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#KnowYourMunicipality: The 2022 Socio-Economic Profile

Theewaterskloof Municipality



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Theewaterskloof: At a Glance

Demographics

Population Estimates, 2022; Actual households, 2021



Population

124 050



Households

35 990

Education

2021



Matric Pass Rate 79.4%

Retention Rate 74.6%

Learner-Teacher Ratio 30.9

Poverty

2021



Gini Coefficient

0.62

Upper Bound Poverty Line

53.33

Health

2021/22



Primary Health Care Facilities

6

excl. mobile/satellite

Immunisation Rate

100.9%

Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100 000 live births)

0.0

Teenage Pregnancies - Delivery rate to women U/18

16.2%

Safety and Security

Actual number of reported cases in 2021/22



Residential Burglaries

624

DUI

73

Drug-related Crimes

923

Murder

59

Sexual Offences

87

Access to Basic Service Delivery

Percentage of households with access to basic services, 2021



Water

99.3%

Refuse Removal

81.1%



Electricity

94.8%



Sanitation

97.7%



Housing

81.3%



Road Safety

2021/22

Fatal Crashes

28

Road User Fatalities

44

Labour

2021

Unemployment Rate (narrow definition)

13.9%



Socio-economic Risks

Risk 1 Low economic growth

Risk 2 Low skills levels

Risk 3 Low learner retention rates

Largest 3 Sectors

Contribution to GDP, 2020

Finance, insurance, real estate and business services

21.9%

Wholesale & retail trade, catering and accommodation

16.1%

Manufacturing

14.2%

INTRODUCTION

Provincial Treasury produces socio-economic profiles for each of the Western Cape municipalities on an annual basis. These profiles provide the Western Cape municipalities with data and analyses pertaining to their municipal area, which may assist in planning, budgeting and the prioritisation of municipal services.

The profiles include information on recent trends in GDP and labour market performance, demographics, education and health outcomes. It further unpacks per capita income, inequality and poverty, access to housing and basic services as well as crime levels.

The indicators reflect the socio-economic reality of municipalities. As such, valuable insight can be gained as to the developmental challenges faced by communities residing within a specific geographical area. While some developmental challenges are not within the municipality's mandate to address, these profiles also provide spatial information for other spheres of Government in order to improve the quality of lives of people within each municipal area.











This profile uses data primarily sourced from Statistics South Africa, administrative data from sector departments, the Municipal Review and Outlook (MERO), *Global Insight Regional Explorer* and Quantec. The data sourced from sector departments are the most recent that is available. The Statistics South Africa 2011 Census and 2016 Community Survey contains the latest survey data available at municipal level.

The format of the profile allows for easy readability with the data being displayed in infographics, followed by the relevant trend analyses.

The information contained in this profile highlights information for the Theewaterskloof Municipality in relation to the broader Overberg District.

GDPR PERFORMANCE

Sectoral Overview

R million (2020)	Trend (2016 – 2020)	Real GDP growth 2021e
Primary Sector R1 316.2 (14.2%)	0.3	7.2
R1 310.5 million (14.1%) Agriculture, forestry & fishing 	0.3	7.3
R5.7 million (0.1%) Mining & quarrying 	2.6	-13.2
Secondary Sector R2 107.8 (22.7%)	-1.2	6.4
R1 314.3 million (14.2%) Manufacturing 	0.4	9.6
R237.9 million (2.6%) Electricity, gas & water 	-2.8	2.7
R555.6 million (6.0%) Construction 	-3.6	0.7
Tertiary Sector R5 863.1 (63.1%)	1.1	6.3
R1 495.5 million (16.1%) Wholesale & retail trade, catering & accommodation 	-1.2	8.3
R714.5 million (7.7%) Transport, storage & communication 	-2.3	5.5
R2 034.9 million (21.9%) Finance, insurance, real estate & business services 	4.4	7.3
R759.5 million (8.2%) General government 	1.1	-1.0
R858.6 million (9.2%) Community, social & personal services 	1.0	8.0
R9 287.1 (100%) Total Theewaterskloof	0.3	6.5

In 2020, Theewaterskloof area's economy was valued at R9.287 billion (current prices) and employed 56 515 people. Historical trends between 2016 and 2020 indicates that the municipal economy realised an average annual growth rate of 0.3 per cent. The 2020 recession made a substantial dent in the average growth rate over the period, but load shedding and the drought within the Province also played a major role in prior years.

Estimates for 2021 however indicate a marked recovery in growth (6.5 per cent) from the effects of the COVID-19 related restrictions to economic activity in 2020. This growth was driven by recovery growth in a number of sectors, including the wholesale & retail trade, catering & accommodation (8.3 per cent); finance, insurance, real estate & business services (7.3 per cent); agriculture, forestry and fishing (7.3 per cent), manufacturing (9.6 per cent); transport, storage and communication (5.5 per cent) and community, social and personal services (8.0 per cent) sectors. The mining and quarrying (-13.2 per cent) and general government (-1.0 per cent) sectors were the only sectors that experienced further economic decline after the easing of restrictions.

