

DISABILITY PROFILE: COUNTY ROSCOMMON¹

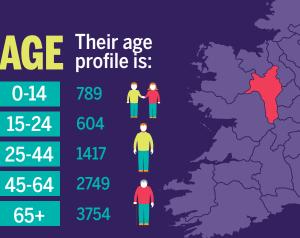


of the population of Roscommon, or 9,313 people, have at least one disability.

Type of Disability

People in Roscommon reported having the following types of disabilities and conditions:





EDUCATION²

In 2016, only 10% of people who have a disability were in education compared to 15% of the general population in Roscommon.³ For those whose education had finished:⁴



13%

15%

did not progress beyond primary education compared to 15% of the general population.

had completed upper secondary compared to 22% of the general population.

had completed further education compared to 16% of the general population.

had completed higher level education compared to 29% of the general population.

EMPLOYMENT

19% of people who have a disability were at work compared to 51% of the general population.

TRANSPORT

18% of people who have a disability did not have access to a car or van compared to 7% of the general population.

HOUSING

10% of people who have a disability lived in social housing compared to 6% 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.

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