

Glossary and abbreviations

Term	Definition
A level	Advanced level exam, typically taken at age 18
A&E	Accident & Emergency
AAP	Area Action Plan
Acas	Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service
APS	Annual Population Survey
AS	Advanced Subsidiary
ASB	Anti-social behaviour
ASBAP	Anti-social behavioural action panel
AtW	Access to Work
BATB	Bike Around The Borough
BDF	Business Disability Forum
BAME	Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic
BMI	Body mass index. This is a measure of whether or not someone is a healthy weight for their height, and is computed by dividing a person's height in kilogrammes by the square of their height in metres
BRE	Building Research Establishment
BSL	British Sign Language
BTEC	Business and Technology Education Council
CAB	Citizens Advice Bureau
CCM	City Community Multi-agency risk assessment conference
CHAIN	Combined Homelessness and Information Network
CHD	Coronary heart disease
CIEH	Chartered Institute of Environmental Health

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Confidence interval	<p>This is a statistical indicator of how closely our measurements are likely to reflect the 'true' or underlying pattern.</p> <p>A wide confidence interval means that chance variations in what we are looking at could result in a big difference in the reported number, while a narrow confidence interval suggests that chance variations would not change the reported number by very much</p>
CSEW	Crime Survey for England and Wales
CYPP	Children and Young People's Plan
DAIS	Domestic Abuse Intervention Service
DCLG	Department for Communities and Local Government
DfE	Department for Education
DLA	Disability Living Allowance
DLR	Docklands Light Railway
DM	Development Management
DMLP	Development Management Local Plan
DWP	Department of Work and Pensions
EAL	English as an additional language
EHCP	Education, Health and Care Plan
EHRC	Equality and Human Rights Commission
ESA	Employment Support Allowance
ESOL	English Speakers of Other Languages - An ESOL course is for you if English is not your first language and you want to improve your speaking, listening, reading and writing skills
EU	European Union
EYFSP	Early Years Foundation Stage Profile
FIP	Family Intervention Project
FNP	Family Nurse Partnership

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FOBTs	Fixed Odds Betting Terminals
FoCG	Friends of City Gardens
FPH	Faculty of Public Health
FSM	Free school meals
GBD	Global Burden of Disease
GCSE	General Certificate of Secondary Education
GLA	Greater London Authority
GP	General Practitioner
HACT	Housing Associations' Charitable Trust
HAPFE	Hackney: a place for everyone
HB	Housing Benefit
HCC	Healthier Catering Commitment
HCVS	Hackney Council for Voluntary Services
Health inequalities	Differences between different population groups (e.g. gender, ethnicity, income) in terms of health
HHSRS	Housing Health and Safety Rating System
HIA	Health Impact Assessment
HIV	Human immunodeficiency virus
HLF	Heritage Lottery Fund
HMO	Houses in Multiple Occupation
HMRC	H M Revenue & Customs
I.D.E.A.	Inclusion Diversity Equality and Accessibility
ICT	Information and communications technology
IDACI	Income Deprivation Affecting Children Index
IDAOPi	Income Deprivation Affecting Older People Index

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IDVA	Independent Domestic Violence Advocate
IFS	Institute for Fiscal Studies
IGU	Integrated Gangs Unit
IMD2015 / ID 2015	Index of Multiple Deprivation / Indices of Deprivation
IPV	Intimate partner violence
IRIS	Identification and Referral to Improve Safety
JSA	Jobseeker's Allowance
KS	Key Stage
KSI	Killed or seriously injured
LA	local authority
LAC	Looked after children
LDF	Local Development Framework
LDTs	London Travel Demand Survey
LGA	Local Government Association
LGBT+	Lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and other sexual and gender minorities
LHA	Local Housing Allowance
LRSU	London Road Safety Unit, part of Transport for London
LSOAs	Lower Layer Super Output Areas
LTDS	London Travel Demand Survey – survey conducted by TfL on travel habits in the capital
MARAC	Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference
Mph	Miles per hour
NEET	Not in education, employment or training
NHS	National Health Service

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NICE	National Institute for Health and Care Excellence – NICE exists to improve outcomes for people using the NHS and other public health and social care services by producing evidence-based guidance, developing quality standards and performance metrics and providing informatics
NO2	Nitrogen dioxide – a pollutant that has been associated with a number of short and long-term health conditions including respiratory and cardiovascular conditions
NOMIS	A web-based database of labour market statistics, run by the University of Durham on behalf of the Office for National Statistics
NPPF	National Planning Policy Framework
NRPF	No Recourse to Public Funds
NS-SEC	National Statistics Socio-Economic classification
NVQ	National Vocational Qualification
ONS	Office for National Statistics
OS	Ordnance Survey
OSP	Obesity Strategic Partnership
PH	Public Health
PhD	Doctor of Philosophy
PHE	Public Health England
PHOF	Public Health Outcomes Framework – national outcomes and indicator set that measure how well public health is being improved and protected
PiP	Personal Independence Payment
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PM	Particulate matter
PM2.5 and PM10	Particulate matter 2.5 and 10 – air pollutants made up of a complex mixture of non-gaseous particles of varied physical and chemical composition. Small particles are defined by their diameter and often grouped as being below 2.5 micrometres in

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	diameter (PM2.5) or below 10 micrometres in diameter (PM10).
PRS	Private Rented Sector
PRU	Pupil referral unit
PSHE	Personal, Social and Health Education
RSPH	Royal Society for Public Health
SATs	Standard Assessment Tasks
SEN	Special educational needs
SEND	Special educational needs and disabilities
SHLAA	Strategic Housing Land Availability Assessment
SOC2010	Standard Occupation Classification
SSP	Statutory Sick Pay
STARS	Sustainable Travel Accreditation and Recognition for Schools
Statistical peers	Hackney's statistical peers are local authorities with a similar demographic make up to Hackney, used for the purpose of comparisons. Hackney's statistical peers are the 'Cosmopolitan Inner London' group: Camden, Hackney, Hammersmith and Fulham, Islington, Lambeth, Southwark, Tower Hamlets and Wandsworth.
Statistical significance	<p>Statistical significance is a way of talking about fluctuations in or uncertainty around reported data.</p> <p>A statistically significant difference between two values is one that is unlikely to occur by chance if the underlying patterns are actually the same. The more uncertainty there is around reported data, the bigger the difference between the reported data has to be in order to be statistically significant.</p> <p>See also 'Confidence interval'.</p>
STEM	Science, technology, engineering and mathematics
TCPA	Town and Country Planning Association

Term	Definition
TfL	Transport for London
THVC	Tower Hamlets Volunteer Centre
TLRN	Transport for London Road Network
TPS	Targeted Preventative Services
UC	Universal Credit
UCL	University College London
UK	United Kingdom
ULEZ	Ultra Low Emission Zone – an area within which motor vehicles need to meet exhaust emission standards or pay a daily charge to travel
US	United States
VA	Voluntary aided
VAWG	Violence against women and girls
WRAG	Work-related activity group