

FOI REF:	16384
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Request

I am submitting a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to gather information regarding the number of individuals and families classified as homeless and placed in “temporary accommodation” throughout the year.

1. Monthly Homelessness Data in Temporary Accommodation

2. Monthly Counts of Individuals and Households in Temporary Accommodation:

For each month in the past five years (November 2021- November 2025), please provide the **total number** of individuals and households recorded as homeless and residing in “temporary accommodation.”

Include a breakdown of the **types of accommodation** provided (e.g., hotels, B&Bs, hostels, caravans, shelters).

Please categorise those in temporary accommodation as follows:

- Single parents with children, identifying mothers and fathers separately if possible.
- Individuals without children.
- Family units, classified by family size (e.g., mother, father, and one child; mother, father, and two children, etc.).

Response

Due to a change in reporting systems the council only hold this data from April 2023. There is quarterly data available through the link - [Homelessness statistics - GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/homelessness-statistics-quarterly)

In total between 01 April 2023 and 30 November 2025, there were a total of **428 placements**. The data for April 2023, includes those where the placement started before the 01/04/2023, and the placement continued into April 2023.

Placements may start and end in the same month or Placements may be over a period of weeks/months/years. Please see attached spreadsheet for the data.

Total Placements based on 'start date' of Placement:

Start Date of Placement (Year)	Start Date of Placement (Month)	Total
2023	April	18

2023	May	9
2023	June	5
2023	July	12
2023	August	8
2023	September	14
2023	October	8
2023	November	14
2023	December	10
2024	January	14
2024	February	15
2024	March	11
2024	April	9
2024	May	6
2024	June	12
2024	July	17
2024	August	11
2024	September	14
2024	October	13
2024	November	9
2024	December	14
2025	January	19
2025	February	9
2025	March	24
2025	April	22
2025	May	11
2025	June	21
2025	July	14
2025	August	17
2025	September	23
2025	October	17
2025	November	8
	Total	428