

# Homelessness in Mulgrave

There are **623 people** without a home in Mulgrave on any given night.

Homelessness affects **82 people per 10,000** compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Mulgrave **10th out of 88** Victorian electorates.

## Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
<b>By sex</b>		
Male	376	60%
Female	253	41%
<b>By age</b>		
0–11	86	14%
12–18	49	8%
19–24	108	17%
25–34	146	23%
35–44	89	14%
45–54	75	12%
55–64	36	6%
65–74	26	4%
75+	14	2%

## Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	3	0%
Supported accommodation	103	17%
Couchsurfing	17	3%
Boarding/rooming houses	178	29%
Other temporary lodgings	9	1%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	321	52%

## 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 21.7% in Mulgrave.**

In 2016, there were 512 people without a home, ranking Mulgrave 10th out of 88 Victorian electorates.