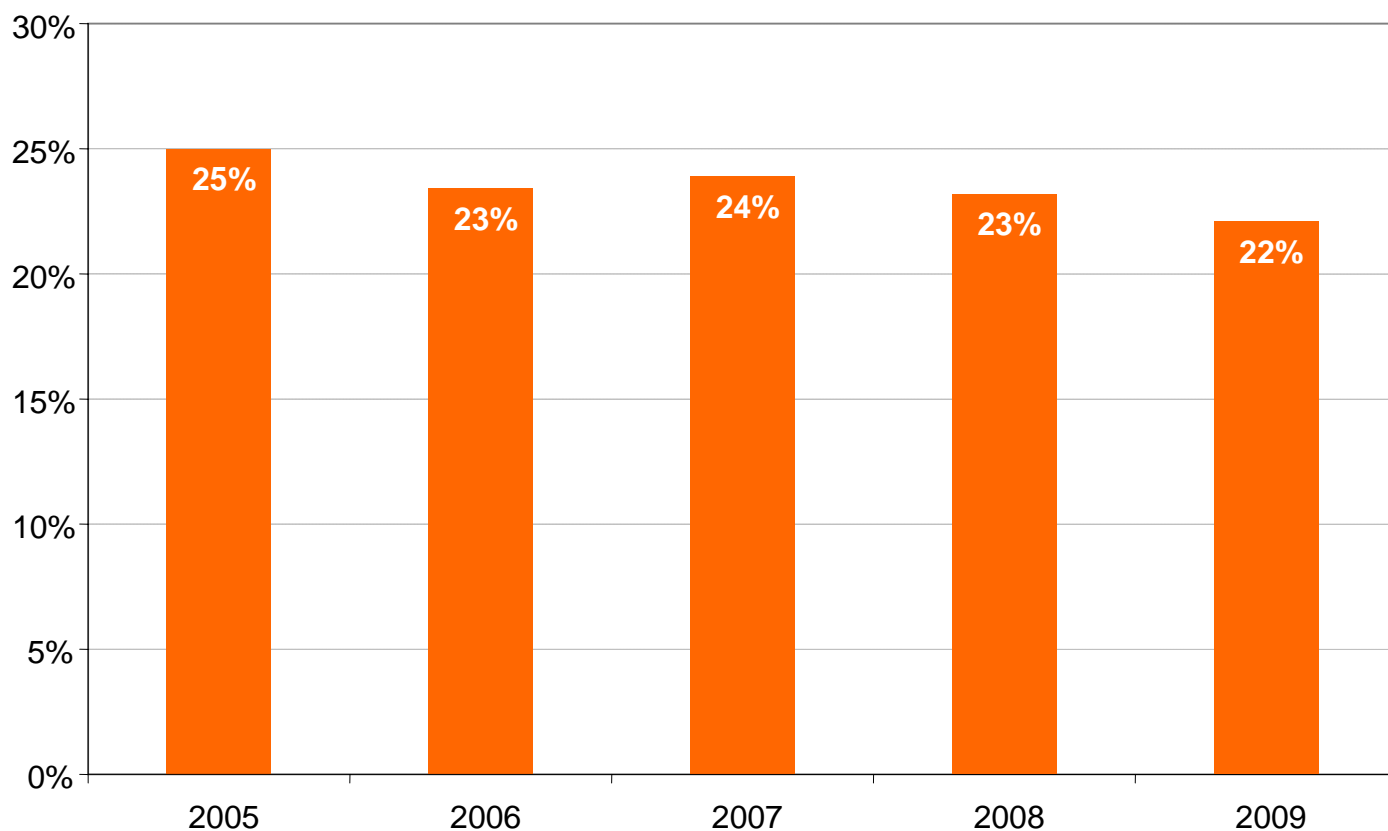


F2 – Disabled people experiencing difficulties in using transport

Baseline and Trends: Baseline year – 2005. Figures from 2009 show that disabled people are significantly less likely to report having difficulties in using transport than they were in 2005. In 2009, 22 per cent of disabled people experienced difficulties when using transport. These figures have decreased significantly since the baseline.

Disabled people experiencing difficulties in using transport



Definition: The above figures cover all respondents who report a disability consistent with the Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) who say they have had problems in the last 12 months getting to and from transport hubs, getting on or off vehicles, changing modes of transports, travelling by minicab or taxi, booking tickets, ensuring assistance is available, difficulties in crossing roads, using pavements, using pedestrian areas or any other difficulties when travelling. Data is for individuals in private households aged

16 and over in Great Britain. Data aggregates 8 monthly waves of the survey run in each year except 2007 where data aggregates 6 waves only.

Independent Living Strategy (ILS): This indicator is used to monitor the Independent Living Strategy, which covers England only. Data for England shows that between 2007 (ILS baseline) and 2009, the percentage of disabled people that report having difficulties in using transport has decreased from 24 per cent to 22 per cent. These figures have not significantly changed since the baseline.

Data Source: ONS Omnibus Survey