HOUSING RESOURCES FOR MIT VISITING STUDENTS

From MIT's International Students Office website – a general guide to many topics:

https://iso.mit.edu/getting-started/visiting-students-faq/#Housing (General guidance for MIT Visiting Students)

FROM other MIT websites:

https://studentlife.mit.edu/housing/offcampus-housing (Specifically for off-campus housing searching)

<u>https://www.mitoffcampus.com/</u> (Off-campus listings – only accessible after you obtain MIT ID number)

Cambridge and **Boston** would be the most suitable cities for MIT students to live in. **Somerville** is also relatively close and accessible by bike, bus, or subway. The rents in these cities are expensive, especially along the subway Red Line (which directly leads to MIT campus), but there are also possibilities of find reasonably-priced housing.

Short-Term Furnished Rentals:

BLUEGROUND Boston \$\$\$

https://www.theblueground.com/furnished-apartments-boston-usa

Churchill Living (rent by night, \$\$\$) https://www.furnishedhousing.com/

Apartmentguide \$\$\$

https://www.apartmentguide.com/apartments/Massachusetts/Boston/short-term-4id/

Airbnb (price varies, flexible by month or night)

https://www.airbnb.com/a/stays/Boston--Massachusetts--United-States

ApartmentFinder \$\$\$

https://www.apartmentfinder.com/Short-Term-Housing/Massachusetts/Boston

Sublet.com \$-\$\$(Can find reasonable rental price)

https://www.sublet.com/apartments-for-rent/boston-area

Of course, a lot of useful information can be found from Facebook Forums.

Facebook:

Harvard MIT Housing

https://www.facebook.com/groups/HarvardMITHousing

Cambridge Harvard MIT Housing, Rooms, Apartments, Sublets, Roommates https://www.facebook.com/groups/503703259808599/

Boston Cambridge & Somerville Apartment Rentals& Housing https://www.facebook.com/groups/1787987864812621/

Cambridge, MA Rentals, Apartments, Housing, Rooms, Sublets, Roommates https://www.facebook.com/groups/3702059699809086/

Other Resources:

Craigslist

https://boston.craigslist.org/search/apa

Malden is also a good location for students in Boston area. It has direct access to the subway (MBTA Orange Line) and large number of apartments and houses.

https://bostonpads.com/malden-ma-apartments

There are also many new fancy apartments offering short term leasing near Wellington Station (MBTA Orange Line), even though the prices are expensive, they may be a good option for safety and convenience.

https://www.apartments.com/transit/ma/medford/wellington-station/n0q916q