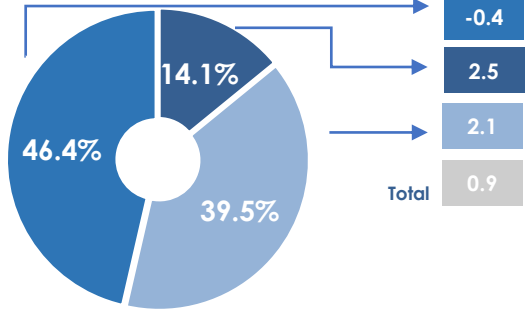
Despite the economic recovery experienced in 2021, the economy continued to shed jobs, with an estimated 1 599 net jobs lost. This was largely driven by job losses in the agriculture, forestry & fishing (-594); wholesale & retail trade, catering & accommodation (-486 jobs); construction (-221); transport, storage and communication (-174 jobs) and finance, insurance, real estate & business services (-105) sectors, reflecting that employment creation is lagging the improved GDP. The general government and the community, social & personal services sectors were able to create jobs during the year.

LABOUR MARKET PERFORMANCE



Formal employment 2020

Skill Level Contribution 2020



■ Skilled ■ Semi-skilled ■ Low-skilled

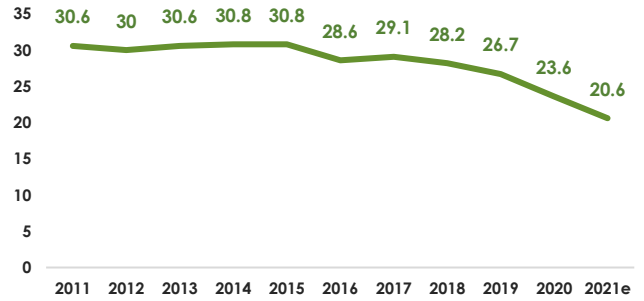
Average growth (%) 2016-2020

Skilled	-0.4
Semi-skilled	2.5
Low-skilled	2.1
Total	0.9

	Number of jobs 2020	Number of jobs 2021
Skilled	6 072	6 219
Semi-skilled	17 058	17 152
Low-skilled	20 040	20 246
Total	43 170	43 617

Informal employment

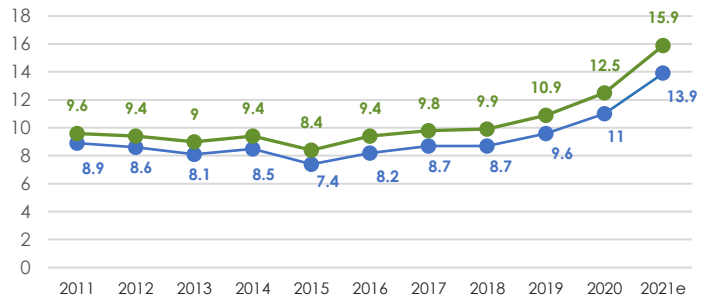
% of Total Employment



	2019	2020	2021e
Number of jobs	16 360	13 345	11 299

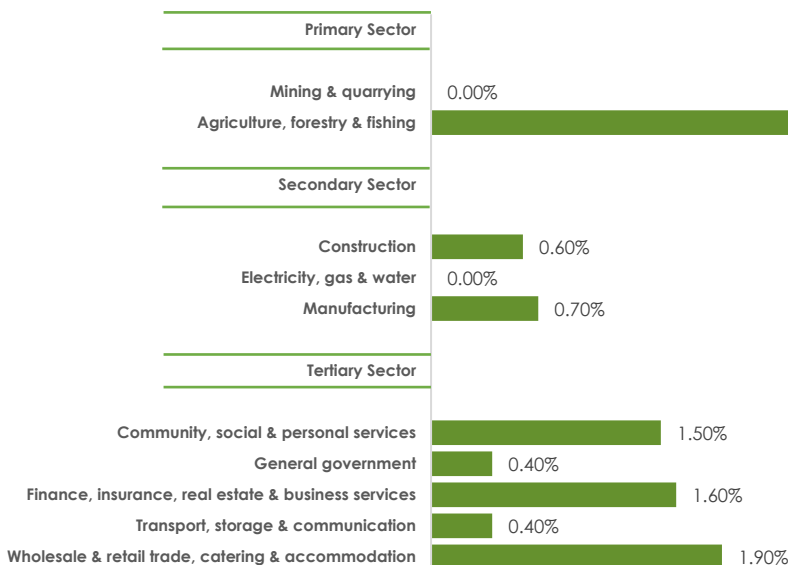


Unemployment rate 2011 - 2021



● Theewaterskloof ● Overberg District

Sectoral employment contribution 2020



Employment

Average annual change 2016/2020	Number of jobs 2020	Net change 2021
-0	7	-
-876	16 003	-594

-8	3 616	-221
-0	172	-2
45	4 194	-89

-98	8 644	46
14	2 189	26
229	8 786	-105
-13	1 982	-174
82	10 929	-486

Total Theewaterskloof

-625	56 515	-1 599
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Economy and Labour Market Performance

Formal and Informal Employment

It is estimated that the Theewaterskloof region's total employed in 2021 amounts to 54 916 workers of which 43 617 (79.4 per cent) are in the formal sector while 11 299 (20.6 per cent) are informally employed, showing a drop in proportion of informally employed workers.

Informal employment has been on a declining trend since 2015, while overall formal employment has only been able to reach 0.9 per cent average growth between 2016 and 2020. The informal economy absorbed the majority of the job losses in 2021. This is concerning as the informal economy is expected to act as a buffer during times of economic recession.

