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1. What was the longest (number of days) any household which left temporary accommodation in (a) 2015-16, (b) 2016-17 and (c) 2017-18 spent in temporary accommodation. Did this household contain children?

2015/16

2505 days – applicant with a child, average occupancy in year 342 days

2016/17

1590 days – single person no children - average occupancy in year 373

2017/18

2484 days – single person no children- average occupancy in year 439 - Changes in 17/18 reflects policy changes to reduce long term temp accommodation use

2. Of those households which left temporary accommodation in (a) 2015-16, (b) 2016-17 and (c) 2017-18, how many spent more than (a) 12 months, (b) 18 months and (c) 24 months in temporary accommodation.

year	12 months +	18 months +	24 months +
2015-16	32	15	24
2016-17	42	25	35
2017-18	56	19	60

Changes in 17/18 reflects policy changes to reduce long term temp accommodation use

3. What is the longest (number of days) any household currently in temporary accommodation has spent there. Does this household contain children?

2170 days – single person no children

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4. Of those households currently in temporary accommodation, how many have spent more than (a) 12 months, (b) 18 months and (c) 24 months in temporary accommodation.

Current	
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Occupancy	
12 months +	28
18 months +	19
24months plus	35

Where a household moved between different temporary accommodation placements, please count this as a continuous stay in i.e. where households have lived in more than one placement please count this as total time spent across all accommodation.