

# The future ageing of the ethnic minority population

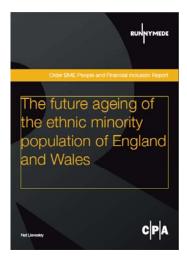
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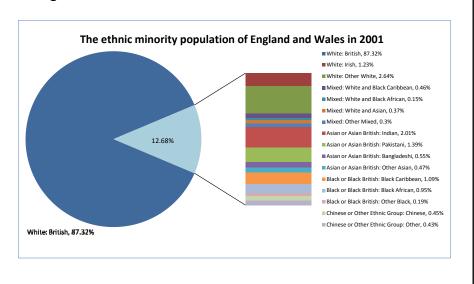
### The future ageing of the ethnic minority population of England and Wales

Key findings and implications of projections carried out in 2010 by the Centre for Policy on Ageing on behalf of the Runnymede Trust as part of a Nationwide Foundation funded programme of work.





Using as a base,2001 census data and the ethnic minority categories from that census



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#### **Ethnicity**

- Ethnicity is a 'multi-faceted and changing phenomenon' that may reflect a combination of a number of features including country of birth, nationality, language spoken at home, ancestral country of birth, skin colour, national or geographical origin, racial group and religion. (ONS, 2003)
- An individual's ethnicity is a self assessed concept that may change over time and is not the same as country of birth or nationality. Country of birth may sometimes be used as a proxy for ethnicity for recent migrant groups but for second and subsequent generation descendants of migrants, country of birth will be a poor indicator of ethnicity.



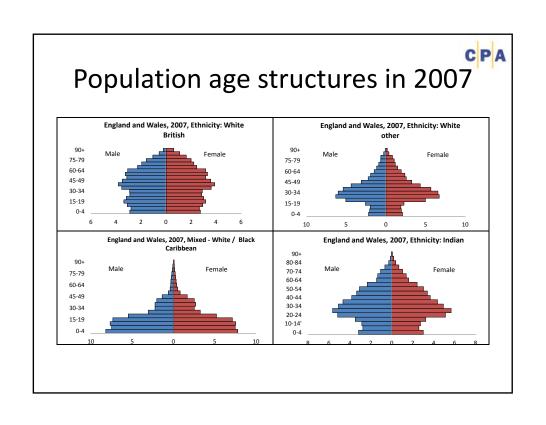
#### Projections (England and Wales)

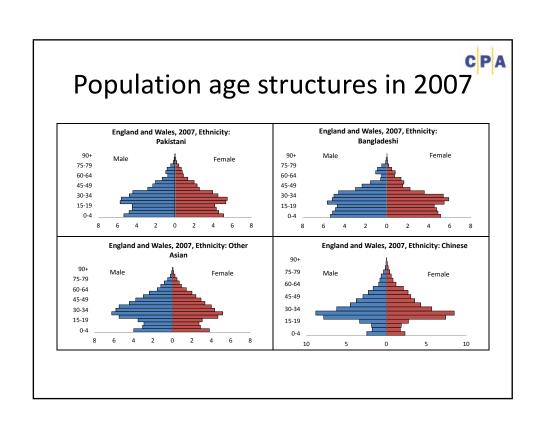
- Extrapolation from ONS 2001-2007 mid year population estimates
- Cohort component projection
   End population = Start population + births deaths outward migration + survivors from inward migration
  - 2001 Census as base
  - Fertility
  - Mortality
  - Migration
  - Ethnic switching (trans-generational ethnic transfer)



#### The drawback of national projections

- The ethnic minority population of England and Wales is not evenly distributed
- In 2011
  - 15% of population of England and Wales live in London but 41% of BME population live in London
  - 61% of BME population live in London , West Midlands, Greater Manchester or West Yorkshire
  - Over one quarter (27%) of all Bangladeshis in England and Wales live in Tower Hamlets or Newham
  - Over half of the black ethnic minority population live in London (Black Caribbean – 58%, Black African – 58%, Other Black – 61%)
- A 2010 study from the University of Leeds suggests BME population will become more evenly spread in future
  - (Wohland et al, Ethnic population projections for the UK and local areas, University of Leeds School of Geography, 2010)