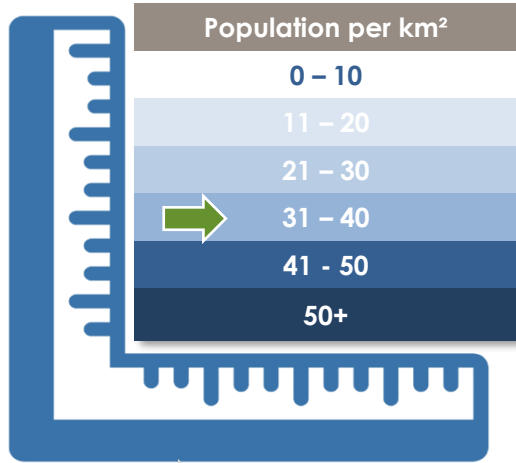
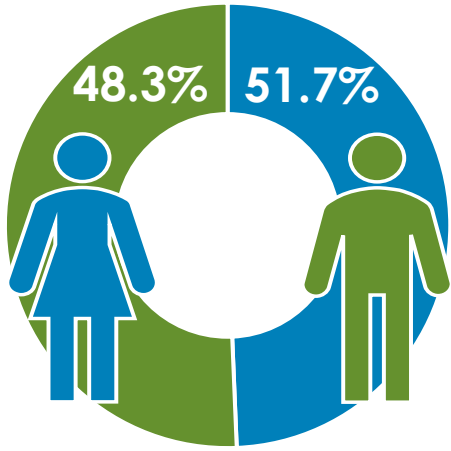
Most of the formally employed consisted of low-skilled (46.4 per cent) and semi-skilled (39.5 per cent) workers. Although the skilled category only contributed 14.1 per cent to total formal employment (2020), it outpaced the other two categories in terms of average annual growth – between 2016 and 2020, the skilled cohort grew on average by 2.5 per cent, while the semi-skilled category grew at 2.1 per cent; low skilled employment contracted by 0.4 per cent over the same period. The growth in the skilled category reflects the market demand for more skilled labour and the ability to sustain and even expand skilled employment even during difficult economic times. Evidently, the demand for skilled labour is on the rise which implies the need to capacitate and empower low-skilled and semi-skilled workers.

Unemployment

Theewaterskloof's unemployment rate of 13.9 per cent in 2021 was below that of the Overberg District (15.9 per cent) and considerably lower than that the Western Cape's unemployment rate of 25.1 per cent. The unemployment has however been on an upward trend since 2015 (7.4 per cent). The proportion of the not economically active population has also increased from 2020 to 2021 as job losses and an insufficient supply of jobs have led to an increasing number of discouraged work seekers. Unfortunately, most job losses affected low skilled and informal workers who are more vulnerable to living in poverty during times of tough economic

The unemployment rates are concerning given that this estimate is based on the narrow definition of unemployment i.e. the percentage of people that are actively looking for work, but unable to find employment. In turn, the broad definition refers to people that want to work but are not actively seeking employment (excludes those who have given up looking for work).

DEMOGRAPHICS



Number of males per 100 females

	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Overberg District	102.3	102.9	103.0	103.0	103.0
Theewaterskloof	107.1	108.0	108.1	108.2	108.8
Overstrand	98.9	99.3	99.3	99.3	98.8
Cape Agulhas	99.0	99.9	100.1	100.4	101.2
Swellendam	100.2	100.8	100.8	100.7	99.9

Current Population 2022
124 050

Estimated Population 2026
131 733



Household size

2022	3.9
2023	3.9
2024	3.9
2025	3.8
2026	3.8



Population growth



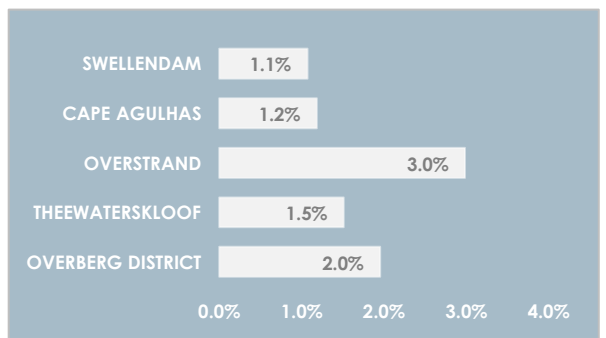
	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Theewaterskloof	2.1	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.9
Overberg District	3.4	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9
Western Cape	2.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6



Age cohorts

	Children: 0-14 Years	Working Age: 15 - 64 Years	Aged 65+ Years	Dependency Ratio
2022	33 077	85 645	5 329	44.8
2024	34 209	87 985	5 346	45.0
2026	35 583	90 679	5 471	45.3
	1.8%	1.4%	0.7%	

Population growth 2022 - 2026



Demographics

Population

Theewaterskloof's population totals 124 050 persons in 2022, making it the most populated municipal area in the Overberg District (OBD). This total is expected to grow to 131 733 by 2026, equating to an average annual growth of 1.5 per cent.

Sex ratio

The overall sex ratio (SR) depicts the number of males per 100 females in the population. The data indicates that there are more males than females in the Theewaterskloof municipal area with a ratio of 107.1 males per 100 females in 2022. The SR for Theewaterskloof increases slightly year on year towards 2026 which could be attributed to a wide range of factors such as an increase in female mortality rates as well as the potential inflow of working males to the municipal area.

Age cohorts

Between 2022 and 2026, the highest population growth is estimated for the children 0 – 14 years cohort, with expected growth for the period reaching an average annual rate of 1.8 per cent. Similar growth of 1.4 per cent is expected for the working age population. The predicted growth increases the dependency ratio towards 2026.

