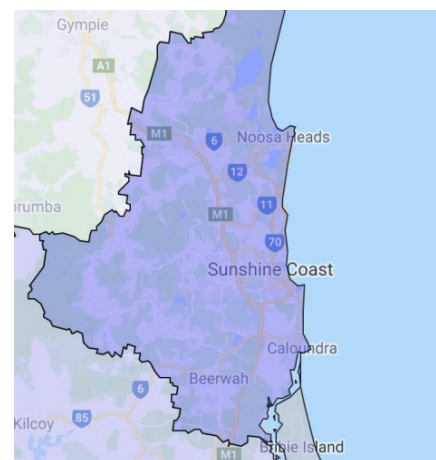


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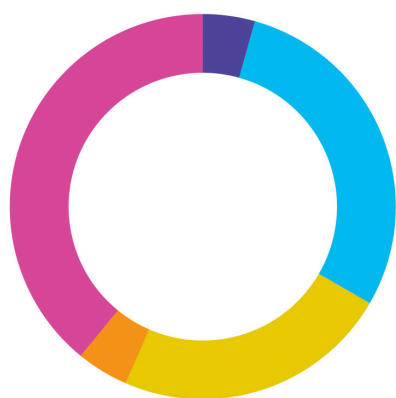
Young people in Sunshine Coast Region



- On Census night in 2021 there were 1378 people homeless in Sunshine Coast.
- From this total 202 (14.7%) were young people aged 12-24.
- Sunshine Coast young people constituted 4.18% of Queensland's homeless young people.
- 31 young people identified as Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander, or both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (accounting for 15.3% of homeless young people).
- A further 163 young people were counted within the Census as living in 'other marginal' accommodation (i.e. living in 'other crowded', 'other improvised dwellings', and 'housed in caravan parks' – the majority of which were living in 'other crowded dwellings' (84.8%).
- In contrast to the 2016 Census the Sunshine Coast saw an increase in youth homelessness by 32% (up from 153).



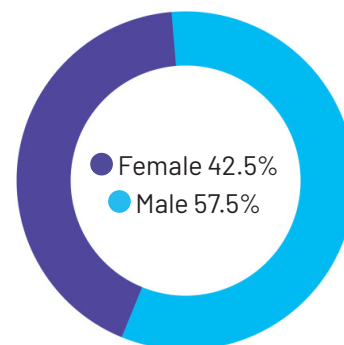
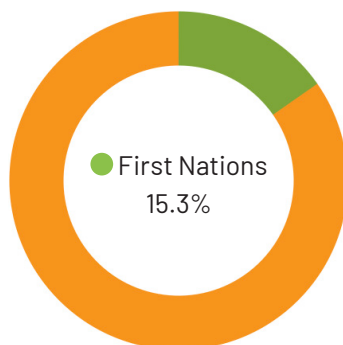
YOUNG PEOPLE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS



Breakdown of distribution for the 202 young people experiencing homelessness in 2021 included:

- Living in improvised dwellings, tents, or sleeping out (4.35%)
- Living in supported accommodation for the homeless (29%)
- Staying temporarily with other households (23.2%)
- Living in boarding houses (4.35%)
- Living in other temporary lodgings (0%)
- Living in 'severely' crowded dwellings (39.1%)

- For 'Young people living in supported accommodation for the homeless' – 67.7% were Female
- For 'Young people living in boarding houses' – 57.5% were Male



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Estimated bed per homeless young person based on 2022 QYHC survey

*Totals for SA4 regions can be affected by random adjusts by ABS to avoid the release of confidential data. This accounts for minor discrepancies against other quoted homelessness figures.