

Homelessness in Tarneit

There are **435 people** without a home in Tarneit on any given night.

Homelessness affects **47 people per 10,000** compared to the state average of 42 per 10,000 – ranking Tarneit **24th out of 88** Victorian electorates.

Demographics

	Number of people	Proportion of total
By sex		
Male	243	56%
Female	196	45%
By age		
0–11	83	19%
12–18	67	15%
19–24	89	20%
25–34	86	20%
35–44	48	11%
45–54	38	9%
55–64	20	5%
65–74	8	2%
75+	0	0%

Where people stay

	Number of people	Proportion of total
Rough sleeping	0	0%
Supported accommodation	38	9%
Couchsurfing	8	2%
Boarding/rooming houses	41	9%
Other temporary lodgings	0	0%
Severely overcrowded dwellings	350	80%

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 71.6% in Tarneit.

In 2016, there were 254 people without a home, ranking Tarneit 36th out of 88 Victorian electorates.