

Homelessness in the Northern Victoria Region

There are **1,983 people** without a home in the Northern Victoria Region.

Ahead of the 2022 state election, Council to Homeless Persons has released A plan to end homelessness, which maps out the housing and support need in our state. Learn more at chp.org.au/state-election-2022.

DEMOGRAPHICS

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
BY SEX		
MALE	1111	56.0%
FEMALE	866	43.7%
BY AGE		
0–11	298	15.0%
12–18	203	10.2%
19–24	270	13.6%
25–34	343	17.3%
35–44	275	13.9%
45–54	233	11.7%
55–64	185	9.3%
65–74	119	6.0%
75+	58	2.9%

WHERE DO PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	174	8.8%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	655	33.0%
COUCHSURFING	498	25.1%
BOARDING HOUSES	162	8.2%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	14	0.7%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	487	24.6%

Young people and homelessness in the Northern Victoria Region

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 **461 young people** without a home in the Northern Victoria Region.

WHERE DO YOUNG PEOPLE STAY?

	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
ROUGH SLEEPING	30	6.6%
SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION	188	40.7%
COUCHSURFING	102	22.3%
BOARDING HOUSES	25	5.4%
OTHER TEMPORARY LODGINGS	0	0.0%
SEVERLEY OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS	136	29.5%