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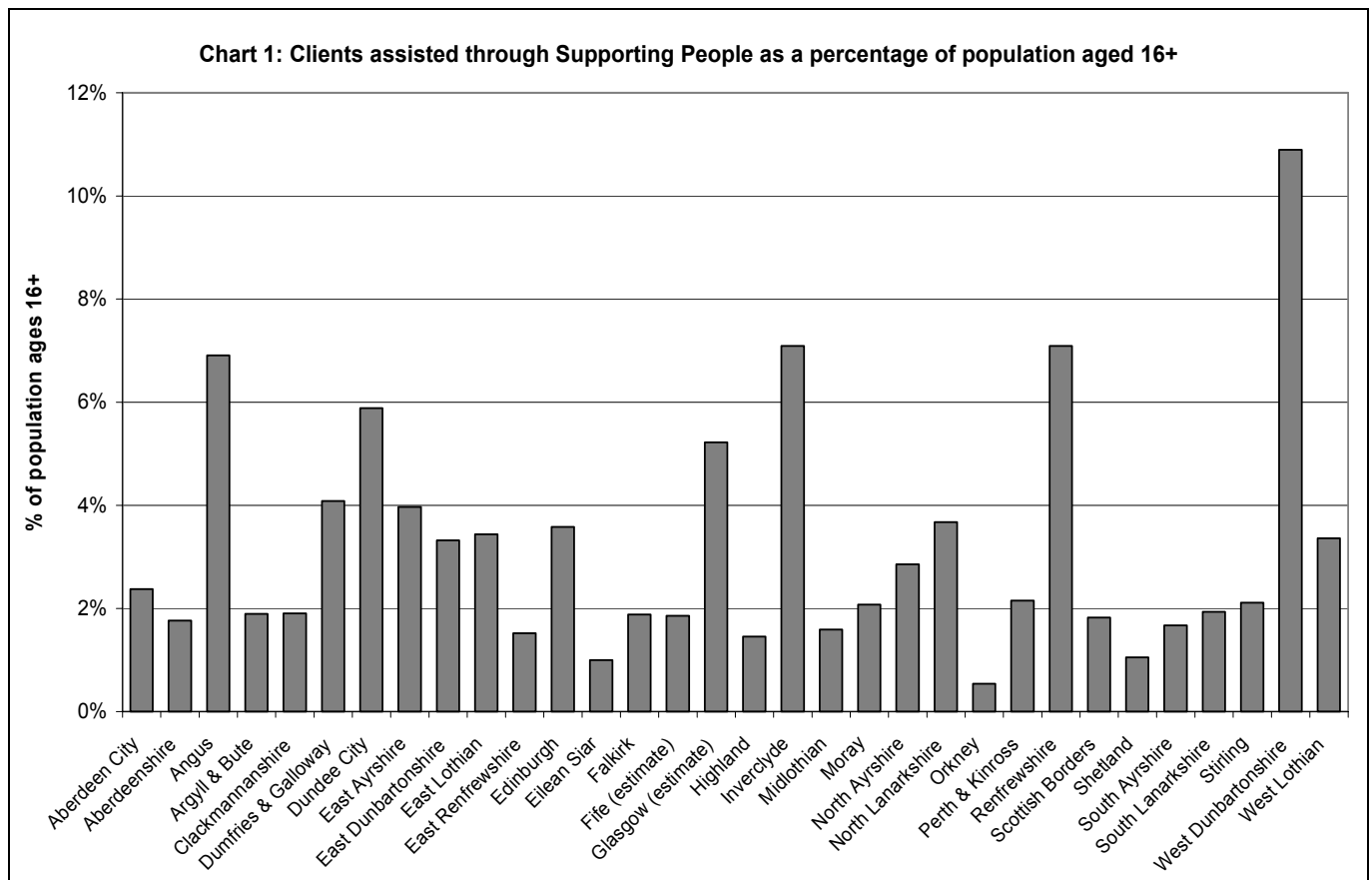
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PEOPLE ASSISTED THROUGH SUPPORTING PEOPLE FUNDING: 2003-04

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 This bulletin presents key statistics on people assisted through Supporting People funding during the period 2003-04. Summary information has been provided at both national and local authority level. This is the first year for which data have collected and it is intended to review the content for future bulletins.



