
HOMELESSNESS IN GREAT BRITAIN

HOW MANY PEOPLE
ARE HOMELESS - THE
NUMBERS BEHIND THE
STORY

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Chapter 1: Methodology

The true level of homelessness is extremely difficult to count. With this work our aim is to estimate the number of people (adults and children) that are recorded as homeless as at the end of Q1 2018, which is the latest available set of official homelessness data. We do not seek to assess how many people are hidden homeless, or experiencing other non-officially recorded types of homelessness, so our results will always be to some degree the tip of the iceberg. Our total consists of four elements:

1) Homeless and living in Temporary Accommodation (TA)

By far the largest constituent part of our total is those who are homeless and living in Temporary Accommodation (TA). We conservatively estimate how many people (adults and children) are in this situation by analysing the household type of those in TA, from the latest available figures (as at Q1 2018). Where the household type is 'other' (but not single person), we assume there to be two people in that household. Where the official data only gives a total number of households and no other information, we assume there to be the average number of people in a TA household in England in that household (or London, if it is a London authority). Where the official data provides a number of homeless children, but then only a total number of households and no household type data, we assume there to be the average number of adults in a TA household in England in that household (or London, if it is a London authority). We also include people who are in households that have been assessed as being homeless but have arranged their own temporary accommodation, or are 'homeless at home', and follow the same assumptions over households and adults for these households as above. Our data for this part comes from Sections 9 and 10 of the local level homelessness statistics published here by MHCLG.

Local level results for TA will not fully sum to the national results due to imputations and roundings. England and London results are taken from official data for England and London and are not exact sums of the local level results.

Detailed breakdowns of household types in TA are not available for Scotland and Wales, so total household figures are multiplied by the average number of people in England's TA households.

2) Rough sleeping

For England, this is taken from the official MHCLG data here on rough sleeping as at Autumn 2017 (latest available). The equivalent count in Wales is included, but there is no equivalent count in Scotland.

3) Single hostel spaces

This is estimated by taking the regional information on single hostel bedspaces from Homeless Link's annual report, reducing each figure firstly by 10% to account for the average void rate and secondly by the number of single people in statutory TA from the official figures. The second measure is taken to try and account for any double-counting between the source and the official statistics. We believe this ends up being a very conservative estimate, once the two adjustments have been made, not least because it results in a zero estimate for London.

4) Homeless and in temporary accommodation that has been arranged by Childrens services under the Childrens Act.

A relatively small number of children and families are housed in temporary accommodation that is arranged via children's services, under Children's act duty. This is most commonly because they have been found to be 'intentionally homeless', or have no recourse to public funds. To estimate this number, we sent an FOI to every county/ unitary authority. Only around half responded, meaning this must be an under-estimate. Due to the response rate this part of the number is only shown at regional and national levels, and can only ever be a partial picture.

Chapter 2: Key findings

- There are an estimated 13,000 more people who are homeless as at Q1 2018 than there were as at Q2 2017, using the same methodology. This is a 4% increase in less than a year and an increase in the rate from 1 in 208 to 1 in 201.
- The increase since the method was first used in Q2 2016 has been over 25,000 people and 9%.
- The increase is largely driven by rises in people who are homeless and living in Temporary Accommodation and people who are rough sleeping.
- The biggest increases in England have been seen in the Midlands, Yorkshire and Humber and the North West.
- The highest local rates in England are found in London, but Luton, Brighton, Birmingham and Broxbourne all feature in the top 50 rates in England.

What are the reasons for/ drivers of homelessness?

This short report purely shows the numbers involved to get across the scale of the problem. The causes are multi-faceted and complex, but certainly include lack of supply of decent affordable housing, lack of protection for private renters and freezes and cuts to welfare payments. A more detailed examination of the causes of homelessness can be found [here](#).

