

Homelessness in Lowan

There are **218 people** without a home in Lowan on any given night.

Homelessness affects **32 people per 10,000** compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Lowan **52nd out of 88** Victorian electorates.

Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
By sex		
Male	115	53%
Female	109	50%
By age		
0–11	41	19%
12–18	26	12%
19–24	34	16%
25–34	35	16%
35–44	26	12%
45–54	22	10%
55–64	13	6%
65–74	13	6%
75+	8	4%

Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	0	0%
Supported accommodation	82	38%
Couchsurfing	44	20%
Boarding/rooming houses	4	2%
Other temporary lodgings	11	5%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	79	36%

Tracking progress

In March 2023, the ABS released its Estimating Homelessness report from the 2021 Census, allowing us to compare how homelessness has changed since 2016.

Since the last Census, homelessness has increased by 70.1% in Lowan.

In 2016, there were 128 people without a home, ranking Lowan 72nd out of 88 Victorian electorates.