

VICTORIA STATE ELECTORATE PROFILE / 2022

Homelessness in Bendigo East

There are 159 people without a home in Bendigo East.

Homelessness affects **25 people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Bendigo East **63rd in Victoria** out of 88 electorates.

DEMOGRAPHICS

	NUMBER	PROPORTION			
	OF PEOPLE	OF TOTAL			
BY SEX					
MALE	97	61%			
FEMALE	62	39%			
BY AGE					
0–11	25	16%			
12–18	19	12%			
19–24	35	22%			
25–34	23	15%			
35–44	21	13%			
45–54	9	6%			
55–64	15	10%			
65–74	5	3%			
75+	6	4%			

WHERE DO PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	3	2%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	92	58%
COUCHSURFING	26	17%
BOARDING HOUSES	22	14%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	15	9%

Young people and homelessness in Bendigo East

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 **52 young people** without a home in Bendigo East – that's **44 young people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 64 per 10,000.

WHERE DO YOUNG PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER	PROPORTION
	OF PEOPLE	OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	0	0%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	23	44%
COUCHSURFING	9	17%
BOARDING HOUSES	16	30%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	9	18%