North East Precinct

St Helena, Eltham North, Briar Hill, Montmorency

What does our community look like?*

Population size: 17,595
(13.8% of Banyule's population)

Overseas born: 16.8%
(Banyule average: 24.5%)

Median age: 42
(Banyule median age: 40)

Median weekly household income: $2,206
(Banyule median: $2,016)

Unemployment rate: 3.4%
(Banyule rate: 4.3%)

People aged 50+: 39.5%
(Banyule percentage: 37.1%)

Use a language other than English at home: 10.5%
(Banyule percentage: 22%)

Population forecast increase 2024 - 2041: 3.3%
(One of the lowest rates in Banyule)

Participation in the labour force: 65.9%
(Banyule percentage: 64%)

Sex**: Male: 47.9%
Female: 52.1%

Socio-economic rating***: 1081
(Banyule rating: 1058)

*Sourced from Profile .id using ABS Census 2021 - https://profile.id.com.au/banyule

**The ABS Census 2021 collected information relating to sex but not gender. We recognise that this is a significant data gap and the use of sex data can exclude people who identify as a gender other than the sex assigned at birth.

***Sourced from Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA), Australia, ABS 2021

What's important to our community?*

Top three livability priorities by importance

- Feeling safe 73%
- Natural environment 68%
- Public transport 47%

*Sourced from Living in Place Survey (profile .id) https://profile.id.com.au/banyule

Top concerns and issues by importance

- Inflation/Cost of living 61%
- Housing/Price of housing 41%
- Healthcare/hospitals 27%
- Environmental/Pollution/ Water concerns 27%
- Transport/Public transport/Infrastructure 23%
- Household debt/Personal debt 23%



Higher proportion saying they don't participate in any form of physical activity (36%, compared to 30% Banyule average)

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Decline in full time employment (from 40% in 2011 to 37% in 2021)



Lower instance of social infrastructure close to home (no cultural facility within 3.2km and no library within 1km)



6% of residents don't have a footpath within 100m

Not well serviced for bike paths (8% of households within 200m of bike path)



> **"Lots of communication from the council on events and updates. Within my suburb I feel very connected with everyone, kind of like a village"**
> Community Survey respondent, 2023

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Health and Wellbeing

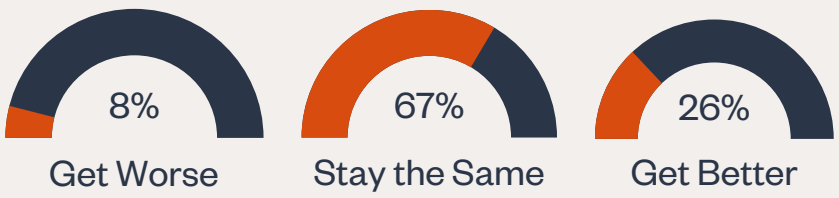
Physical health

How would you rate your physical health?

7.3/10

Banyule wide rate: 7.3/10

Do you think your physical health will get better, worse or stay the same over the next year?



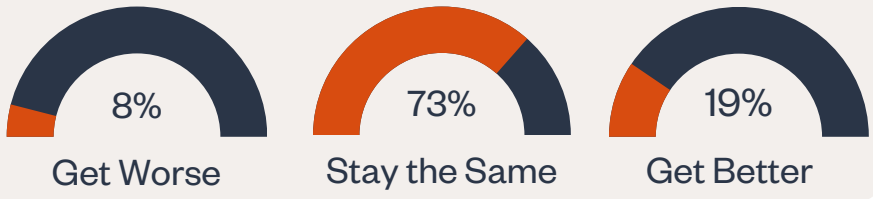
Mental health

How would you rate your mental health?

7.4/10

Banyule wide rate: 7.5/10

Do you think your mental health will get better, worse or stay the same over the next year?



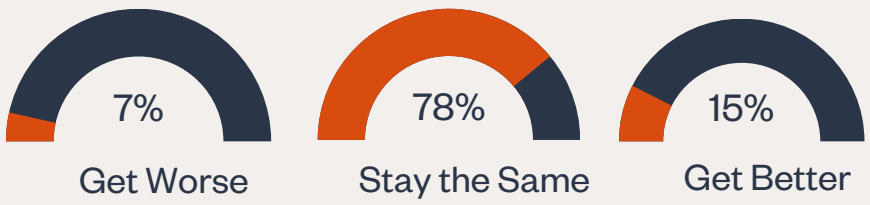
Social wellbeing

How would you rate your social wellbeing?

7.4/10

Banyule wide rate: 7.4/10

Do you think your social wellbeing will get better, worse or stay the same over the next year?



Education

Increase in proportion of population (15 years and older) who have completed year 12

Up from 59.2% in 2016 to 63.5% in 2021



Volunteering

15.5%

Report some form of voluntary work

Banyule wide percentage: 14.4%



Need for assistance

4.4%

Need assistance with core activities

Banyule wide percentage: 5.9%



Long term health condition

34.2%

Have one or more long term health condition

Banyule wide percentage: 33.4%



The data from this report has been sourced from https://profile.id.com.au/banyule (ABS Census 2021, Profile id's, Living in Place Survey, Household Survey and Council's annual Community Satisfaction Survey)

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