

$$\text{obs}_i \sim \text{Poisson}(\pi_i)$$

$$\log(\pi_i) = \text{offs}_i + \beta_{0i} + \beta_1 \text{perc_aff}_i$$

offset = $\ln(\text{expected no.})$

exposure variable

$$\beta_0 + \sum_{j \in \text{neigh}l(i)} w_{ij}^{(3)} \mu_{0j}^{(3)} + \mu_{0, \text{area}(i)}^{(2)}$$

fixed part of intercept

random intercepts for adjacent
neighbours weighted by
summed memberships

random intercept for each
separate area (County District)

NB constrained to have equal
variance