Chapter 3: National and regional results

National results

Total people recorded as homeless as at Q1 2018: National results	Number of people living in TA [1]	Number of people of rough sleeping [2]	Number of people in single homeless hostel [3]	Number of people in social services TA [4]	Total homeless people	Total people [5]	Rate (1 in x)	Change in number (total homeless people)	Change %
England	252,850	4,751	14,867	4,457	276,925	55,619,430	201	8,595	3%
Wales	6,897	345	N/A	N/A	7,268	3,125,165	430	1,114	18%
Scotland	35,204	N/A	N/A	N/A	35,643	5,424,800	152	3,568	11%
Great Britain	294,952	5,096	14,867	4,922	319,837	64,169,395	201	12,605	4%

Sources: [1] Calculated from DCLG Homelessness statistics Q1 2018, Households that are homeless, owed a legal duty and living in TA, or homeless at home, split into people (adults and children). Scotland and Wales are estimated using average household size for TA in England, and therefore have a wider margin of error. [2], DCLG Homelessness statistics: Rough Sleeping, Autumn 2017 (latest available) [3] Single bed spaces in hostels, Homeless Link, 2017. 10% has been taken off the totals to account for voids and the number of single people in TA from the statutory figures are subtracted by region to ensure no double-counting. [4] Results of an FOI by Shelter requesting the number of families owed a duty by Social Services and housed in TA. Less than 50% of areas responded, so this is a very conservative figure. Scotland and Wales figures are factored into the totals but are not specified due to the large margin of error on them. People figure calculated by applying average family size from [1], [5] ONS mid-year population estimates for 2017. Note: The sum of the regional figures will not equal the national figures due to imputations, estimates and roundings.

Incorporating Scotland's homelessness statistics into the same methodology as we have used for England's is difficult. An FOI administered by Shelter Scotland found that 43,000 people were assessed to be homeless in the financial year 2017/18, and although this figure cannot be incorporated into the table below as it is the flow in for a whole year, and not a snapshot, it is being used by Shelter Scotland to quantify homelessness there.

Longer term trend

	Estimated number of people that are homeless in Great Britain	Estimated rate of people that are homeless in Great Britain
Q2 2016	294,361	215
Q2 2017	307,231	208
Q1 2018	319,837	201
Change: 2016 to 2018	+25,476	+8.7%

Regional results (England)

Total people recorded as homeless as at Q1 2018	Number of people living in TA [1]	Number of people rough sleeping [2]	Number of people in single homeless hostel [3]	Number of people in social services TA [4]	Total homeless people	Total people [5]	Rate (1 in x)	Change number	Change %
South East	24,615	1,119	2,734	1,122	29,591	9,080,825	307	1,087	4%
South West	7,530	580	2,508	35	10,653	5,559,316	522	-960	-8%
East	17,166	615	2,064	290	20,135	6,168,432	306	-780	-4%
East Midlands	5,005	313	1,880	87	7,285	4,771,666	655	443	6%
West Midlands	21,076	295	2,386	42	23,800	5,860,706	246	2,556	12%
Yorks & Hum	3,015	207	2,332	110	5,664	5,450,130	962	618	12%
North East	920	51	1,292	10	2,273	2,644,727	1,163	-211	-8%
North West	7,495	434	2,471	264	10,665	7,258,627	681	1,019	11%
London	164,220	1,137	0	2,496	167,853	8,825,001	53	3,488	2%

Sources: [1] Calculated from DCLG Homelessness statistics Q1 2018, Households that are homeless, owed a legal duty and living in TA, or homeless at home, split into people (adults and children) [2], DCLG Homelessness statistics: Rough Sleeping, Autumn 2017 (latest available) [3] Single bed spaces in hostels, Homeless Link, 2017. 10% has been taken off the totals to account for voids and the number of single people in TA from the statutory figures are subtracted by region to ensure no double-counting. [4] Results of an FOI by Shelter requesting the number of families owed a duty by Social Services and housed in TA. Less than 50% of areas responded, so this is a very conservative figure. People figure calculated by applying average family size from [1], [5] ONS mid year population estimates for 2017. Note: The sum of the regional figures will not equal the national figures due to imputations, estimates and roundings.

