



Request

1. How many children (Under 18) were living in temporary accommodation on the 25th December 2023? If exact records for this date are not available, please provide the most recent data close to this date.
2. How many of these children were 15 years of age at the time?
3. Since January 2020, what is the longest a child (under 18) has had to live in temporary accommodation before being placed in permanent accommodation? Please specify the date range if the exact start and end dates are known.
4. What is the average duration that children (under 18) have been spending in temporary accommodation before securing permanent housing?

Please provide definitions or clarifications for any terms or categories used in your response, especially regarding "temporary accommodation" (e.g., whether it includes B&Bs, hostels, or other placements).

Response

1. 254 children in Temporary accommodation as at 25/12/23.
2. 10.
3. 674 days from 27/7/22 – 31/5/24.
4. 118 days – this is the average length of time in Temporary accommodation as at 25th December 2023, for a household with children. No date parameters were given for this question, so quarter 1 has been used to provide an average.