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State Name: California

Summary by household type reported:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter*	Transitional Housing		
Households without children ¹	39,130	5,612	103,849	148,591
Households with at least one adult and one child ²	5,272	1,301	1,748	8,321
Households with only children ³	97	34	186	317
Total Homeless Households	44,499	6,947	105,783	157,229

Summary of persons in each household type:

Persons in households without children¹	39,858	5,777	109,789	155,424
Persons Age 18 to 24	2,179	1,427	4,660	8,266
Persons Age 25 to 34	6,535	951	19,746	27,232
Persons Age 35 to 44	8,696	1,040	30,788	40,524
Persons Age 45 to 54	8,594	895	26,340	35,829
Persons Age 55 to 64	9,141	944	19,902	29,987
Persons Over Age 64	4,713	520	8,353	13,586
Persons in households with at least one adult and one child²	16,633	3,921	5,588	26,142
Children Under Age 18	9,775	2,368	2,937	15,080
Persons Age 18 to 24	923	283	261	1,467
Persons Age 25 to 34	2,712	561	780	4,053
Persons Age 35 to 44	2,180	517	939	3,636
Persons Age 45 to 54	798	143	427	1,368
Persons Age 55 to 64	184	41	171	396
Persons Over Age 64	61	8	73	142
Persons in households with only children³	121	41	206	368
Total Homeless Persons	56,612	9,739	115,583	181,934

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Demographic summary by ethnicity and race:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter*	Transitional Housing		
American Indian, Alaska Native, or Indigenous	682	150	3,142	3,974
Asian or Asian American	1,129	219	2,696	4,044
Black, African American, or African	15,115	2,583	21,555	39,253
Hispanic/Latina/e/o Only	11,933	2,095	38,172	52,200
Middle Eastern or North African	360	85	496	941
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	630	105	965	1,700
White	14,859	2,604	38,121	55,584
Hispanic and One or More Race	10,279	1,464	5,754	17,497
Non-Hispanic and Multiple Race	1,625	434	4,682	6,741
Total	56,612	9,739	115,583	181,934

Summary of chronically homeless households by household type reported:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter*	Transitional Housing		
Chronically Homeless households with at least one adult and one child ²	903	0	421	1,324

Summary of chronically homeless persons in each household type:

Chronically Homeless persons in households without children ¹	18,584	156	45,926	64,666
Chronically Homeless persons in households with at least one adult and one child ²	2,872	0	1,384	4,256
Chronically Homeless persons in households with only children ³	9	0	18	27
Total Chronically Homeless Persons	21,465	0	47,328	68,949

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Summary of all other populations reported:

Severely Mentally Ill	14,115	1,772	27,998	43,885
Chronic Substance Abuse	8,419	1,545	29,419	39,383
Veterans	1,448	1,050	6,188	8,686
HIV/AIDS	910	184	1,927	3,021
Victims of Domestic Violence	4,282	824	10,053	15,159
Unaccompanied Youth	2,079	1,424	4,583	8,086
Unaccompanied Youth Under 18	126	39	193	358
Unaccompanied Youth 18-24	1,953	1,385	4,390	7,728
Parenting Youth	419	206	118	743
Parenting Youth Under 18	1	2	8	11
Parenting Youth 18-24	418	204	110	732
Children of Parenting Youth Under 18	1	2	6	9
Children of Parenting Youth 18-24	507	244	180	931

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