Dane County CoC Homelessness by the Numbers

City County Homeless Issues Committee
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Various Definitions of Homelessness

HUD Definitions of Homelessness

- **Category 1 Literally Homeless :** staying unsheltered or at emergency shelter or transitional housing - tracked in PIT, HUD annual number; eligible for Permanent Supportive Housing and Rapid Rehousing programs
- **Category 2 Imminent Risk of Homelessness**: losing primary residence within 14 days
- **Category 3 Homeless Under Other Federal Statutes:** Unaccompanied youth under 25 years of age, or families with Category 3 children and youth, who do not otherwise qualify as homeless under this definition, but who:
- **Category 4 Fleeing/Attempting to Flee Domestic Violence**
- **At Risk of Homelessness**

Doubled Up Homelessness

Doubled-Up is the catchall term that includes households who have lost stable housing and are either self-paying in a hotel/motel or temporarily living in housing that is owned, or rented by another person.

- Present with barriers to securing their own housing such as evictions, income instability, insufficient credit, inadequate rental history, and poor connection to resources to assist with housing navigation among other barriers.

Doubled Up Estimates

No designated system that tracks local, comprehensive Doubled-Up Homelessness

- School Districts
  - Not comprehensive
  - Lacks demographic data

- U.S. Census
  - Data assumptions based on limited population sample

- Homeless Management Information System
 - System not currently structured to track all Doubled-Up households

Doubled-Up Data Caveats

- Systems acknowledgement: BIPOC populations are underrepresented in data collection for various reasons

