

MIDLOTHIAN VOLUNTARY ACTION

SOURCES OF INFORMATION - HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS

Organisation/Service	Contact/Website	Notes
Housing Support Enabling Unit (HSEU)	<a href="http://www.ccpscotland.org/hseu">www.ccpscotland.org/hseu</a>	
Joseph Rowntree Foundation	<a href="http://www.jrf.org.uk">www.jrf.org.uk</a>	publications
Leaving Home Info (Scottish Council for Single Homeless)	<a href="http://www.leavinghome.info">www.leavinghome.info</a>	
Midlothian Council - Housing	<a href="http://www.midlothian.gov.uk//Topic.aspx?TopicId=9">http://www.midlothian.gov.uk//Topic.aspx?TopicId=9</a>  <a href="http://www.midlothian.gov.uk">www.midlothian.gov.uk</a>	Lots of info including: links; contacts; emergency telephone numbers; Tenants Handbook; forms and leaflets
Midlothian Council - Homelessness	<a href="http://www.midlothian.gov.uk//Topic.aspx?TopicId=152">http://www.midlothian.gov.uk//Topic.aspx?TopicId=152</a>  <a href="http://www.midlothian.gov.uk">www.midlothian.gov.uk</a>	Lots of info including:
Midlothian Council - The Point information and advice centre	<a href="http://www.midlothian.gov.uk/Article.aspx?TopicId=0&amp;ArticleId=24705">http://www.midlothian.gov.uk/Article.aspx?TopicId=0&amp;ArticleId=24705</a>  <a href="http://www.midlothian.gov.uk">www.midlothian.gov.uk</a>	information and advice centre in Midlothian that offers support and advice to individuals who are threatened with or experiencing homelessness.
Move On - As part of their current work, Move On are looking to form the Scottish Strand of the UK's Young People's Charter for Change.	<a href="http://www.moveon.org.uk">www.moveon.org.uk</a>	works to prevent homelessness and support people affected by homelessness
Scottish Council for Single Homeless	<a href="http://www.scsh.org.uk">www.scsh.org.uk</a>	Website includes: information; events; services; Youth Team; emergency help
Scottish Government - Homelessness	<a href="http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Built-Environment/Housing/access/homeless">www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Built-Environment/Housing/access/homeless</a>	

Scottish Government - Housing	<a href="http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Built-Environment/Housing">www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Built-Environment/Housing</a>	
Scottish Government - Housing & Regeneration publications/statistics	<a href="http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Housing-Regeneration/Publications">www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Housing-Regeneration/Publications</a>	
Scottish Homelessness & Employability Network (SHEN)	<a href="http://www.shen-scotland.org/index.php">www.shen-scotland.org/index.php</a>	membership organisation which promotes employability as a sustainable route out of homelessness
Scottish Youth Housing Network (SYHN)	<a href="http://www.syhn.org.uk">www.syhn.org.uk</a>	
Shelter	<a href="http://www.shelterscotland.org.uk/">www.shelterscotland.org.uk/</a> helpline: 0808 800 4444	Lots of information, including: housing advice; helpline; info on housing situation in local authorities; professional resources etc

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