

Homelessness in Polwarth

There are **147 people** without a home in Polwarth.

Homelessness affects **25 people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Polwarth **67th in Victoria** out of 88 electorates.

DEMOGRAPHICS

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
BY SEX		
MALE	85	58%
FEMALE	63	43%
BY AGE		
0–11	21	14%
12–18	10	7%
19–24	33	22%
25–34	25	17%
35–44	15	10%
45–54	12	8%
55–64	5	4%
65–74	11	8%
75+	11	7%

WHERE DO PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	10	7%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	47	32%
COUCHSURFING	35	24%
BOARDING HOUSES	28	19%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	1	1%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	26	17%

Young people and homelessness in Polwarth

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 **43 young people** without a home in Polwarth – that's **46 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	2	5%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	15	35%
COUCHSURFING	4	10%
BOARDING HOUSES	18	41%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	5	11%