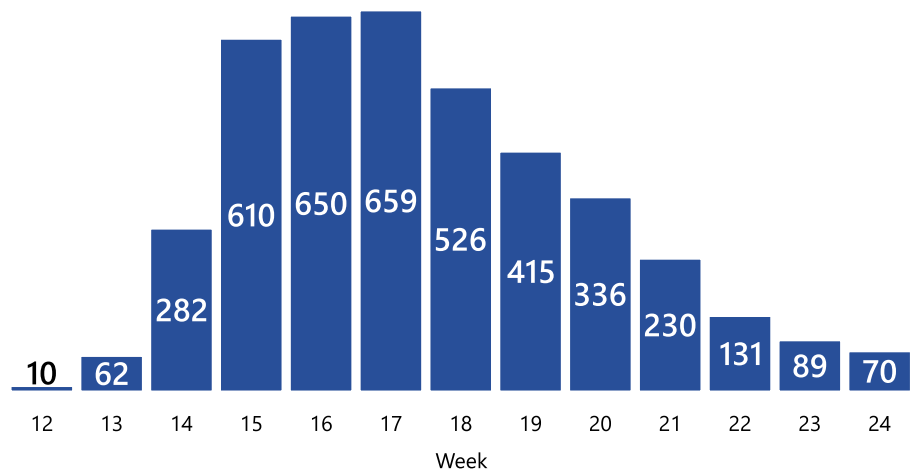


**As of 14th June, 4,070 deaths had been registered which mentioned COVID-19**

The highest number of COVID-19 deaths were registered in week 17 (20th to 26th April). Deaths have decreased weekly since then to reach a level of 70 in week 24 (8th to 14th June).

Deaths per week involving Covid-19



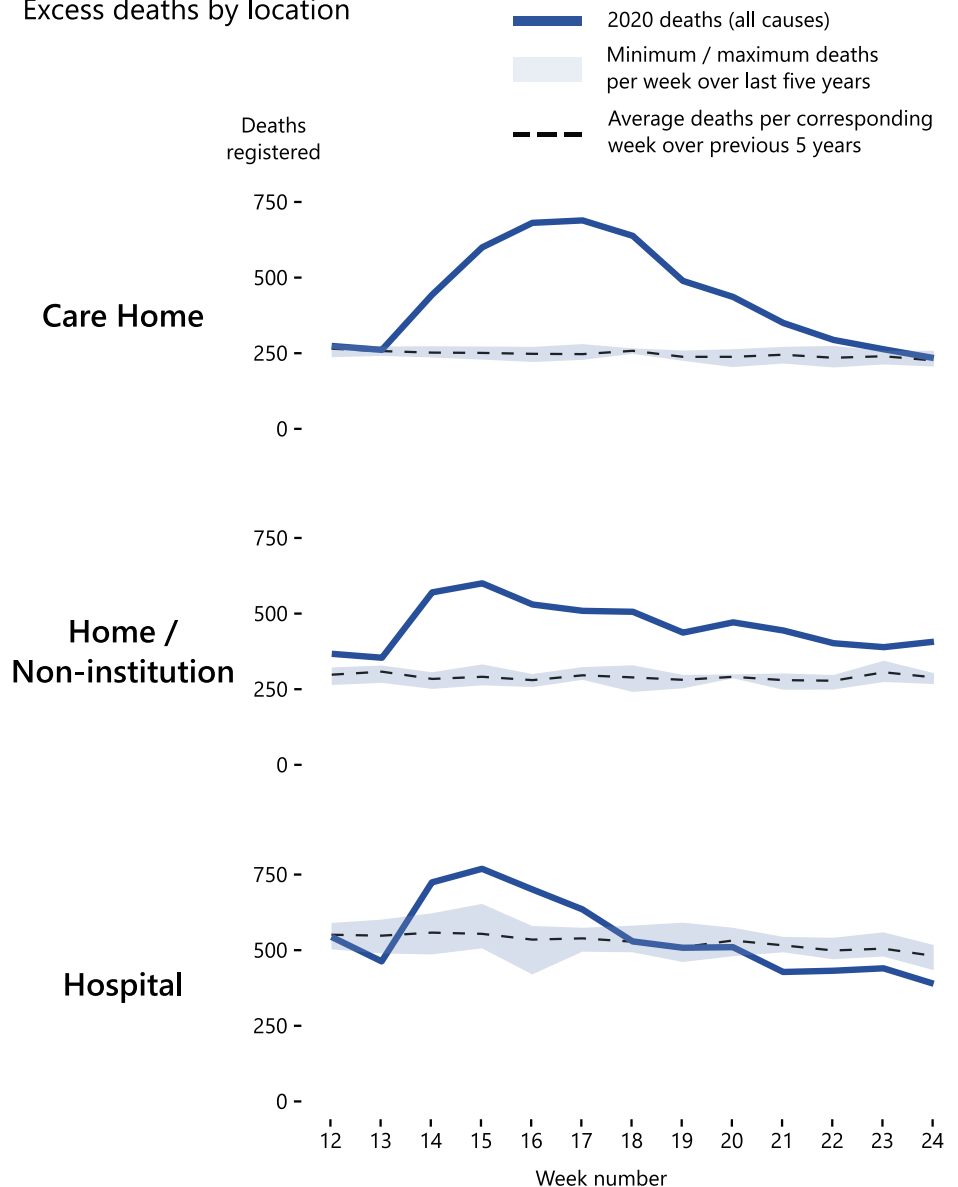
**Most excess deaths have occurred in care homes**

Between weeks 12 and 24 (8 to 14 June) there were 2,451 (77%) more deaths in care homes than average. Excess deaths peaked in week 17 and have fallen since then to be just above usual levels (8 deaths above the 5 year average in week 24).

