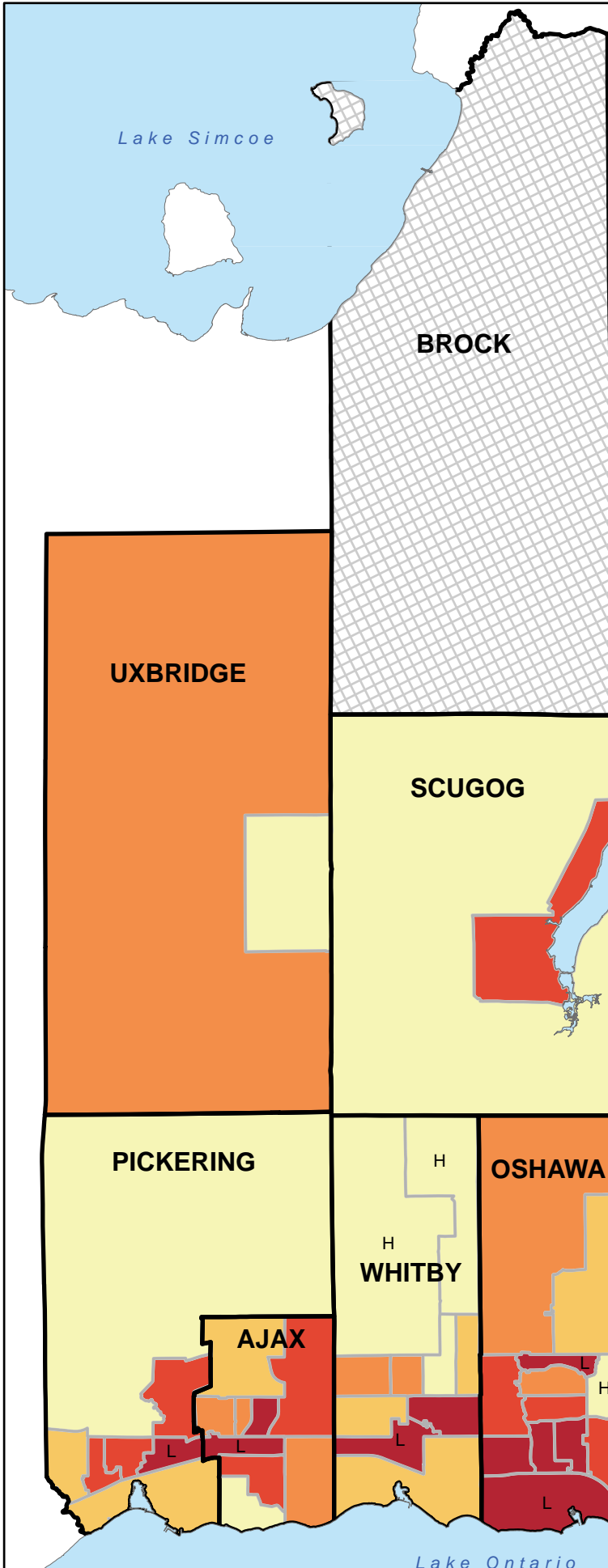


SENIOR KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN LIVING IN A CHILD-FRIENDLY NEIGHBOURHOOD (2012) DURHAM REGION

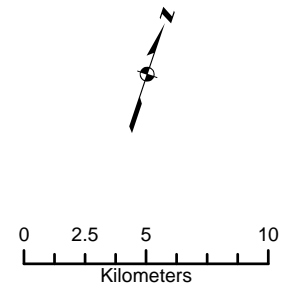
by Health Neighbourhood



Percentage Living in a Child-Friendly Neighbourhood

Number of Neighbourhoods

	44.4% to 67.7%	(10)
	68.3% to 75.7%	(10)
	76.8% to 80.3%	(10)
	80.6% to 87.5%	(10)
	87.8% to 92.6%	(9)
	Data not releasable due to small numbers	
	Health Neighbourhood Boundaries	



Source: Kindergarten Parent Survey (KPS), 2012, Durham Region

H - Neighbourhood value significantly higher than Durham Region, L - Neighbourhood value significantly lower than Durham Region

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Table 1: Health Neighbourhoods Indicator Summary