- Variations in age considerations, race categories, and gender identity

- Census data is not necessarily representative of local estimates

Point in Time Count of Homelessness
People Shelter, Transitional Housing & Unsheltered
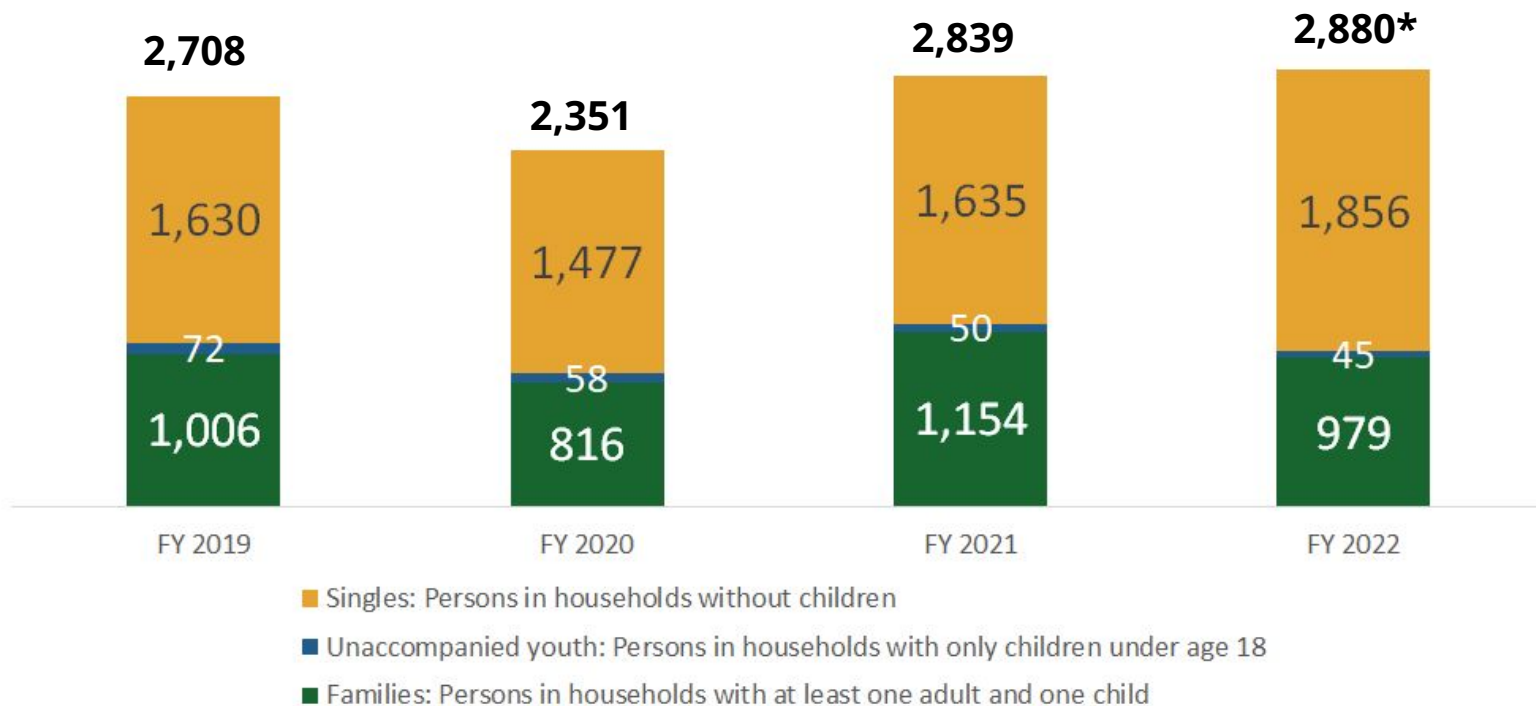## On third Wednesday of January
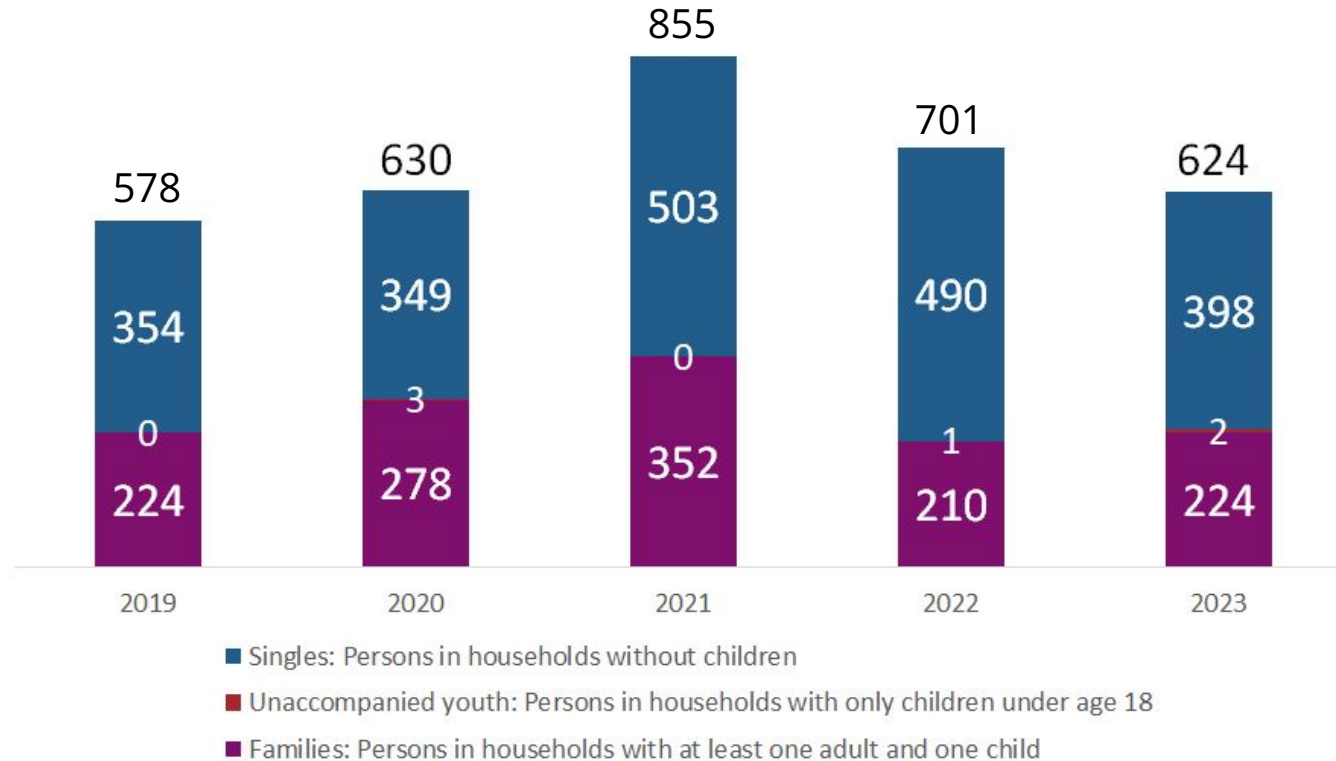
HUD Annual Numbers of Homelessness
People in Emergency Shelter and Transitional Housing
FY 2022 (10/1/21-9/30/22)

