

# Homelessness in Ashwood

There are **355 people** without a home in Ashwood.

Homelessness affects **45 people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Ashwood **22nd in Victoria** out of 88 electorates.

## DEMOGRAPHICS

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
<b>BY SEX</b>		
MALE	202	57%
FEMALE	151	43%
<b>BY AGE</b>		
0–11	24	7%
12–18	29	8%
19–24	113	32%
25–34	105	30%
35–44	36	10%
45–54	19	5%
55–64	12	3%
65–74	9	2%
75+	8	2%

## WHERE DO PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	0	0%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	67	19%
COUCHSURFING	32	9%
BOARDING HOUSES	134	38%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	119	33%

## Young people and homelessness in Ashwood

Young people without homes have different needs than adults. If they can't safely return home, they are likely to need support to maximise their potential, as well as a home they can afford on a very low income.

There are **141 young people** without a home in Ashwood – that's **91 young people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 64 per 10,000.

## WHERE DO YOUNG PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	0	0%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	21	15%
COUCHSURFING	5	3%
BOARDING HOUSES	57	41%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	57	40%