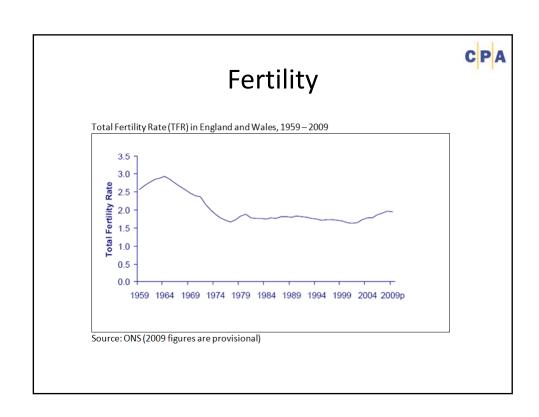


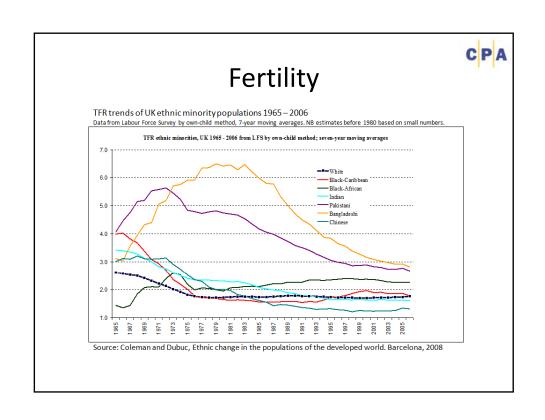


### Fertility

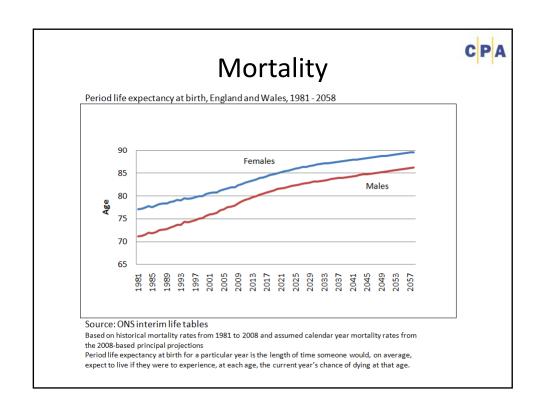
| Age specific fertilit   | y rates of | ethnic gro | ups, UK 19 | 96-2006 – | Coleman a | nd Dubuc | , 2010 |       |  |
|---|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|----------|--------|-------|--|
|   | 15-19      | 20-24      | 25-29      | 30-34     | 35-39     | 40-44    | 45-49  | TFR   |  |
| White British   | 0.024      | 0.070      | 0.097      | 0.096     | 0.046     | 0.010    | 0.001  | 1.718 |  |
| White other   | 0.013      | 0.043      | 0.069      | 0.099     | 0.060     | 0.015    | 0.001  | 1.499 |  |
| Mixed   | 0.028      | 0.078      | 0.076      | 0.093     | 0.055     | 0.015    | 0.000  | 1.731 |  |
| Indian  | 0.003      | 0.053      | 0.117      | 0.104     | 0.043     | 0.008    | 0.000  | 1.643 |  |
| Pakistani   | 0.022      | 0.144      | 0.185      | 0.139     | 0.067     | 0.017    | 0.002  | 2.877 |  |
| Bangladeshi   | 0.035      | 0.207      | 0.188      | 0.131     | 0.067     | 0.025    | 0.005  | 3.288 |  |
| Other Asian   | 0.012      | 0.064      | 0.100      | 0.123     | 0.059     | 0.019    | 0.001  | 1.888 |  |
| Black Caribbean   | 0.034      | 0.088      | 0.083      | 0.088     | 0.060     | 0.022    | 0.003  | 1.891 |  |
| Black African   | 0.018      | 0.077      | 0.141      | 0.134     | 0.080     | 0.028    | 0.006  | 2.419 |  |
| Other Black   | 0.033      | 0.091      | 0.091      | 0.081     | 0.080     | 0.034    | 0.000  | 2.053 |  |
| Chinese   | 0.005      | 0.015      | 0.053      | 0.110     | 0.065     | 0.012    | 0.000  | 1.305 |  |
| Other   | 0.021      | 0.071      | 0.113      | 0.107     | 0.069     | 0.020    | 0.004  | 2.030 |  |
| All Groups  | 0.022      | 0.068      | 0.099      | 0.098     | 0.047     | 0.010    | 0.001  | 1.719 |  |
| Source: Labour Force Survey, Own-Child method - Coleman and Dubuc, 2010 |            |            |            |           |           |          |        |       |  |