Chapter 4: Local results

Note: These results consist of people living in temporary accommodation (including that arranged by the household themselves and homeless at home) and rough sleeping only, the other two constituent parts of the national and regional figures are not available at the local level.

Top 50 local authorities in England by rate of people that are homeless

Local Authority	Region	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank
Newham	L	14,535	76	14,611	347,996	24	1
Haringey	L	9,173	43	9,216	271,224	29	2
Kens & Chels	L	5,263	20	5,283	155,741	29	3
Westminster	L	7,904	217	8,121	244,796	30	4
Barking & Dag'ham	L	6,531	0	6,531	210,711	32	5
Hackney	L	8,298	18	8,316	275,929	33	6
Enfield	L	9,986	9	9,995	332,705	33	7
Waltham Forest	L	7,484	44	7,528	275,505	37	8
Brent	L	8,506	29	8,535	329,102	39	9
Tower Hamlets	L	7,575	21	7,596	307,964	41	10
Redbridge	L	7,049	65	7,114	301,785	42	11
Lewisham	L	6,695	22	6,717	301,307	45	12
Hamm & Ful	L	3,811	5	3,816	182,998	48	13
Luton	EE	4,321	87	4,408	214,658	49	14
Ealing	L	6,904	62	6,966	342,736	49	15
Lambeth	L	5,879	34	5,913	324,048	55	16
Barnet	L	6,548	21	6,569	387,803	59	17
Wandsworth	L	5,237	13	5,250	323,257	62	18
Brighton & Hove	SE	4,139	178	4,317	288,155	67	19
Croydon	L	5,731	31	5,762	384,837	67	20
Bexley	L	3,451	16	3,467	246,124	71	21
Birmingham	WM	15,481	57	15,538	1,137,123	73	22
Bromley	L	4,439	5	4,444	329,391	74	23
Broxbourne	EE	1,160	2	1,162	96,762	83	24
Kingston u Th	L	2,021	27	2,048	174,609	85	25
Harrow	L	2,434	10	2,444	248,880	102	26
City of London	L	38	36	74	7,654	104	27
Slough	SE	1,395	27	1,422	148,768	105	28
Havering	L	2,424	22	2,446	256,039	105	29
Hounslow	L	2,491	22	2,513	269,100	107	30

Top 50 rates (cont.)

Local Authority	Region	Homeless in Temporary Accommodation	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank
Harlow	EE	750	24	774	86,191	111	31
Milton Keynes	SE	2,244	48	2,292	267,521	117	32
Islington	L	1,864	27	1,891	235,000	124	33
Manchester	NW	3,948	94	4,042	545,501	135	34
Sutton	L	1,460	3	1,463	203,243	139	35
Greenwich	L	1,995	8	2,003	282,849	141	36
Dartford	SE	676	9	685	107,516	157	37
Basildon	EE	1,116	24	1,140	184,479	162	38
Watford	EE	582	6	588	96,675	164	39
New Forest	SE	1,074	7	1,081	179,590	166	40
Epsom & Ewell	SE	460	3	463	79,451	172	41
Peterborough	EE	1,122	31	1,153	198,914	173	42
Coventry	WM	2,069	8	2,077	360,149	173	43
Hillingdon	L	1,689	36	1,725	302,343	175	44
Camden	L	1,191	127	1,318	253,361	192	45
Castle Point	EE	453	0	453	89,814	198	46
Wellingborough	EM	382	12	394	78,914	200	47
Bristol, City of	SW	2,201	86	2,287	459,252	201	48
Reading	SE	740	31	771	163,075	212	49
Ashford	SE	588	11	599	127,527	213	50

