

Denver County 2015 PIT Summary

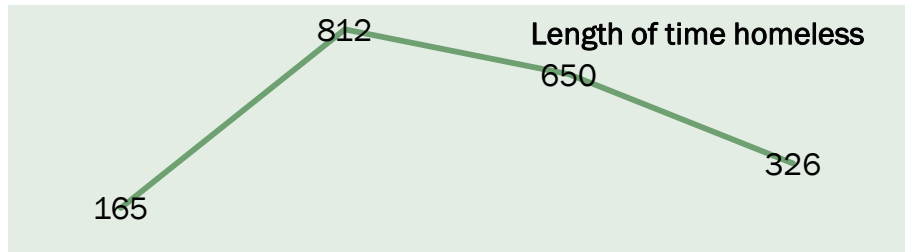
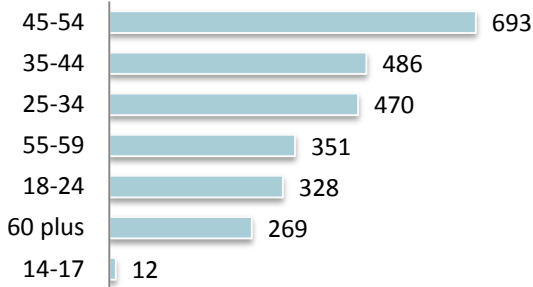


A Point-In-Time (PIT) survey was conducted during the week of January 26th, 2015 by MDHI and Metro stakeholders. This overview provides results of data collected from Transitional Housing programs in HMIS as well as from the survey itself.

Of the 6130 individuals who were counted metro-wide, 3737 were in Denver County.

**Note that not all survey questions received responses and chart data may not equal the total numbers for the county.*

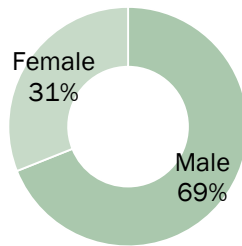
Respondents age



Less than 1 month Less than 1 year 1 to 3 years More than 3 years

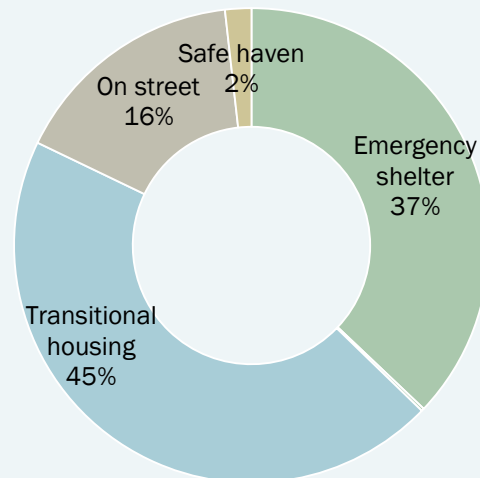
***20%** of respondents were newly homeless which is defined as a first episode of homelessness the duration of which has been less than one year.

Female respondents accounted for more than a third of those counted

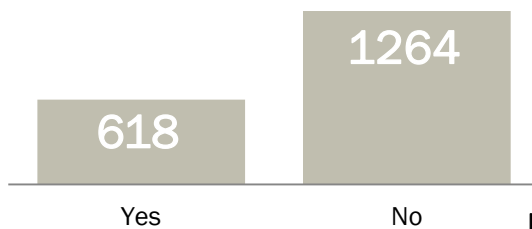


*9 respondents identified as transgender

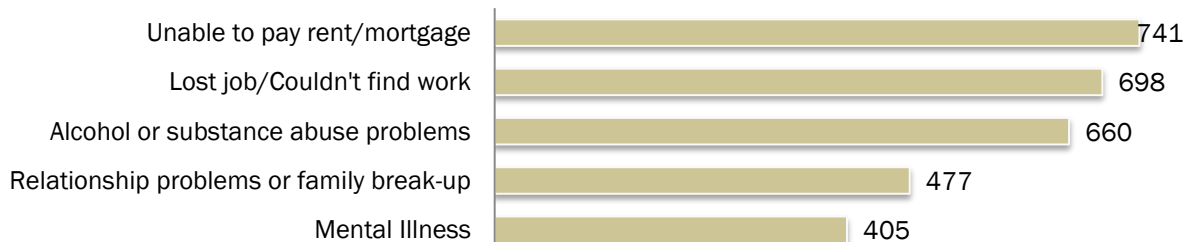
Where respondents slept on January 26th, 2015



