

Homelessness in Nepean

There are **192 people** without a home in Nepean on any given night.

Homelessness affects **31 people per 10,000** compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Nepean **59th out of 88** Victorian electorates.

Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
By sex		
Male	122	64%
Female	67	35%
By age		
0–11	15	8%
12–18	11	6%
19–24	12	6%
25–34	29	15%
35–44	33	17%
45–54	45	23%
55–64	25	13%
65–74	9	5%
75+	7	4%

Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	44	23%
Supported accommodation	20	10%
Couchsurfing	52	27%
Boarding/rooming houses	42	22%
Other temporary lodgings	6	3%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	27	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 59.1% in Nepean.

In 2016, there were 121 people without a home, ranking Nepean 74th out of 88 Victorian electorates.