



## International Citizen Service (ICS), 2012-15 Programme

### Statistics on participating UK volunteers, by age and by region

As of March 2014, 3,176 UK volunteers have been/are overseas on placement under the 2012 - 2015 ICS programme which launched in March 2012. The programme aims to successfully place 7,000 UK volunteers and an equal number of volunteers from host countries, by August 2015.

A regional breakdown of UK volunteers who have taken part in ICS during the full programme is set out in the table below.

| Region                             | % of Total Volunteer Numbers |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| East Midlands                      | 5.73                         |
| East of England                    | 9.02                         |
| London & the South East of England | 20.21                        |
| North East of England              | 3.09                         |
| North West of England              | 7.56                         |
| Northern Ireland                   | 2.55                         |
| Other                              | 0.28                         |
| Scotland                           | 5.32                         |
| South East                         | 15.90                        |
| South West                         | 10.83                        |
| Wales                              | 2.55                         |
| West Midlands                      | 8.72                         |
| Yorkshire and Humber               | 8.00                         |

In addition to those from the UK, 0.2% of volunteers came from the Channel Islands.

A breakdown of UK volunteers between the ages of 18 and 25 is set out in the table below (ages are based on their age when they undertook their overseas placement with ICS).

| Age at Departure | % of Total Volunteers |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| 18               | 4%                    |
| 19               | 17%                   |
| 20               | 8%                    |

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| 21          | 9%  |
| 22          | 16% |
| 23          | 17% |
| 24          | 12% |
| 25          | 8%  |
| 26          | 5%  |
| 27          | 1%  |
| 28          | 1%  |
| 29          | 0%  |
| 30 and over | 1%  |