The Total Fertility Rate (TFR) is the average number of live children that a group of women would bear if they experienced the age-specific fertility rates of the calendar year in question throughout their childbearing lifespan.

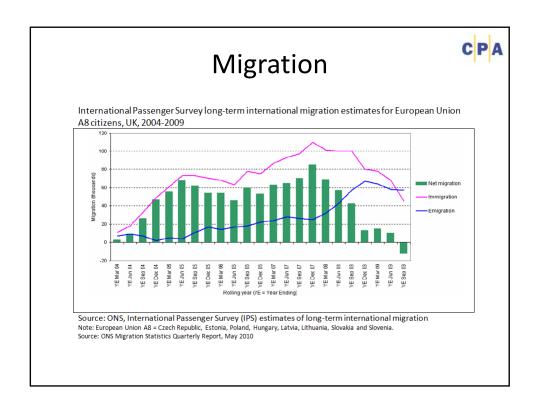




| Мо  | rtality                 |                   |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Life expectancy at birth by ethnic group, E | ngland, 2001, estimated | by the GWM method |
| Ethnic Group                                | Males                   | Females           |
| All   | 76.2                    | 80.6              |
| White British                               | 76.2                    | 80.6              |
| White Irish                                 | 75.8                    | 80.6              |
| White other                                 | 76.3                    | 80.9              |
| Mixed – White / Black Caribbean             | 75.5                    | 80.3              |
| Mixed – White / Black African               | 75.4                    | 80.4              |
| Mixed – White / Asian                       | 76.1                    | 80.7              |
| Other mixed                                 | 75.9                    | 80.6              |
| Indian                                      | 75.9                    | 80.4              |
| Pakistani                                   | 75.0                    | 79.8              |
| Bangladeshi                                 | 74.6                    | 79.8              |
| Other Asian                                 | 75.9                    | 80.7              |
| Black Caribbean                             | 75.2                    | 80.2              |
| Black African                               | 75.1                    | 80.2              |
| Other black                                 | 75.4                    | 80.1              |
| Chinese                                     | 75.7                    | 80.5              |
| Other                                       | 75.9                    | 80.8              |
| Source: Rees and Wohland, 2008              |                         |                   |



#### Mortality Life table trajectory start years for projections from 2001 $\,$ Ethnic group Female White British White Irish White other Mixed – White / Black Caribbean Mixed – White / Black African Mixed – White / Asian Other mixed Indian Pakistani Bangladeshi Other Asian Black Caribbean Black African Other black Chinese Other

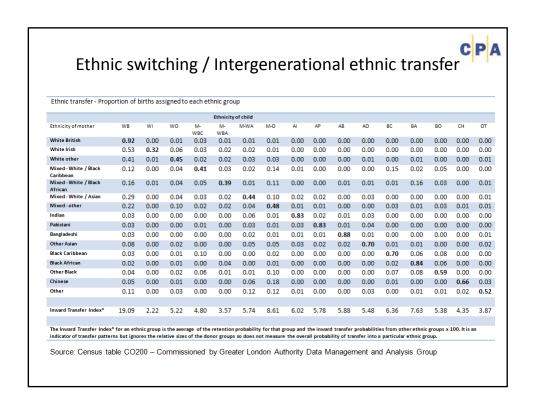


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#### Migration

- Re-migration, the return or onward migration of non-British nationals, is an increasingly important phenomenon. Since 1975 around one half of all immigrants have re-migrated.
- Return migration in older age may also become an increasingly important phenomenon among some ethnic minority groups in the future.

