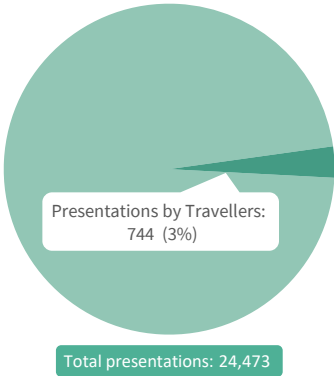


Self-harm and suicide-related ideation among the Irish Traveller population

Findings from Katerina Kavalidou, Caroline Daly, Niall McTernan, and Paul Corcoran, "Presentations of self-harm and suicide-related ideation among the Irish Traveller indigenous population to hospital emergency department: Evidence from the National Clinical Programme for self-harm," *Social Psychology and Psychiatric Epidemiology* 58, pp. 883–91 (2023).



Travellers presenting with self-harm or suicide-related ideation are **42% more likely to request no next-of-kin involvement** than White Irish presenters.

Irish Travellers' higher rates of self-harm and suicide-related ideation persists across **all age groups**.



Older Travellers have **higher rates of self-harm** than White Irish.

The risk of self-harm is **nine times** greater for males over 50 years old and **seven times** greater for females.



Irish Travellers have **higher rates of self-harm and suicide-related ideation** than White Irish

Hospital-based rate of Travellers relative to White Irish



Substances were more prevalent in presentations by Irish Travellers (59%) than by White Irish (50%)



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