

# Vital Statistics 2005 The UK Gay Men's Sex Survey

## Scotland NHS Board of Residence Data Report (February 2008)

This is the first release of data from the UK Gay Men's Sex Survey 2005, conducted by Sigma Research in collaboration with health promoters throughout the UK. This report supplements the annual report, *Consuming passions: findings from the United Kingdom Gay Men's Sex Survey 2005* (down-loadable from <http://www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/downloads/report2007c.pdf> ). Survey methods and interpretation of the variables will be outlined in that report. This initial data is intended to provide HIV health promotion planners with information about their local gay population. This report contains data from men who live in Scotland and for whom NHS Board is known. Respondents are grouped according to the NHS Board in which they live.

### *The data*

The survey used two data collection methods over the summer of 2005:

- (1) A self-sealing, Freepost addressed booklet distributed by 83 health promotion agencies throughout the UK; (None based in Scotland)
- (2) On a specific web-site <<http://www.sigmasurvey.org.uk>>, promoted via links on 55 gay and HIV related web-sites (5 targeting men in Scotland exclusively). Two sites, gay.com and gaydar.co.uk conducted substantial paid for promotion of the survey.

This report contains data from all the men recruited through **both methods**.

The respondents are grouped according to the agency which recruited them.

To be included in the sample respondents must:

- be male
- be aged 14 or over
- be living in the UK
- have had sex with a man in the last year or have an expectation of having sex with a man in the future.
- have completed at least one demographic question and one other question.

Differences between the number of surveys returned and the number of men who appear in the sample are due to these exclusions.

### *The tables*

Groups of men living in the same NHS Board appear as a line in the tables. The bottom line of each table gives the result for the entire Scotland sample. The first table shows the number of men recruited to the survey living in each NHS Board and the size of the sub-samples in the rest of the tables. The tables show the proportions (%) of each sub-sample for that variable (less missing data). Rows (lines across) add up to 100%. The only exception to this layout is table 3, Age Averages.

### *Questionnaires*

The contents page identifies the Booklet question number (Q) each table is derived from.

The questionnaire used in the survey is available to download at:

<http://www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/files/VS2005booklet.pdf>.

### *Funding*

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**Sample Description**

**1. Web and booklet sample sizes.**

Count

	method - distribution		Total
	Web	Booklet	
Lothian	262	6	268
Orkney	3		3
Shetland	5		5
Tayside	66		66
Western Isles	2		2
Lanarkshire	89		89
Ayrshire & Arran	37		37
Borders	13	1	14
Dumfries & Galloway	16		16
Fife	53		53
Forth Valley	48		48
Grampian	84		84
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	242	5	247
Highland	38	1	39
Health Board unknown	94	2	96
<b>Total</b>	<b>1052</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1067</b>

## 2. Age groups.

% within Health Board of residence

	Age				
	<20	20s	30s	40s	50+
Lothian	8.6%	35.2%	31.8%	16.5%	7.9%
Tayside	13.6%	42.4%	22.7%	10.6%	10.6%
Lanarkshire	18.0%	38.2%	25.8%	14.6%	3.4%
Ayrshire & Arran	13.5%	24.3%	18.9%	24.3%	18.9%
Fife	15.1%	35.8%	22.6%	15.1%	11.3%
Forth Valley	8.5%	38.3%	27.7%	10.6%	14.9%
Grampian	10.7%	34.5%	36.9%	9.5%	8.3%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	13.5%	41.6%	23.7%	16.7%	4.5%
Highland	10.5%	26.3%	28.9%	13.2%	21.1%
All other Scottish men	10.3%	28.7%	32.4%	21.3%	7.4%
Total	11.8%	36.0%	28.2%	15.9%	8.2%

## 3. Age averages.

Demog Age (original)

Health Board of residence	Median	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Lothian	31.00	16	70	32.67	11.018
Tayside	28.00	17	66	31.02	11.789
Lanarkshire	28.00	14	73	30.03	10.767
Ayrshire & Arran	35.00	18	56	35.81	11.752
Fife	28.00	15	62	31.38	12.343
Forth Valley	30.00	16	71	33.62	13.393
Grampian	31.00	16	61	31.69	10.718
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	27.00	16	63	30.39	10.308
Highland	34.50	18	69	36.03	13.890
All other Scottish men	33.00	16	65	33.60	10.735
Total	30.00	14	73	32.07	11.223