Household size

Household size refers to the number of people per household. Within the Theewaterskloof area, the average size of households is expected to drop marginally from 3.9 people per household in 2022 to 3.8 in 2026. Contributing factors include but are not limited to cultural patterns surrounding intergenerational co-residence, divorce, as well as socioeconomic factors that shape trends in employment, education and housing markets.

Population density

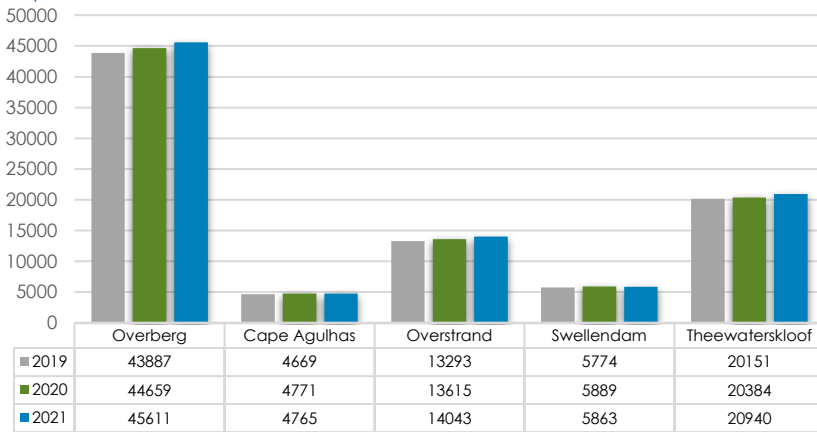
Population density is the measurement of the number of people that make up a population in a defined area. Factors affecting population density include economic, social, connectivity/location and accessibility factors. These figures improve responsiveness to rapid urbanization and assists municipalities with planning and budgeting for effective service delivery and combatting environmental risks. In 2022, the population density of the Overberg District area was 25 persons per square kilometre. In order of highest to lowest, the various local municipal areas within the Overberg District compare as follows:

- Overstrand 65 people/km²
- **Theewaterskloof 38 people/km²**
- Cape Agulhas 10 people/km²
- Swellendam 10 people/km²

EDUCATION



Learner enrolment



Educational facilities 2021

36

Number of schools

83.3%

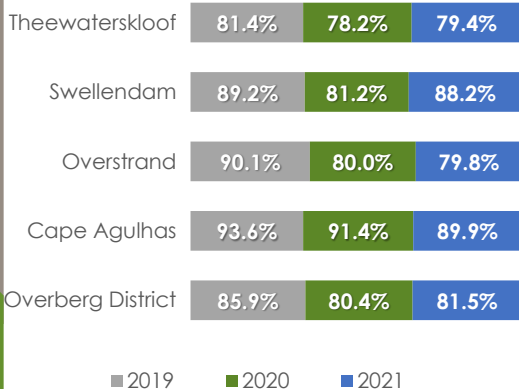
Proportion of no-fee schools

Number of schools with libraries

21



Education outcomes



Learner retention 2019 - 2021

	2019	2020	2021
Overberg District	66.1%	68.9%	72.3%
Theewaterskloof	71.2%	67.8%	74.6%
Overstrand	64.1%	71.4%	70.3%
Cape Agulhas	56.0%	66.3%	63.5%
Swellendam	61.5%	68.5%	75.8%



Learner-Teacher Ratio 2019 - 2021

Cape Agulhas	28.3	28.2	28.4
Overstrand	31.7	30.9	30.7
Theewaterskloof	30.7	30.7	30.9
Swellendam	26.7	27.9	28.7
Overberg	30.1	30.1	30.3



Education

Access to education, learner enrolment and learner-teacher ratio

Education is one of the primary resources of change, aiding people to acquire knowledge and skills, which can in turn be used to acquire jobs. In 2021, there was a total of 36 schools in the Theewaterskloof municipal area, of which 83.3 per cent were no fee schools.

Learner Enrolment

In 2021, a total of 20 940 learners were enrolled within the Theewaterskloof, marginally more than the 20 384 enrolled in 2020. For the same period, the learner-teacher ratio increased marginally from 30.7 in 2020 to 30.9 in 2021, which is lower than the recommended norm of up to 40:1 for ordinary primary schools and 35:1 for ordinary high schools as set by the Department of Education.

Learner retention

With an average learner retention rate of 72.3 for the Overberg area, learner retention is a challenge across the District. With a retention rate of 74.6 in the Theewaterskloof area, school drop-outs in the area remains a grave concern. The retention rate is influenced by a wide array of economic factors including unemployment, poverty, indigent households, high levels of households with no or very low income and teenage pregnancies.

Retention rates should be kept in mind when considering education outcomes/results, as low retention rates are likely to skew outcomes, as drop-outs are automatically excluded from any outcomes/results. Being able to retain learners is essential for overall positive education outcomes

Education outcomes (Matric Pass Rates)

Education remains one of the key avenues through which the state is involved in the economy. In preparing individuals for future engagement in the labour market, policy choices and decisions in the sphere of education play a critical role in determining the extent to which future economic and poverty reduction plans can be realised. The Theewaterskloof matric pass rate increased from 78.2 per cent in 2020, to 79.4 per cent in 2021. The Theewaterskloof matric pass rate remains the lowest in the District in 2021 and slightly lower than that of Province's 80.7 per cent.