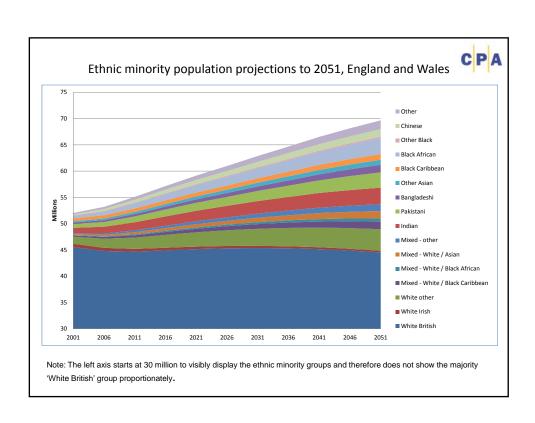
| Migration  Components of change, England, 2001 - 2007 |              |                |               |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--------------|----------------|---------------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
|   |              |                |               |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | Total growth | Natural growth | Net Migration |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| All people  | 1,642        | 689            | 934           | 0.5  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White British   | -190         | 181            | -380          | -0.1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| White Irish   | -58          | -38            | -22           | -1.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| White other   | 434          | 30             | 399           | 4.8  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mixed - White and Black Caribbean                     | 49           | 52             | -3            | 3.2  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mixed - White and Black African                       | 36           | 24             | 13            | 6.5  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mixed - White and Asian                               | 74           | 54             | 20            | 5.7  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mixed - other   | 58           | 40             | 17            | 5.4  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Indian  | 270          | 63             | 207           | 3.9  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pakistani   | 186          | 96             | 89            | 3.9  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bangladeshi   | 72           | 39             | 33            | 3.9  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other Asian   | 95           | 24             | 71            | 5.7  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Black Caribbean                                       | 30           | 17             | 12            | 0.9  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Black African   | 240          | 65             | 174           | 6.8  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Black other   | 20           | 15             | 4             | 3.2  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chinese   | 173          | 14             | 159           | 9.9  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other   | 154          | 14             | 140           | 9.2  |  |  |  |  |  |





#### **Validation**

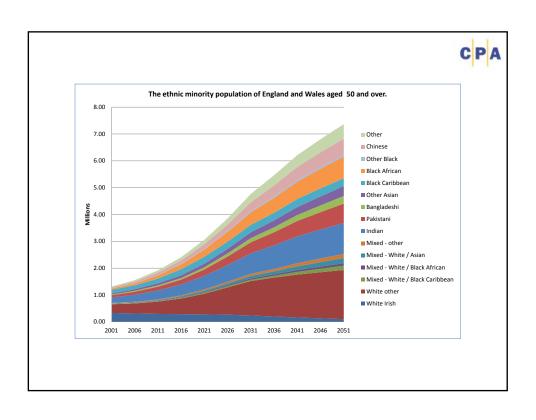
- The overall population projections for England and Wales derived by summing the individual ethnic minority cohort component projections are a close match to both the figures derived by extrapolation and to the principal ONS population projections for England and Wales for 2016 and 2026.
- The overall population for England and Wales, derived by summing the individual ethnic minority group projections, continues to lie within 1% of ONS population projections for every 5 year time point all the way to 2051.

