

VICTORIA STATE ELECTORATE PROFILE / 2022

# Homelessness in Eltham

There are **75 people** without a home in Eltham.

Homelessness affects **12 people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Eltham **86th in Victoria** out of 88 electorates.

#### **DEMOGRAPHICS**

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL			
BY SEX					
MALE	35	46%			
FEMALE	43	57%			
BY AGE					
0–11	16	21%			
12–18	9	11%			
19–24	6	8%			
25–34	16	21%			
35–44	6	8%			
45–54	14	19%			
55–64	8	11%			
65–74	5	7%			
75+	3	4%			

#### WHERE DO PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	0	0%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	37	49%
COUCHSURFING	23	31%
BOARDING HOUSES	4	5%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	12	16%

## Young people and homelessness in Eltham

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 **14 young people** without a home in Eltham – that's **13 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	6	45%
COUCHSURFING	0	4%
BOARDING HOUSES	0	0%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	3	24%