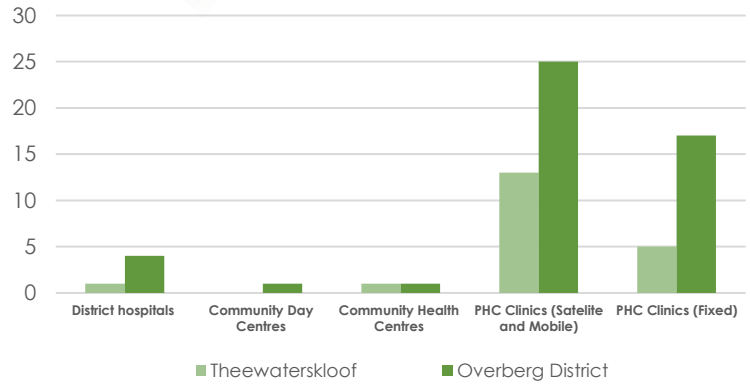
Education infrastructure, schools with libraries

The availability of library facilities within schools contribute towards improvement in the overall quality of education, narrowing the academic attainment gap by allowing students access to information which is in turn directly linked to improved education outcomes. Within the Theewaterskloof municipal area, there were a total of 36 schools, of which 21 (58.3 per cent) were equipped with libraries. There is considerable scope for the extension of libraries to more schools in the region.

HEALTH



Healthcare facilities



HIV/AIDS

Area	Total Registered patients receiving ART		Number of new ART patients	
	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22
Theewaterskloof	5 381	6 311	469	486
Overberg District	13 490	14 686	1 050	962

Maternal health

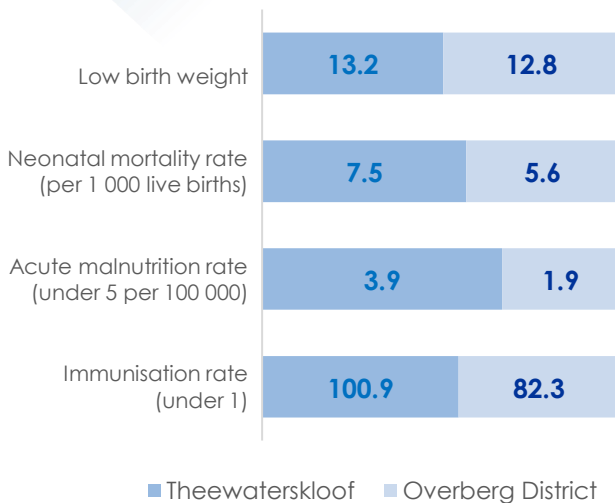
Area	Maternal Mortality Ratio		Delivery rate to women under 20 years		Termination of pregnancy rate	
	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22
Theewaterskloof	1.0	0.0	16.5	16.2	0.6	0.6
Overberg District	1.0	0.0	14.0	14.0	0.7	0.6

Emergency medical services

2021

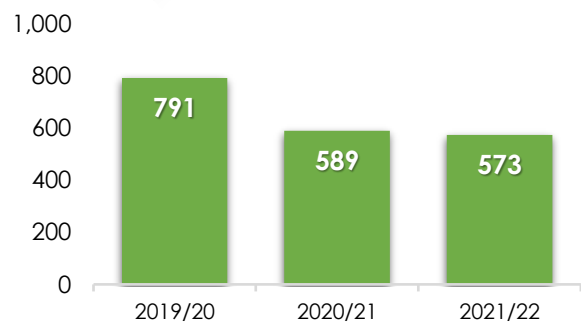
Health Indicator	Theewaterskloof	Overberg District
EMS Operational Ambulances	12	23
No. of operational ambulances per 10 000 people	1.0	0.8

Child health



Tuberculosis

Number of patients



Health

Healthcare facilities

According to the 2019 Inequality Trend Report by Statistics South Africa, in 2017, 75.1 per cent of households in South Africa usually use public healthcare facilities when a household member gets ill, compared to 24.9 per cent who use private healthcare facilities. This is associated with the low proportion of households with access to medical aid, which in 2017 was approximately 17 per cent for South Africa and 25 per cent for the Western Cape. This then implies that approximately 75 per cent of Western Cape households make use of public health facilities as indicated here.

In 2021/22, the Theewaterskloof municipal area had 6 primary healthcare facilities, which comprised of 5 fixed clinics and one community health centre; there were also 13 mobile/satellite clinics, 10 ART clinics/treatment sites and 9 TB clinics/treatment sites. In addition to these primary healthcare facilities, there is also 1 district hospital.

HIV/AIDS & Tuberculosis

The total number of registered patients receiving antiretroviral treatment in the Theewaterskloof region increased by 930 patients, from 5 381 in 2020/21 to 6 311 in 2021/22. The 6 311 patients receiving antiretroviral treatment are treated at 10 ART clinics or treatment sites. The number of new antiretroviral patients also increased from 469 in 2020/21 to 486 in 2021/22. However, this figure decreased across the District for the same reference period.

Child health

Immunisation rates in the Theewaterskloof area is at 100.9 per cent in 2021/22 having increased from 91.2 per cent in 2020/21. There was a notable increase in the proportion of malnourished children under five years, from 1.8 (per 100 000 people) in 2020/21 to 3.9 in 2021/22, the highest rate when compared to all other local municipalities within the District. The low-birth-weight indicator (less than 2 500 g) for the Theewaterskloof municipal area increased from 11.3 per cent in 2020/21 to 13.2 per cent in 2021/22.

