

NEWS IN NUMBERS

27.7 million

adults in the UK have characteristics of **'financial' vulnerability** such as low financial resilience or recent negative life events – an increase of **15%** since the **pandemic**, the Financial Conduct Authority found.

Between March and October **2020**, the number of UK adults with **low financial resilience** also rose – from **10.7 million** to **14.2 million**.

5.6 million adults said they were likely to use a **foodbank** as the pandemic progressed

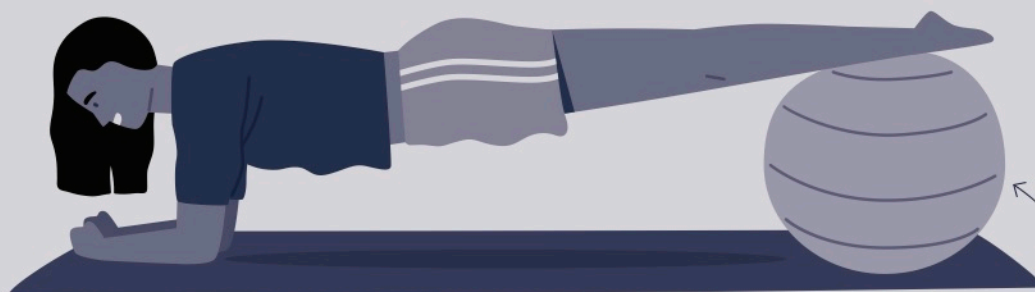


Almost

1/3

of all patients who have needed hospital treatment for **Covid-19** since the pandemic began were admitted in **January**, **NHS England** data shows.

Meanwhile, **224,205** people had been waiting **more than a year** for **routine hospital treatment** in England at the end of December **2020**



UK **hospital admissions** of **nine- to 12-year-olds** owing to **self-injury** are averaging

10 a week

according to data analysed by a BBC investigation. The findings suggest that the rate has **doubled** over the past **six years**

48%

of **UK adults** feel **unhealthier** since the pandemic hit, while **46%** say they've **put on weight**, found a British Heart Foundation survey of **2000+** people aged over **16**.

But positively, **54%** are now determined to be more **physically active**, while **52%** intend to **eat more healthily**



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