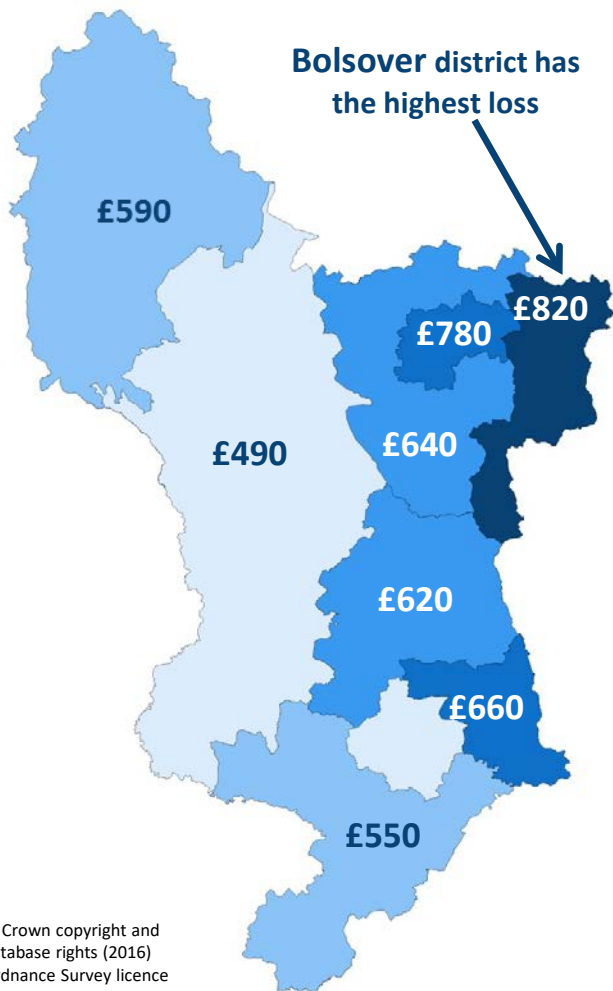


# The Impact of Welfare Reform in Derbyshire

According to a report published by Sheffield Hallam University, welfare reforms introduced from 2010 have resulted in reductions in key benefits for Derbyshire residents:

<b>Tax Credits</b> reductions in payment rates and eligibility	£51 million
<b>Benefit freeze</b> stops benefit payments increasing in line with inflation	£45 million
<b>Personal Independence Payments</b> replacing Disability Living Allowance	£39 million
<b>Universal Credit</b> replaces the 6 main earnings related benefits: Income Support, Housing Benefit, Tax Credits, ESA* and JSA**	£39 million
<b>Child Benefit</b> no longer available for high earners	£18 million

## Average annual loss in benefits per working age adult by 2020/21



## Total annual reduction in benefits by 2020/21



...this is equivalent to every person of working age (16 - 64) losing

**Great Britain**  
**£690** per year

**Derbyshire**  
**£648** per year



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