

Gender pay gap 2024/25 Supporting statement

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All organisations employing over 250 employees are required to publish their gender pay gap figures. The gender pay gap is always expressed as a percentage. It is calculated by working out the difference between the average pay of all employed men and the average pay of all employed women, and dividing that number by the average pay of all employed men. A negative pay gap figure would mean that the average pay of men is lower than the average pay of women.

In Wheatley Homes South, average pay for women is higher than average pay for men. This is due to the distribution of more women in certain higher paid housing roles and more men in certain lower paid roles in our repairs and environmental services. Within each job role, men and women are paid the same.

Difference in average pay

Mean gender
pay gap

-19.6%

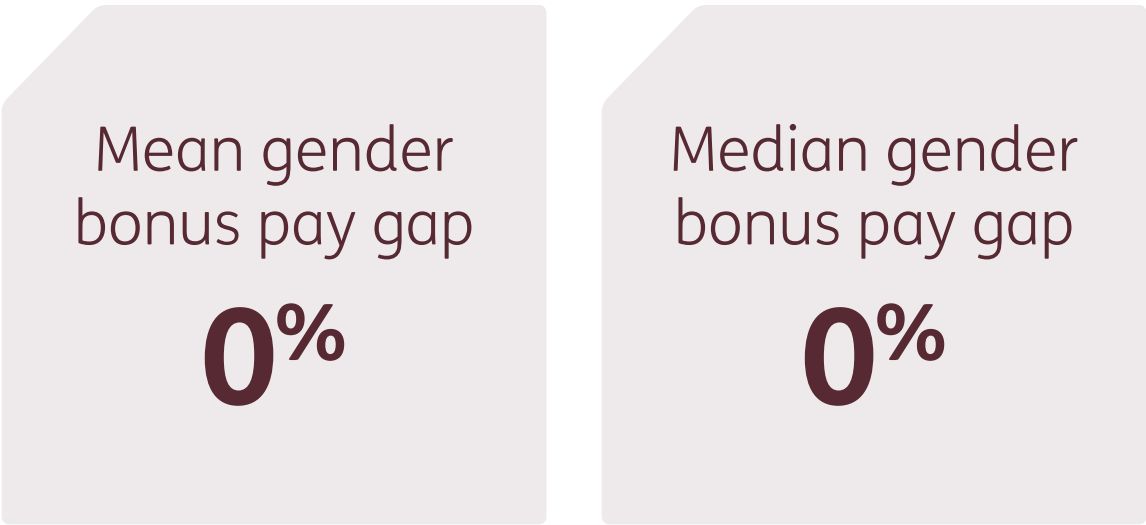
Median gender
pay gap

-21.3%

The mean pay gap figure means that adding up total pay and dividing by the number of staff, the average hourly rate for women is 19.6% higher than the average hourly rate for men.

The median pay gap figure means that laying out all female staff together in order of pay and then all male staff in order of pay and comparing the pay rate in the middle of each list, the median pay rate for women is 21.3% higher than the median pay rate for men.

Bonus payments



In relation to one off payments, which are required to be reported under the heading of ‘bonus pay gap’, Wheatley Homes South did not make any such payments to staff during this reporting period.

The gender pay gap regulations also require Wheatley Homes South to show the percentage of men and women in receipt of a one-off payment.