Note: Fife data are estimates based on number of places available through Supporting People and will be lower than the actual total. Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%. Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31 March 2004.

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2. MAIN POINTS

- 2.1 In 2003-04, 140,207 individuals were assisted through Supporting People funding. This represents 3.4% of the population aged 16 and over. The local authorities with the highest percentage of clients per head of population aged 16 and over were West Dunbartonshire (11%), Inverclyde (7%), Renfrewshire (7%) and Angus (7%). The lowest percentages were found to be in Highland, Orkney, Eilean Siar, and Shetland (all at 1%) (Table 1).
- 2.2 The biggest groups of clients who received support were older people (55%), other vulnerable groups (15%) and homeless or rough sleepers (14%) (Table 2). Older people are the majority group for 23 local authorities and homeless people for a further five local authorities (Table 4).
- 2.3 Females made up 59% of clients and the people aged 75-84 constituted the largest group (24%) with 53% of clients being 65 or over (Table 5).
- 2.4 The largest providers of support were local authority housing (28%), registered social landlords (27%) and local authority social work departments (25%). Voluntary organisations provided 17% of support (Table 7).
- 2.5 Accommodation linked continuous support was received by 40% of clients and one to four hours floating support, received by 26% (Table 8).
- 2.6 Of all clients, 60% received permanent support and 19% received variable support (Table 9).
- 2.7 Nearly half of all clients received support in mainstream housing (49%), with a further 28% in special housing (Table 10).

3. BACKGROUND

Supporting People is a new integrated policy and funding framework for housing support services introduced from April 2003. The aim is to provide good quality services focused on the needs of users, to enable vulnerable people to live independently in the community, in all types of accommodation and tenure.

Housing support services have grown up over a number of years, often in a fairly ad-hoc way in response to the needs of individuals or of the tenants of a particular landlord. The Supporting People programme aims to put these services on a secure legal footing, with a systematic and strategic process to assess needs and supply of support services in local areas and make provision accordingly.

Previously, housing support services were funded from a number of sources, including Housing Benefit (the Transitional Housing Benefit Scheme), Special Needs Allowance Package (SNAP) and Resettlement Grant. On 1 April 2003, these resources were transferred to local authorities, who are now responsible for the new arrangements. Local authorities and their partners, including health agencies, service providers and service user groups, will assess the overall levels of need in their area and commission appropriate services to meet those needs, funding them on a contract basis. Strategic planning for Supporting People is linked to the Local Housing Strategy and other local plans for community care, health improvement, social inclusion etc. Services will also, for the first time, be subject to quality monitoring, through registration by the Scottish Commission for the Regulation of Care, and contract compliance procedures.

Further information can be found on the Supporting People website:

www.scotland.gov.uk/housing/supportingpeople/new.asp

4. NOTES ON TABLES

4.1 The data presented in these tables refer to the financial year 2003-04 with the exception of Renfrewshire council who were only able to provide snapshot figures at 31st March 2004. This is the first collection of such data and as a result, some local authorities have had difficulty in providing all of the information requested. In some tables, estimates have been made and these have been detailed in the footnotes.

4.2 Some local authorities have been unable to provide age or gender breakdowns. Where this occurs, unknowns have been distributed proportionally amongst the age/gender categories using proportions from Scotland totals for each client group separately.

4.3 A client may be recorded in more than one client group, support hours, duration of support or support provider if their needs change during the course of the year, however the client should only be counted once in the net totals. Some local authorities have been unable to remove this double counting and where this occurs, gross totals have been reduced proportionally to total to the net number of clients.

