

Homelessness in Prahran

There are **442 people** without a home in Prahran on any given night.

Homelessness affects **61 people per 10,000** compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Prahran **21st out of 88** Victorian electorates.

Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
By sex		
Male	272	62%
Female	168	38%
By age		
0–11	15	3%
12–18	23	5%
19–24	25	6%
25–34	110	25%
35–44	85	19%
45–54	93	21%
55–64	52	12%
65–74	26	6%
75+	14	3%

Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	12	3%
Supported accommodation	134	30%
Couchsurfing	38	9%
Boarding/rooming houses	232	52%
Other temporary lodgings	13	3%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	13	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 2.1% in Prahran.

In 2016, there were 433 people without a home, ranking Prahran 14th out of 88 Victorian electorates.