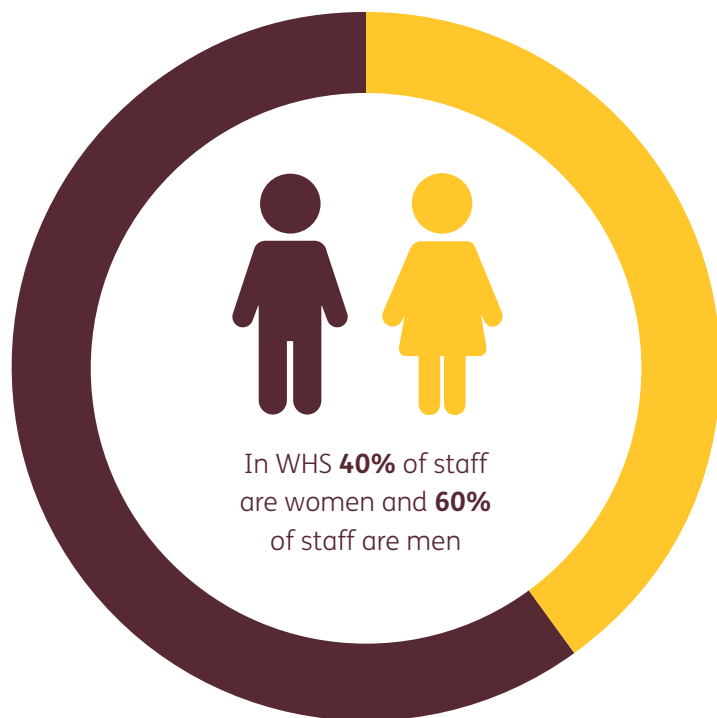
Proportion of staff receiving a bonus:

Women	0%
Men	0%

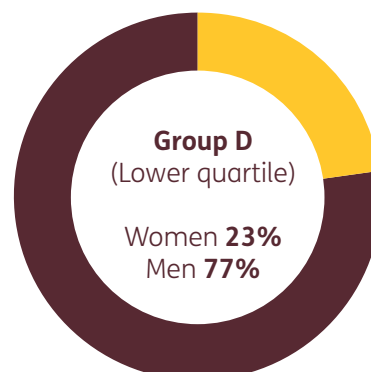
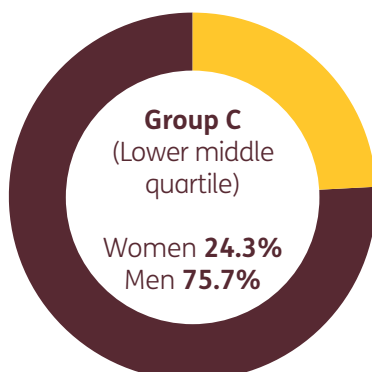
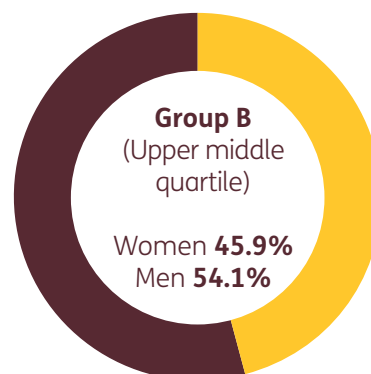
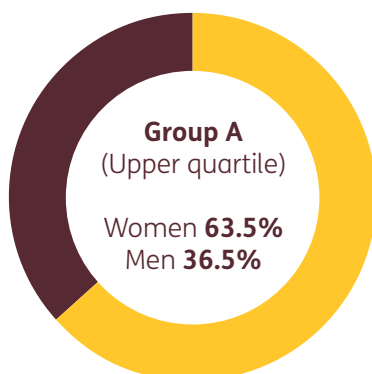
Our people

In Wheatley Homes South, 40% of staff are women and 60% are men.

Pay quarters show the percentage of men and women in four equal sized groups based on their hourly pay.



Pay quarters



Pay ranges

In terms of the distribution of men and women across the four groups of staff ranked in order of earnings, we can see that the highest quartile of earners, which includes our senior managers, has more women than men. Our housing officer roles sit across both the upper and upper middle quartiles, and we have more women than men in these roles.

There are more men than women in the lower quartile of earners, which includes many of our entry level repairs and environmental posts.

We will continue to monitor the gender pay gap and ensure our approach to recruitment practices are attractive to both men and women, and in particular to encourage men to apply for our housing officer vacancies, and women to apply for our trades and environmental roles.

In 2024 we restarted our trades apprenticeship programme, and we involved currently employed women in trades roles in communications material about these opportunities. This resulted in a mix of both men and women applying for and successfully obtaining these opportunities. We expect this programme to improve gender diversity in our repairs team in the future. Changes to the composition of the workforce will happen gradually over time.

I confirm the information in this statement is accurate.

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