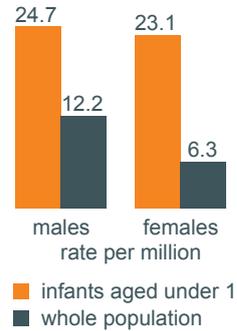


### Homicide rates have decreased

for victims aged 16 and over

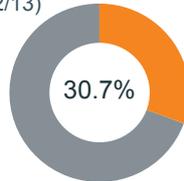


Infants under 1 year had a higher homicide rate compared to the whole population in 2013/14

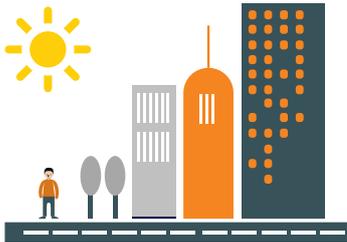


### Fear of crime is decreasing but some people felt more unsafe than others

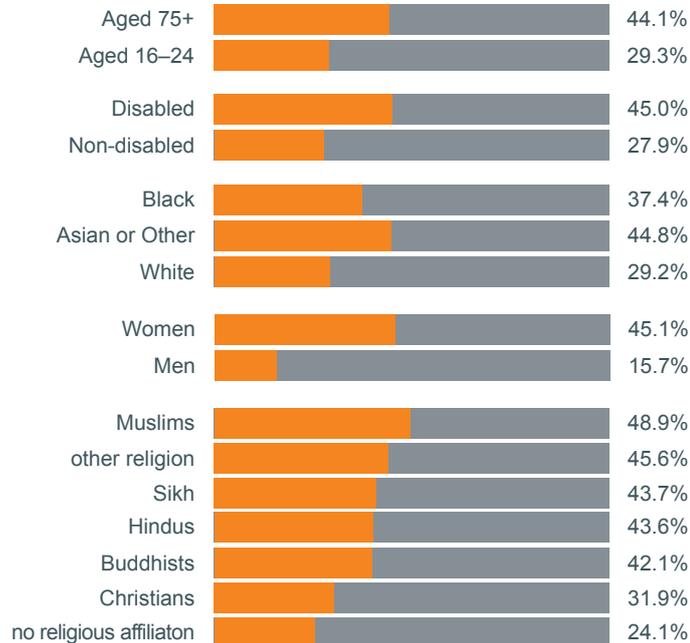
(2012/13)



of all respondents reported feeling unsafe being alone at home and/or in local area (during the day and after dark)



### Some people were more likely to report feeling unsafe:



### Self-reported violent crime has decreased

2008/09

3.5%

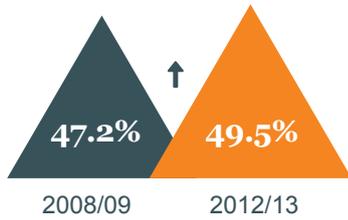
2.7%

2012/13

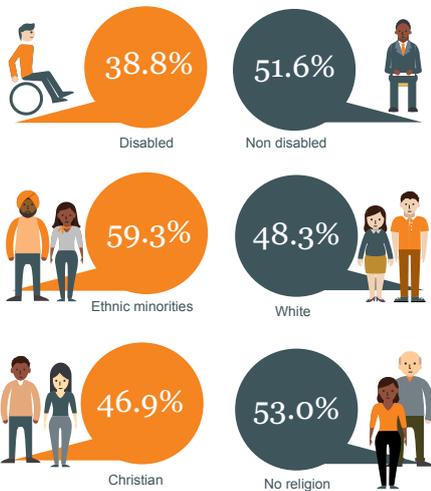


## Fairness of the criminal justice system

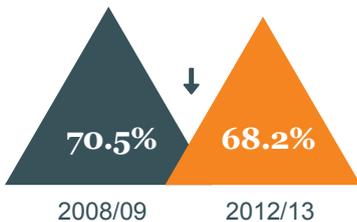
Confidence that the criminal justice system meets the needs of victims has increased



The following people felt less confident that the needs of victims are met in 2012/13



Confidence that the criminal justice system respects the rights of those accused of an offence and treats them fairly has decreased



## Conditions of detention

### Police custody

In England and Wales, there have been

**133 deaths**

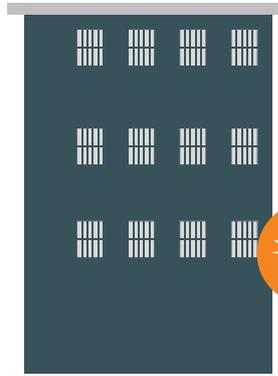
during or following police custody between 2007/08 and 2014/15, and there have been

**444 apparent suicides**

following police custody



### Prisons



Men's prisons have become less safe over the past 5 years. There were

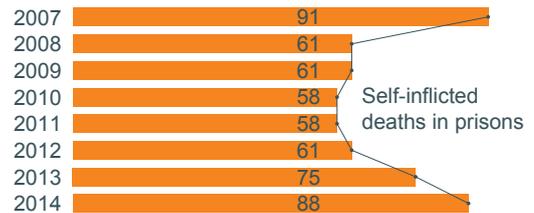
**16,196**

**assault incidents**

between 2010 and 2015.

The number of serious assaults has increased (55% rise)

There were **88** self-inflicted deaths in prisons in England/Wales in 2014. Prisoners aged 40-59 and White prisoners were more likely to take their own lives



## Health and social care

Several enquiries have found evidence of **abuse and neglect** for residents in care homes, especially for older people.



Using the evidence that we have gathered, there are areas where England has improved and got fairer, and areas where it has got worse. Improvements need to be made across the board to really aim for a fairer England.

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