#### 4. Years of formal education after the age of 16 years of age.

% within Health Board of residence

	Years in full-time education post - 16				
	None	1 year	2 years	3 to 5 years	6 or more years
Lothian	13.1%	7.8%	13.1%	32.8%	33.2%
Tayside	4.5%	7.6%	16.7%	40.9%	30.3%
Lanarkshire	14.6%	11.2%	19.1%	38.2%	16.9%
Ayrshire & Arran	10.8%	8.1%	13.5%	51.4%	16.2%
Fife	11.3%	13.2%	9.4%	37.7%	28.3%
Forth Valley	10.4%	14.6%	14.6%	27.1%	33.3%
Grampian	15.5%	11.9%	20.2%	33.3%	19.0%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	13.4%	8.9%	11.4%	39.4%	26.8%
Highland	17.9%	5.1%	20.5%	30.8%	25.6%
All other Scottish men	17.2%	7.5%	12.7%	30.6%	32.1%
Total	13.3%	9.1%	14.1%	35.6%	27.8%

#### 5. Annual income.

% within Health Board of residence

	£ Annual Income								
	< 5000	5000 - 9999	10000 - 14999	15000 - 19999	20000 - 24999	25000 - 29999	30000 - 34999	35000 - 39999	40 000 +
Lothian	9.4%	11.7%	13.2%	12.4%	14.7%	9.4%	9.4%	5.6%	14.3%
Tayside	13.8%	13.8%	13.8%	16.9%	12.3%	9.2%	6.2%	4.6%	9.2%
Lanarkshire	9.1%	9.1%	26.1%	18.2%	11.4%	10.2%	6.8%	3.4%	5.7%
Ayrshire & Arran	8.1%	5.4%	21.6%	18.9%	8.1%	13.5%	5.4%	5.4%	13.5%
Fife	9.4%	11.3%	22.6%	11.3%	18.9%	11.3%	3.8%	7.5%	3.8%
Forth Valley	14.6%	2.1%	22.9%	20.8%	10.4%	10.4%	2.1%	6.3%	10.4%
Grampian	13.3%	7.2%	15.7%	9.6%	4.8%	10.8%	14.5%	6.0%	18.1%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	11.8%	13.4%	16.3%	16.7%	13.0%	11.0%	4.1%	5.3%	8.5%
Highland	7.7%	5.1%	23.1%	25.6%	5.1%	10.3%	10.3%	5.1%	7.7%
All other Scottish men	11.5%	10.0%	24.6%	11.5%	8.5%	8.5%	4.6%	5.4%	15.4%
Total	10.9%	10.5%	18.2%	14.9%	11.8%	10.1%	6.8%	5.4%	11.4%

## 6. Current religious practice.

% within Health Board of residence

	Current religious practice						
	No religious practice	Judaism	Christianity	Islam	Buddhism	Paganism	Other
Lothian	71.2%	.4%	24.3%		.7%	2.2%	1.1%
Tayside	74.2%		18.2%		1.5%	1.5%	4.5%
Lanarkshire	69.7%		30.3%				
Ayrshire & Arran	64.9%		24.3%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%
Fife	75.5%	1.9%	15.1%		5.7%		1.9%
Forth Valley	68.8%		29.2%			2.1%	
Grampian	77.4%		17.9%			4.8%	
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	75.1%	.4%	19.5%	1.7%	1.7%	.4%	1.2%
Highland	60.5%		34.2%		2.6%	2.6%	
All other Scottish men	76.7%		18.6%	.8%	1.6%	.8%	1.6%
Total	72.8%	.3%	22.2%	.6%	1.3%	1.5%	1.2%

