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MA-504 Springfield/Hampden County CoC

Point-in Time Date: 1/31/2024

Summary by household type reported:

	Sheltered			
	Emergency Shelter	**Transitional Housing***	**Unsheltered**	**Total**
Households without children[1]	318	34	176	528
Households with at least one adult and one child[2]	657	37	0	694
Households with only children[3]	0	0	1	1
Total Homeless Households	**975**	**71**	**177**	**1,223**

Summary of persons in each household type:

Persons in households without children[1]	**335**	**37**	**176**	**548**
Persons Age 18 to 24	33	9	9	51
Persons Age 25 to 34	56	4	33	93
Persons Age 35 to 44	85	8	57	150
Persons Age 45 to 54	75	9	41	125
Persons Age 55 to 64	52	6	32	90
Persons Over Age 64	34	1	4	39
Persons in households with at least one adult and one child[2]	**2,371**	**98**	**0**	**2,469**
Children Under Age 18	1,363	59	0	1,422
Persons Age 18 to 24	139	15	0	154
Persons Age 25 to 34	429	13	0	442
Persons Age 35 to 44	347	11	0	358
Persons Age 45 to 54	81	0	0	81
Persons Age 55 to 64	9	0	0	9
Persons Over Age 64	3	0	0	3
Persons in households with only children[3]	**0**	**0**	**1**	**1**
Total Homeless Persons	**2,706**	**135**	**177**	**3,018**

* Safe Haven programs are included in the Transitional Housing category.

[1]This category includes single adults, adult couples with no children, and groups of adults.
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Demographic summary by ethnicity and race:

	Sheltered			
	Emergency Shelter	**Transitional Housing***	**Unsheltered**	**Total**
American Indian, Alaska Native, or Indigenous	4	0	0	4
Asian or Asian American	8	0	0	8
Black, African American, or African	1,028	23	19	1,070
Hispanic/Latina/e/o Only	335	36	89	460
Middle Eastern or North African	8	1	0	9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3	0	0	3
White	429	26	68	523
Hispanic and One or More Race	872	47	1	920
Non-Hispanic and Multiple Race	19	2	0	21
Total	**2,706**	**135**	**177**	**3,018**

Demographic summary by gender:

Culturally Specific Identity (e.g., Two-Spirit)	0	0	0	0
Man (Boy if child)	1,251	43	120	1,414
Non-Binary	1	0	2	3
Questioning	0	0	1	1
Transgender	2	0	0	2
Woman (Girl if child)	1,452	91	54	1,597
Different Identity	0	0	0	0
More Than One Gender	0	1	0	1
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Summary of chronically homeless households by household type reported:

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Chronically Homeless households with at least one adult and one child[2]	42	0	0	42

Summary of chronically homeless persons in each household type:

Chronically Homeless persons in households without children[1]	98	4	109	211
Chronically Homeless persons in households with at least one adult and one child[2]	170	0	0	170
Chronically Homeless persons in households with only children[3]	0	0	1	1
Total Chronically Homeless Persons	**268**	**4**	**110**	**382**

Summary of all other populations reported:

Severely Mentally Ill	251	16	94	361
Chronic Substance Abuse	88	8	82	178
Veterans	15	7	7	29
HIV/AIDS	6	0	4	10
Victims of Domestic Violence	172	29	16	217
Unaccompanied Youth	16	7	10	33
Unaccompanied Youth Under 18	0	0	1	1
Unaccompanied Youth 18-24	16	7	9	32
Parenting Youth	47	14	0	61
Parenting Youth Under 18	0	0	0	0
Parenting Youth 18-24	47	14	0	61
Children of Parenting Youth Under 18	0	0	0	0
Children of Parenting Youth 18-24	68	22	0	90

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