4.4 The following symbols are used in all tables:

- nil
- * less than half the final digit shown (less than: 0.5%, 50 for figures rounded to the nearest hundred, or 5 for figures rounded to the nearest 10)
- .. not available

**Number of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by local authority
as a percentage of mid-2003 population aged 16+**

Table 1

LA	Clients 2003-04	2003 mid year population aged 16+	As % of population
SCOTLAND	140,207	4,114,160	3%
Aberdeen City	4,117	173,366	2%
Aberdeenshire	3,220	182,610	2%
Angus	6,045	87,504	7%
Argyll & Bute	1,417	74,746	2%
Clackmannanshire	725	38,138	2%
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	120,540	4%
Dundee City	6,966	118,387	6%
East Ayrshire	3,829	96,479	4%
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	85,882	3%
East Lothian	2,496	72,598	3%
East Renfrewshire	1,074	70,876	2%
Edinburgh	13,495	377,105	4%
Eilean Siar	212	21,267	1%
Falkirk	2,216	117,852	2%
Fife (estimate)	5,296	285,071	2%
Glasgow (estimate)	24,828	475,930	5%
Highland	2,462	169,452	1%
Inverclyde	4,785	67,482	7%
Midlothian	1,008	63,450	2%
Moray	1,460	70,397	2%
North Ayrshire	3,121	109,436	3%
North Lanarkshire	9,444	257,219	4%
Orkney	84	15,595	1%
Perth & Kinross	2,383	110,819	2%
Renfrewshire	9,842	138,859	7%
Scottish Borders	1,603	88,047	2%
Shetland	181	17,250	1%
South Ayrshire	1,539	91,972	2%
South Lanarkshire	4,734	244,736	2%
Stirling	1,474	69,852	2%
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	74,593	11%
West Lothian	4,255	126,650	3%

Notes: Fife data are estimates based on number of places available through Supporting People and will be lower than the actual total.

Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%.

Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31st March 2004

Population data at mid-year 2003 for persons age 16 and over.

Number of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by client group

Scotland level

Table 2

Client group	Total	as % of total
All client groups (net total)	140,207	100
Physical disability/ illness	5,630	4
People having mental health problems	5,242	4
People with a learning disability	5,651	4
People who use alcohol	2,211	2
People who use drugs	1,240	1
People with HIV/AIDS	108	*
Older people	76,912	55
Vulnerable due to young age	2,153	2
People at risk of offending / re-offending, people leaving prison	429	*
Women at risk of domestic violence	1,963	1
Refugees	15	*
People who are homeless or sleeping rough	19,092	14
People with sensory impairment	365	*
People with dementia	506	*
People with an acquired brain injury	100	*
People experiencing psychological trauma	50	*
People with poor social skills or disruptive behaviour	1,335	1
Gypsies/ Travellers	140	*
Other vulnerable groups	20,825	15

Note: Some clients may change client group throughout the year. As a result, double counting may occur and the sum of the client groups will not match the net total exactly.

Number of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04

by age, gender and ethnicity: Scotland level

Table 3

	Total	As % of all clients
All clients	140,207	100
16-17	2,217	2
18-21	4,365	3
22-25	4,829	3
26-49	21,551	15
50-59	7,028	5
60-64	7,243	5
65-74	16,878	12
75-84	25,949	19
85+	15,465	11
Not Known	34,682	25
Male	46,065	33
Female	63,938	46
Not Known	30,204	22
White	64,620	46
Mixed	109	*
Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	478	*
Black, Black Scottish or Black British	229	*
Other Ethnic background	3,190	2
Information not provided	71,581	51

Note: Some local authorities were unable to provide a breakdown by age or gender. A breakdown with all clients in the 'not known' category proportioned into age and gender categories is available in table 5.

Percentage of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by client group and local authority area