Annual Number of People in Shelter & TH

FY 2019 — 2,708
- 1,630
- 72
- 1,006

FY 2020 — 2,351
- 1,477
- 58
- 816

FY 2021 — 2,839
- 1,635
- 50
- 1,154

FY 2022 — 2,880*
- 1,856
- 45
- 979

■ Singles: Persons in households without children

■ Unaccompanied youth: Persons in households with only children under age 18

■ Families: Persons in households with at least one adult and one child

All Households in Shelter & TH

2,171
Households (HH)

2,269
Heads of Household (HoH) and Adults

2,864
People

Gender of HoH and Adults: 2,269 People

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- Female 33% | 739
- Male 65% | 1,480
- No Single Gender 1% | 23
- Questioning Gender <1% | 1
- Transgender 1% | 17
- Unknown <1% | 9

Age of All Persons in Household: 2,864 People

- Young children (0-5) 11% | 321
- School-aged children (6-17) 11% | 318
- Young adults (18-24) 8% | 220
- Adults (25-54) 52% | 1,502
- Adults (55-64) 12% | 346
- Older adults (65+) 5% | 148
- Unknown <1% | 9

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults: 2,269 People

- American Indian, Alaska Native or Indigenous 1% | 26
- Asian or Asian American 1% | 19
- Black or African American or African 43% | 985
- Multiple races 4% | 97
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander <1% | 8
- White, Hispanic/Latin(a)(o)(x) 5% | 112
- White, Non-Hispanic/Non-Latin(a)(o)(x) 42% | 948
- Unknown 3% | 69
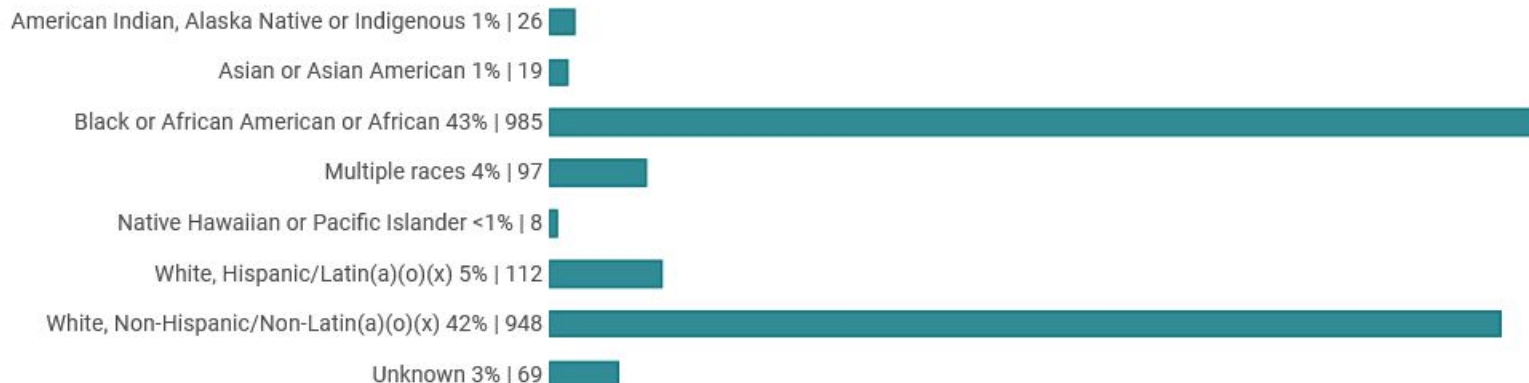
Households without Children (Singles) in Shelters & TH

Adult Only (AO)

Served in shelters & transitional housing

👥 **1,835**
Households (HH)

👥 **1,856**
Heads of Household (HoH) and Adults

👤 **1,856**
People

65% of total people served

Gender of HoH and Adults: 1,856 People

Female 24% | 444

Male 74% | 1,375

No Single Gender 1% | 21

Questioning Gender <1% | 1

Transgender 1% | 10

Unknown <1% | 5

Age of All Persons in Household: 1,856 People

- Young children (0-5) 0% | 0
- School-aged children (6-17) 0% | 0
- Young adults (18-24) 8% | 144
- Adults (25-54) 66% | 1,225
- Adults (55-64) 18% | 340
- Older adults (65+) 8% | 147
- Unknown 0% | 0