All local rates, split by region

EAST OF ENGLAND	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Luton	4,321	87	4,408	214,658	49	14	1
Broxbourne	1,160	2	1,162	96,762	83	24	2
Harlow	750	24	774	86,191	111	31	3
Basildon	1,116	24	1,140	184,479	162	38	4
Watford	582	6	588	96,675	164	39	5
Peterborough	1,122	31	1,153	198,914	173	42	6
Castle Point	453	0	453	89,814	198	46	7
Chelmsford	806	17	823	176,194	214	51	8
Hertsmere	402	6	408	104,031	255	59	9
Bedford	425	76	501	169,912	339	71	10
Welwyn Hatfield	326	18	344	122,274	355	73	11
Colchester	490	20	510	190,098	373	78	12
Southend-on-Sea	408	72	480	181,808	379	81	13
Thurrock	427	9	436	170,394	391	84	14
Rochford	207	11	218	86,209	395	85	15
Tendring	344	6	350	144,705	413	88	16
Brentwood	168	0	168	76,575	457	98	17
Great Yarmouth	210	3	213	99,417	467	100	18
Huntingdonshire	372	4	376	176,979	471	102	19
Epping Forest	251	2	253	130,576	515	106	20
Dacorum	265	7	272	153,316	563	112	21
St Albans	240	5	245	147,095	600	113	22
Three Rivers	145	2	147	92,641	628	118	23
North Hertfordshire	183	5	188	133,321	710	126	24
Babergh	125	1	126	90,794	722	128	25
St Edmundsbury	130	22	152	113,725	749	134	26
Cambridge	133	26	159	124,919	784	138	27
Forest Heath	76	7	83	65,523	793	140	28
Central Bedfordshire	325	13	338	280,030	828	143	29
South Cambridgeshire	181	4	185	156,705	846	145	30
Ipswich	137	21	158	138,480	877	151	31
Fenland	97	9	106	100,776	946	153	32
Mid Suffolk	100	2	102	101,543	991	155	33
North Norfolk	89	5	94	104,067	1,112	167	34
Waveney	88	8	96	117,897	1,223	175	35
Norwich	76	30	106	140,353	1,324	185	36
Broadland	90	2	92	128,535	1,390	190	37
King's Lynn & W Norf	87	9	96	151,945	1,575	200	38

EAST OF ENGLAND (cont.)	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
East Cambridgeshire	50	2	52	88,858	1,713	210	39
Braintree	64	0	64	151,677	2,366	240	40
Maldon	24	1	25	63,975	2,522	242	41
East Hertfordshire	46	3	49	147,080	2,972	255	42
Uttlesford	24	2	26	87,684	3,325	261	43
Suffolk Coastal	24	3	27	129,016	4,714	281	44
South Norfolk	22	1	23	135,471	5,956	292	45
Stevenage	0	6	6	87,739	14,623	306	46
Breckland	0	1	1	138,602	138,602	319	47

EAST MIDLANDS	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Wellingborough	382	12	394	78,914	200	47	1
Kettering	386	14	400	100,252	251	56	2
Northampton	800	13	813	225,656	278	64	3
Derby	741	37	778	257,034	330	69	4
Nottingham	784	43	827	329,209	398	87	5
Melton	103	0	103	50,873	493	105	6
Corby	90	4	94	69,540	738	132	7
Oadby and Wigston	71	3	74	57,035	773	137	8
Mansfield	121	15	136	108,576	801	141	9
South Kesteven	153	4	157	141,662	901	152	10
Ashfield	117	5	122	126,164	1,037	160	11
South Holland	80	5	85	93,295	1,091	165	12
Charnwood	162	0	162	180,387	1,112	168	13
Gedling	101	0	101	117,128	1,155	172	14
Daventry	65	2	67	82,638	1,233	176	15
East Lindsey	99	9	108	139,718	1,297	182	16
Boston	32	15	47	68,488	1,446	193	17
Leicester	209	31	240	353,540	1,475	194	18
Hinckley & Bosworth	64	0	64	111,370	1,750	212	19