Table 4

Percentage

	Net Total (base=100%)	Physical disability/illness or sensory impairment	People having mental health problems/dementia	People with a learning disability	People who use alcohol/drugs with HIV	Older people	Vulnerable due to young age	Wo en at risk of domestic violence	People who are homeless or sleeping rough	ople social skills or disruptive behaviour	Other
SCOTLAND	140,207	4	4	4	3	55	2	1	14	1	15
Aberdeen City	4,117	*	3	2	1	81	2	2	6	-	2
Aberdeenshire	3,220	*	*	6	2	85	-	1	6	-	*
Angus	6,045	4	3	1	*	82	1	*	7	-	2
Argyll & Bute	1,417	1	15	8	2	60	3	1	*	5	4
Clackmannanshire	725	31	5	6	1	38	4	2	4	-	9
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	2	3	5	4	53	1	5	16	11	1
Dundee City	6,966	1	2	2	*	65	1	2	17	-	10
East Ayrshire	3,829	3	7	5	4	61	3	2	25	*	2
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	*	1	4	-	95	*	*	-	-	-
East Lothian	2,496	4	3	7	*	46	2	1	37	1	*
East Renfrewshire	1,074	4	5	11	1	60	1	-	15	-	4
Edinburgh	13,495	18	8	3	4	24	2	2	32	2	4
Eilean Siar	212	-	9	2	-	75	7	7	-	-	-
Falkirk	2,216	1	2	7	-	80	8	*	2	-	-
Fife	5,296	2	7	8	1	66	6	1	8	-	1
Glasgow	24,828	1	4	4	6	51	*	1	9	*	25
Highland	2,462	2	7	13	*	56	6	4	11	-	1
Inverclyde	4,785	2	1	2	6	35	1	1	8	-	44
Midlothian	1,008	3	6	13	-	55	*	1	21	-	1
Moray	1,460	*	2	8	-	74	2	3	6	-	5
North Ayrshire	3,121	7	11	5	5	40	*	4	51	6	4
North Lanarkshire	9,444	1	1	2	*	88	1	*	6	-	-
Orkney	84	14	13	17	23	6	6	5	4	5	8
Perth & Kinross	2,383	1	5	5	3	56	1	1	26	*	1
Renfrewshire	9,842	1	2	2	*	23	2	*	2	-	67
Scottish Borders	1,603	3	4	7	3	85	10	2	*	-	112
Shetland	181	1	6	12	1	18	-	3	59	-	-
South Ayrshire	1,539	3	15	9	2	28	-	1	35	-	8
South Lanarkshire	4,734	14	3	5	1	57	-	2	18	*	*
Stirling	1,474	4	4	10	-	32	*	-	50	-	-
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	9	4	2	3	59	1	3	6	*	16
West Lothian	4,255	2	7	2	3	44	1	*	11	2	28

Notes: Client groups may change over the course of the year and so the net total may not match the sum of the client groups.

Other includes: People at risk of offending, people with an acquired brain injury, people experiencing psychological trauma, people with poor social skills and other vulnerable people

Fife data are estimates based on number of places rather than clients and will therefore be lower than the actual figure.

Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%.

Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31st March 2004.

Percentage of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by age, gender and local authority area

Table 5

Percentage

	Net Total (base=100%)	16-17	18-21	22-25	26-49	50-59	60-64	65-74	75-84	85+	Male	Female
SCOTLAND	140,207	2	5	5	21	7	7	15	24	14	41	59
Aberdeen City	4,117	2	2	3	7	2	17	29	24	13	37	63
Aberdeenshire	3,220	2	3	2	6	2	2	27	31	25	36	64
Angus	6,045	2	1	2	8	4	6	18	49	11	40	60
Argyll & Bute	1,417	2	6	4	20	9	6	13	23	18	37	63
Clackmannanshire	725	4	3	3	17	8	3	11	30	21	32	68
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	1	4	4	20	9	6	15	26	14	60	40
Dundee City	6,966	3	3	5	17	5	7	20	29	12	40	60
East Ayrshire	3,829	4	8	8	19	5	3	7	17	30	42	58
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	*	*	*	3	2	1	14	48	32	39	61
East Lothian	2,496	5	7	6	24	6	3	9	19	20	37	63
East Renfrewshire	1,074	2	6	3	19	7	3	12	23	26	36	64
Edinburgh	13,495	5	8	8	32	10	5	13	12	6	47	53
Eilean Siar	212	4	3	2	15	4	4	17	29	22	29	71
Falkirk	2,216	3	3	2	5	2	1	20	56	7	30	70
Fife	5,296	7	2	3	14	5	6	17	29	18	39	61
Glasgow	24,828	*	2	4	24	9	10	18	22	12	48	52
Highland	2,462	1	6	4	22	7	10	12	23	15	39	61
Inverclyde	4,785	2	10	7	31	9	4	11	17	10	40	60
Midlothian	1,008	1	4	4	24	8	4	14	22	17	40	60
Moray	1,460	2	4	3	10	4	12	18	28	20	35	65
North Ayrshire	3,121	3	10	9	33	6	3	8	16	12	41	59
North Lanarkshire	9,444	1	1	1	5	1	13	20	35	23	30	70
Orkney	84	8	12	4	32	17	7	10	6	5	50	50
Perth & Kinross	2,383	2	5	5	23	6	3	13	24	18	47	53
Renfrewshire	9,842	3	12	7	35	11	4	9	12	7	38	62
Scottish Borders	1,603	5	9	6	28	8	4	11	17	11	35	65
Shetland	181	3	12	8	49	7	4	3	9	5	62	38
South Ayrshire	1,539	2	9	6	36	11	4	10	13	10	46	54
South Lanarkshire	4,734	1	4	3	18	5	4	14	33	18	34	66
Stirling	1,474	3	8	9	34	8	5	8	13	12	44	56
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	1	3	3	23	9	7	17	25	11	35	65
West Lothian	4,255	2	7	5	25	7	5	13	22	14	39	61

