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People's trajectories through deprivation space: associations with health

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Health / Deprivation relationship

In socio-demographic terms, places change

Changing area deprivation

Areas with improving deprivation over time:

- Infant mortality improves more (Norman et al. 2008)
- Cancer survival improves more (Basto et al. 2014)

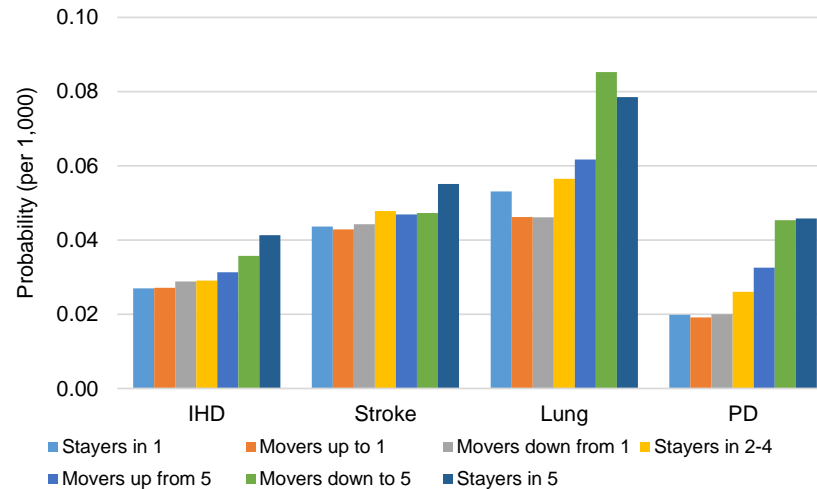
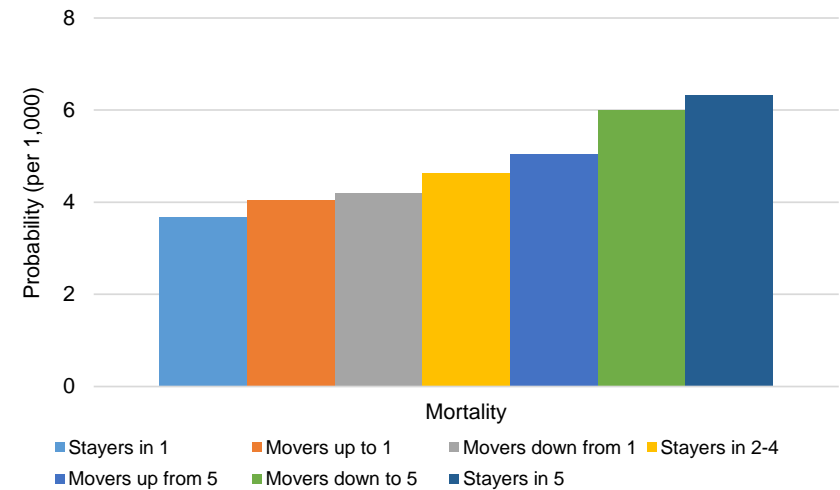
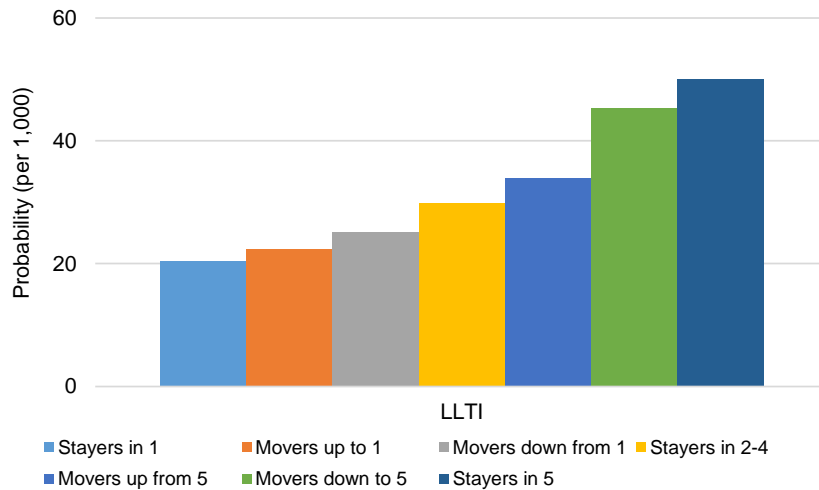
Areas of persistent (dis-) advantage over time:

- Have the (worst) best self-reported health & mortality (Boyle et al. 2009; Norman et al. 2010; Exeter et al. 2011)

Area deprivation combinations and health

Using ONS Longitudinal Study for England & Wales

- Start : End area deprivation combinations: linked individual records
- Probabilities of health outcomes



Interim reflection (i)

- People living in differently deprived areas at different time points largely accounts for changing area inequalities
 - Driven by subnational migration between areas

But ...

- **Just re-aggregations**
 - No explicit allowance for longitudinal effects for the individual
- **Time increments long**
 - What about the intervening years?

Case studies:

- Using British birth cohorts
 - Cohort study data not collected contemporary with census years
- Using New Zealand CVD data
 - More detailed time increments

How important are neighbourhood effects across the life course on health and wellbeing?

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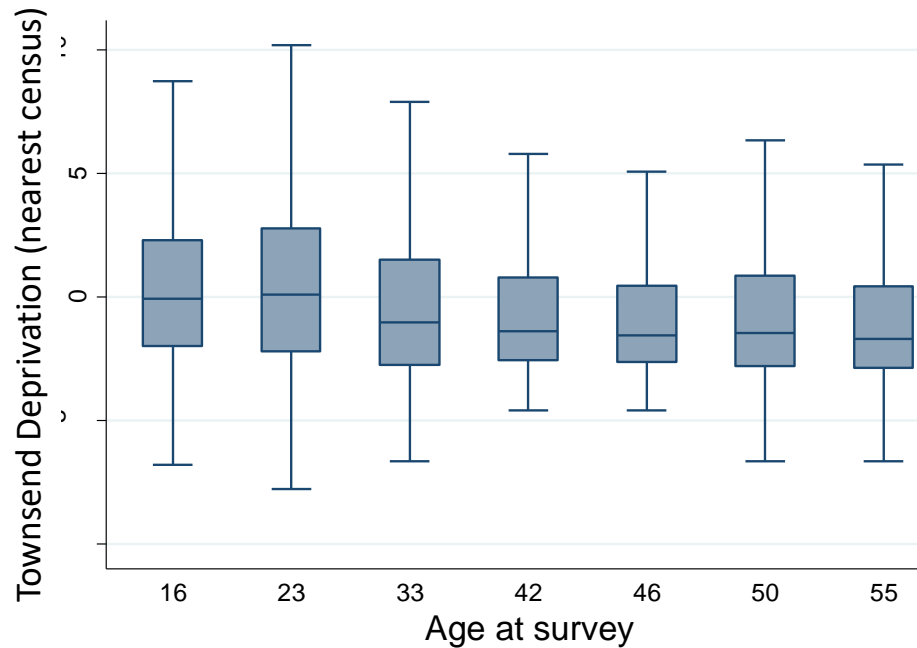


Data

- **1958** National Child Development Study and British Cohort Study **1970** birth cohort studies
- Linked to **Townsend** deprivation scores measured at censuses, **1971-2011** at 2011 Lower Super Output areas
- Self-rated health: in general, would you say your health is...
 - excellent, very good, good, fair or poor