é Higher is Better



	Percentage of Senior Kindergarten Children	95% Confidence Interval	Compared to Durham Rate		
			Lower	Similar	Higher
Pickering	77%	72 - 81			
Frenchman's Bay (P1)	83%	70 - 91			
West Rouge (P2)	84%	72 - 92			
Amberlee (P3)	74%	56 - 87			
Dunbarton (P4)	75%	61 - 85			
Pickering City Centre (P5)	54%	37 - 70	é		
Brock Ridge Pickering (P6)	71%*	51 - 86			
Pickering North (P7)	88%	74 - 96			
Ajax	75%	71 - 79			
Ajax Waterfront (A1)	90%	76 - 97			
Downtown Ajax (A2)	70%	50 - 85			
Carruthers (A3)	78%	66 - 88			
Central Ajax (A4)	45%*	29 - 63	é		
Riverside-Hermitage (A5)	77%	60 - 88			
Westney Heights (A6)	80%	63 - 91			
Applecroft (A7)	66%	47 - 81			
Ajax Northwest (A8)	81%	69 - 89			
Ajax Northeast (A9)	75%	63 - 84			
Whitby	83%	80 - 86			
Whitby South (W1)	87%	76 - 94			
Downtown Whitby (W2)	64%	49 - 77	é		
Cochrane South (W3)	88%*	67 - 97			
Manning (W4)	67%	52 - 80			
Williamsburg (W5)	79%	67 - 88			
Whitby Brock North (W6)	80%	68 - 89			
Dryden-Anderson (W7)	89%	77 - 95			
Dryden East (W8)	81%	69 - 89			
Brooklin East (W9)	92%	86 - 96			é
Brooklin West (W10)	89%	80 - 94			é
Oshawa	72%	68 - 76	é		
Lakeview (O1)	44%*	30 - 60	é		
Gibb West (O2)	63%	45 - 78			
Downtown Oshawa (O3)	63%*	36 - 84			
Central Park (O4)	68%	49 - 83			
Grandview South (O5)	70%	51 - 84			
Stevenson North (O6)	68%	52 - 81			
Hillsdale (O7)	69%	51 - 83			
Beatrice South (O8)	78%	60 - 90			
Grandview North (O9)	93%	81 - 98			é
Beatrice North (O10)	54%	37 - 71	é		
Oshawa Northwest (O11)	77%	62 - 88			
Oshawa Northeast (O12)	83%	74 - 89			
Clarington	82%	78 - 85			
Courtice South (C1)	84%	75 - 91			
Courtice North (C2)	90%	78 - 96			
Bowmanville South (C3)	80%	70 - 88			
Bowmanville Central (C4)	88%	75 - 94			
Bowmanville North (C5)	77%	67 - 85			
Darlington (C6)	74%	55 - 87			
Clarke (C7)	82%	72 - 90			
Scugog	83%	73 - 90			
Port Perry (S1)	76%	58 - 88			
Rural Scugog (S2)	88%	75 - 95			
Uxbridge	86%	78 - 92			
Urban Uxbridge (U1)	89%	80 - 95			
Rural Uxbridge (U2)	77%*	56 - 90			
Brock					
Brock (B1)	NR				
Durham Region	79%	77 - 80	Higher than Ontario		
Range	44% - 93%				
Ontario	72%	71.0 - 72.1			

Source: Kindergarten Parent Survey (KPS), 2012, Durham Region.

Note: Lower (down arrow) or Higher (up arrow) means that the 95% confidence intervals do not overlap and that the rates are different from Durham Region. Estimates marked with an asterisk should be used with caution due to small sample sizes and those marked "NR" are non-releaseable due to small numbers.

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Table 2: List of Health Neighbourhoods ranked from lowest to highest