Notes: Clients where age or gender is unknown have been distributed into age groups/ gender proportionally.

Fife data are estimates based on number of places rather than clients and will therefore be lower than the actual figure.

Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%.

Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31st March 2004.

Dumfries & Galloway, Fife, Inverclyde, Renfrewshire and Scottish Borders have been unable to provide a breakdown of age, gender and ethnicity. Estimates have been made based on Scotland proportions for each client group for age and gender.

Percentage of clients receiving housing support by age and gender, as a percentage of the population aged 16 and over:

local authority area

Table 6

Percentage

LA	Net Total	16-17	18-21	22-25	26-49	50-59	60-64	65-74	75-84	85+	Male	Female
SCOTLAND	3	2	3	3	2	1	4	5	12	23	3	4
Aberdeen City	2	2	1	1	*	*	7	7	9	16	2	3
Aberdeenshire	2	1	1	1	*	*	*	5	9	22	1	2
Angus	7	4	2	2	1	1	6	10	44	29	6	8
Argyll & Bute	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	6	13	1	2
Clackmannanshire	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	9	23	1	2
Dumfries & Galloway	4	1	4	4	2	2	3	5	13	22	5	3
Dundee City	6	5	2	4	3	2	6	10	22	32	5	7
East Ayrshire	4	4	6	6	2	1	2	2	10	58	3	4
East Dunbartonshire	3	*	*	*	*	*	1	4	23	54	3	4
East Lothian	3	5	6	5	2	1	2	3	9	28	3	4
East Renfrewshire	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	5	17	1	2
Edinburgh, City of	4	7	4	3	3	3	4	5	7	10	4	4
Eilean Siar	1	1	1	*	*	*	*	1	3	7	1	1
Falkirk	2	2	1	1	*	*	*	3	16	7	1	2
Fife	2	4	1	1	1	1	2	3	7	15	2	2
Glasgow City	5	*	1	3	3	4	10	9	18	31	5	5
Highland	1	*	2	1	1	1	2	1	5	9	1	2
Inverclyde	7	5	11	8	5	4	5	7	17	32	6	8
Midlothian	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	6	15	1	2
Moray	2	1	2	1	*	*	4	3	8	20	1	3
North Ayrshire	3	3	5	5	2	1	1	2	6	16	3	3
North Lanarkshire	4	2	1	1	*	*	7	7	22	54	2	5
Orkney Islands	1	1	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1
Perth & Kinross	2	2	2	3	1	1	1	2	6	14	2	2
Renfrewshire	7	7	15	9	6	5	4	5	13	26	6	8
Scottish Borders	2	3	4	3	1	1	1	2	4	7	1	2
Shetland Islands	1	1	3	1	1	*	1	*	2	2	1	1
South Ayrshire	2	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	3	6	2	2
South Lanarkshire	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	20	1	2
Stirling	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	4	12	2	2
West Dunbartonshire	11	3	5	6	6	6	13	17	41	62	8	13
West Lothian	3	2	4	3	2	2	2	5	16	35	3	4

Note: Based on 2003 mid-year population.

