

**Table 104 Northern Ireland lettings and homelessness**

	1980/81	1985/86	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12
Allocations to new tenants	9,966	12,417	11,637	11,170	10,489	10,280	10,455	8,826	10,164	10,946	10,643	8,496	9,671	8,824	8,766	8,462	7,603	7,978	7,772	7,289	8,132	9,192	8,074	7,691
of which, homeless																								
No			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,279	4,088	4,433	4,571	4,434	5,196	5,232	5,339	5,778	6,066	6,359	5,633
%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.9	46.3	50.6	54.0	58.3	65.1	67.3	73.2	71.1	66.0	78.8	73.2
Homelessness:																								
presenting			9,187	10,081	10,099	9,731	10,068	10,468	11,092	11,672	11,552	10,997	12,694	14,390	16,289	17,230	17,360	20,121	20,013	19,030	18,076	18,664	20,158	19,737
accepted as full duty applicant			4,404	4,158	4,061	3,971	4,014	4,319	4,708	4,956	4,997	5,192	6,457	7,374	8,580	8,594	8,470	9,749	9,744	9,234	8,934	9,914	10,443	9,021
Placed in temporary accommodation			1,849	1,771	1,790	1,865	1,747	2,151	2,141	2,123	2,249	1,937	2,455	2,542	3,624	4,079	4,177	4,624	3,978	3,897	3,154	3,295	3,065	3,165

Sources: Northern Ireland Department for Social Development, Northern Ireland Housing Executive.

Notes: Allocations figures are for both NIHE and housing associations, and exclude transfers. Homeless legislation was only extended to Northern Ireland in April 1989.

Numbers placed in temporary accommodation are total placements during the course of the year; not the numbers in temporary accommodation at the end of the year.

From 2011/12, the table reports on homeless applicants 'accepted as full duty applicants'. Previously, the table reported on applicants 'awarded priority status'. The two terms are essentially the same, but because of changes in management procedures and a greater range of possible outcome decisions than were recorded prior to 2011/12, the 2011/12 total for applicants accepted as full duty applicants is not directly comparable with previous totals.