## 7. Ethnicity in six groups.

% within Health Board of residence

	Ethnic Group					
	White British	White other	Black	Asian	Mixed	Other
Lothian	89.6%	7.8%	.4%	1.1%	.4%	.7%
Tayside	95.5%	3.0%			1.5%	
Lanarkshire	98.9%					1.1%
Ayrshire & Arran	94.6%	5.4%				
Fife	94.3%	5.7%				
Forth Valley	95.8%	4.2%				
Grampian	95.2%	4.8%				
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	88.7%	6.5%	.4%	.8%	1.6%	2.0%
Highland	92.3%	7.7%				
All other Scottish men	86.7%	9.6%		.7%	3.0%	
Total	91.4%	6.2%	.2%	.6%	.9%	.8%

## HIV testing

### 8. HIV testing history.

% within Health Board of residence

	HIV testing history			
	Never tested	-ve test last year	-ve test > 1 year ago	Tested HIV positive
Lothian	48.5%	27.6%	19.4%	4.5%
Tayside	62.1%	16.7%	21.2%	
Lanarkshire	61.8%	18.0%	16.9%	3.4%
Ayrshire & Arran	56.8%	18.9%	24.3%	
Fife	58.5%	20.8%	20.8%	
Forth Valley	66.0%	17.0%	14.9%	2.1%
Grampian	56.6%	24.1%	15.7%	3.6%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	52.0%	24.4%	19.9%	3.7%
Highland	74.4%	10.3%	12.8%	2.6%
All other Scottish men	53.0%	25.4%	18.7%	3.0%
Total	55.0%	23.1%	18.8%	3.1%

## Sexual behaviour

### 9. Gender of sexual partners in the last year.

% within Health Board of residence

	Demog - Gender of sexual partners			
	No one	Women only	Both men and women	Men only
Lothian	5.2%	.7%	12.7%	81.3%
Tayside	4.5%	1.5%	18.2%	75.8%
Lanarkshire	7.9%	1.1%	18.0%	73.0%
Ayrshire & Arran	2.7%	2.7%	24.3%	70.3%
Fife	9.4%		18.9%	71.7%
Forth Valley	6.3%		10.4%	83.3%
Grampian	6.0%		14.3%	79.8%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	4.5%	.8%	15.0%	79.8%
Highland	2.6%	5.1%	23.1%	69.2%
All other Scottish men	5.9%	2.9%	20.6%	70.6%
Total	5.4%	1.2%	16.1%	77.2%

### 10. HIV concordancy of regular male relationship.

% within Health Board of residence

	HIV concordancy of regular male relationship			
	No male partner	HIV concordant	HIV discordant	Concordancy unknown
Lothian	45.7%	41.2%	5.2%	7.9%
Tayside	41.5%	52.3%		6.2%
Lanarkshire	44.9%	46.1%	4.5%	4.5%
Ayrshire & Arran	41.7%	44.4%		13.9%
Fife	44.2%	51.9%		3.8%
Forth Valley	41.7%	43.8%	4.2%	10.4%
Grampian	45.2%	41.7%	3.6%	9.5%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	44.5%	40.0%	3.3%	12.2%
Highland	41.0%	51.3%	5.1%	2.6%
All other Scottish men	42.5%	44.0%	4.5%	9.0%
Total	44.1%	43.5%	3.7%	8.7%

### 11. Number of male sexual partners in the last year (those who had sex with men).

% within Health Board of residence

	Number of male sexual partners				
	One	2, 3 or 4	5 to 12	13 to 29	30 +
Lothian	18.4%	35.6%	20.4%	15.6%	10.0%
Tayside	21.3%	39.3%	21.3%	13.1%	4.9%
Lanarkshire	18.2%	42.9%	20.8%	11.7%	6.5%
Ayrshire & Arran	32.4%	23.5%	17.6%	14.7%	11.8%
Fife	33.3%	35.4%	20.8%	6.3%	4.2%
Forth Valley	25.0%	31.8%	20.5%	15.9%	6.8%
Grampian	28.9%	35.5%	21.1%	3.9%	10.5%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	19.6%	34.3%	24.8%	13.0%	8.3%
Highland	17.6%	41.2%	32.4%	2.9%	5.9%
All other Scottish men	24.6%	33.6%	23.0%	8.2%	10.7%
Total	21.9%	35.5%	22.2%	11.8%	8.6%