The neonatal mortality rate (NMR) (per 1 000 live births) in the Theewaterskloof municipal area increased from 3.6 in 2020/21 to 7.5 in 2021/22, while the rate across the District also increased (3.8 to 5.6) over the same reporting period. Improvements in the NMR may indicate regression in new-born health outcomes, or it may indicate an improvement in the reporting of neonatal deaths.

Maternal health

When considering maternal health in the Theewaterskloof municipal area, zero deaths per 100 000 live births were recorded in 2021/22 (maternal mortality rate of zero). For the period 2020/21 to 2021/22, the delivery rate to women under 20 years decreased slightly from 16.5 to 16.2 per cent, while the termination of pregnancy rate remained unchanged at 0.6 per cent.

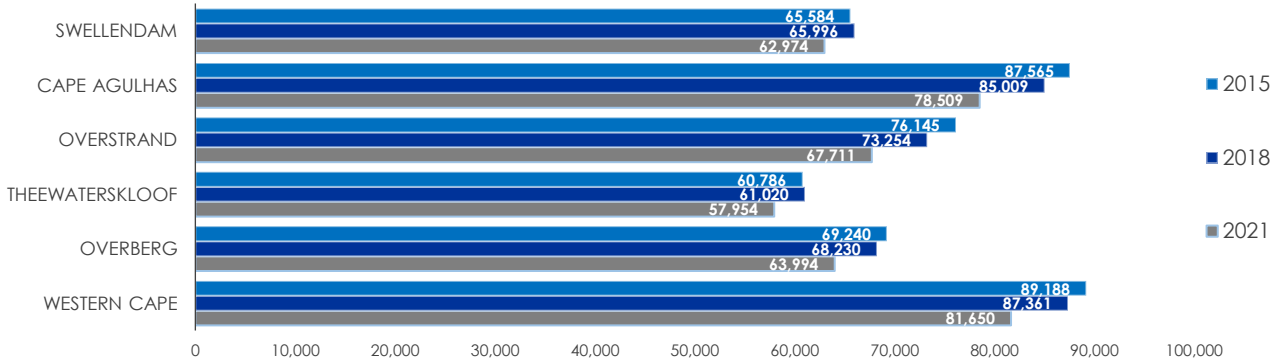
Emergency medical services

The provision of more operational ambulances can provide greater coverage of emergency medical services. Theewaterskloof municipal area has a total of 12 ambulances servicing the area, which translates into 1.0 ambulance per 10 000 people in 2021/22, in comparison with the District's 0.8. It is worth noting that this number only refers to Provincial ambulances and excludes all private service providers.

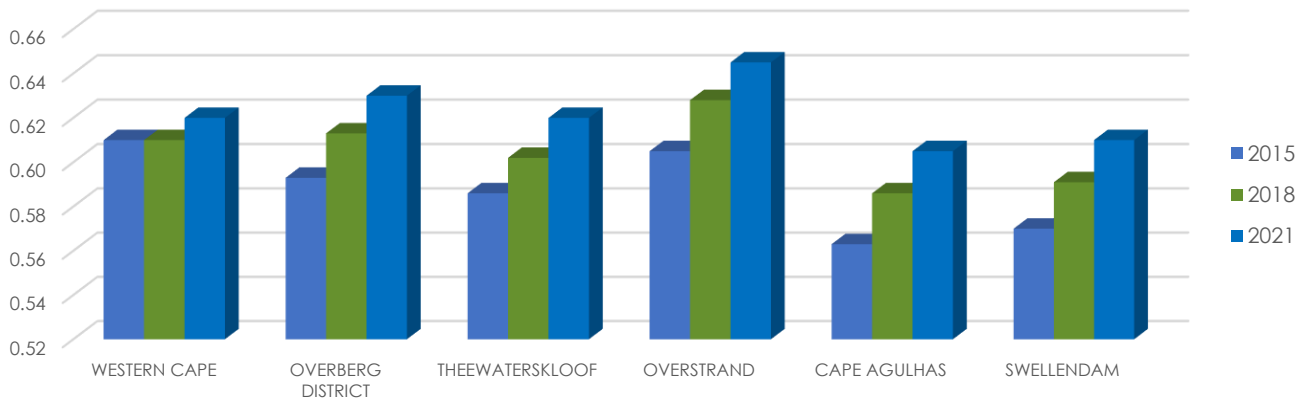
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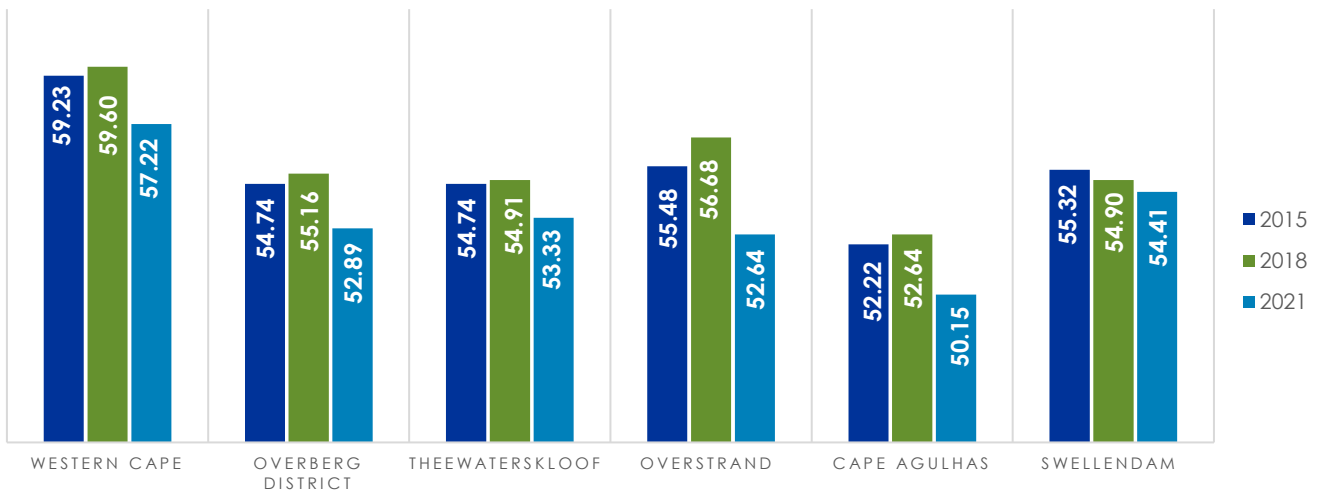
GDP per capita



