Pentlands Health Questionnaire



This questionnaire is intended to help us improve the health and wellbeing of local residents. Following the renewal of the Pentlands Local Community Plan, results of this survey will help shape what work the Partnership prioritises in future.

All the answers you give will remain confidential and individual responses will not be published. When the overall results of the survey are reported all information will be anonymised to ensure no individuals can be identified.

The more information you provide the more we can use, but you do not need to answer any questions with which you are not comfortable.

1. How would you rate your current level of general health?

Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor

Diet

2. It is important to eat a healthy diet, how much do you agree?

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree

3. I eat healthily enough, how much do you agree?

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree

4. How often do you eat five portions of fruit or vegetables a day?

6-7 days a week	3-5 days a week	1-2 days a week	Never

5. What is your Alcohol Consumption?

Never	Weekends and midweek	
Special Occasions	Most days	
Less than once a week	Every day	
Weekends		

Exercise

6. How would you rate your current level of physical fitness?

Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor

7. How often are you physically active for 30 minutes or more daily?

Rarely or never	Two to four times a week	
Two or three times a month	Five or more times a week	
Once a week		

8. Please state what type of physical activity you engage in (tick all that apply)

Walking or cycling	
Running, jogging, or organised sport	
Swimming	
Gym	
Housework, gardening, or window cleaning	
Other	

9. Which option best describes how often you take visits to the outdoors for leisure and recreation in the Pentland area?

Never	A few times a week	
Occasionally	Every day	
Monthly	More than once a day	
Weekly		

10. How do you rate the nature, woodlands & open spaces in Pentland?

Very Good	Fairly Good	Neither	Fairly Poor	Very Poor

Mental Health

11. What things affect your mental health and wellbeing?

12. Do you look after or give special help to anyone who is physically or mentally ill, disabled or elderly? (do not include paid work, volunteering or childcare)

Yes	
No	

13.Would you know where to go for help if you or a family member needed help with poor mental health?

Yes	
No	

14. Are you aware of the following services to support mental health and wellbeing in the Pentland area?

Support community organisations (including befriending)	
Self-help books, DVDs and CDs in local library	
Internet based information and/or support	
Support from your GP	
Support into exercise	
Psychological therapies (eg counselling or 'talking therapy')	
Creative arts or arts therapies	
Complementary therapies	

About you and your Community

15. Do you feel you are connected to and participate in your local community?

Not at all	Only a little	A fair amount	A great deal

16. Do you feel you have an established social network in your local community?

Not at all	Only a little	A fair amount	A great deal

17. What would you consider as a health priority for you and your community?

Yourself	
Your community	

Telling us a bit about you helps us understand your responses. You do not need to answer any of the following questions if you do not feel comfortable, all personal information will be kept confidential and results will be anonymised.

18. To which age group do you belong?

Under 14 years	51 to 65 years	
15 to 20 years	66 to 80 years	
21 to 35 years	81 or over	
36 to 50 years	Prefer not to answer	

19. What is your sex?

Male	
Female	
Prefer not to say	

20. What is your post code?

This questionnaire has been produced by the Pentlands Neighbourhood Partnership Health & Wellbeing Group. For more information please go to the Edinburgh Neighbourhood Partnership website - www.edinburghnp.org.uk