In the same period, there were 2,215 excess deaths which took place at home or in a non-institutional setting (59% above average).

Excess deaths in hospitals peaked in week 15 and have now fallen to below average levels. The total excess over weeks 12 to 24 is 3% above average.

Excess deaths by location



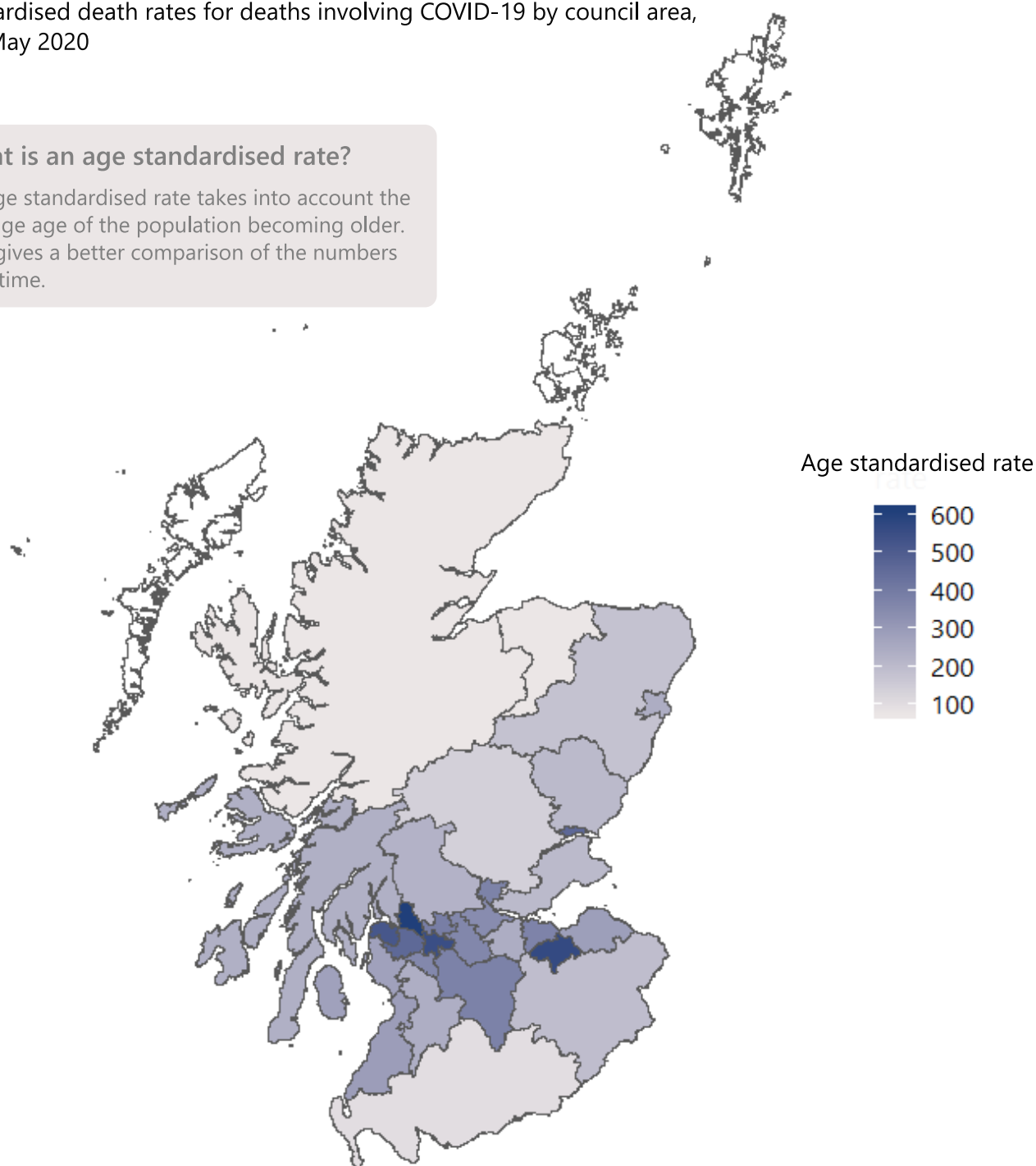
## Local authorities across the central belt have higher death rates

West Dunbartonshire had the highest age-standardised death rate of all council areas, closely followed by Midlothian, Glasgow City and Inverclyde.

Age-standardised death rates for deaths involving COVID-19 by council area, March to May 2020

### What is an age standardised rate?

An age standardised rate takes into account the average age of the population becoming older. This gives a better comparison of the numbers over time.



Rates for Na h-Eileanan Siar, Orkney Islands and Shetland Islands were not calculated due to very small numbers.