



Consent form

Helping people sleeping rough to get healthcare, support and housing.

The Victorian Alliance to End Homelessness (VAEH) works in different local government areas in Victoria. It is a partnership of local services in each area. The full list of services is included in this document.

We would like to share information about you with some of these services in a By-Name List. The list of information we share is within this document.



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I understand that:

- Information about me in the By-Name List will be shared between VAEH services.
- My information will be used to help services know who is sleeping rough; to help get me healthcare, support and housing; to research and advocate for better services and policies; and to track how homelessness changes over time.
- It is my choice what information I provide.
- Information will be collected and shared with consent except as permitted by law
- I can choose not to share my information with certain services.
- My consent lasts for 4 years, and I can withdraw it at any time.
- I can access my information and request it be corrected, by asking a worker.

I agree to:

- My information being collected by the VAEH.
- My information being shared with VAEH services in areas where I'm sleeping rough.
- Information that doesn't identify me being used for funding reports and to publish statistics.

Person Name: Person Signature:

Date Consent Given: Date Consent Withdrawn:

If verbal consent was provided, staff member to complete the section below:

☐ **Verbal consent**

Staff Name: Staff Signature:.....

Agency: Date:

Information we collect and share with The VAEH services

- Your name, date of birth and other notes to help identify you
- Your gender
- What housing you have, if any
- Where and when you were last seen
- Support services you are linked to
- Your income
- Information on your housing pathway including whether you have a housing application (VHR)
- Whether you are a defence force veteran
- Whether have become homeless due to family violence
- Whether you have been homeless for a long time
- Once you are housed, where that is

With your permission we may also collect:

- Health services you are linked to
- Your cultural background and whether you are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander
- Whether you identify as LGBTIQ+
- Your visa status
- A vulnerability/prioritisation score

The VAEH services in each area

Dandenong	City of Greater Dandenong, ACSO, Asylum Seeker Resource Centre, Avalon Housing, Bolton Clarke, Centre for Multicultural Youth, Cornerstone Contact Centre, DFFH Homes Vic, ERMHA, Launch Housing, Monash Health, The Salvation Army, WAYSS, Wintringham
Frankston	City of Frankston, ACSO, Bolton Clarke, Community Support Frankston, DFFH Homes Vic, Kids First Australia, Launch Housing, Melbourne City Mission, Mentis Assist, NEAMI National, Peninsula Health, The Salvation Army, Wintringham
Melbourne	City of Melbourne, ACSO, Anglicare, Bolton Clarke, cohealth, DFFH Homes Vic, Inner West Area Mental Health, Launch Housing, Melbourne City Mission, Ngwala Willumbong, St Vincent's Hospital, The Salvation Army, Unison Housing, Vincentcare, Youth Projects
Merri-bek	City of Merri-bek, DFFH Homes Vic, Hope Street, Merri Outreach Support Services, Launch Housing, VincentCare
Port Phillip	City of Port Phillip, Access Health, ACSO, Alfred Hospital, Better Health Network, DFFH Homes Vic, First Step, Housing First, Launch Housing, Ngwala Willumbong, Sacred Heart Mission, Southport Community Housing, St Kilda Community Housing, The Salvation Army, Wintringham
Stonnington	City of Stonnington, ACSO, Alfred Hospital, Avalon Centre, Better Health Network, DFFH Homes Vic, Housing First, Launch Housing, Ngwala Willumbong, Southport Community Housing, St Kilda Community Housing, The Salvation Army, Uniting Prahran
Yarra	City of Yarra, ACSO, Bolton Clarke, Cohealth, DFFH Homes Vic, Launch Housing, Ngwala Willumbong, North Richmond Community Health, St Mark's Anglicare, St Mary's House of Welcome, St Vincent's Hospital, The Salvation Army
Mornington Peninsula	Mornington Peninsula Shire, Bolton Clarke, DFFH Homes Vic, Southern Peninsula Community Support, The Salvation Army, Western Port Community Support

Over time, The VAEH may work in new areas, and new services may join these partnerships.

Optional – Exceptions to Consent

Fill out this section if you **don't** want to share certain types of information, and/or don't want your personal information shared with certain services.

I do **not** permit the following types of information to be shared with the following services:

Type of information	Service