

Discretionary Housing Payments for 2021/22 as at 28 February 2022

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2021/22	
Contribution from the DWP 2021/22	£846,831
Additional funding	£0.00
Total Funding available for 2021/22	£846,831

Applications Received in 2021/22	
Number Successful Applications	2030
Number of Rejections	312
Number of Applications Received	2342

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2021/22 – Housing Benefit customers		
Reason for Application	Number	Committed Spend
Benefit Cap	60	£37,777.64
Removal of Spare Room Subsidy	319	£121,856.07
Local Housing Allowance	43	£15,220.78
Affected by multiple welfare reforms	7	£2,684.20
Other including hardship	58	£12,669.16
Total	487	£190,207.85

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2020/21 – Universal Credit customers		
Reason for Application	Number	Committed Spend
Benefit Cap	51	£37,216.73
Removal of Spare Room Subsidy	1241	£406,806.20
Local Housing Allowance	157	£84,342.69
Affected by multiple welfare reforms	1	£18.87
Other including hardship	93	£40,247.61
Total	1543	£568,632.10

Total awarded so far for 2021/22	£758,840
Remaining DHP fund available for 2021/22	£87,991