### 12. Insertive AI and frequency of condom use in the last year.

% within Health Board of residence

	IAI and frequency of condom use			
	No IAI	IAI never used a condom	IAI sometimes used a condom	IAI always used a condom
Lothian	35.2%	6.0%	22.8%	36.0%
Tayside	31.8%	10.6%	27.3%	30.3%
Lanarkshire	32.6%	13.5%	33.7%	20.2%
Ayrshire & Arran	37.8%	16.2%	29.7%	16.2%
Fife	22.6%	11.3%	32.1%	34.0%
Forth Valley	35.4%	6.3%	31.3%	27.1%
Grampian	34.5%	14.3%	22.6%	28.6%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	32.5%	6.9%	30.9%	29.7%
Highland	23.7%	5.3%	31.6%	39.5%
All other Scottish men	39.0%	11.0%	28.7%	21.3%
Total	33.6%	9.0%	28.0%	29.3%

### 13. Condom Failure in the last year.

% within Health Board of residence

	Condom failure in the last year		
	No IAI with a condom	No failure	Failure
Lothian	41.2%	49.1%	9.7%
Tayside	42.4%	56.1%	1.5%
Lanarkshire	46.1%	48.3%	5.6%
Ayrshire & Arran	54.1%	43.2%	2.7%
Fife	34.0%	54.7%	11.3%
Forth Valley	41.7%	47.9%	10.4%
Grampian	48.8%	46.4%	4.8%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	39.4%	48.0%	12.6%
Highland	28.9%	63.2%	7.9%
All other Scottish men	50.0%	46.3%	3.7%
Total	42.7%	49.2%	8.2%

### 14. Receptive AI and frequency of condom use in the last year.

% within Health Board of residence

	RAI and frequency of condom use			
	No RAI	RAI never used a condom	RAI sometimes used a condom	RAI always used a condom
Lothian	32.1%	8.7%	28.7%	30.6%
Tayside	36.9%	9.2%	26.2%	27.7%
Lanarkshire	34.8%	13.5%	24.7%	27.0%
Ayrshire & Arran	29.7%	16.2%	37.8%	16.2%
Fife	34.0%	15.1%	22.6%	28.3%
Forth Valley	36.2%	6.4%	38.3%	19.1%
Grampian	31.0%	13.1%	19.0%	36.9%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	32.4%	8.6%	26.2%	32.8%
Highland	38.5%	5.1%	12.8%	43.6%
All other Scottish men	40.0%	11.9%	27.4%	20.7%
Total	34.0%	10.2%	26.6%	29.2%

**15. Unprotected anal intercourse (UAI) in the last year.**

% within Health Board of residence

	Unprotected Anal intercourse			
	No UAI	RUAI only	IUAI only	Both RUAI & IUAI
Lothian	50.2%	16.0%	12.5%	21.3%
Tayside	51.5%	13.6%	13.6%	21.2%
Lanarkshire	40.4%	7.9%	21.3%	30.3%
Ayrshire & Arran	29.7%	18.9%	16.2%	35.1%
Fife	49.1%	9.4%	11.3%	30.2%
Forth Valley	45.8%	14.6%	8.3%	31.3%
Grampian	56.0%	6.0%	9.5%	28.6%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	49.8%	10.1%	11.7%	28.3%
Highland	53.8%	10.3%	28.2%	7.7%
All other Scottish men	47.8%	11.2%	12.7%	28.4%
Total	48.7%	11.9%	13.4%	26.0%

## Other health behaviour

### 16. Cigarette smoking.

% within Health Board of residence

	Cigarette Smoker		
	No cigarettes	<10 per day	10 or more per day
Lothian	68.3%	12.5%	19.2%
Tayside	75.8%	7.6%	16.7%
Lanarkshire	66.3%	6.7%	27.0%
Ayrshire & Arran	70.3%	5.4%	24.3%
Fife	66.0%	1.9%	32.1%
Forth Valley	72.9%	6.3%	20.8%
Grampian	73.8%	6.0%	20.2%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	66.0%	10.1%	23.9%
Highland	55.3%	18.4%	26.3%
All other Scottish men	62.5%	10.3%	27.2%
Total	67.5%	9.5%	23.0%

### 17. Use of recreational drugs in the last year (Ecstasy, LSD, amphetamine, crystal methamphetamine, cocaine, crack cocaine, ketamine, GHB or heroin).