Percentage of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by support provider and local authority area

Table 7

Local Authority	Total	Percentage							
		Registered Social Landlord	Local authority social work	Local authority housing	Voluntary organisation/ not for profit organisation	Health	Private company	Private individual	Other
SCOTLAND	140,207	27	25	28	17	*	3	1	*
Aberdeen City	4,117	6	74	5	14	-	*	-	*
Aberdeenshire	3,220	26	1	61	9	-	3	-	-
Angus	6,045	10	65	21	3	-	*	*	*
Argyll & Bute	1,417	25	25	8	30	-	12	*	*
Clackmannanshire	725	33	9	25	6	-	27	-	-
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	31	*	na	50	*	18	*	*
Dundee City	6,966	25	4	49	21	-	*	1	-
East Ayrshire	3,829	11	34	49	5	-	1	*	-
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	14	78	5	2	-	-	-	*
East Lothian	2,496	16	28	46	8	-	3	*	-
East Renfrewshire	1,074	47	15	15	18	-	5	-	-
Edinburgh	13,495	10	9	57	24	-	-	-	-
Eilean Siar	212	27	50	-	23	-	-	-	-
Falkirk	2,216	31	60	*	8	1	1	*	-
Fife	5,296	23	27	36	14	-	*	-	-
Glasgow	24,828	75	2	na	18	-	1	3	1
Highland	2,462	32	14	28	19	-	7	*	-
Inverclyde	4,785	7	32	6	55	-	*	-	-
Midlothian	1,008	34	18	15	29	-	3	*	-
Moray	1,460	51	-	44	3	-	-	2	-
North Ayrshire	3,121	14	45	21	15	-	5	-	-
North Lanarkshire	9,444	9	64	19	3	-	4	*	-
Orkney	84	12	-	79	-	-	1	8	-
Perth & Kinross	2,383	23	6	35	31	*	4	*	-
Renfrewshire	9,842	7	18	73	2	-	-	-	-
Scottish Borders	1,603	43	46	na	10	-	*	*	-
Shetland	181	7	29	59	-	-	-	-	5
South Ayrshire	1,539	14	14	*	57	-	15	1	-
South Lanarkshire	4,734	20	25	43	9	-	3	-	-
Stirling	1,474	32	11	46	8	-	2	*	-
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	7	48	21	16	-	7	*	-
West Lothian	4,255	23	20	47	11	-	*	-	-

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Perth & Kinross and Scottish Borders have been unable to provide net totals. The above figures are therefore estimates and have been calculated as a proportion of the gross totals.

Stock transfers took place for Dumfries & Galloway, Glasgow and Scottish Borders from April 2003 and these local authorities therefore do not have local authority stock

Percentage of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by hours of support and local authority area

Table 8

		Percentage							
	Total (base=100%)	Accom linked 1-4 hours per week	Accom linked 5-19 hours per week	Accom linked 20 + hours per week	Accom linked continous support	Floating 1-4 hours per week	Floating 5- 19 hours per week	Floating 20 + hours per week	Floating continous support
Scotland	140,207	5	4	2	40	26	9	2	11
Aberdeen City	4,117	7	2	3	71	14	3	1	-
Aberdeenshire	3,220	*	5	8	85	*	*	1	-
Angus	6,045	-	*	*	32	27	2	*	38
Argyll & Bute	1,417	23	2	3	-	22	38	13	-
Clackmannanshire	725	58	12	6	*	24	-	-	-
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	8	2	7	21	44	4	8	6
Dundee City	6,966	1	6	1	77	13	3	*	-
East Ayrshire	3,829	-	-	-	37	14	27	4	18
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	-	*	5	16	-	*	*	78
East Lothian	2,496	-	*	1	21	63	8	5	*
East Renfrewshire	1,074	-	1	2	54	19	20	4	-
Edinburgh	13,495	4	2	1	31	52	9	1	1
Eilean Siar	212	49	6	2	29	11	3	*	-
Falkirk	2,216	7	2	5	16	35	33	2	-
Fife	5,296	-	-	-	64	-	-	-	36
Glasgow	24,828	6	4	1	63	3	2	1	19
Highland	2,462	3	11	7	46	13	17	4	-
Inverclyde	4,785	13	12	2	-	66	4	1	3
Midlothian	1,008	37	20	7	-	20	10	5	-
Moray	1,460	*	*	3	62	25	8	1	*
North Ayrshire	3,121	-	-	*	31	34	28	5	1
North Lanarkshire	9,444	-	-	-	28	45	24	3	-
Orkney	84	1	10	10	-	55	25	-	-
Perth & Kinross	2,383	-	-	-	79	13	7	1	-
Renfrewshire	9,842	5	4	2	41	25	9	2	12
Scottish Borders	1,603	*	1	*	40	13	5	2	38
Shetland	181	87	-	1	12	-	-	1	-
South Ayrshire	1,539	-	5	-	13	49	26	8	-
South Lanarkshire	4,734	23	35	5	-	15	17	5	-
Stirling	1,474	-	-	-	79	14	4	4	*
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	2	1	1	6	59	14	2	15
West Lothian	4,255	5	4	2	41	25	9	2	12