EAST MIDLANDS (cont.)	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Derbyshire Dales	38	2	40	71,849	1,814	219	20
South Derbyshire	53	2	55	102,385	1,862	221	21
High Peak	44	3	47	92,063	1,965	223	22
Bassetlaw	38	13	51	116,304	2,292	236	23
Newark & Sherwood	47	4	51	120,965	2,361	239	24
E Northamptonshire	30	6	36	93,135	2,587	245	25
Harborough	35	0	35	91,461	2,645	247	26
Amber Valley	43	4	47	125,898	2,651	248	27
North Kesteven	40	1	41	115,230	2,828	250	28
Broxtowe	36	1	37	112,718	3,037	259	29
Lincoln	0	28	28	98,438	3,516	265	30
Rushcliffe	22	9	31	115,996	3,773	270	31
Blaby	14	0	14	98,977	7,070	298	32
Chesterfield	0	12	12	104,579	8,715	301	33
Erewash	6	3	9	115,314	12,813	303	34
Rutland	0	3	3	39,474	13,158	304	35
Bolsover	0	5	5	79,098	15,820	307	36
North East Derbyshire	0	3	3	100,780	33,593	312	37
Sth Northamptonshire	0	2	2	91,074	45,537	314	38
N W Leicestershire	0	0	0	100,109	N/A	321	39
West Lindsey	0	0	0	94,340	N/A	321	39

LONDON	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Newham	14,535	76	14,611	347,996	24	1	1
Haringey	9,173	43	9,216	271,224	29	2	2
Kensington and Chelsea	5,263	20	5,283	155,741	29	3	3
Westminster	7,904	217	8,121	244,796	30	4	4
Barking and Dagenham	6,531	0	6,531	210,711	32	5	5
Hackney	8,298	18	8,316	275,929	33	6	6
Enfield	9,986	9	9,995	332,705	33	7	7
Waltham Forest	7,484	44	7,528	275,505	37	8	8
Brent	8,506	29	8,535	329,102	39	9	9
Tower Hamlets	7,575	21	7,596	307,964	41	10	10
Redbridge	7,049	65	7,114	301,785	42	11	11
Lewisham	6,695	22	6,717	301,307	45	12	12
Hammersmith & Fulham	3,811	5	3,816	182,998	48	13	13
Ealing	6,904	62	6,966	342,736	49	15	14
Lambeth	5,879	34	5,913	324,048	55	16	15
Barnet	6,548	21	6,569	387,803	59	17	16
Wandsworth	5,237	13	5,250	323,257	62	18	17
Croydon	5,731	31	5,762	384,837	67	20	18
Bexley	3,451	16	3,467	246,124	71	21	19
Bromley	4,439	5	4,444	329,391	74	23	20
Kingston upon Thames	2,021	27	2,048	174,609	85	25	21
Harrow	2,434	10	2,444	248,880	102	26	22
City of London	38	36	74	7,654	104	27	23
Havering	2,424	22	2,446	256,039	105	29	24
Hounslow	2,491	22	2,513	269,100	107	30	25
Islington	1,864	27	1,891	235,000	124	33	26
Sutton	1,460	3	1,463	203,243	139	35	27
Greenwich	1,995	8	2,003	282,849	141	36	28
Hillingdon	1,689	36	1,725	302,343	175	44	29
Camden	1,191	127	1,318	253,361	192	45	30
Richmond upon Thames	774	19	793	195,680	247	54	31
Merton	465	5	470	206,052	438	95	32
Southwark*	0	44	44	314,232	7,142	299	33

*= no p1E homelessness data supplied by Southwark in this quarter

NORTH EAST	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Middlesbrough	116	6	122	140,639	1,153	171	1
Newcastle u Tyne	243	10	253	295,842	1,168	174	2
North Tyneside	119	2	121	204,473	1,687	207	3
Gateshead	107	8	115	202,419	1,758	213	4
Stockton-on-Tees	88	2	90	196,487	2,186	233	5
Redcar & Cleve	47	0	47	136,005	2,879	251	6
Sunderland	75	0	75	277,249	3,697	269	7
South Tyneside	37	1	38	149,555	3,936	272	8
County Durham	88	13	101	523,662	5,205	286	9
Hartlepool	0	4	4	93,019	23,255	310	10
Darlington	0	3	3	106,347	35,449	313	11
Northumberland	0	2	2	319,030	159,515	320	12