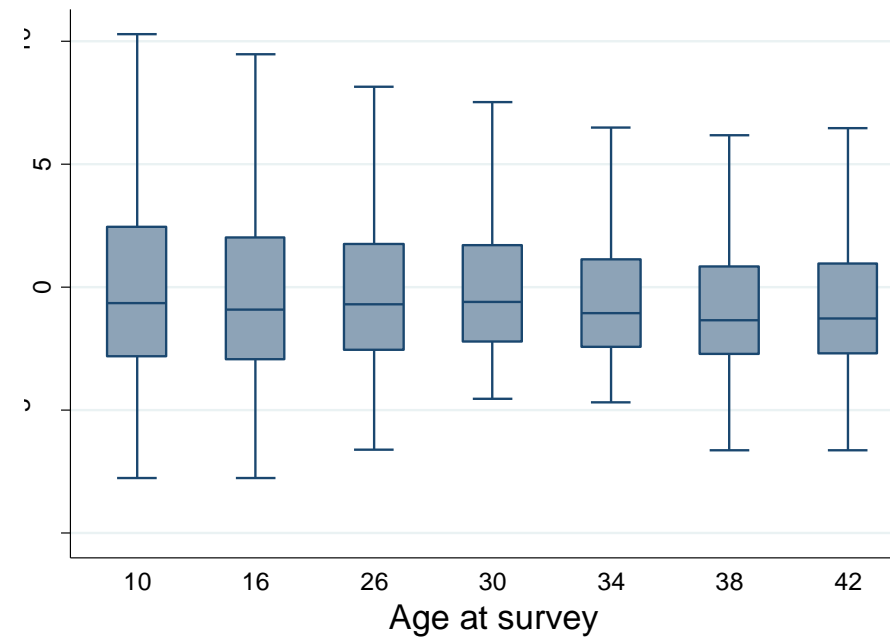
Neighbourhood deprivation score by sweep

National Child Development Study



excludes outside values

British Cohort Study 1970

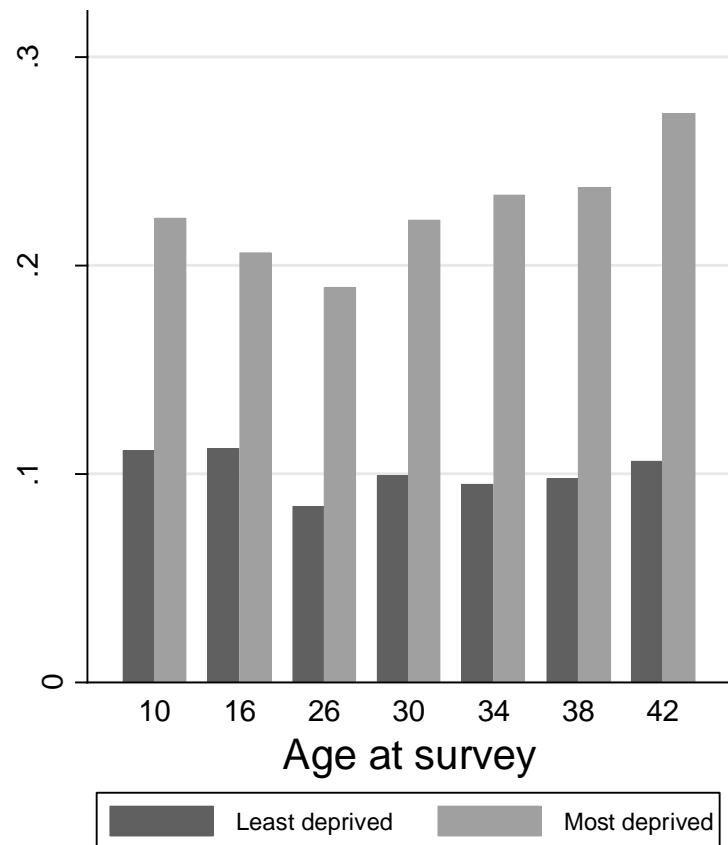
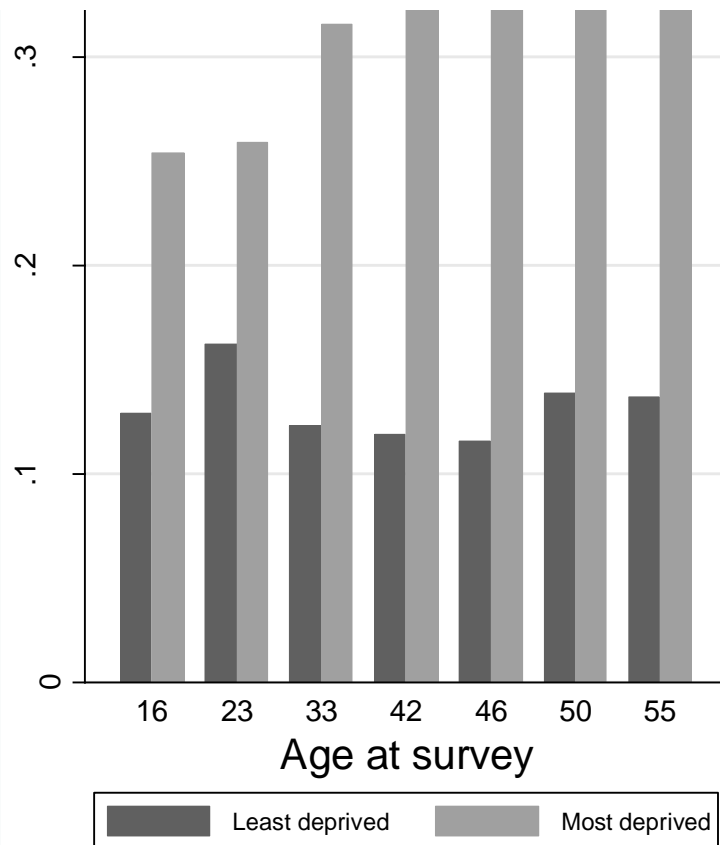


