



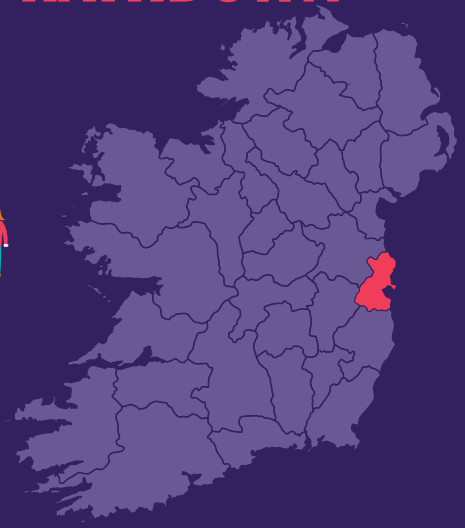
DISABILITY FEDERATION OF IRELAND

DISABILITY PROFILE: DÚN LAOGHAIRE-RATHDOWN¹

13% of the population of Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown, or **27,266** people, have at least one disability.

AGE Their age profile is:

0-14	2,005	
15-24	2,767	
25-44	4,619	
45-64	6,452	
65+	11,423	



Type of Disability

People in Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown reported having the following types of disabilities and conditions:

12,314 Difficulties with basic physical activities

10,057 Difficulty with pain, breathing, or other chronic illness/condition

6,757 Learning Difficulty

5,097 Mental health

4,887 Deafness or serious hearing impairment

2,254 Intellectual Disability

2,183 Blindness or a serious vision impairment

EDUCATION²

In 2016, only 14% of people who have a disability were in education compared to 20% of the general population in Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown.³ For those whose education had finished:⁴

- 19%** did not progress beyond primary education compared to 7% of the general population.
- 20%** had completed upper secondary compared to 17% of the general population.
- 12%** had completed further education compared to 11% of the general population.
- 35%** had completed higher level education compared to 57% of the general population.

EMPLOYMENT

25% of people who have a disability were at work compared to 54% of the general population.

TRANSPORT

21% of people who have a disability did not have access to a car or van compared to 10% of the general population.

HOUSING

12% of people who have a disability lived in social housing compared to 7% of the general population.⁵

1. All statistics in this infographic are based on **Census 2016** data from www.cso.ie, along with special tabulations requested by DFI.

2. Primary and less includes no formal education, further education includes vocational/technical certificate and advanced certificate/ completed apprenticeship, higher education includes Higher Certificate, Ordinary/Honours Bachelor, Postgraduate Diploma/Degree, and Doctorate. Data based on special tabulation from CSO and Statbank.

3. % of total education ceased and not ceased and for people aged 15 years and over.

4. Data is for highest level of education completed for people with a disability whose education has ceased.

5. People aged 15 years and over, who were renting from a Local Authority or a Voluntary Body.