



BACKUP
NORTH WEST

Charity Number 1064698

“ *Nothing is too much trouble* ”

Supported temporary accommodation for young people, aged 16-25, who are homeless



Offers a range of support linked to independence, mental health, exploitation, employment and education and more



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Housing is just the tip of the iceberg

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Helping young people to *get back up and stay back up*

Services available	How many?	What?	Where?	What support?
Outreach Team	38	Self contained flats with visiting support service	All across Bolton	Low level for those living semi independently Own keys No curfew Manage own visitors Up to 12 months
Project Front Door	12	Self contained flats and 2 shared studios Inc 2 emergency bedspaces for up to 5 days 24 hour staffing on site (2 bedspaces for overnight emergencies only)	Farnworth	High needs Curfew Concierge access Up to 6 months Visitors by arrangement
Loft House	10	Self contained flats 24 hour staffing on site (2 bedspaces for overnight emergencies only)	Halliwell	High needs Curfew Concierge access Up to 6 months Visitors by arrangement
Supported Lodgings	4	Live in lodger with another family	Across Bolton	Medium needs Up to 12 months Curfew May have own key
Redds Place	12	Shared bedsits 2 people share 1 bathroom and kitchen 24 hour staffing on site	Halliwell	Short stay emergency placements Very high needs Curfew Concierge access – no keys No visitors Up to 28 days
Lucas Project	28	Self contained flats Inc 4 emergency bedspaces (shared) 24 hour staffing on site (2 bedspaces for overnight emergencies only)	Farnworth	Semi independent Manage own keys and visitors Daily support and security available
Chances team	Supports 300 young people a year	Specialist Support staff 2 x Mental Health Workers 2 x Employment Support Workers 1 x Care Leaver Specialist 1 x Sexual Exploitation/ Domestic Abuse Specialist	Work across any BACKUP projects PLUS young people from outside the services.	Additional support for all BACKUP placements to assist in placements being sustained and successful



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How to refer?

Eligibility criteria:

We accommodate young people aged 16-25 who are homeless; mostly single persons but can consider couples. Also young parents; pregnant or with a baby up to 18 months of age.

If you are under 18, aged 16 or 17

then you must contact the **Leaving Care Team at Castle Hill, Castleton Street, Bolton** as your starting point. They process all homeless applications for under 18s in the Bolton borough. Please telephone **01204 337376**.









If you are over 18, aged 18–24

then you must contact the **Housing Options Team** as your starting point. They are based in the **One Stop Shop on the ground floor of Bolton Town Hall**. Please telephone **01204 335900**.

If you **struggling to get through** or need some further advice please call us **01204 520183**.

Referral form is on the BACKUP NW website www.backup-charity.org.uk

Ways to help BACKUP

-  Come to and support our fundraising events
-  Become a Guardian
-  Subscribe to our YouTube channel
-  Organise your own fundraiser for BACKUP (sponsored event, coffee morning etc)
-  Support our campaigns for food, bedding and items for young people over the year
-  Leave a gift in your will; legacy giving
-  Sponsorship opportunities
-  Buy our merchandise
-  Buy from or book The Van

Follow us and share our social media posts:



To book the Van
please telephone
01204 520183



THE VAN

<p>Social Enterprise</p>	<p>Mobile Coffee & Cake Service</p>
<p>Coffee that Counts!</p>	<p>Profits Support The Charity</p>
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Project Front Door

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Loft House

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Outreach and Chances team

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