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Poor-rated health by neighbourhood deprivation decile

National Child Development Study

British Cohort Study 1970



Risky moves and cardiovascular disease in New Zealand



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Vascular Informatics using Epidemiology & the Web (VIEW) longitudinal data

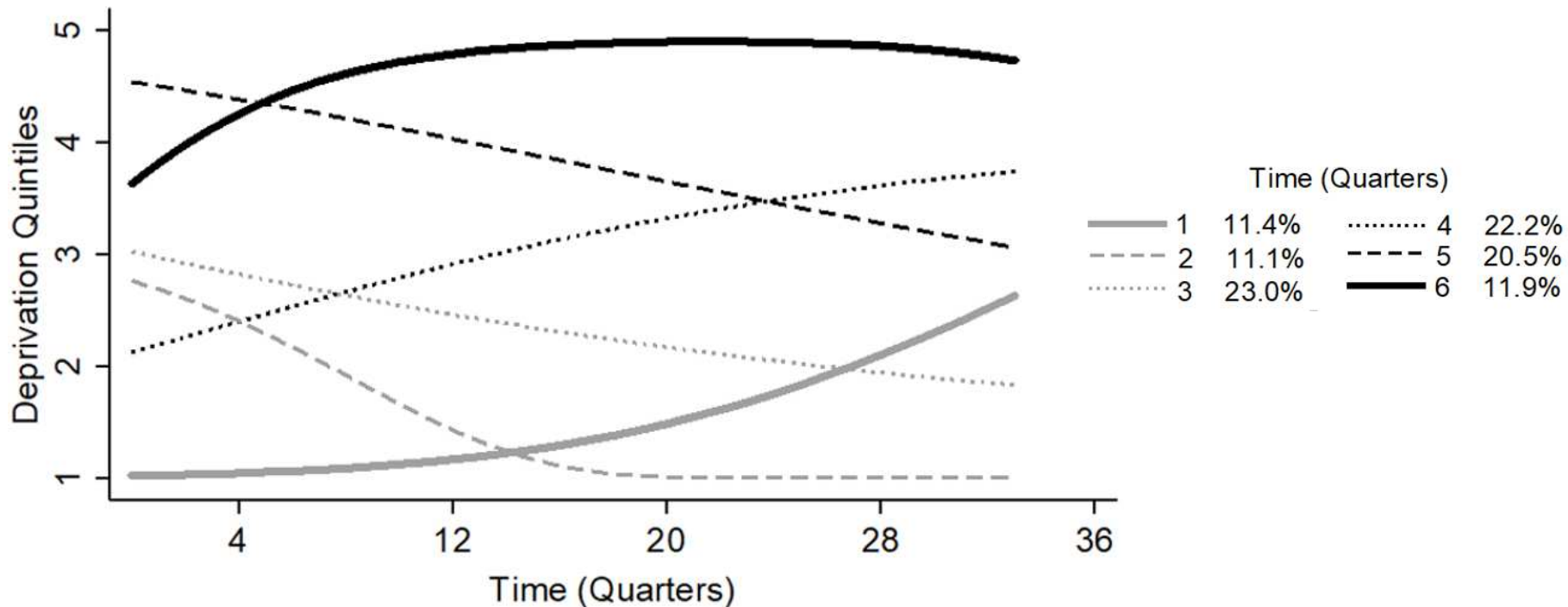
Variable	Category
Sex	Female; Male
Age	30-44; 45-54; 55-64; 65-74; 75-84
Ethnicity (prioritised)	Maori; Pacific; Indian; Other Asian; New Zealand European & Other (NZEO)
CVD hospitalisations (events)	CVD; No CVD
Deprivation (NZDep2006)	Q1- least deprived; Q2; Q3; Q4; Q5 – most deprived