Income inequality



Poverty Line



Poverty

GDPR Per Capita

An increase in real regional gross domestic product (GDPR) per capita, i.e. GDPR per person is experienced only if the real economic growth rate exceeds the population growth rate. Even though real GDPR per capita reflects changes in the overall well-being of the population, not everyone within an economy will earn the same amount of money as estimated by the real GDPR per capita indicator.

With a per capita GDPR of R57 954 in 2021, the Theewaterskloof municipal area remains significantly below the Province's R81 650 and the District average of R63 994. Within the District municipal area, the Theewaterskloof municipal area has the lowest GDPR per capita compared to other local municipalities in the Overberg region in 2021.

Income Inequality

South Africa suffers among the highest levels of inequality in the world when measured by the commonly used Gini index. Inequality manifests itself through a skewed income distribution, unequal access to opportunities, and regional disparities.

The National Development Plan (NDP) has set a target of reducing income inequality in South Africa from a Gini coefficient of 0.7 in 2010 to 0.6 by 2030. However, between 2015 and 2021, income inequality in the area worsened, with the Gini-coefficient increasing from 0.59 in 2015 to 0.62 in 2021.

Worsening income inequality could also be seen across the District (0.59 in 2015 and 0.63 in 2021) and Province (0.61 in 2015 and 0.62 in 2021) over the same period.

Poverty Line

As per definition, the Upper Bound Poverty Line (UBPL) is the proportion of the population living below the UBPL i.e. that cannot afford to purchase adequate levels of food and non-food items, an individual living in South Africa with less than 1 227 South African rands (in April 2019 prices) per person per month was considered poor.

In 2021, 53.33 per cent of the Municipality's population fell below the UBPL. This figure improved somewhat from the 54.74 per cent and 54.91 per cent recorded for the periods 2015 and 2018, respectively. Within the Overberg region, Swellendam municipality (54.41 per cent in 2021) represents the highest proportion of people living in poverty.

BASIC SERVICE DELIVERY



Total number of households

35 990

Theewaterskloof

88 894

Overberg District

Formal main dwelling

81.3%

29 266

Theewaterskloof

73 192

Overberg District

82.3%



72.1% Theewaterskloof
74.5% Overberg

House/brick structure
on separate stand/yard



0.2% Theewaterskloof
0.2% Overberg

Traditional dwelling



8.0% Theewaterskloof
6.6% Overberg

Flat/simplex/duplex/
triplex or room/flat
on shared property

1.2% Theewaterskloof
1.0% Overberg

Other/Unspecified



1.3% Theewaterskloof
1.2% Overberg

House/flat/room in
backyard



4.8% Theewaterskloof
5.6% Overberg

Informal dwelling in
backyard



12.4% Theewaterskloof
10.9% Overberg

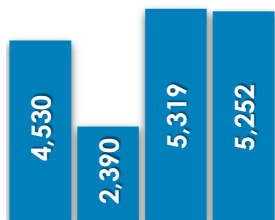
Informal dwelling not
in backyard



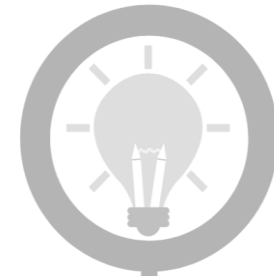
Piped water inside
dwelling/yard or
communal/neighbor's tap

Theewaterskloof 99.3%
Overberg 99.3%

Free basic
water



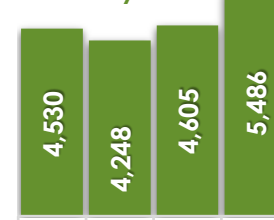
2017 2018 2019 2020



Electricity (incl. generator)
as primary source of
lighting

Theewaterskloof 94.8%
Overberg 94.7%

Free basic
electricity



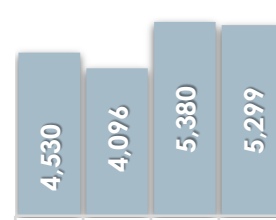
2017 2018 2019 2020



Flush/chemical toilet

Theewaterskloof 97.7%
Overberg 97.7%

Free basic
sanitation



2017 2018 2019 2020



Refuse removal at least
once a week

Theewaterskloof 81.1%
Overberg 83.8%

Free basic
refuse removal



2017 2018 2019 2020

Basic Service Delivery

The Constitution stipulates that every citizen has the right to access to adequate housing and that the state must take reasonable legislative and other measures within its available resources to achieve the progressive realisation of this right. Access to housing also includes access to services such as potable water, basic sanitation, safe energy sources and refuse removal services, to ensure that households enjoy a decent standard of living.

