

Depaul UK: A safe place to call home for young people

Supporting young people like Naomi:



136,000 young people were homeless or at risk of homelessness in the UK last year

Our mission is to end homelessness and change the lives of those affected by it

1 in 52 young people at risk of homelessness in the UK



Almost 50% increase in youth homelessness in 5 years

Every young person we work with receives tailored wrap-around support

**A map of Depaul UK's Nightstop network providing emergency accommodation across the country*

A Safe Place to Call Home

Imagine you are a 19-year-old who lives at home. You've had a fight with your mum and left in the middle of the row. This has happened a few times and you've run out of options for where to go or who to ask for help. Depaul UK are where you can turn.

Finding a safe place to stay

Most importantly we will find a safe place to stay that night. Our Nightstop network is a unique model of same night emergency accommodation across the UK in volunteer hosts' homes.



Reconnecting with family

Whilst staying in a safe place, our family mediation support service help to strengthen the family relationships. The aim is for the young person to be able to continue to live at home, although we know that this is not always possible. That is where our Housing Advice team come in...



Finding a long-term safe place to call home

Our Housing Advice team will work with young people to provide them with bespoke support to help them to find a safe place to live— often through private rental schemes or supported accommodation.

The Skipton Building Society partnership will help to **expand the reach** of our Safe Place to Call Home Programme

Together, the partnership will:

- Grow the national Nightstop network to help **support more young people** in need of a safe place to stay.
- **Work with more families** to strengthen their relationships and help improve communication.
- **Fund the entirety** of our Housing Advice service. Including **growing the service to support our networks in the north** for the first time.





With your help, over 3,000 young people can access the support they need to stay off the streets for good.