



HUD's 2006 Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Programs Homeless Populations and Subpopulations

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CoC Number: IA-502

CoC Name: Des Moines/Polk County CoC

Point-in Time Date: 1/25/2006

Summary by household type reported:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing		
Individual Households*	212	432	930	1,574
Family Households with Children	25	150	197	372
Total Households	237	582	1,127	1,946

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing		
Persons in Individual Households*	212	432	930	1,574
Persons in Family Households with Children	76	489	600	1,165
Total Homeless Persons in Households	288	921	1,530	2,739

Summary of homeless persons by subpopulations reported:

	Sheltered	Unsheltered**	Total
Chronically Homeless	150	191	341
Severely Mentally Ill	268	0	268
Chronic Substance Abuse	382	0	382
Veterans	117	0	117
Persons with HIV or AIDS	26	0	26
Victims of Domestic Violence	297	0	297
Unaccompanied Youth less than 18 yrs.	41	0	41

*HUD assumes one person per individual household.

**Provision of information on unsheltered homeless subpopulations was optional in the 2006 CoC application.