This section considers to what extent this has been achieved by reflecting on the latest available information from Quantec Research for 2021. The latest official statistics was collected by Statistics South Africa for the 2016 Community Survey; the 2021 Census will provide the updated official statistics. The information on free basic services is obtained from Statistics South Africa's Non-Financial Census of Municipalities survey findings.

Housing and Household Services

With a total of 35 990 households in the Theewaterskloof municipal area, 81.3 per cent had access to formal housing, compared with 82.3 per cent for the District. In comparison with the District, Informal housing is generally high in the Theewaterskloof (17.2 per cent informal dwellings) compared to the District (16.5 per cent).

With the exception of refuse removal, service access levels within the municipal area were considerably higher than the access to formal housing, with access to piped water inside dwelling/yard or communal/neighbor's tap at 99.3 per cent, access to a flush or chemical toilet at 97.7 per cent, access to electricity (including a generator) for lighting at 94.8 per cent; while 81.1 per cent of households had removal of refuse at least weekly by the local authority. These access levels were roughly similar to that of the District.

Free Basic Services

Municipalities also provide a package of free basic services to households who are financially vulnerable and struggle to pay for services. Except for free basic electricity, the number of households receiving free basic services in the Theewaterskloof municipal area has decreased slightly in 2020. The stressed economic conditions is expected to exert additional pressure on household income, which will likely increase the demand for free basic services and in turn the number of indigent households.

SAFETY AND SECURITY



MURDER		2019/20	2020/21	2021/22
Actual Number	Theewaterskloof	49	43	59
	Overberg District	138	123	136
Per 100 000	Theewaterskloof	41	36	48
	Overberg District	47	41	45

SEXUAL OFFENCES

		2019/20	2020/21	2021/22
Actual Number	Theewaterskloof	114	77	87
	Overberg District	328	287	295
Per 100 000	Theewaterskloof	95	64	71
	Overberg District	112	96	97



DRUG-RELATED OFFENCES

		2019/20	2020/21	2021/22
Actual Number	Theewaterskloof	899	925	923
	Overberg District	2 512	2 693	3 049
Per 100 000	Theewaterskloof	750	761	752
	Overberg District	854	896	1 000



DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE

		2019/20	2020/21	2021/22
Actual Number	Theewaterskloof	215	85	73
	Overberg District	754	398	351
Per 100 000	Theewaterskloof	179	70	60
	Overberg District	256	132	115



Fatal Crashes	Theewaterskloof	29	37	28
Road user Fatalities	Theewaterskloof	34	43	44

RESIDENTIAL BURGLARIES

		2019/20	2020/21	2021/22
Actual Number	Theewaterskloof	764	612	624
	Overberg District	3 176	2 561	2 344
Per 100 000	Theewaterskloof	637	504	508
	Overberg District	1 079	853	768



Safety and Security

Murder

Murder is defined as the unlawful and intentional killing of another person.

Within the Theewaterskloof area, the number of murders increased very sharply from 43 in 2020/21 to 59 in 2021/22, with the murder rate (per 100 000) increasing from 36 in 2020/21 to 48 in 2021/22. The murder rate per 100 000 is above the District's 45 for the 2021/22 year.

Sexual Offences

Sexual offences include rape (updated to the new definition of rape to provide for the inclusion of male rape), sex work, pornography, public indecency and human trafficking.

In 2021/22, there were 87 sexual offences in the Theewaterskloof area compared to 295 reported cases in the Overberg District. The incidence of sexual offences (per 100 000 people) in Theewaterskloof municipal area (71) was below than that of the District (97) in 2021/22.

Drug-related Offences

Drug-related crimes refer to the situation where the perpetrator is found to be in possession of, under the influence of, or selling illegal drugs.

Drug-related crime within the Theewaterskloof area decreased slightly from 925 cases in 2020/21 to 923 cases in 2021/22, while the Overberg District's drug-related offences increased sharply from 2 693 in 2020/21 to 3 049 in 2021/22. When comparing Theewaterskloof area and the District's rate per 100 000 people, with 752 drug related offences per 100 000 people in 2020/21, the Theewaterskloof area is below that of the District's 1 000.

Driving under the influence (DUI)

A situation where the driver of a vehicle is found to be over the legal blood alcohol limit.

The number of cases of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs in the Theewaterskloof area shows a decrease, from 85 in 2020/21 to 73 in 2021/22. This translates into a rate of 60 per 100 000 people in 2021/22, which is below the District's 115 per 100 000 people in 2021/22.

Road user fatalities

Road users that died in or during a crash i.e. drivers, cyclists, passengers, pedestrians.

In line with the decrease in cases of DUI, the number of fatal crashes also declined from 37 in 2020/21 to 28 in 2021/22. While the number of road user fatalities increased from 43 to 44 for the same reference period.

Residential Burglaries

The unlawful entry of a residential structure with the intent to commit a crime, usually a theft.

The number of residential burglaries in the Theewaterskloof area increased from 612 in 2020/21 to 624 in 2021/22. Theewaterskloof municipal area's rate of 508 per 100 000 population is below the District's 768 for 2021/22.

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