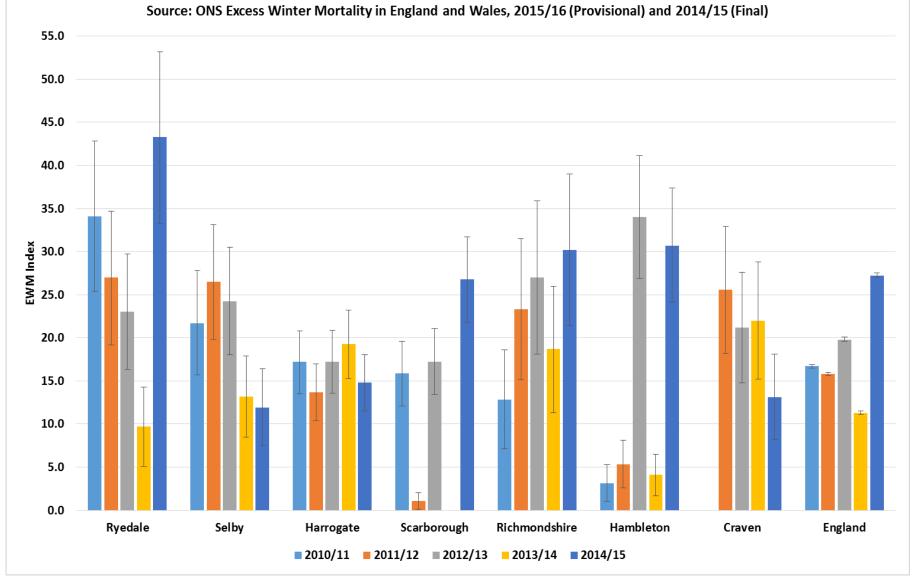
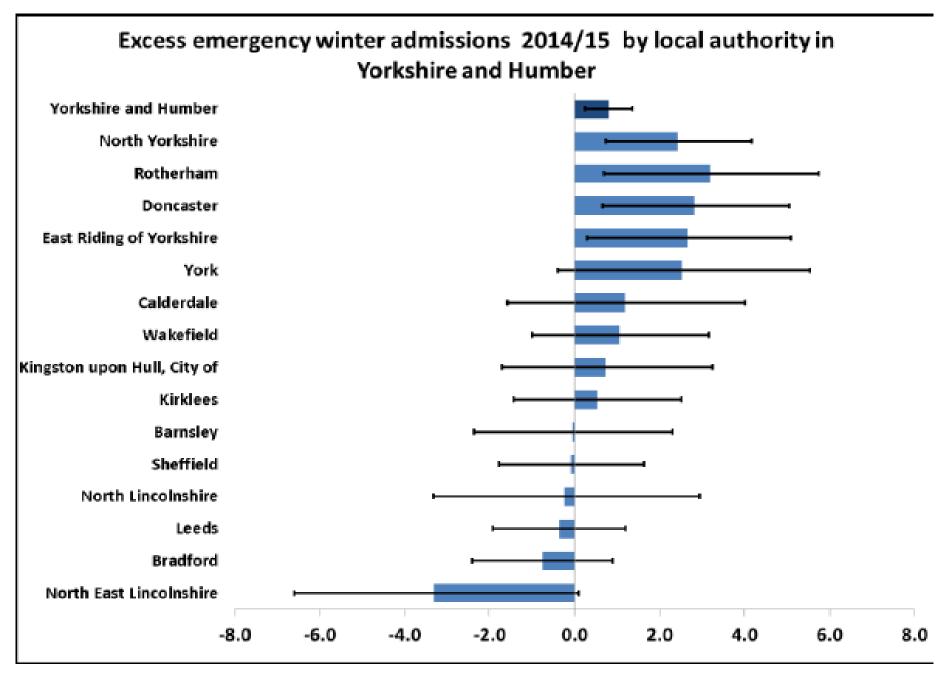
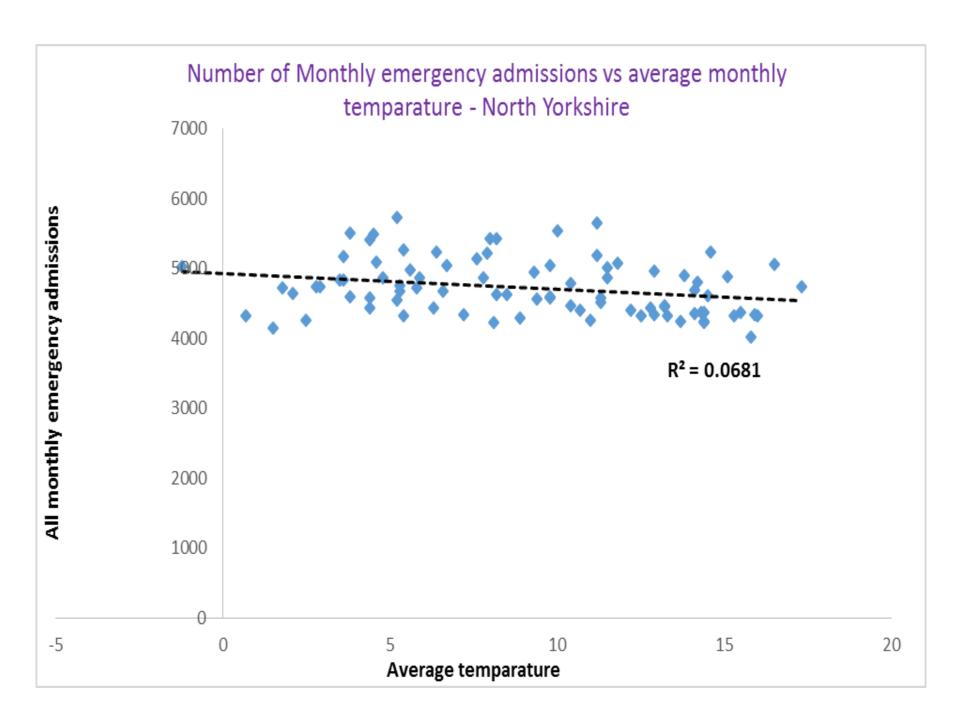


