

37061 Disabled Social Housing Waiting Lists

How many disabled people are waiting for social housing in this local authority?

As of 17/05/2022 there were 6,921 such applicants on the EdIndex Housing Register. This number is the total number of applicants who have ticked 'yes' to the question in the [EdIndex Housing Application Form](#) - 'Do you or anyone on your application consider yourself disabled? – Yes or No'? It is important to note that we do not ask on the application form how many people in the household are disabled.

What is the longest period of time a disabled person has waited for social housing?

The earliest self-assessed disabled application for social housing made, where the applicant is yet to be housed, was submitted on 18/02/2003.

Under a Choice-based letting system, which requires applicants to bid for suitable available homes the average time to be housed will be dependent on how active applicants are in bidding for available homes, areas/property types they are prepared to consider and the homes that become available that meet a household's needs.