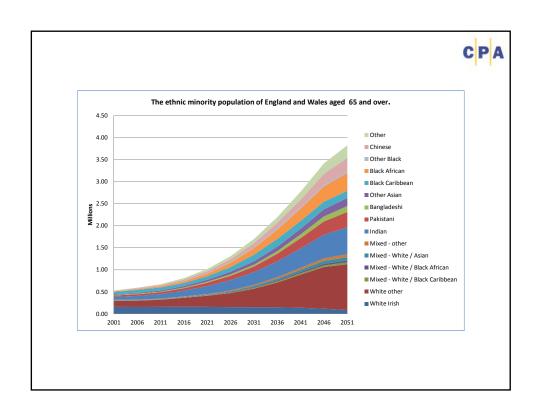


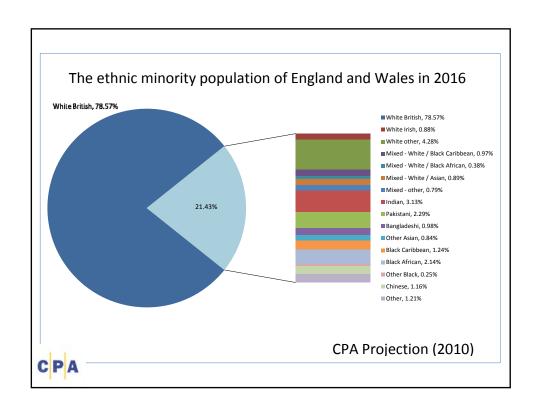


### The future of the older black and minority ethnic population

- Going forward, the ethnic minority population of England and Wales will, in general, have a younger population structure than the majority White British population. The notable exceptions to this are the White Irish, Indian, 'Other White' and Black Caribbean ethnic groups.
- Despite this...
  - there will be 2.4 million BMEs aged 50 and over by 2016 with 3.8 million by 2026 and 7.4 million by 2051
  - there will be over 800 thousand BMEs aged 65 and over by 2016 with
     1.3 million by 2026 and 3.8 million by 2051
  - there will be over 500 thousand BMEs aged 70 and over by 2016 with over 800 thousand by 2026 and 2.8 million by 2051