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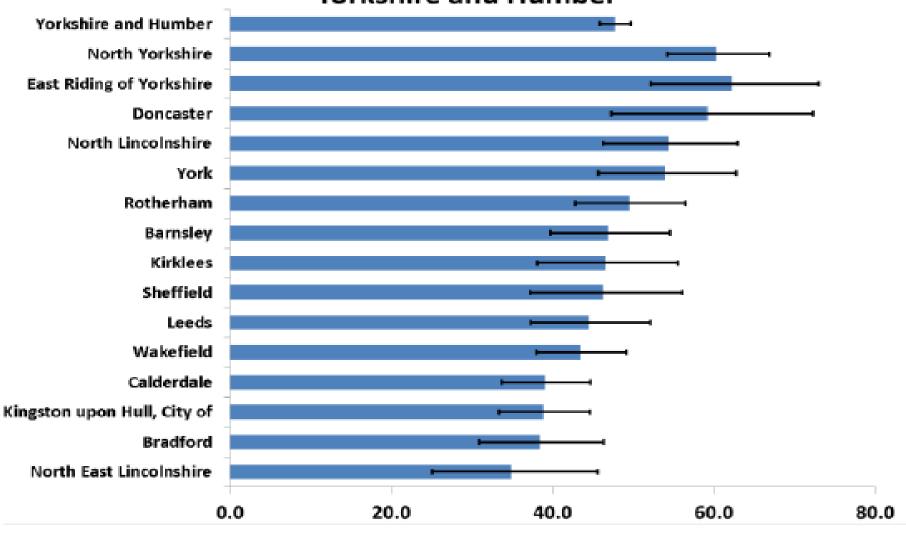