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults: 1,856 People

- American Indian, Alaska Native or Indigenous 1% | 21
- Asian or Asian American 1% | 18
- Black or African American or African 40% | 734
- Multiple races 4% | 75
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander <1% | 6
- White, Hispanic/Latin(a)(o)(x) 4% | 76
- White, Non-Hispanic/Non-Latin(a)(o)(x) 47% | 867
- Unknown 3% | 58

Households with Children (Families) in Shelters & TH

Adult & Child (AC) ▾   Served in shelters & transitional housing ▾

285	**384**	**979**
Households (HH)	Heads of Household (HoH) and Adults	People

34% of total people served

Gender of HoH and Adults: 384 People

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Female 73% | 280 ████████████████████████████
Male 26% | 100 ██████████████
No Single Gender 0% | 0 |
Questioning Gender 0% | 0 |
Transgender 1% | 3 ▌
Unknown <1% | 1 ▌

Age of All Persons in Household: 979 People

Age Group	Percent	Count
Young children (0-5)	33%	321
School-aged children (6-17)	28%	275
Young adults (18-24)	8%	81
Adults (25-54)	30%	291
Adults (55-64)	1%	7
Older adults (65+)	<1%	1
Unknown	<1%	3

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults: 384 People

Race and Ethnicity	Percent	Count
American Indian, Alaska Native or Indigenous	1%	4
Asian or Asian American	<1%	1
Black or African American or African	64%	246
Multiple races	5%	18
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1%	2
White, Hispanic/Latin(a)(o)(x)	8%	30
White, Non-Hispanic/Non-Latin(a)(o)(x)	20%	76
Unknown	2%	7

Households with Only Children (Unaccompanied Youth) in Shelters & TH

Child Only (CO) ⌄

Served in shelters & transitional housing ⌄

45 Households (HH)

45 Heads of Household (HoH) and Adults

45 People

Gender of HoH and Adults: 45 People

Female 49% | 22

Male 38% | 17

No Single Gender 4% | 2

Questioning Gender 0% | 0

Transgender 9% | 4

Unknown 0% | 0

Age of All Persons in Household: 45 People

- Young children (0-5) 0% | 0
- School-aged children (6-17) 100% | 45
- Young adults (18-24) 0% | 0
- Adults (25-54) 0% | 0
- Adults (55-64) 0% | 0
- Older adults (65+) 0% | 0
- Unknown 0% | 0

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults: 45 People

- American Indian, Alaska Native or Indigenous 2% | 1
- Asian or Asian American 0% | 0
- Black or African American or African 40% | 18
- Multiple races 11% | 5
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander 0% | 0
- White, Hispanic/Latin(a)(o)(x) 16% | 7
- White, Non-Hispanic/Non-Latin(a)(o)(x) 22% | 10
- Unknown 0% | 0

Summary

Sheltered Homeless and Housing Unstable by System
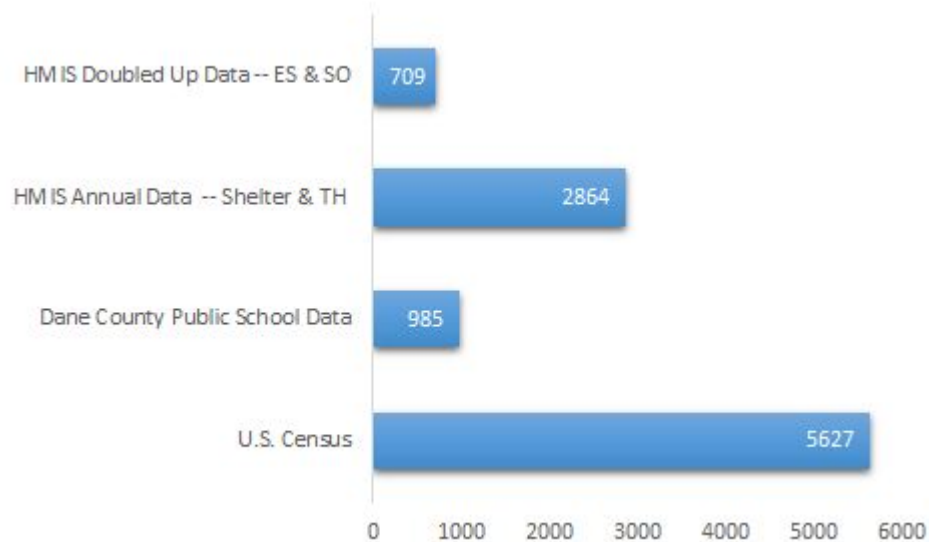
Demographic Breakdown

