For the purpose of this infographic, 'Youth Homelessness' is defined as young people aged 15-24 who presented to a SHS agency alone in their first support period in the financial year 2018-19.

- **YOUTH HOMELESSNESS FIGURES...**
  - 18,837: 25.6% of homelessness in NSW
  - 58,880: 20.3% of homelessness in Australia

- **COMMON SHS SERVICES PROVIDED...**
  - 20%: Assistance to sustain a tenancy
  - 23%: Short-term emergency accommodation
  - 23%: Financial Assistance / Brokerage
  - 24%: Living Skills / Personal Development

- **MAIN REASON FOR SEEKING ASSISTANCE...**
  - 19%: Housing Crisis
  - 16%: Family and Domestic Violence
  - 12%: Inadequate or inappropriate dwelling conditions
  - 12%: Relationship / family breakdown