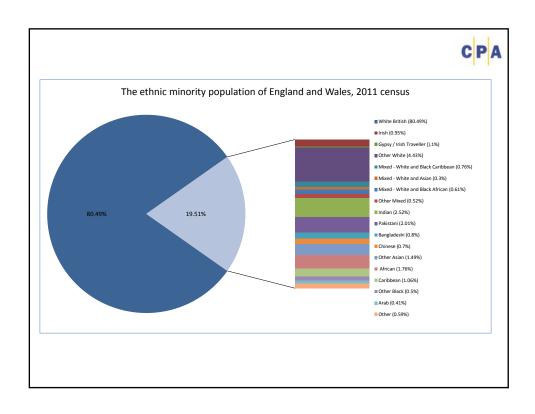


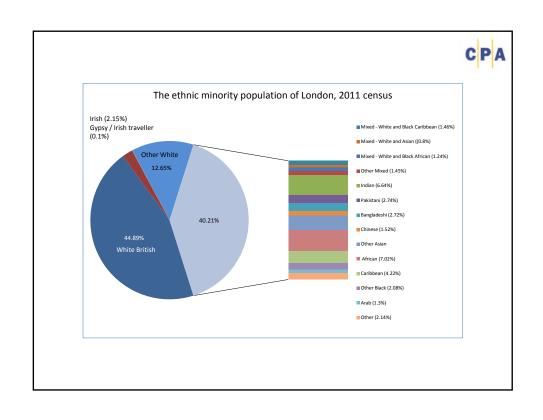


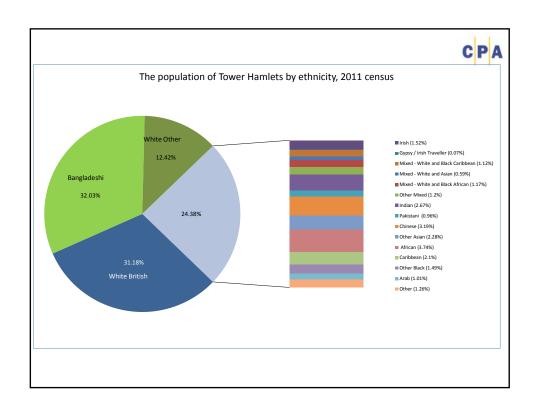


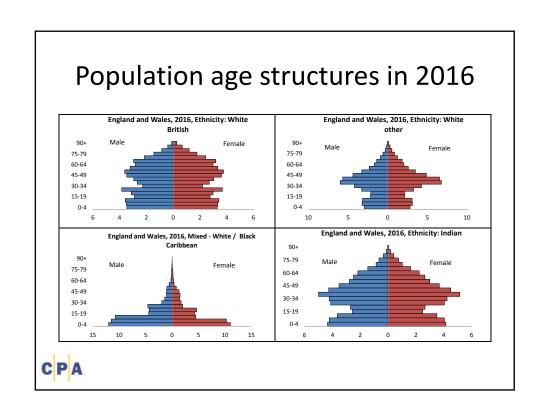
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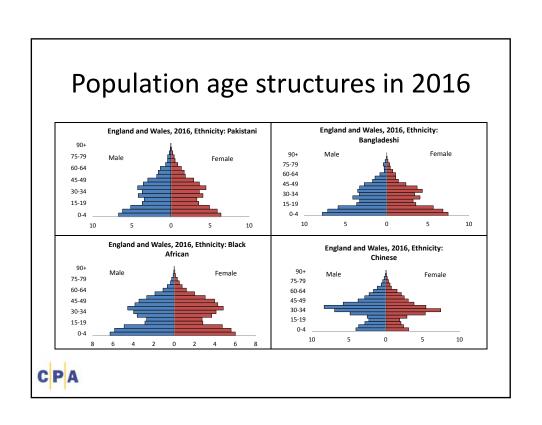
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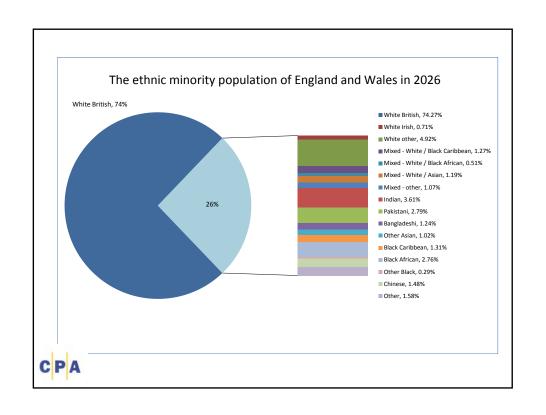


