

**Supplementary Table 1. Inequalities in the age-standardised COVID-19 YLL rate in Scotland, July to December 2021**

<b>Metric</b>	<b>2021 (July to December)</b>
<b>YLL rate (ASR per 100,000)</b>	
Scotland	680
[1] Most deprived fifth	1,324
[2]	890
[3]	510
[4]	464
[5] Least deprived fifth	325
<b>Measures of inequality</b>	
Relative difference between most and least deprived fifth	4.07
RII	1.78
Attributable YLL (%)	53.7%

'YLL' denotes years of life lost to premature mortality; 'ASR' denotes age-standardised rate; 'RII' denotes relative index of inequality; 'attributable YLL' is the theoretical percentage of the YLL rate that could have been averted if all socioeconomic groups had the same YLL ASR rate as the least deprived group.