

Health inequalities in Scotland: an independent review

People born in the most deprived areas of Scotland can expect to live about 24 fewer years in good health than people born in the least deprived areas.

Our independent review aims to provide a thorough analysis of the wider factors that influence persistent health inequalities and plot a path for future action. We're working with an expert advisory group on issues specific to Scotland, and partner organisations on four research projects.

An expert advisory group will advise on the approach, findings from the research and implications

Trends in social inequalities in health and health related behaviours over the last two decades

Public health trends
MRC/CSO Social and Public Health Sciences Unit, University of Glasgow

Trends in key socio-economic determinants of health and inequalities

Wider determinants of health
Fraser of Allander Institute

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Public understanding of wider determinants of health and health inequalities

Public engagement
Diffley Partnership

Exploring the key priorities to improve health inequalities, what are the opportunities for and barriers to action

Stakeholder engagement
NESTA Scotland