Order	Health Neighbourhoods	Percentage of Senior Kindergarten Children	Compared to Durham Region (Higher is Better)	Quintile
1	Lakeview (O1)	44%*	LOWER	1
2	Central Ajax (A4)	45%*	LOWER	1
3	Pickering City Centre (P5)	54%	LOWER	1
4	Beatrice North (O10)	54%	LOWER	1
5	Downtown Oshawa (O3)	63%*	similar	1
6	Gibb West (O2)	63%	similar	1
7	Downtown Whitby (W2)	64%	LOWER	1
8	Applecroft (A7)	66%	similar	1
9	Manning (W4)	67%	similar	1
10	Central Park (O4)	68%	similar	1
11	Stevenson North (O6)	68%	similar	2
12	Hillsdale (O7)	69%	similar	2
13	Grandview South (O5)	70%	similar	2
14	Downtown Ajax (A2)	70%	similar	2
15	Brock Ridge Pickering (P6)	71%*	similar	2
16	Darlington (C6)	74%	similar	2
17	Amberlee (P3)	74%	similar	2
18	Dunbarton (P4)	75%	similar	2
19	Ajax Northeast (A9)	75%	similar	2
20	Port Perry (S1)	76%	similar	2
21	Bowmanville North (C5)	77%	similar	3
22	Riverside-Hermitage (A5)	77%	similar	3
23	Rural Uxbridge (U2)	77%*	similar	3
24	Oshawa Northwest (O11)	77%	similar	3
25	Beatrice South (O8)	78%	similar	3
26	Carruthers (A3)	78%	similar	3
27	Williamsburg (W5)	79%	similar	3
28	Westney Heights (A6)	80%	similar	3
29	Bowmanville South (C3)	80%	similar	3
30	Whitby Brock North (W6)	80%	similar	3
31	Ajax Northwest (A8)	81%	similar	4
32	Dryden East (W8)	81%	similar	4
33	Clarke (C7)	82%	similar	4
34	Frenchman's Bay (P1)	83%	similar	4
35	Oshawa Northeast (O12)	83%	similar	4
36	West Rouge (P2)	84%	similar	4
37	Courtice South (C1)	84%	similar	4
38	Whitby South (W1)	87%	similar	4
39	Cochrane South (W3)	88%*	similar	4
40	Bowmanville Central (C4)	88%	similar	4
41	Rural Scugog (S2)	88%	similar	5
42	Pickering North (P7)	88%	similar	5
43	Brooklin West (W10)	89%	HIGHER	5
44	Dryden-Anderson (W7)	89%	similar	5
45	Urban Uxbridge (U1)	89%	similar	5
46	Courtice North (C2)	90%	similar	5
47	Ajax Waterfront (A1)	90%	similar	5
48	Brooklin East (W9)	92%	HIGHER	5
49	Grandview North (O9)	93%	HIGHER	5
50	Brock (B1)	Non-Releaseable		

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Table 3: Senior kindergarten (SK) children who live in a child-friendly neighbourhood by Durham Region Municipality

Municipality	Percentage	Compared to Durham Region (Higher is Better)
Pickering	77%	similar
Ajax	75%	similar
Whitby	83%	similar
Oshawa	72%	LOWER
Clarington	82%	similar
Scugog	83%	similar
Uxbridge	86%	similar
Brock	Not Releasable	Not Releasable
Durham Region	79%	Higher than Ontario
Ontario	72%	

What You Need to Know

- A higher percentage is better for health.
- The percentage ranges by Health Neighbourhood from 44.4% to 92.6%.
- Rates are lowest in two Oshawa Neighbourhoods and the downtown areas of Pickering, Ajax, Whitby and Oshawa. The highest child-friendly ratings are in an Oshawa Neighbourhood and in Brooklin.

Indicator Notes

- Percentage of SK children whose parents answered "true" to the statement "My neighbourhood is child-friendly".
- Source: Kindergarten Parent Survey (KPS), 2012, Durham Region.
- The KPS is a questionnaire for parents of SK children that complements the Early Development Instrument (EDI) by collecting information about the family and the child's experiences before entering kindergarten. In Durham Region, the KPS was completed by 2,704 parents, representing a 40% response rate among parents of SK children attending publicly funded schools in Durham Region in spring 2012. A total of 2,696 surveys were coded to a Health Neighbourhood.
- Estimates marked with an asterisk should be used with caution due to small sample sizes (denominator of between 11 and 29 surveys or a coefficient of variation of 16.7% to 33.3%). Non-releasable estimates have fewer than 11 responses or a coefficient of variation greater than 33.3%.
- KPS question: "My neighbourhood is child-friendly: True, Sometimes True, Not True". This indicator reports the response "True". The question was the last of a series of statements with the preceding 9 questions about safety, parks and playgrounds, and neighbours.
- Neighbourhoods were sorted into five groupings (quintiles) based on the percentage of children living in child-friendly neighbourhoods. Approximately 10 Neighbourhoods are in each quintile.
- Neighbourhoods were compared with Durham Region based on their confidence intervals. Those with rates that were lower or higher had 95% confidence intervals that did not overlap with those of Durham Region and were significantly different.
- For more information about KPS and EDI results in Durham Region, see Child Care and Children's Programs at durham.ca. For more information about the KPS provincially, see [Offord Centre](#).

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For more information, refer to The Guide to Health Neighbourhoods.

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