



HUD 2020 Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Programs Homeless Populations and Subpopulations

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State Name: Pennsylvania

Summary by household type reported:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing*		
Households without children ¹	4,945	1,659	1,677	8,281
Households with at least one adult and one child ²	1,011	514	25	1,550
Households with only children ³	33	1	19	53
Total Homeless Households	5,989	2,174	1,721	9,884

Summary of persons in each household type:

Persons in households without children¹	5,020	1,762	1,741	8,523
Persons Age 18 to 24	367	150	154	671
Persons Over Age 24	4,653	1,612	1,587	7,852
Persons in households with at least one adult and one child²	3,187	1,510	93	4,790
Children Under Age 18	2,001	934	51	2,986
Persons Age 18 to 24	177	147	5	329
Persons Over Age 24	1,009	429	37	1,475
Persons in households with only children³	37	2	23	62
Total Homeless Persons	8,244	3,274	1,857	13,375

Demographic summary by ethnicity:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing*		
Hispanic / Latino	1,078	391	274	1,743
Non-Hispanic / Non- Latino	7,166	2,883	1,583	11,632
Total	8,244	3,274	1,857	13,375

Demographic summary by gender:

Female	3,459	1,413	516	5,388
Male	4,745	1,847	1,318	7,910
Transgender	34	12	14	60
Gender Non-Conforming (i.e. not exclusively male or female)	6	2	9	17
Total	8,244	3,274	1,857	13,375

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

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Demographic summary by race:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing*		
Black or African-American	4,443	1,579	771	6,793
White	3,345	1,530	979	5,854
Asian	36	16	13	65
American Indian or Alaska Native	34	13	15	62
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	38	9	9	56
Multiple Races	348	127	70	545
Total	8,244	3,274	1,857	13,375

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	32	0	1	33

Summary of chronically homeless persons in each household type:

Chronically Homeless persons in households without children ¹	1,006	216	461	1,683
Chronically Homeless persons in households with at least one adult and one child ²	81	0	2	83
Chronically Homeless persons in households with only children ³	3	0	3	6
Total Chronically Homeless Persons	1,090	216	466	1,772

Summary of all other populations reported:

Severely Mentally Ill	1,793	709	710	3,212
Chronic Substance Abuse	1,206	576	611	2,393
Veterans	329	591	57	977
HIV/AIDS	112	37	48	197
Victims of Domestic Violence	626	261	145	1,032
Unaccompanied Youth	395	149	172	716
Unaccompanied Youth Under 18	37	0	23	60
Unaccompanied Youth 18-24	358	149	149	656
Parenting Youth	137	62	4	203
Parenting Youth Under 18	1	1	0	2
Parenting Youth 18-24	136	61	4	201
Children of Parenting Youth	199	72	4	275

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