- Data from 2,418,397 individuals enrolled in NZ Primary Health Organisation
- Aged between 30 and 84 years
- During at least **1 of 34 calendar quarters** between 1st January 2006 to 30th June 2014
- Trajectory analysis
- Compare CVD risk for movers according to their deprivation trajectory

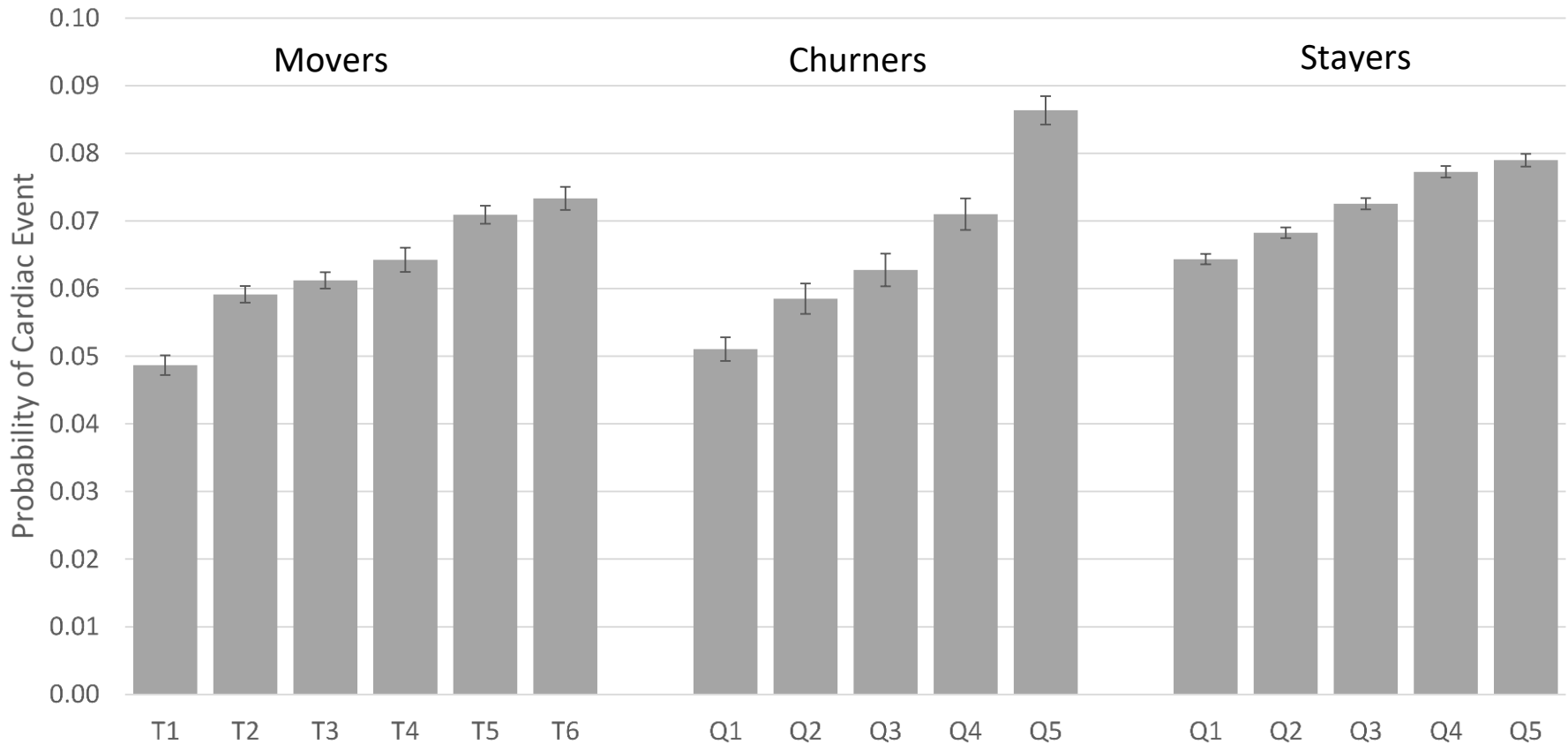
Trajectories

Classify people into deprivation-mobility groups:

- 'Stayers' → do **not** move on the observation period
- 'Churners' → move at least once but within the **same** level of deprivation
- 'Movers' → move to an area with a **different** level of deprivation



Results



Error bars represent 95% confidence intervals.

Models adjusted for Age, Age squared, Gender, Ethnicity, number of quarters observed prior to event, and number of moves.

Trajectory analysis conducted on Movers (those who move to a different deprivation quintile)

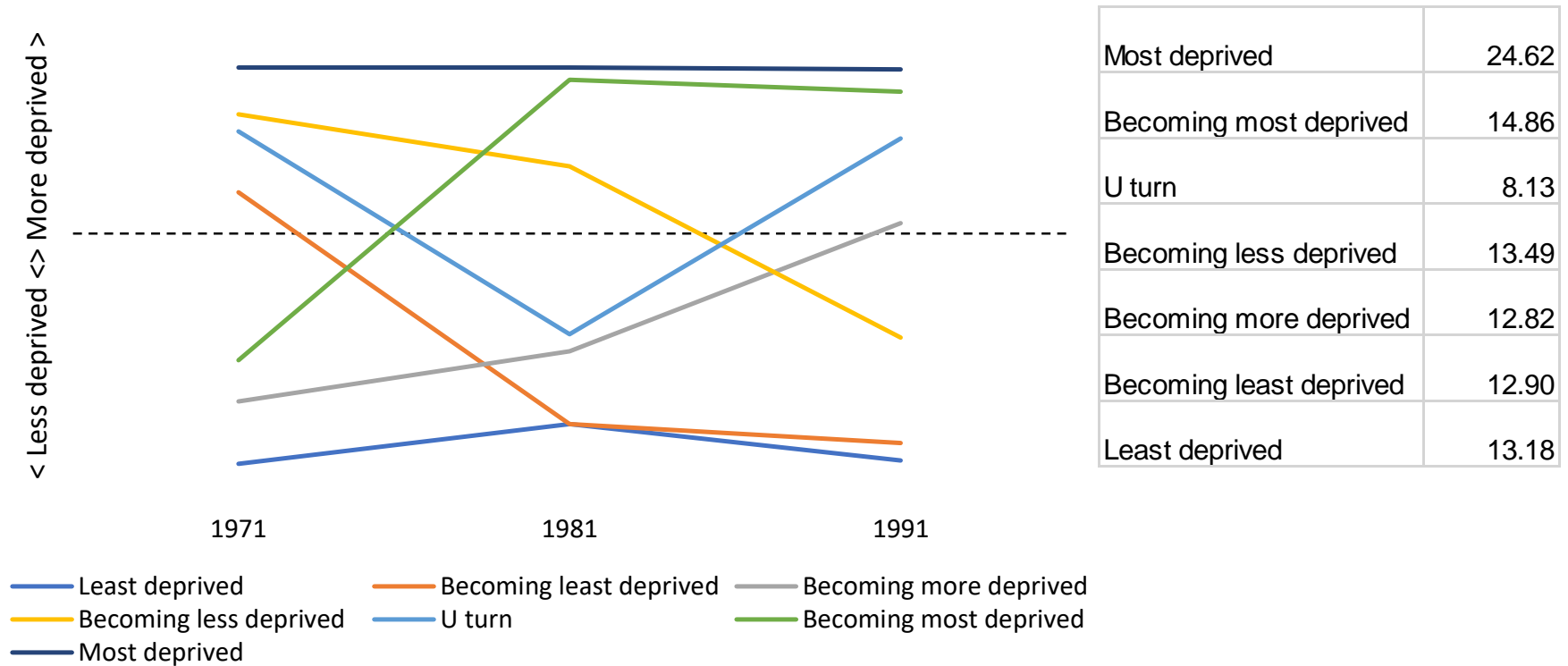
T1: move from least deprived quintile to higher deprivation, T2: move from mid deprivation to least deprived areas, T3: move from mid deprivation to less deprived area, T4: move from lower mid deprivation to higher deprivation, T5: move from most deprived to lower deprivation, T6: move from lower deprivation into most deprived areas.

