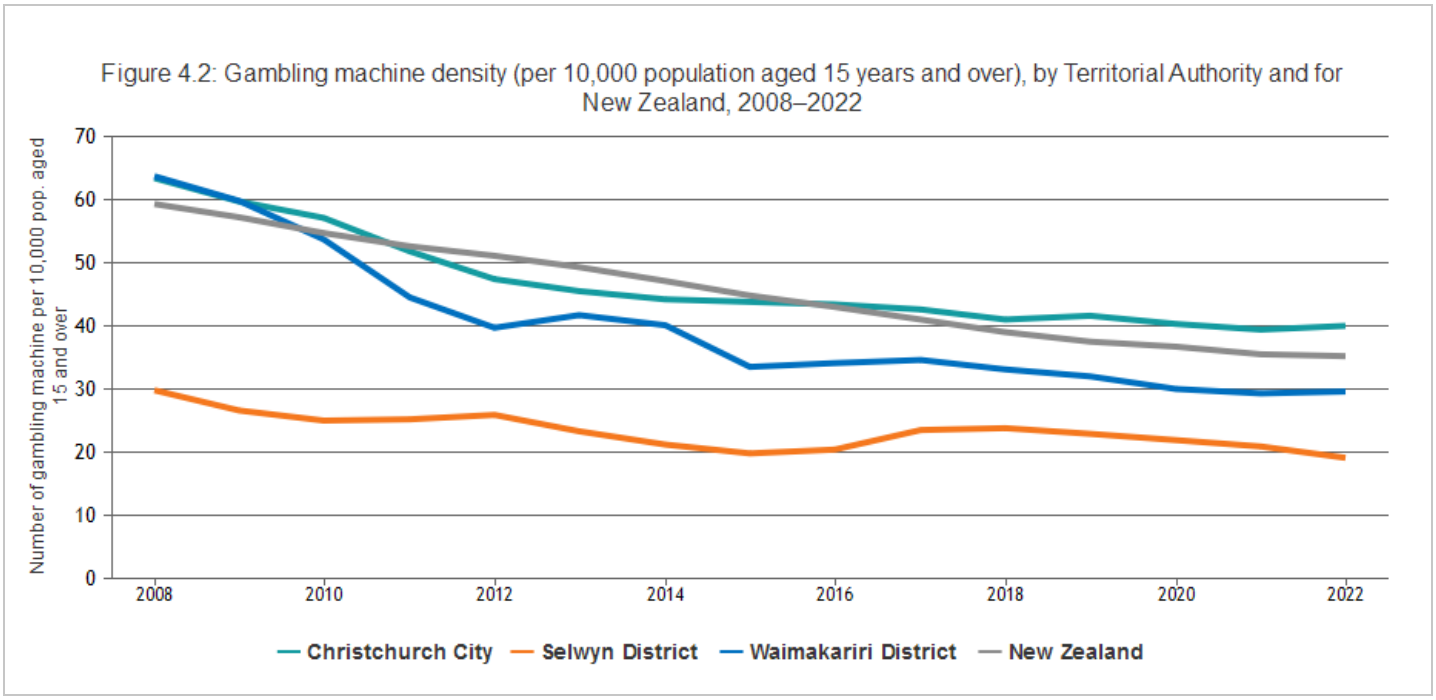
Gambling machines: Breakdown by Territorial Authority

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The figure shows the gambling machine density per 10,000 population for Christchurch City, and the Selwyn and Waimakariri districts, from 2008 to 2022. The pattern is one of declining density overall, in keeping with the national picture. The figure shows that the gambling machine density in Selwyn District has been consistently substantially lower than the other Territorial Authorities, over the time series shown (in 2022, Selwyn 19.1; Waimakariri 29.6; Christchurch City 40; and New Zealand 35.2 machines/10,000 population).

In 2022, gambling machine proceeds (data not shown) were highest in Christchurch City (equivalent to $275 per person aged 15 years and over) and lowest in Selwyn District ($88 per person). Gambling machine proceeds for the Waimakariri District were approximately midway between Christchurch City and Selwyn District in 2022 ($171 per person).

Data Sources for Gambling machines

Source: Department of Internal Affairs.
Survey/data set: Administrative data to December 2022. Access publicly available data from the Department of Internal Affairs website https://catalogue.data.govt.nz/dataset/gaming-machine-profits-gmp-dashboard.
Source data frequency: Quarterly.

Metadata for the Gambling machines indicator is available at https://www.canterburywellbeing.org.nz/index-data

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