% within Health Board of residence

	Recreational drug use (Ecstasy, LSD, Cocaine, Crack, Heroin + Speed, Crystal, K & GHB)	
	Did not use	Used recreational listed drugs
Lothian	81.6%	18.4%
Tayside	89.4%	10.6%
Lanarkshire	86.5%	13.5%
Ayrshire & Arran	89.2%	10.8%
Fife	88.7%	11.3%
Forth Valley	89.6%	10.4%
Grampian	86.9%	13.1%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	74.4%	25.6%
Highland	74.4%	25.6%
All other Scottish men	84.4%	15.6%
Total	82.3%	17.7%

**18. Use of crystal methamphetamine in the last year.**

% within Health Board of residence

	Use of Crystal methamphetamine/Tina			
	Once a week or more	Once or twice a month	Less than once a month	Not at all
Lothian		.4%	1.1%	98.5%
Tayside				100.0%
Lanarkshire				100.0%
Ayrshire & Arran	2.7%			97.3%
Fife				100.0%
Forth Valley	2.1%		2.1%	95.8%
Grampian			2.4%	97.6%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde			.8%	99.2%
Highland				100.0%
All other Scottish men		.7%		99.3%
Total	.2%	.2%	.8%	98.9%

## Other health needs

### 19. I would like to stop smoking tobacco (of tobacco smokers).

% within Health Board of residence

	Like to stop smoking tobacco (of smokers)				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Lothian	35.1%	39.2%	14.4%	9.3%	2.1%
Tayside	21.1%	36.8%	26.3%	5.3%	10.5%
Lanarkshire	47.1%	35.3%	11.8%	5.9%	
Ayrshire & Arran	18.2%	72.7%		9.1%	
Fife	61.9%	23.8%	14.3%		
Forth Valley	20.0%	33.3%	33.3%		13.3%
Grampian	33.3%	40.7%	11.1%	11.1%	3.7%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	37.1%	37.1%	13.4%	9.3%	3.1%
Highland	55.0%	30.0%	15.0%		
All other Scottish men	43.9%	26.3%	17.5%	8.8%	3.5%
Total	38.4%	35.9%	15.1%	7.5%	3.0%

### 20. I sometimes worry about how much I drink (of drinkers).

% within Health Board of residence

	Worry about alcohol use (of drinkers)				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Lothian	4.5%	31.8%	8.6%	29.0%	26.1%
Tayside	1.8%	22.8%	14.0%	47.4%	14.0%
Lanarkshire	3.8%	15.4%	11.5%	32.1%	37.2%
Ayrshire & Arran	3.0%	24.2%	9.1%	39.4%	24.2%
Fife	8.0%	30.0%	12.0%	28.0%	22.0%
Forth Valley	4.4%	15.6%	8.9%	44.4%	26.7%
Grampian		25.3%	20.0%	32.0%	22.7%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	5.4%	22.5%	9.5%	34.7%	27.9%
Highland	11.1%	13.9%	11.1%	27.8%	36.1%
All other Scottish men	5.2%	21.6%	12.1%	33.6%	27.6%
Total	4.6%	24.2%	11.0%	33.4%	26.8%

**21. I sometimes worry about my recreational drug use (of recreational drug users).**

% within Health Board of residence

	Worry about recreational drug use (of rec drug users)				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Not sure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Lothian	2.6%	6.6%	11.9%	32.5%	46.4%
Tayside	3.4%	6.9%	6.9%	34.5%	48.3%
Lanarkshire	9.3%	7.0%	4.7%	30.2%	48.8%
Ayrshire & Arran				63.6%	36.4%
Fife	10.7%	21.4%	7.1%	17.9%	42.9%
Forth Valley	9.5%		4.8%	28.6%	57.1%
Grampian	10.0%	23.3%	20.0%	20.0%	26.7%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	4.2%	17.8%	11.0%	28.8%	38.1%
Highland		19.2%	7.7%	30.8%	42.3%
All other Scottish men	1.5%	9.1%	15.2%	31.8%	42.4%
Total	4.4%	11.5%	10.7%	30.4%	43.0%

