

Table 91 Homeless households in temporary accommodation in England under the provisions of the 1985 and the 1996 Housing Acts*Number of households*

	1980	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Bed and breakfast	1,330	5,360	8,990	10,370	10,970	11,480	11,130	12,150	7,630	4,900	4,130	4,500	4,160	4,520	6,930	8,060	9,860	12,110	12,670
+ Hostels ¹	3,380	4,730	4,610	5,150	6,240	8,020	9,010	9,990	10,840	10,210	9,730	9,660	9,640	8,860	9,060	9,400	10,320	10,270	9,600
+ Private sector leasing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,740	27,910	23,270	15,800	11,530	10,980	14,320	16,220	22,660	25,390	26,020	33,790
+ Other ²	-	5,830	7,190	9,240	12,890	18,400	25,130	14,050	16,690	15,200	15,970	18,450	17,410	17,330	19,310	22,070	26,870	30,220	29,720
+ Homeless at home ³	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,700	10,420	8,640	8,370	8,890	9,500	9,900	9,150	9,200	11,050	12,640	13,840
= Total	4,710	15,920	20,790	24,760	30,100	37,900	45,270	68,630	73,490	62,220	54,000	53,030	51,690	54,930	60,670	71,390	83,490	91,260	99,620

Sources: Homelessness Statistics, Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, Hansard 18/4/91, Column 186.

Notes: 1. Includes women's refuges.

2. Includes dwellings leased by local authorities from private landlords for years prior to 1991.

3. Figures for households accepted as homeless, but that remained in their existing accommodation pending rehousing, were not collected before 1991.

Table 92 Reasons for homelessness in England*Percentages*

	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Parents, relatives or friends no longer willing or able to accommodate	41	43	43	43	42	42	38	34	29	29	26	27	28	30	32	35
Breakdown of relationship with partner	18	19	17	17	16	17	19	20	22	24	25	25	24	23	22	22
Loss of private dwelling, including tied accommodation	15	15	16	14	14	15	17	19	20	21	22	23	22	23	22	20
Mortgage arrears	9	7	6	9	12	10	8	8	8	7	6	6	5	3	3	2
Rent arrears	4	4	5	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	2
Other	13	12	13	13	14	16	16	16	17	17	18	17	19	17	18	18

Source: Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, Homelessness Statistics.

Note: Figures may not total to 100, because of rounding.