Race

U.S. Census

0%
1%
0%
15%
11%
73%
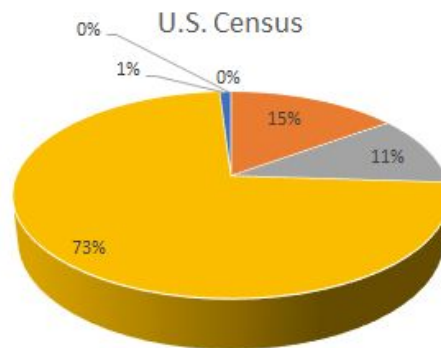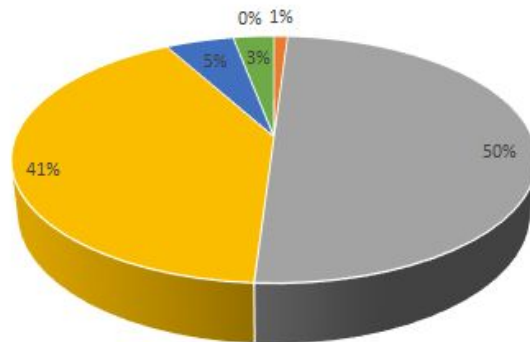
Asian or Asian American & Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

Black, African American, or African

White

Multiple Races

Unknown

HMIS Doubled Up Data -- ES & SO

0% 1%
5% 3%
50%
41%

HMIS Annual Data -- Shelter & TH

1% 1%
4% 3%
43%
48%
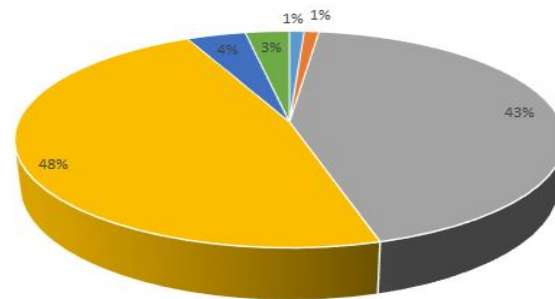
Ethnicity

U.S. Census

0%
6%
94%

HMIS Annual Data -- ES & TH

3%   5%
92%

HMIS Doubled Up Data -- ES & SO

4%   9%
87%

- Hispanic
- Non-Hispanic
- Unknown

Gender

	Male	Female	Transgender	Gender non-confirming	Unknown
U.S. Census Doubled Up Estimate	2,752	1,875			
HMIS Annual Data – Shelter & TH	1,480	739	17	24	9
HMIS Doubled Up Data - Shelter & Outreach	475	219	6	8	1
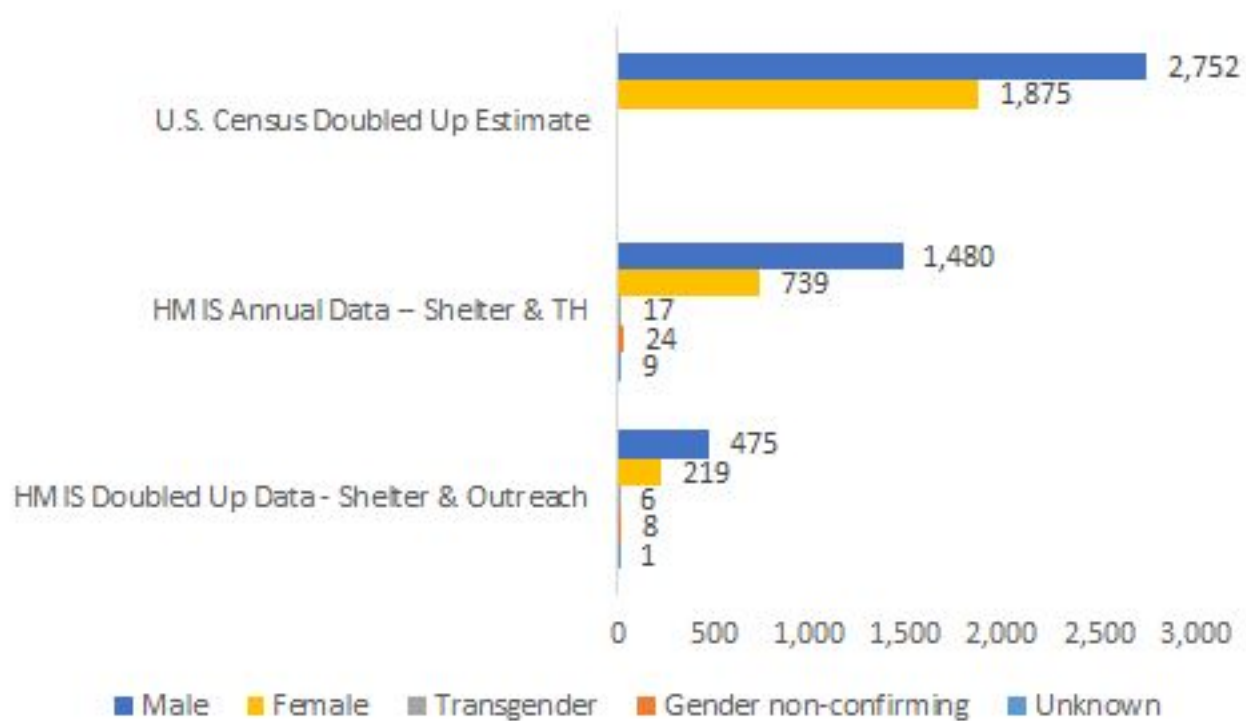
Gender

