

HOMELESSNESS IN YOUR AREA / 2023

Homelessness in Malvern

There are 283 people without a home in Malvern on any given night.

Homelessness affects 45 people per 10,000 compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Malvern 45th out of 88 Victorian electorates.

Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
By sex		
Male	182	64%
Female	96	34%
By age		
0–11	17	6%
12–18	5	2%
19–24	62	22%
25-34	78	28%
35–44	51	18%
45–54	27	10%
55–64	17	6%
65–74	11	4%
75+	12	4%

Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	0	0%
Supported accommodation	72	25%
Couchsurfing	6	2%
Boarding/rooming houses	192	68%
Other temporary lodgings	4	1%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	8	3%

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 3.6% in Malvern.

In 2016, there were 273 people without a home, ranking Malvern 33rd out of 88 Victorian electorates.