

Table 5: The Seasonal Increase in Mortality in the Winter - the underlying numbers of registrations of deaths, by NHS Board area of usual residence, 2010/11 to 2013/14

NHS Board area ²	Period	Number of deaths registered			Seasonal Increase in Mortality in the Winter (or seasonal difference) ¹	
		Winter (Dec - Mar)	Preceding period (Aug - Nov)	Following period (Apr - Jul)	(actual)	(rounded)
Ayrshire & Arran						
	2010/11	1,558	1,346	1,367	202	200
	2011/12	1,446	1,372	1,386	67	70
	2012/13	1,584	1,386	1,490	146	150
	2013/14 provisional	1,552	1,398	1,395	156	160
Borders						
	2010/11	462	390	385	75	70
	2011/12	451	398	429	38	40
	2012/13	468	407	397	66	70
	2013/14 provisional	414	372	431	13	10
Dumfries & Galloway						
	2010/11	625	613	541	48	50
	2011/12	614	534	659	18	20
	2012/13	649	583	634	41	40
	2013/14 provisional	697	554	615	113	110
Fife						
	2010/11	1,301	1,211	1,210	91	90
	2011/12	1,360	1,220	1,262	119	120
	2012/13	1,393	1,252	1,252	141	140
	2013/14 provisional	1,217	1,174	1,179	41	40
Forth Valley						
	2010/11	1,038	901	904	136	140
	2011/12	986	889	965	59	60
	2012/13	1,076	982	998	86	90
	2013/14 provisional	1,002	943	916	73	70
Grampian						
	2010/11	1,902	1,667	1,630	254	250
	2011/12	1,872	1,634	1,747	182	180
	2012/13	1,892	1,685	1,753	173	170
	2013/14 provisional	1,905	1,669	1,676	233	230
Greater Glasgow & Clyde						
	2010/11	4,439	3,961	3,797	560	560
	2011/12	4,240	3,897	4,092	246	250
	2012/13	4,396	4,007	3,974	406	410
	2013/14 provisional	4,126	3,756	3,892	302	300
Highland						
	2010/11	1,225	1,142	1,087	111	110
	2011/12	1,202	1,163	1,071	85	90
	2012/13	1,238	1,100	1,097	140	140
	2013/14 provisional	1,141	1,007	1,067	104	100
Lanarkshire						
	2010/11	2,412	2,096	2,059	335	330
	2011/12	2,391	2,139	2,221	211	210
	2012/13	2,501	2,177	2,218	304	300
	2013/14 provisional	2,305	2,062	2,126	211	210

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Lothian						
	2010/11	2,758	2,417	2,313	393	390
	2011/12	2,654	2,385	2,510	207	210
	2012/13	2,755	2,441	2,498	286	290
	2013/14 provisional	2,606	2,307	2,349	278	280
Orkney						
	2010/11	84	72	69	14	10
	2011/12	63	67	73	-7	-10
	2012/13	87	71	89	7	10
	2013/14 provisional	76	68	69	8	10
Shetland						
	2010/11	82	67	73	12	10
	2011/12	68	77	70	-6	-10
	2012/13	67	70	66	-1	0
	2013/14 provisional	69	66	64	4	0
Tayside						
	2010/11	1,625	1,396	1,406	224	220
	2011/12	1,624	1,375	1,515	179	180
	2012/13	1,669	1,485	1,474	190	190
	2013/14 provisional	1,461	1,373	1,392	79	80
Western Isles						
	2010/11	115	118	117	-3	0
	2011/12	148	119	127	25	30
	2012/13	133	127	105	17	20
	2013/14 provisional	104	99	126	-9	-10

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