

60489 - Gold Priority Council Housing

How many households are currently on the gold priority list for council housing?

406 in total.

1 bedroom needed: 220

2 bedrooms needed: 81

3 bedrooms needed: 50

4 bedrooms needed: 35

5 bedrooms needed: 15

6 bedrooms needed: 5

How many households with gold priority were housed in the last 2 months? Split by council owned and housing association owned if possible.

26 in total, 16 of which were CEC.

Split both the previous answers by ideal number of bedrooms (and locality, if possible, for Q2).

CEC/HA	Bedrooms in property	Area	Idea bedrooms
CEC	1	Calders	1
CEC	2	Saughtonhall/Corstorphine	1
CEC	2	Saughtonhall/Corstorphine	1
CEC	2	Stenhouse	1
ASSOC	1	Stenhouse	1
CEC	3	South Queensferry	4
CEC	2	Clermiston/Parkgrove	1
CEC	1	Clermiston/Parkgrove	1
ASSOC	1	Tollcross/Fountainbridge	1
ASSOC	1	Tollcross/Fountainbridge	1
ASSOC	1	Tollcross/Fountainbridge	1
CEC	2	Newhaven	2
CEC	2	Craightinny	1

ASSOC	2	Leith	1
CEC	2	Leith	1
CEC	2	Easter Road	2
CEC	2	Easter Road	1
CEC	2	Milton	1
CEC	1	Milton	1
CEC	1	Milton	1
ASSOC	1	Colinton	1
ASSOC	2	Niddrie	1
ASSOC	2	Niddrie	1
CEC	1	Niddrie	1
ASSOC	1	Roseburn / Haymarket	1
ASSOC	1	Inverleith	1

How many households with gold priority require a wheelchair accessible property? Split by ideal number of bedrooms.

Ideal Bedroom	Use Wheelchair		Grand Total
	N	Y	
1	185	35	220
2	63	18	81
3	42	8	50
4	29	6	35
5	14	1	15
6	5		5
Grand Total	338	68	406

How many vacant wheelchair accessible properties are currently owned by the council? If the information is available, categorise by reason unavailable, number of bedrooms, & length of time unoccupied.

792 wheelchair accessible homes are owned

As of 2 Mar 2026 there were 16 vacant (out of 792 properties owned) wheelchair accessible properties. 13 one bedroom properties and 3 two bedroom properties.

Length of time unoccupied	Number of properties
Under 3 months	7
3-6 months	6
6-12 months	1
Over 12 months	2

What percentage of households with gold priority contain at least 1 wheelchair user?

16.7%

What is the lowest, highest, and median wait time for households currently with gold priority and containing at least one wheelchair user?

Of the 68 applicants who have Gold priority and indicated wheelchair required, waiting time is:

MIN	16 days
MAX	4077 days
MEDIAN	449 days