

# Accommodation in Bristol for Homeless People

Organisation	Address	Telephone	Referral	Helps	Age	Comments
<b>Referral and Help (not accommodation providers)</b>						
The Hub	13-17 Cumberland Street St Pauls BS2 8NL	0117 909 6000	Self/ Agency	M F	16 +	Open Mon - Fri 10am - 4pm (Wed 12noon - 4pm); do not help people with children
Outreach Team	1 New Street St Judes BS2 9DX	0117 955 6745 (answering machine)	Self/ Agency	M F	16 +	Open: Mon - Fri 8am - 4pm; drop-in: Mon - Fri 10am - 12noon; only work with people sleeping rough in Bristol. Priority access to hostels before 12 noon Monday - Friday.
Shelter	1st Floor, Kenham House Wilder Street, Bristol BS2 8DP	0117 924 1500 0117 944 5244 (Fax)	Self/ Agency	M F	16 +	Telephone support: Mondays 10am - 1pm and Thursdays 1pm - 4pm.

## Emergency Accommodation

Dean Crescent Hostel (Bristol Cyrenians)	11 Dean Crescent Bedminster BS3 1AG	0117 987 2055	Self/ Agency	- F	16 +	24 hr for single women; pets allowed; no male visitors. Local connection required unless domestic violence.
English Churches HA	1 Jamaica Street Stokes Croft BS2 8JR	0117 924 6415	Self/Hub/ Outreach	M F	18 - 65 (Ave: 35)	24 hr; dogs allowed; self-referral evenings and weekends only.
Julian Trust Night Shelter	Little Bishop Street St Pauls BS2 9JF	0117 924 4604	Self	M F	16 +	First come, first served; closed Sundays & Thursdays.
Redwood House	1 Wade Street St Judes	0117 907 1100	Hub/ Outreach	M F	18 - 65	2 References required; also accept referrals from Night Centre operating from Cyrenians in New Street.
Salvation Army	2 Little George Street St Judes BS2 9EL	0117 955 2821	Self/Hub/ Outreach	M -	18 +	24 hr; Detox and rehab available for both men and women. Referral times: Outreach Team before 12noon, Hub 12 - 4pm; self after 4pm.

## Longer Term Accommodation

Bristol Churches HA	1-3 Surrey Street St Pauls BS2 8PS	0117 970 4100	Agency (e.g. Hub)		18 - 65	Minimum stay 6 months.
Elim HA Ron Jones House	20-30 Jamaica Street Stokes Croft BS2 8JW	0117 942 5500	Agency (e.g. Hub)	M F	18 +	Key deposit required; low support unit; no disabled access.
GFS Platform	Townsend House Pump Lane BS1 6NW	0117 927 3844	Self/ Agency	- F	16 - 30	Pump Lane is in Redcliffe.
Self Help HA	118 Grosvenor Road St Pauls BS2 8YA	0117 955 3446	Self/ Agency			Phone for appointment OR call in during morning for appointment in afternoon or with social worker for next day.

## Statutory Help

City Council	(People with children)	0117 922 2280
City Council	(People without children)	0117 922 2288
Out of Hours DSS		01454 615 165

Don't forget to check the Cyrenians' Bristol Homeless Directory

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## Questions to ask people looking for accommodation:

### About them

Sex?  
Age?  
Single?  
Pregnant?  
Dependent children?  
Disabilities?  
Addictions?  
Medication?

### About their past

Where from?  
Links with Bristol?  
Prison record?  
History of violence?

### Current status

Job?  
Benefits?  
Reason for needing somewhere?  
In debt? Who to?  
Current address or sleeping arrangements (last night and during past week)?  
If sleeping rough, where do they sleep (so the Outreach Team workers can find them)?

### Current support

Social worker?  
CPN?  
Tenant of the Council, Housing Association, or other?

### For The Hub to help, the client must:

have a housing problem  
be 16 years or older  
have no dependent children  
not be pregnant