U.S. Census

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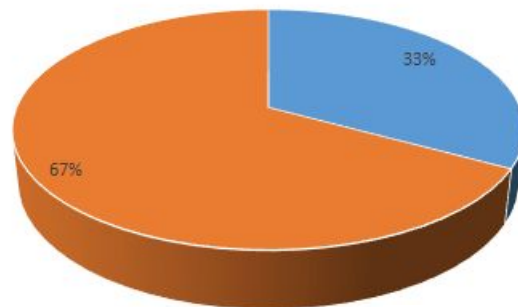
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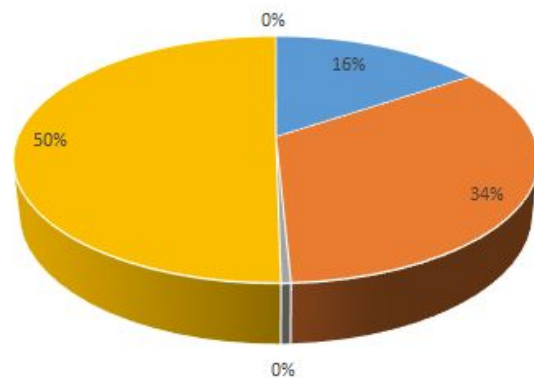
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- Transgender
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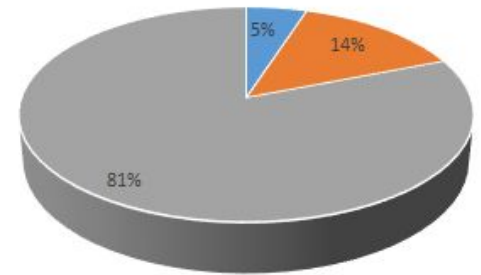 female or male /Questi
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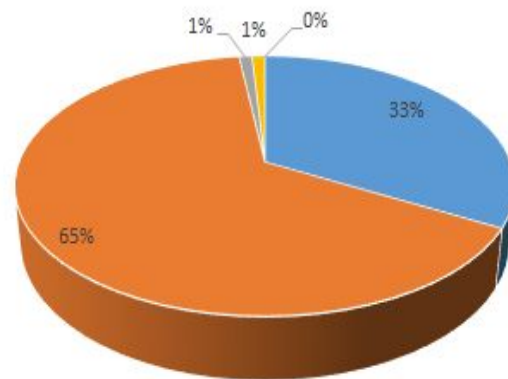
Age

U.S. Census
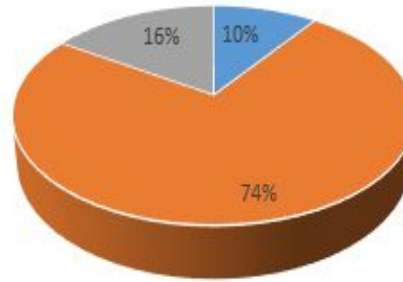
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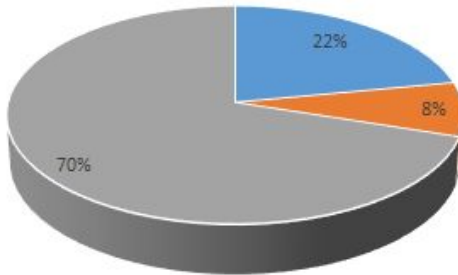
HMIS Doubled Up Data - ES & SO