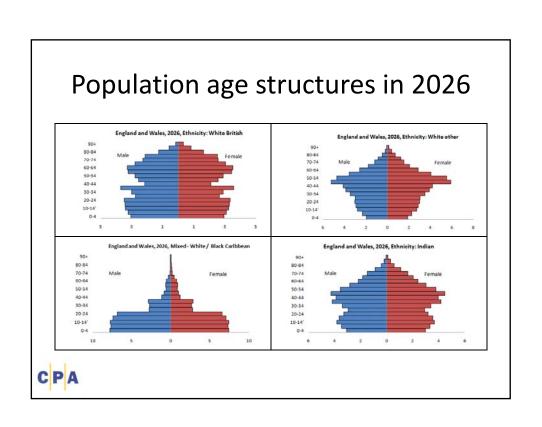


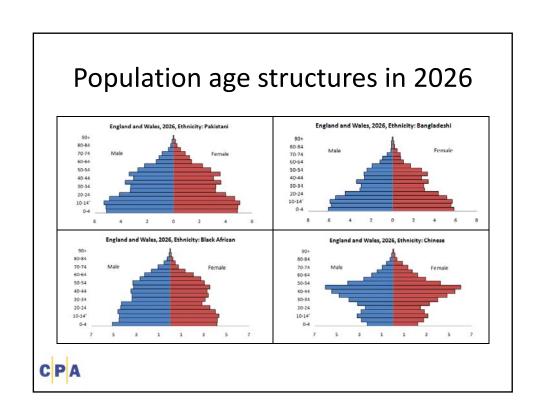


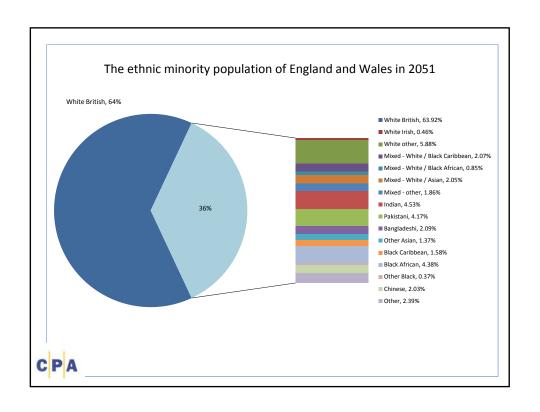


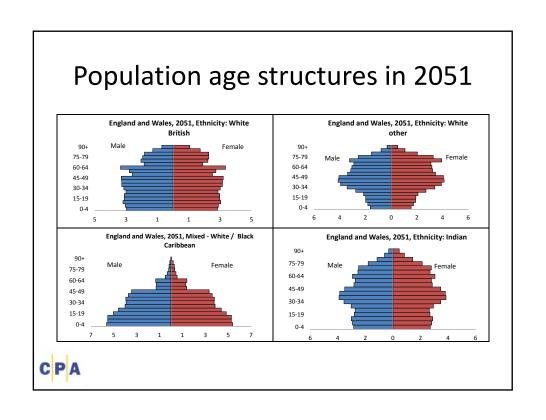


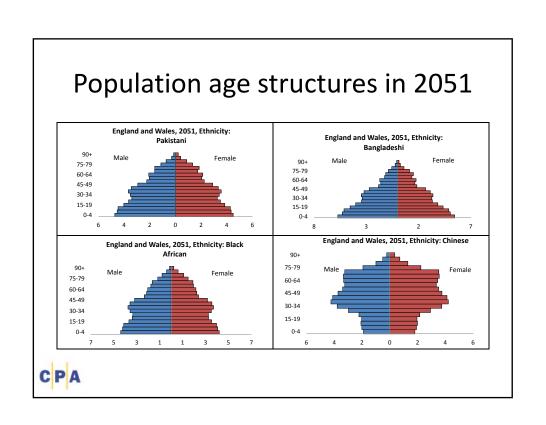


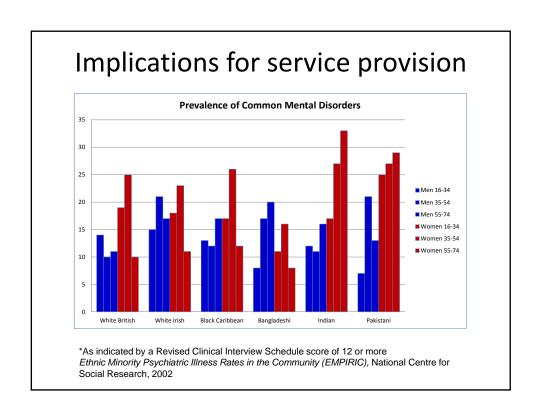


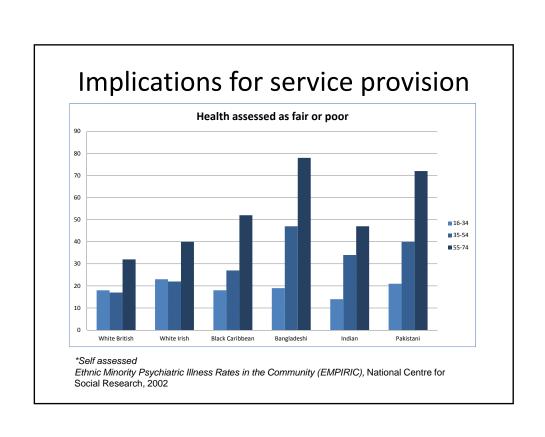














#### Dementia

#### Alzheimer's Society - UK Dementia rates:

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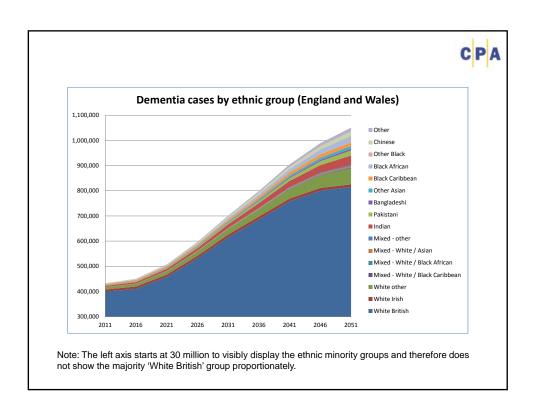
- 65-69 years: 1 in 100

