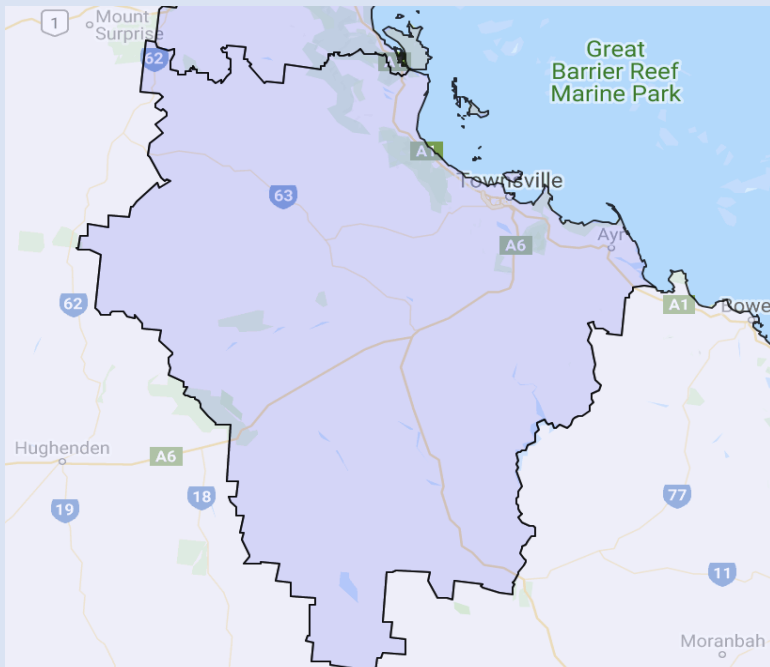


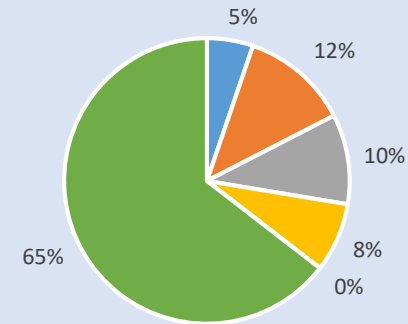
# FACTS AND FIGURES

## Young people in the Townsville Region

There are 1,483 people who experience homelessness in the Townsville Region on any given day according to the 2016 Census. Of these 350 were young people, accounting for roughly 27% of the total homeless population.



Where young people experiencing homelessness are living by %



- Persons living in improvised dwellings, tents, or sleeping out
- Persons in supported accommodation for the homeless
- Persons staying temporarily with other households
- Persons living in boarding houses
- Persons in other temporary lodgings
- Persons living in 'severely' crowded dwellings

The majority of homeless were concentrated in Townsville and smaller towns had concentrations including Ayr, Charters Towers and Ingham.

The data shows that most young people who were homeless in the Townsville Region aged 12 – 24 years of age were in severely overcrowded dwellings.

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