Notes: Continuous support includes 24hr warden support and community alarms

Dumfries & Galloway have been unable to split accommodation linked support and floating support. Estimates have been calculated using Scotland level proportions.

Fife data are estimates based on number of places rather than clients and will therefore be lower than the actual figure.

Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%. Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31st March 2004.

Perth & Kinross and Scottish Borders have been unable to provide net totals. Gross totals have been proportioned to remove double counts. Figures for Dumfries & Galloway, Renfrewshire and West Lothian are estimates based on Scotland proportions as they have been unable to provide a breakdown of support hours.

Percentage of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by duration of support provided and local authority area

Table 9

LA	Total (base=100%)	Percentage					
		Permanent	Medium stay	Short stay	Up to one month	Variable	Not known/ Unspecified
Scotland	140,207	60	6	11	1	19	2
Aberdeen City	4,117	75	11	14	-	-	-
Aberdeenshire	3,220	91	-	9	-	-	-
Angus	6,045	88	2	10	-	-	-
Argyll & Bute	1,417	31	-	65	-	1	2
Clackmannanshire	725	87	2	10	-	-	-
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	37	60	3	-	-	-
Dundee City	6,966	70	1	2	4	23	-
East Ayrshire	3,829	86	-	-	-	14	-
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	22	-	*	-	78	-
East Lothian	2,496	31	1	1	-	66	1
East Renfrewshire	1,074	57	1	8	11	22	-
Edinburgh	13,495	19	7	11	*	46	16
Eilean Siar	212	94	2	4	-	-	-
Falkirk	2,216	91	3	5	-	1	-
Fife	5,296	62	6	12	1	20	-
Glasgow	24,828	85	4	1	*	5	5
Highland	2,462	66	10	23	*	*	*
Inverclyde	4,785	62	6	12	1	20	-
Midlothian	1,008	78	-	22	-	-	-
Moray	1,460	85	-	12	*	2	-
North Ayrshire	3,121	43	-	37	-	19	-
North Lanarkshire	9,444	28	-	-	-	72	-
Orkney	84	69	26	5	-	-	-
Perth & Kinross	2,383	49	7	31	-	12	2
Renfrewshire	9,842	62	6	12	1	20	-
Scottish Borders	1,603	80	-	3	-	16	-
Shetland	181	36	-	59	-	-	4
South Ayrshire	1,539	13	4	1	-	82	-
South Lanarkshire	4,734	80	-	20	-	-	-
Stirling	1,474	50	-	24	26	-	-
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	71	*	29	-	-	-
West Lothian	4,255	32	14	54	*	-	-

Note: For definitions of duration of support, please see notes and definitions section (Page 15)

Fife data are estimates based on number of places rather than clients and will therefore be lower than the actual figure.

Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%. Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31st March 2004.

Perth & Kinross and Scottish Borders have been unable to provide net totals. The above figures are therefore estimates and have been calculated as a proportion of the gross totals.

Figures for Fife, Inverclyde and Renfrewshire are estimates based on Scotland level proportions.