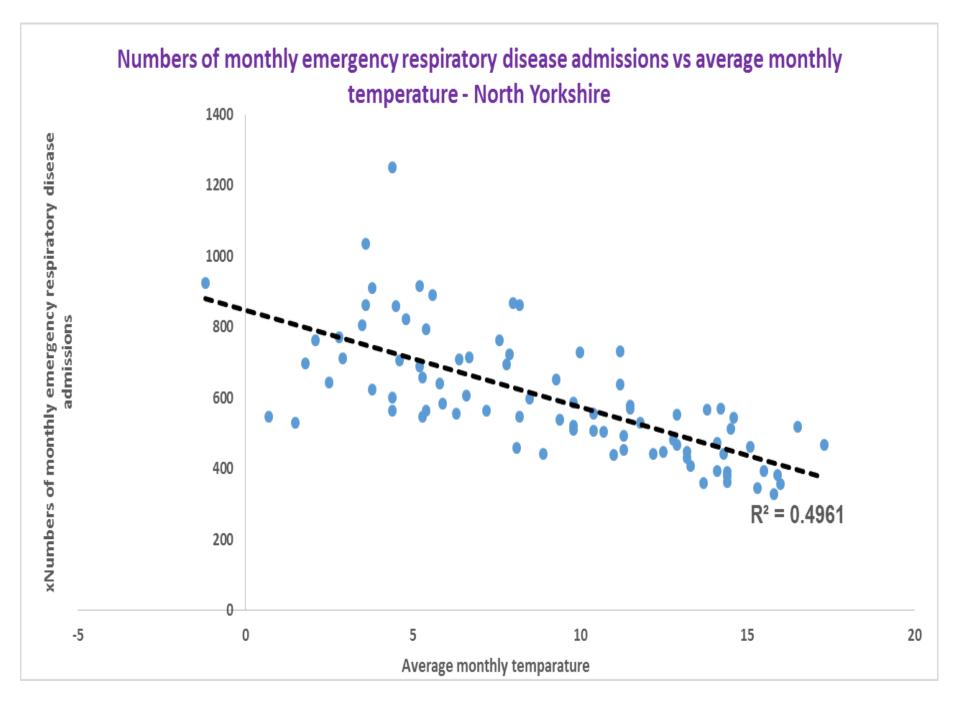


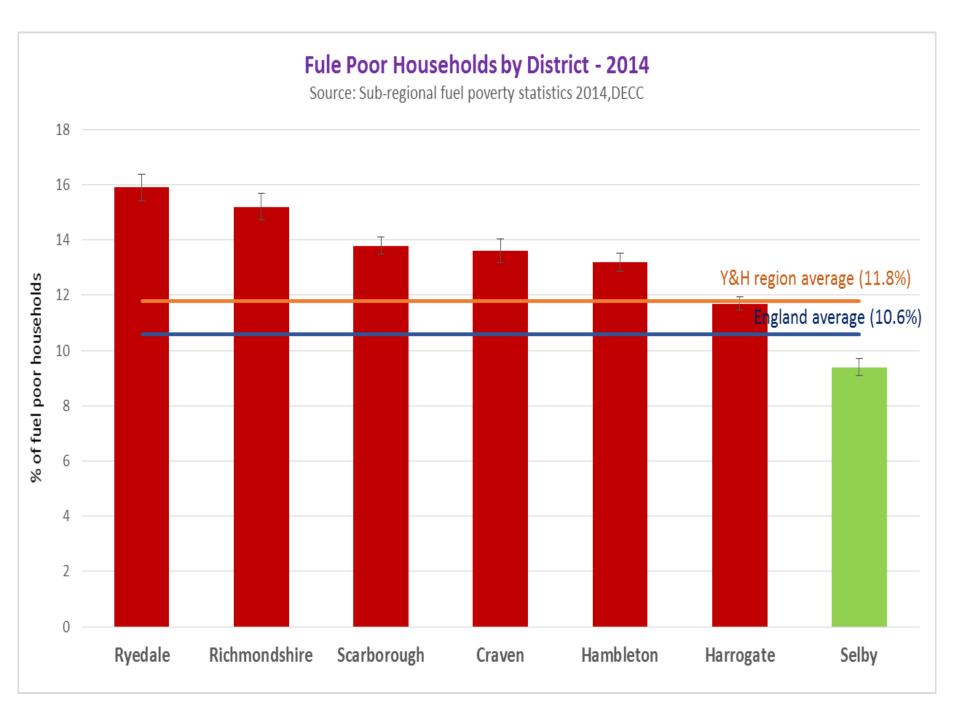


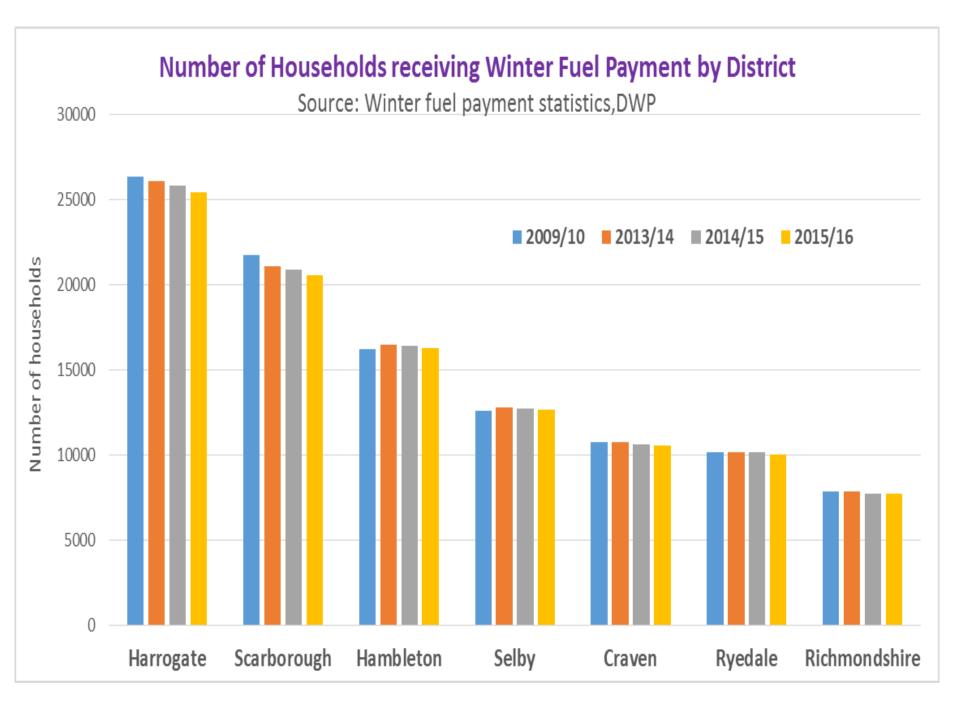


Excess emergency winter admissions index 2014/15 - respiratory disease admissions by local authority in Yorkshire and Humber

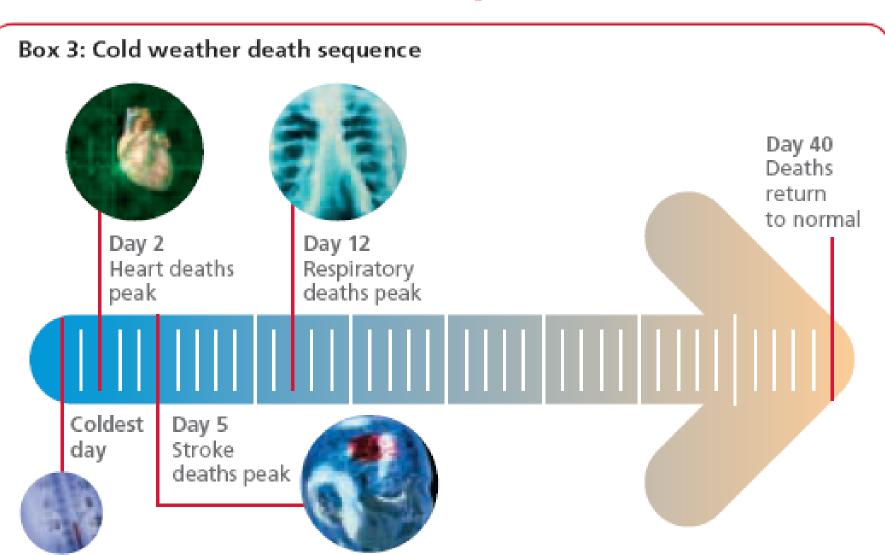








Cold Weather Impact on Health



Source: Adapted from Donaldson GC, Keatinge WR. Early increases in ischaemic heart disease mortality dissociated from and later changes associated with respiratory mortality after cold weather in south east England. *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health* 1997; 51(6): 643–8

Why did we do it? - Partnership

- Understand our roles in the implementation of the seasonal Winter Health Strategy
- Make pledges to work on specific actions to tackle the key priorities together
- Understand the work of other organisations in North Yorkshire and the wider work in relation to Winter Health
- Agree to share and develop best practice to reduce the adverse impact of Winter on Health
- Create networks and build partnerships





New Fuel Poverty Definition adopted 2013

Low Income High Cost (LIHC)

 Takes into account households living on a lower than average income in a home that cannot be kept warm at a reasonable cost