Interim reflection (ii)

- CVD differences for stayers and churners
 - Similar to other health investigations
- Trajectory analysis a novel approach
 - **Health relationships analogous to Start : End combinations**
- Emulate using ONS LS?
 - Only three time points

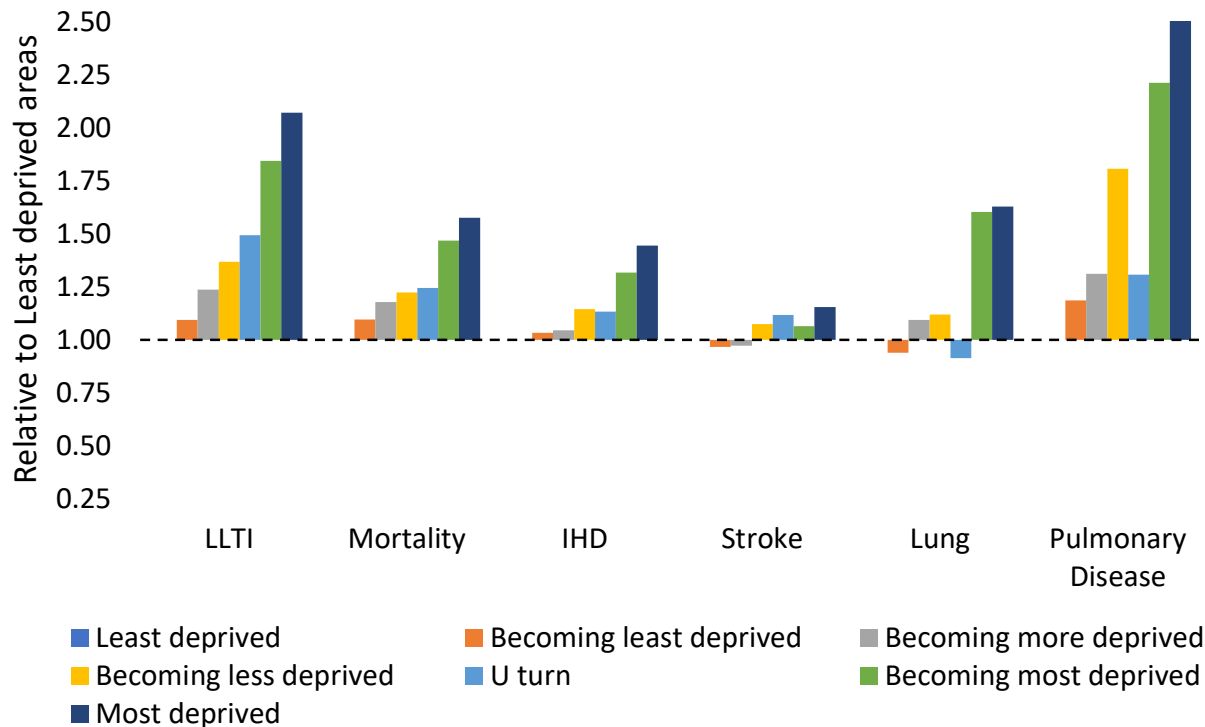
Trajectories using ONS LS

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 - 50,903 with LLTI in 1991; 38,180 died post 1991



Individual trajectories through deprivation space

- Decennial censuses can provide comparable deprivation measures
 - Admin data can provide other years (maybe annual) but harder to be comparable
- Longitudinal Studies: individual records from census years with some (event) data for other years
- Cohort studies: sweeps at uneven time increments
- Patient records: versatile for time increments
- Trajectory analysis (in Stata for the NZ data) new approach
 - See whether NZ population by ethnic group have different trajectories
- **Tomorrow** in SSP on deprivation health inequalities by age-group

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- Access to the VIEW data in New Zealand