NORTH WEST	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Manchester	3,948	94	4,042	545,501	135	34	1
Salford	603	49	652	251,332	385	83	2
Trafford	349	5	354	235,493	666	121	3
Bury	245	10	255	189,628	744	133	4
Tameside	220	43	263	224,119	853	146	5
Warrington	210	4	214	209,704	980	154	6
Bolton	245	17	262	284,813	1,086	164	7
Oldham	171	2	173	233,759	1,347	187	8
Rochdale	146	8	154	218,459	1,420	191	9
South Ribble	74	0	74	110,400	1,492	195	10
Blackpool	79	13	92	139,870	1,514	197	11
St. Helens	101	9	110	179,331	1,629	204	12
Stockport	133	10	143	291,045	2,028	225	13
Barrow-in-Furn	31	0	31	67,099	2,165	231	14
Liverpool	181	33	214	491,549	2,292	235	15
Ribble Valley	25	0	25	59,504	2,346	237	16
Chesh W & Ch	111	18	129	337,986	2,610	246	17

NORTH WEST (cont.)	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Knowsley	51	0	51	148,560	2,920	252	18
Wigan	81	30	111	324,650	2,925	253	19
Preston	29	19	48	141,346	2,953	254	20
Lancaster	43	4	47	142,487	3,032	258	21
Chorley	35	0	35	115,772	3,264	260	22
Burnley	24	1	25	87,705	3,545	266	23
Cheshire East	81	21	102	378,846	3,697	268	24
Wirral	66	14	80	322,796	4,035	275	25
Carlisle	25	1	26	108,274	4,086	276	26
Fylde	16	2	18	78,863	4,351	278	27
Blackburn w Darwen	31	2	33	148,772	4,492	279	28
Allerdale	19	1	20	97,213	4,777	283	29
South Lakeland	18	3	21	104,321	5,046	285	30
Halton	19	4	23	127,595	5,465	287	31
Sefton	40	9	49	274,589	5,605	288	32
West Lancashire	20	0	20	113,881	5,694	289	33
Pendle	14	0	14	90,696	6,478	295	34
Eden	7	1	8	52,779	6,597	296	35
Hyndburn	0	6	6	80,410	13,402	305	36
Copeland	0	1	1	68,689	68,689	315	37
Wyre	0	0	0	110,426	N/A	321	38
Rossendale	0	0	0	70,365	N/A	321	38

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Local Authority							
Brighton and Hove	4,139	178	4,317	288,155	67	19	1
Slough	1,395	27	1,422	148,768	105	28	2
Milton Keynes	2,244	48	2,292	267,521	117	32	3
Dartford	676	9	685	107,516	157	37	4
New Forest	1,074	7	1,081	179,590	166	40	5
Epsom and Ewell	460	3	463	79,451	172	41	6
Reading	740	31	771	163,075	212	49	7
Ashford	588	11	599	127,527	213	50	8
Crawley	497	17	514	111,664	217	52	9
Gosport	377	9	386	85,509	222	53	10
Woking	384	18	402	101,129	251	57	11
Medway	1,056	44	1,100	277,616	252	58	12
Eastbourne	345	41	386	103,251	267	60	13
Thanet	470	46	516	141,337	274	62	14
Bracknell Forest	428	6	434	120,377	277	63	15
Hastings	291	40	331	92,813	280	65	16
Isle of Wight	486	9	495	140,984	285	66	17
Reigate and Banstead	456	3	459	146,383	319	67	18
Arun	468	17	485	158,657	327	68	19
Worthing	269	35	304	109,632	360	74	20
Adur	172	2	174	63,721	367	76	21
Spelthorne	264	4	268	99,120	370	77	22
Rushmoor	251	5	256	95,817	374	79	23
Swale	382	9	391	146,694	375	80	24
East Hampshire	312	2	314	119,392	380	82	25
South Bucks	165	1	166	69,785	421	89	26
Dover	259	13	272	115,803	426	91	27
Oxford	299	61	360	154,582	429	92	28
Runnymede	198	4	202	86,882	431	93	29
Lewes	232	1	233	102,257	439	96	30
Southampton	503	29	532	252,359	474	103	31
Gravesham	213	9	222	106,121	477	104	32
Test Valley	234	2	236	123,957	525	107	33
Maidstone	276	41	317	167,730	528	108	34
Basingstoke and Deane	313	15	328	175,337	534	109	35
Rother	166	4	170	94,997	558	111	36
Wycombe	274	14	288	174,758	607	115	37
Portsmouth	308	42	350	214,718	613	116	38
Windsor & Maidenhead	223	11	234	150,140	641	119	39

