



HUD 2015 Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Programs Homeless Populations and Subpopulations

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State Name: Washington

Point-in Time Date: 1/29/2015

Summary by household type reported:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing*		
Households without children ¹	4,273	1,751	5,979	12,003
Households with at least one adult and one child ²	674	1,262	218	2,154
Households with only children ³	73	34	59	166
Total Homeless Households	5,020	3,047	6,256	14,323

Summary of persons in each household type:

Persons in households without children¹	4,302	1,778	6,267	12,347
Persons Age 18 to 24	275	345	619	1,239
Persons Over Age 24	4,027	1,433	5,648	11,108
Persons in households with at least one adult and one child²	2,249	3,849	795	6,893
Children Under Age 18	1,294	2,253	436	3,983
Persons Age 18 to 24	219	369	54	642
Persons Over Age 24	736	1,227	305	2,268
Persons in households with only children³	73	47	59	179
Total Homeless Persons	6,624	5,674	7,121	19,419

Demographic summary by ethnicity:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing*		
Hispanic / Latino	829	870	1,039	2,738
Non-Hispanic / Non- Latino	5,795	4,804	6,082	16,681
Total	6,624	5,674	7,121	19,419

Demographic summary by gender:

Female	2,414	2,974	2,069	7,457
Male	4,187	2,692	5,017	11,896
Transgender	23	8	35	66
Total	6,624	5,674	7,121	19,419

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

¹This category includes single adults, adult couples with no children, and groups of adults.

²This category includes households with one adult and at least one child under age 18.

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Demographic summary by race:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing*		
Black or African-American	1,698	1,588	809	4,095
White	3,897	3,082	4,881	11,860
Asian	127	109	133	369
American Indian or Alaska Native	249	157	465	871
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	217	156	118	491
Multiple Races	436	582	715	1,733
Total	6,624	5,674	7,121	19,419

Summary of homeless persons by subpopulations reported:

	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Total Population
Chronically Homeless	1,027	1,455	2,482
Chronically Homeless Individuals	908	1,353	2,261
Persons in Chronically Homeless Families	119	102	221
Severely Mentally Ill	1,651	1,098	2,749
Chronic Substance Abuse	1,046	749	1,795
Veterans	886	407	1,293
HIV/AIDS	36	16	52
Victims of Domestic Violence	844	505	1,349
Unaccompanied Youth	700	641	1,341
Unaccompanied Youth Under 18	91	63	154
Unaccompanied Youth 18-24	609	578	1,187
Parenting Youth	296	14	310
Parenting Youth Under 18	11	1	12
Parenting Youth 18-24	285	13	298
Children of Parenting Youth	342	9	351

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