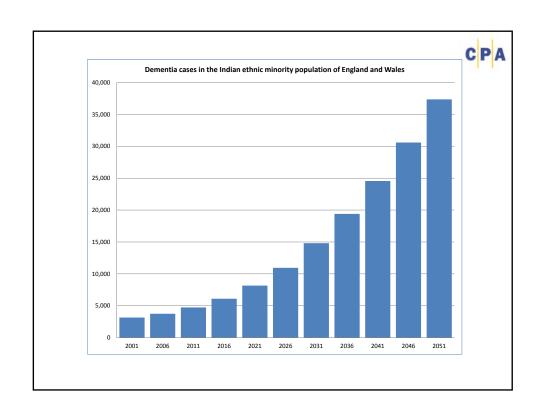
- 70-79 years: 1 in 25

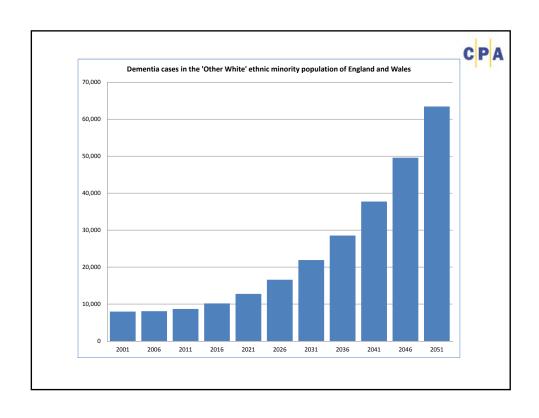
- 80+ years: 1 in 6

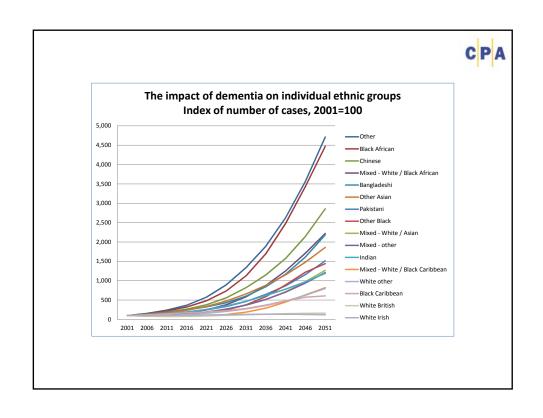
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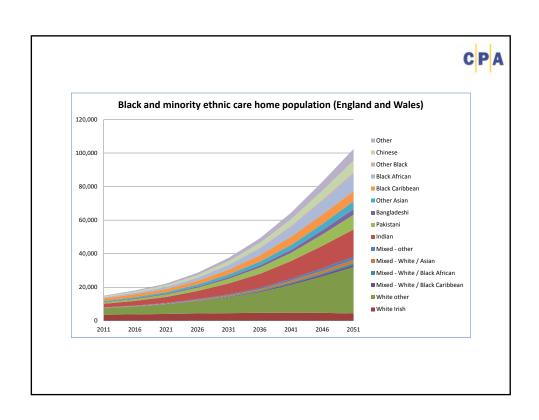
(Dementia UK, Knapp et al, 2007)

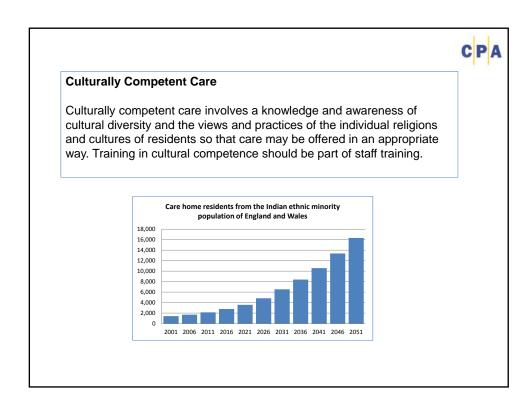














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