

Homelessness in Preston

There are **491 people** without a home in Preston.

Homelessness affects **67 people** per 10,000, compared to the Victorian average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Preston **11th in Victoria** out of 88 electorates.

DEMOGRAPHICS

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
BY SEX		
MALE	283	58%
FEMALE	213	43%
BY AGE		
0–11	83	17%
12–18	34	7%
19–24	81	17%
25–34	129	26%
35–44	55	11%
45–54	47	9%
55–64	26	5%
65–74	18	4%
75+	13	3%

WHERE DO PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	3	1%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	232	47%
COUCHSURFING	50	10%
BOARDING HOUSES	32	6%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	176	36%

Young people and homelessness in Preston

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 **117 young people** without a home in Preston – that's **114 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	49	42%
COUCHSURFING	11	10%
BOARDING HOUSES	10	9%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	52	45%