

# Homelessness in Macedon

There are **115 people** without a home in Macedon on any given night.

Homelessness affects **20 people per 10,000** compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Macedon **81st out of 88** Victorian electorates.

## Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
<b>By sex</b>		
Male	62	54%
Female	54	47%
<b>By age</b>		
0–11	26	23%
12–18	12	10%
19–24	15	13%
25–34	20	17%
35–44	20	17%
45–54	6	5%
55–64	5	4%
65–74	5	4%
75+	0	0%

## Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	7	6%
Supported accommodation	66	57%
Couchsurfing	39	34%
Boarding/rooming houses	0	0%
Other temporary lodgings	0	0%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	16	14%

## 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 31.4% in Macedon.**

In 2016, there were 87 people without a home, ranking Macedon 85th out of 88 Victorian electorates.