## Interventions - Clinic use

### 22. Recency of clinic use.

% within Health Board of residence

	Recency of clinic use				
	I've never been to a clinic	More than 5 years ago	More than 1 year ago	Within last year but not in last month	Within the last month
Lothian	41.0%	9.7%	14.9%	24.6%	9.7%
Tayside	57.6%	3.0%	27.3%	9.1%	3.0%
Lanarkshire	58.4%	4.5%	16.9%	14.6%	5.6%
Ayrshire & Arran	54.1%		18.9%	24.3%	2.7%
Fife	52.8%	9.4%	11.3%	20.8%	5.7%
Forth Valley	64.6%	4.2%	14.6%	12.5%	4.2%
Grampian	58.3%	4.8%	14.3%	15.5%	7.1%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	44.1%	7.3%	17.0%	25.1%	6.5%
Highland	61.5%	10.3%	12.8%	12.8%	2.6%
All other Scottish men	51.5%	9.6%	12.5%	18.4%	8.1%
Total	49.8%	7.3%	15.8%	20.2%	6.8%

### 23. Offered an HIV test on last clinic visit (of those not already diagnosed with HIV).

% within Health Board of residence

	Offered HIV test on last visit (not already diagnosed with HIV)		
	Never visited a clinic	Not offered test	Offered test
Lothian	43.0%	14.1%	43.0%
Tayside	57.6%	10.6%	31.8%
Lanarkshire	60.5%	4.7%	34.9%
Ayrshire & Arran	54.1%	5.4%	40.5%
Fife	53.8%	9.6%	36.5%
Forth Valley	66.0%	6.4%	27.7%
Grampian	59.8%	9.8%	30.5%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	45.8%	12.6%	41.6%
Highland	61.5%	20.5%	17.9%
All other Scottish men	53.4%	14.5%	32.1%
Total	51.4%	11.8%	36.8%

## Interventions - PEP

### 24. Heard of PEP.

% within Health Board of residence

	Heard of PEP	
	No	Yes
Lothian	63.3%	36.7%
Tayside	86.4%	13.6%
Lanarkshire	77.5%	22.5%
Ayrshire & Arran	86.5%	13.5%
Fife	75.5%	24.5%
Forth Valley	85.4%	14.6%
Grampian	79.8%	20.2%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	70.0%	30.0%
Highland	64.1%	35.9%
All other Scottish men	75.0%	25.0%
Total	72.7%	27.3%

### 25. Tried to get PEP.

% within Health Board of residence

	Tried to get PEP (all)	
	No	Yes
Lothian	98.9%	1.1%
Tayside	100.0%	
Lanarkshire	100.0%	
Ayrshire & Arran	100.0%	
Fife	98.1%	1.9%
Forth Valley	100.0%	
Grampian	98.8%	1.2%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	98.4%	1.6%
Highland	100.0%	
All other Scottish men	99.3%	.7%
Total	99.1%	.9%

**26. Ever taken PEP.**

% within Health Board of residence

	Ever taken PEP (all)	
	No	Yes
Lothian	98.9%	1.1%
Tayside	100.0%	
Lanarkshire	100.0%	
Ayrshire & Arran	100.0%	
Fife	100.0%	
Forth Valley	100.0%	
Grampian	98.8%	1.2%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	99.2%	.8%
Highland	100.0%	
All other Scottish men	100.0%	
Total	99.4%	.6%

**27. Know anyone who received PEP.**

% within Health Board of residence

	Know anyone who has got PEP (all)	
	No	Yes
Lothian	94.4%	5.6%
Tayside	98.5%	1.5%
Lanarkshire	97.8%	2.2%
Ayrshire & Arran	100.0%	
Fife	98.1%	1.9%
Forth Valley	97.9%	2.1%
Grampian	96.4%	3.6%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	96.8%	3.2%
Highland	97.4%	2.6%
All other Scottish men	96.3%	3.7%
Total	96.5%	3.5%