Legend:
- Children (0-17)
- Young Adults (18-24)
- Older Adults (24+)

U.S. Census values: 10%, 74%, 16%

HMIS Annual Data - ES & TH values: 22%, 8%, 70%

HMIS Doubled Up Data - ES & SO values: 5%, 14%, 81%

System Performance Measures
FY 2022 (10/1/21-9/30/22)

System Performance Overview

105 🛏
Days Homeless

Average cumulative days homeless

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27% ➦
Exits

Exits to permanent destinations

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22% ⬅
Returns

Returns after exits to permanent destinations

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Length of Homelessness

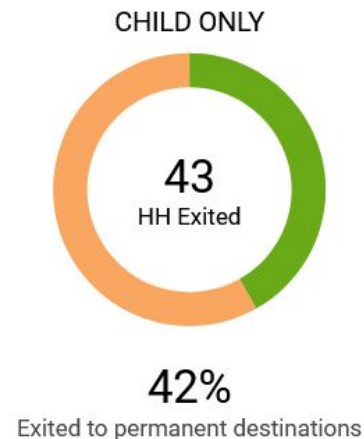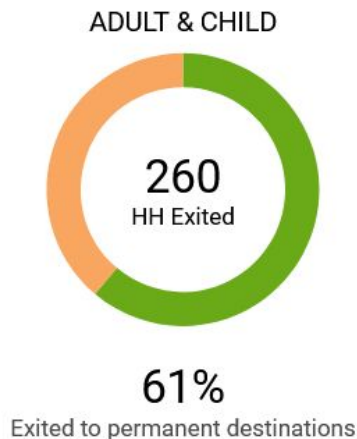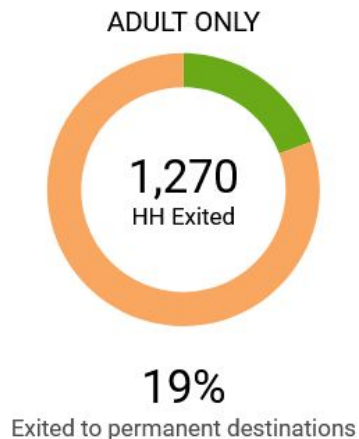## Households with Days Homeless and Days Homeless by Household Type

Households that had at least one day in ES, SH, TH, or RRH; or at least one day in PSH prior to move-in and the average cumulative, unduplicated number of days that households were served in ES, SH, or TH projects; and days in RRH or PSH prior to move-in.

2,479 HH

Adult Only	104 DAYS
Adult & Child	123 DAYS
Child Only	16 DAYS
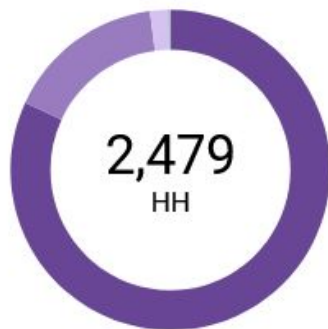
Exit to Permanent Housing

Exits by Household Type

Percent of households that exited to permanent destinations.

ADULT ONLY

1,270
HH Exited

19%
Exited to permanent destinations

ADULT & CHILD

260
HH Exited

61%
Exited to permanent destinations

CHILD ONLY

43
HH Exited

42%
Exited to permanent destinations

■ Permanent Destinations   ■ Temporary + Unknown Destinations

Return to Homelessness

Returns by Household Type

Percent of households that returned to the homeless system within six months of exiting to permanent destinations. The universe for the chart is households that exited within the first six months of the report period.

ADULT ONLY	ADULT & CHILD	CHILD ONLY
174 HH Exited	**65** HH Exited	**15** HH Exited
24% Returned after Exits to Permanent Destinations 41 of 174 HH	**18%** Returned after Exits to Permanent Destinations 12 of 65 HH	**13%** Returned after Exits to Permanent Destinations 2 of 15 HH

■ Permanent Destinations   ■ Returns