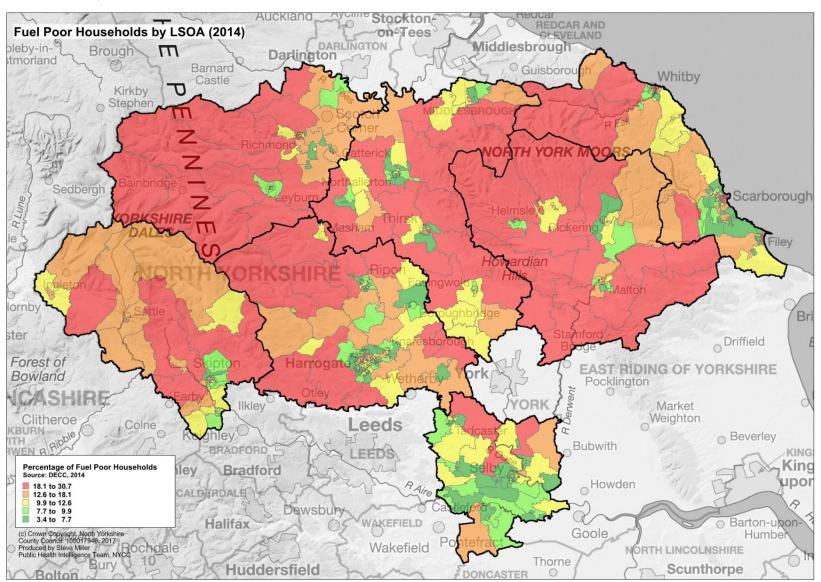
Fuel Poverty Gap

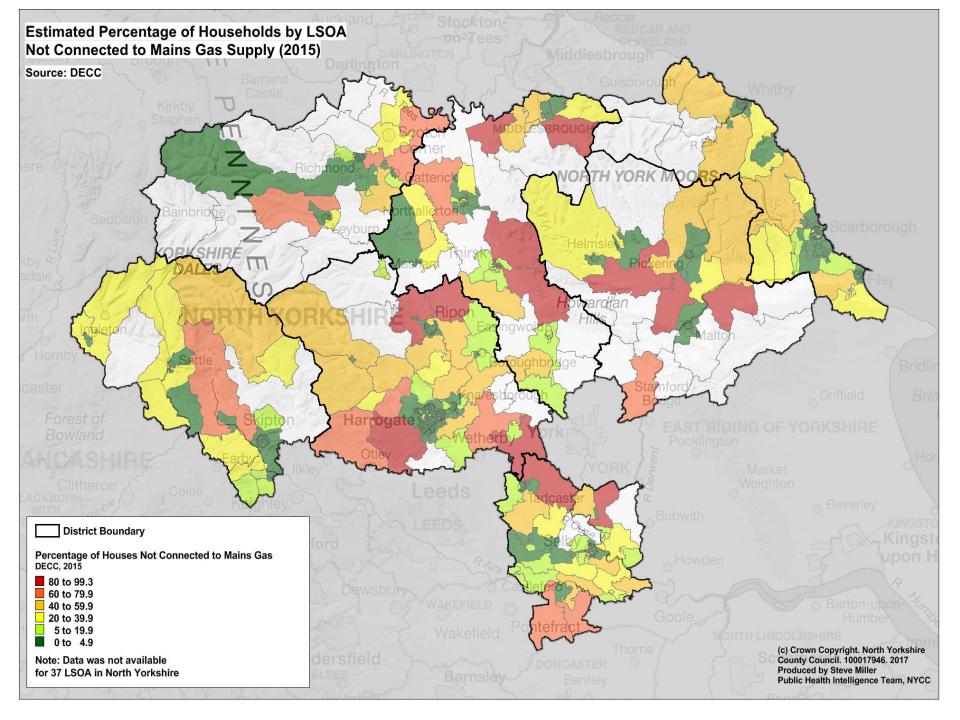
 Separates the extent of the issue (the number of people affected) from its depth (how badly people are affected)

Under this new definition a household is found to be fuel poor if paying their required energy bills would push them below the poverty line

% Homes in Fuel Poverty, 2010-12

Fuel poverty effects almost 13% of households (33,353 homes) in North Yorkshire





Changes in composition of the Fuel Poor:

- Households with members over 60 do represent a quarter of the fuel poor population.
- But families with children and other working age households make up over 70% of those in fuel poverty.
- Of these, families are by far the largest single group (45%).
- 34% of those in fuel poverty have a disability or long term illness, some of whom are not able to work.