**28. Consideration of getting PEP if exposed to HIV (those not tested positive).**

% within Health Board of residence

	Would you try to get PEP (men not diagnosed with HIV)		
	No	Yes	Maybe
Lothian	2.0%	71.9%	26.1%
Tayside	3.1%	63.1%	33.8%
Lanarkshire	1.2%	70.9%	27.9%
Ayrshire & Arran	5.4%	67.6%	27.0%
Fife	1.9%	73.6%	24.5%
Forth Valley	2.1%	70.2%	27.7%
Grampian	1.2%	70.4%	28.4%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	2.1%	70.6%	27.2%
Highland		71.1%	28.9%
All other Scottish men	10.0%	60.8%	29.2%
Total	3.0%	69.3%	27.7%

## Hate crime

### 29. Homophobic physical assault in the last year.

% within Health Board of residence

	Physical assault	
	No	Yes
Lothian	93.6%	6.4%
Tayside	83.3%	16.7%
Lanarkshire	85.4%	14.6%
Ayrshire & Arran	97.3%	2.7%
Fife	94.3%	5.7%
Forth Valley	93.8%	6.3%
Grampian	92.9%	7.1%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	91.9%	8.1%
Highland	92.3%	7.7%
All other Scottish men	96.3%	3.7%
Total	92.3%	7.7%

### 30. Homophobic physical assault reported to the police (of those physically assaulted).

% within Health Board of residence

	Physical assault reported to police	
	No	Yes
Lothian	64.7%	35.3%
Tayside	72.7%	27.3%
Lanarkshire	69.2%	30.8%
Ayrshire & Arran		100.0%
Fife	66.7%	33.3%
Forth Valley	100.0%	
Grampian	83.3%	16.7%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	70.0%	30.0%
Highland	100.0%	
All other Scottish men	80.0%	20.0%
Total	72.0%	28.0%

### 31. Homophobic verbal abuse in the last year.

% within Health Board of residence

	Verbal abuse	
	No	Yes
Lothian	69.8%	30.2%
Tayside	60.6%	39.4%
Lanarkshire	71.9%	28.1%
Ayrshire & Arran	78.4%	21.6%
Fife	53.8%	46.2%
Forth Valley	70.8%	29.2%
Grampian	76.2%	23.8%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	64.2%	35.8%
Highland	71.8%	28.2%
All other Scottish men	74.6%	25.4%
Total	68.9%	31.1%

### 32. Homophobic verbal abuse reported to the police (of those verbally abused).

% within Health Board of residence

	Verbal abuse reported to police	
	No	Yes
Lothian	97.5%	2.5%
Tayside	96.2%	3.8%
Lanarkshire	96.0%	4.0%
Ayrshire & Arran	87.5%	12.5%
Fife	95.8%	4.2%
Forth Valley	100.0%	
Grampian	85.0%	15.0%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	90.8%	9.2%
Highland	100.0%	
All other Scottish men	88.2%	11.8%
Total	93.6%	6.4%

## Internet profile

### 32. Active (currently in use) internet profile on www.gay.com or www.gaydar.co.uk.

% within Health Board of residence

	Has active gay.com and/or gaydar profile			
	gay.com	gaydar.co.uk	Both	Neither
Lothian	1.1%	55.8%	9.7%	33.3%
Tayside		73.8%	4.6%	21.5%
Lanarkshire	6.9%	59.8%	14.9%	18.4%
Ayrshire & Arran	2.7%	54.1%	13.5%	29.7%
Fife	1.9%	73.1%	1.9%	23.1%
Forth Valley	2.1%	62.5%	8.3%	27.1%
Grampian	3.6%	69.0%	8.3%	19.0%
Grt. Glasgow & Clyde	3.6%	56.7%	9.3%	30.4%
Highland	5.1%	53.8%	10.3%	30.8%
All other Scottish men	3.0%	63.7%	9.6%	23.7%
Total	2.8%	60.5%	9.3%	27.3%

**END**