SOUTH EAST (cont.)	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Aylesbury Vale	281	20	301	196,020	650	120	40
Fareham	164	10	174	116,219	666	122	41
Chichester	169	10	179	120,192	672	123	42
Sevenoaks	161	4	165	119,429	724	129	43
Shepway	136	16	152	111,427	734	131	44
Tunbridge Wells	133	20	153	118,061	770	136	45
Tandridge	100	2	102	87,297	857	147	46
West Berkshire	162	20	182	158,473	868	149	47
Surrey Heath	96	5	101	88,765	875	150	48
Mole Valley	87	0	87	87,128	996	156	49
Guildford	133	13	146	147,777	1,015	159	50
Tonbridge & Malling	107	8	115	128,891	1,117	169	51
Mid Sussex	111	8	119	148,345	1,247	178	52
Wokingham	122	10	132	164,980	1,251	179	53
Winchester	88	9	97	123,879	1,274	180	54
Chiltern	72	1	73	95,355	1,302	183	55
Wealden	117	4	121	158,941	1,315	184	56
Horsham	96	7	103	140,142	1,354	189	57
Cherwell	83	9	92	147,602	1,611	202	58
West Oxfordshire	57	7	64	109,266	1,701	208	59
Hart	55	1	56	95,465	1,709	209	60
Elmbridge	65	8	73	136,379	1,868	222	61
Havant	50	10	60	125,065	2,067	226	62
Vale of White Horse	28	10	38	131,227	3,409	262	63
South Oxfordshire	31	2	33	139,767	4,189	277	64
Canterbury	0	36	36	164,100	4,558	280	65
Eastleigh	16	0	16	130,498	8,093	300	66
Waverley	0	1	1	125,010	125,010	318	67

SOUTH WEST	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Bristol, City of	2,201	86	2,287	459,252	201	48	1
Gloucester	506	15	521	129,083	248	55	2
Weymouth & Portland	225	18	243	65,751	270	61	3
Purbeck	131	1	132	46,756	355	72	4
Plymouth	695	26	721	263,070	365	75	5
Christchurch	120	5	125	49,616	398	86	6
Bournemouth	414	48	462	194,752	422	90	7
Exeter	260	35	295	128,916	437	94	8
Poole	324	13	337	151,270	449	97	9
Torbay	167	24	191	135,247	707	125	10
Cornwall	714	68	782	561,349	718	127	11
West Somerset	39	4	43	34,865	818	142	12
Taunton Deane	117	23	140	117,423	838	144	13
East Dorset	88	1	89	89,384	999	157	14
South Somerset	152	4	156	167,216	1,069	163	15
North Dorset	59	3	62	71,096	1,147	170	16
Torridge	54	4	58	67,821	1,162	173	17
South Glos	206	3	209	279,027	1,333	186	18
North Somerset	150	7	157	212,834	1,352	188	19
Teignbridge	89	3	92	131,437	1,427	192	20
Tewkesbury	58	2	60	90,332	1,509	196	21
Wiltshire	291	31	322	496,043	1,538	198	22
West Dorset	64	2	66	102,064	1,541	199	23
Sedgemoor	68	7	75	122,178	1,624	203	24
East Devon	75	6	81	142,265	1,748	211	25
Bath and N E Som	73	34	107	188,678	1,766	215	26
Cheltenham	56	9	65	117,128	1,799	217	27
Mid Devon	38	3	41	80,623	1,973	224	28
Cotswold	30	1	31	87,509	2,801	249	29
West Devon	16	0	16	55,329	3,431	263	30
South Hams	18	7	25	85,340	3,466	264	31
Stroud	29	2	31	118,130	3,859	271	32
North Devon	0	20	20	95,440	4,772	282	33
Swindon	0	45	45	220,363	4,897	284	34
Mendip	0	19	19	113,513	5,974	293	35
Forest of Dean	0	1	1	85,957	85,957	316	36
Isles of Scilly	0	0	0	2,259	N/A	321	37