Percentage of clients receiving housing support during 2003-04 by accommodation type and local authority area

Table 10

	Total (base=100%)	Percentage				
		Homeless	Mainstream housing	Sheltered housing	Special housing	Supported accommodation
Scotland	140,207	14	49	2	28	9
Aberdeen City	4,117	8	8	*	81	2
Aberdeenshire	3,220	4	1	-	85	10
Angus	6,045	7	67	*	23	2
Argyll & Bute	1,417	*	64	*	31	4
Clackmannanshire	725	3	49	16	25	7
Dumfries & Galloway	4,919	13	48	2	28	9
Dundee City	6,966	17	10	-	65	7
East Ayrshire	3,829	25	59	3	21	4
East Dunbartonshire	2,850	*	78	-	17	5
East Lothian	2,496	36	38	1	21	4
East Renfrewshire	1,074	16	24	*	52	8
Edinburgh	13,495	28	44	1	7	20
Eilean Siar	212	5	15	-	76	4
Falkirk	2,216	1	71	-	22	7
Fife	5,296	8	17	17	43	17
Glasgow	24,828	7	62	1	16	14
Highland	2,462	6	27	-	46	21
Inverclyde	4,785	14	48	2	28	9
Midlothian	1,008	22	36	-	37	5
Moray	1,460	3	34	*	54	8
North Ayrshire	3,121	50	54	7	22	*
North Lanarkshire	9,444	6	71	-	21	1
Orkney	84	33	45	-	1	20
Perth & Kinross	2,383	22	19	1	51	8
Renfrewshire	9,842	13	48	2	28	9
Scottish Borders	1,603	13	48	1	28	9
Shetland	181	62	-	-	24	14
South Ayrshire	1,539	34	49	*	12	5
South Lanarkshire	4,734	20	25	-	52	3
Stirling	1,474	33	16	5	29	17
West Dunbartonshire	8,127	8	83	1	8	4
West Lothian	4,255	9	61	*	*	6

Note: Fife data are estimates based on number of places rather than clients and will therefore be lower than the actual figure.

Glasgow data are estimates based on a return of 87% boosted up to 100%

Renfrewshire data are snapshot as at 31st March 2004

Figures for Dumfries & Galloway, Inverclyde, Renfrewshire and Scottish Borders are estimates calculated using Scotland level proportions.

5. NOTES AND DEFINITIONS

5.1 Statistics on clients receiving housing support through supporting people are collected by local authority returns submitted to the Scottish Executive. 2003-04 was the first year of this collection and the same return will be used again to collect the data for clients supported during 2004-05.

5.2 Additional tables may be obtained from Housing Statistics on request. See back cover for contact details. Housing statistics publications, including printable Adobe portable format and Excel versions of tables are available in the published data section of the Housing Statistics reference website:

www.scotland.gov.uk/stats/housing/hsbrief.

5.3 Definitions used in tables

Duration of support:

- Permanent: Services are provided on an indefinite basis as part of the overall objective of the support plan.
- Medium stay: Services are provided for more than two years and there is an expectation that the provision will end in accordance with the objectives of the support plan.
- Short stay: Services are provided for less than two years and there is an expectation that the provision will end in accordance with the objectives of the support plan.
- Up to one month: Services are provided for a limited period of one month in accordance with the objectives of the support plan.
- Variable: The service will vary depending upon the assessed needs of the person and in accordance with the objectives of the support plan.
- Unspecified: The period of support is not known.

Accommodation type:

- Homeless: A person without accommodation which he or she is able to occupy legally or without risk of violence or, if overcrowded, without danger to health.
- Mainstream housing: The accommodation occupied by the person is not specifically provided in response to assessed social or medical care needs. Mainstream Housing includes moveable homes.
- Special housing: Housing with specific physical features to facilitate use by people with disabilities.
- Sheltered Housing: Sheltered Housing is a form of Housing with Support, however it is sufficiently distinguished from other supported accommodation to merit a separate category.
- Supported accommodation: Accommodation with staff support available.

Accommodation linked support:

- Support services specifically linked to identified accommodation.

Floating support:

- Support services provided to an individual irrespective of location, tenure or accommodation type.

For further details, please refer to section 1 on data definitions on the supporting people website:

<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/library5/housing/spogf2-00.asp>

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