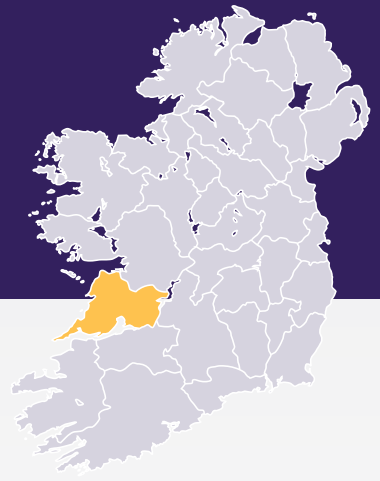




DISABILITY FEDERATION OF IRELAND

# Disability Profile: Clare<sup>1</sup>



21%

of the population of Clare, or **27,213** people, have at least one disability.

Number of people in each age range with a disability



0-14	15-24	25-44	44-65	65+
2,331	2,648	4,990	7,806	9,438

## Disability by gender

Male  
**13,127**



Female  
**14,086**



## Number of people with each type of disability



<b>10,711</b>	<b>8,943</b>	<b>7,526</b>	<b>6,252</b>	<b>5,806</b>	<b>5,738</b>	<b>2,586</b>
Difficulty with pain, breathing or any other chronic illness or condition	Difficulty with basic physical activities	Blindness or a vision impairment	Difficulty with learning, remembering or concentrating	Deafness or a hearing impairment	Psychological or emotional condition or a mental health issue	Intellectual disability

## Education level obtained<sup>2,3</sup>



No formal education

4%

have no formal education compared to 1.69% of the general population

Primary level

12%

did not progress beyond primary education compared to 5.77% of the general population.

Secondary

32%

had completed upper secondary compared to 27.29% of the general population.

Further education

12%

had completed further education compared to 11.92% of the general population.

Higher education

24%

had completed higher level education compared to 30.86% of the general population.

Still in education

7%

are still in education compared to 11.39% of the general population.

## Labour Participation<sup>4</sup>

33.10% People with disabilities over 15 are at work compared to 46.54% of the general population



## Social Housing<sup>5</sup>

11.36% People with disabilities are in social housing (by household) compared to 7.54% of the general population

- All statistics based on Census 2022, cso.ie
- 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.
- % of all adults, both ceased and not ceased their education. Adults who did not indicate whether they had ceased education are not shown.

- These numbers represent every individual over 15, including those in education, those over 65 and people retired.
- People aged 15 years and over, who were renting from a Local Authority or a Voluntary Body.

Due to changes in the census questions, the data from Census 2022 is not comparable to data from previous censuses



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