WEST MIDLANDS	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Local Authority							
Birmingham	15,481	57	15,538	1,137,123	73	22	1
Coventry	2,069	8	2,077	360,149	173	43	2
Rugby	313	6	319	106,350	333	70	3
Walsall	583	20	603	281,293	466	99	4
Wyre Forest	211	4	215	100,715	468	101	5
Wolverhampton	451	19	470	259,926	552	110	6
Stratford-on-Avon	190	17	207	125,202	603	114	7
Shropshire	456	13	469	317,459	676	124	8
Worcester	127	12	139	102,314	733	130	9
Nuneaton & Bedworth	166	5	171	128,659	754	135	10
Redditch	81	4	85	85,204	1,007	158	11
Herefordshire, County	162	11	173	191,041	1,102	166	12
East Staffordshire	79	16	95	117,552	1,236	177	13
Tamworth	42	4	46	76,527	1,664	205	14
Malvern Hills	43	1	44	77,165	1,764	214	15
Warwick	57	21	78	140,282	1,799	216	16
Telford and Wrekin	87	10	97	175,768	1,810	218	17
North Warwickshire	31	0	31	64,069	2,084	227	18
Sandwell	145	10	155	325,460	2,098	228	19
Staffs Moorlands	46	1	47	98,496	2,102	229	20
Lichfield	45	3	48	103,507	2,174	232	21
Wychavon	50	3	53	125,378	2,383	241	22
Bromsgrove	37	1	38	97,594	2,536	243	23
Stoke-on-Trent	65	19	84	255,378	3,032	257	24
Stafford	16	7	23	134,764	5,828	291	25
Dudley	41	11	52	319,419	6,114	294	26
Cannock Chase	0	5	5	99,126	19,825	309	27
Newcastle-under-Lyme	0	5	5	128,963	25,793	311	28
Solihull	0	2	2	213,933	106,967	317	29
South Staffordshire	0	0	0	111,890	N/A	321	30

YORKS & HUMB Local Authority	Homeless in Temporary Acc	Rough Sleeping	Total people homeless	Population	Rate (1 in x)	National Rank	Regional rank
Doncaster	490	8	498	308,940	621	117	1
Kingston upon Hull	301	28	329	260,673	791	139	2
Wakefield	388	7	395	340,790	862	148	3
Bradford	496	15	511	534,800	1,047	161	4
Scarborough	101	1	102	108,370	1,065	162	5
Harrogate	118	6	124	160,044	1,286	181	6
York	103	29	132	208,163	1,576	201	7
Kirklees	255	8	263	437,145	1,665	206	8
North East Lincolnshire	65	22	87	159,826	1,827	220	9
Sheffield	248	20	268	577,789	2,159	230	10
Ryedale	22	2	24	54,311	2,229	234	11
North Lincolnshire	59	14	73	171,294	2,347	238	12
East Riding of Yorks	122	10	132	338,061	2,564	244	13
Richmondshire	18	0	18	53,699	2,983	256	14
Selby	24	0	24	87,887	3,663	267	15
Calderdale	46	6	52	209,454	4,000	273	16
Craven	13	1	14	56,604	4,009	274	17
Rotherham	44	2	46	263,375	5,726	290	18
Barnsley	34	0	34	243,341	7,056	297	19
Leeds	61	28	89	784,846	8,794	302	20
Hambleton	5	0	5	90,718	18,144	308	21

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