About 23% of respondents reported that their households had received money from working in the preceding month



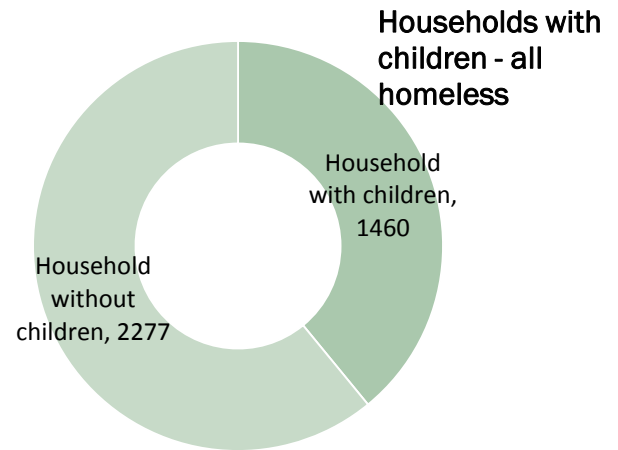
Respondents contributing factors



Survey Locations

Sites were identified by the county PIT coordinator to best capture information from homeless individuals.

Agency	Program
Denver Rescue Mission	Jesus Saves
Sox's Place	Sox's Place
Denver Rescue Mission	Jesus Saves
Bridging the Gap	Mile High United Way
Mile High United Way	211
Catholic Charities	Samaritan House
New Genesis	1680 Sherman Street
Family Homestead	EHP/ Transitional Housing
Sacred Heart House of Denver	In-House Stabilization Program
Father Woodys Home of Hope	Day Shelter 1101 West 7th Ave
Christ's Body	850 Lincoln St
The Gathering place	1535 High Street
Senior Support Services	846 E 18th Ave
Salvation Army	Denver Harbor Light
Salvation Army	Woman's Shelter 2915 High St
Salvation Army	Lambuth Family Center
Salvation Army	Crossroads
The Delores Project	Denver, Colorado
Urban Peak	Shelter and Outreach team
Saint Francis Center	Curtis and 24th
Warren Village	1323 Gilpin St
Warren Village	First Step
Volunteers of America	Family Motel
Volunteers of America	Brandon Center
Mile High Ministries	Joshua Station
Sacred Heart House of Denver	In-House Stabilization Program
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	DSOC Outreach
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Bridges
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Housing First (unhoused)
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Ruth Goebel Residential Treatment
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Respite
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Residential Services Home Vouchers
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Transition In Place Scattered Site
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Housing First HOME Vouchers
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Native American Services
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Victory House
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Outreach & Community Resources
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Community Resources ESG
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Beacon Place
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	PATH
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Family Supportive Services Programs
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	VA GPD Programs
Colorado Coalition For the homeless	Stout Street Health Center
Denver VA	CRRC
Denver VA	VA Hospital
Mental Health Center of Denver	Adult Recovery Services
City Square	Family Tree
Catholic Charities	Father Ed Judy house
Safe House Denver INC	Emergency Shelter
Volunteers of America	Irving Street Woman's Residence
Denver Rescue Mission	Star @ the Crossing
Denver Rescue Mission	Champa House
Family Promise	Homeless Shelter



Denver City and County – 2015 Point-in-Time Data

Tables represent respondent data

Total homeless in Denver City and County

County spent Monday night	Respondents	All Homeless	% of All Homeless
Denver	2683	3737	100.0%
Total	2683	3737	100.0%

Gender

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid male	1808	67.4	68.7	68.7
female	814	30.3	30.9	99.7
FTM	2	.1	.1	99.7
MTF	7	.3	.3	100.0
Total	2631	98.1	100.0	
Missing System	52	1.9		
Total	2683	100.0		

Ethnicity

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid non-hispanic	1935	72.1	78.0	78.0
hispanic	546	20.4	22.0	100.0
Total	2481	92.5	100.0	
Missing dk/r	18	.7		
System	184	6.9		
Total	202	7.5		
Total	2683	100.0		

Race

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Asian	17	.6	.7	.7
AIAN	130	4.8	5.4	6.1

	Black	678	25.3	28.1	34.2
	NHPI	7	.3	.3	34.5
	W	1425	53.1	59.2	93.7
	Multi	152	5.7	6.3	100.0
	Total	2409	89.8	100.0	
Missing	dk/r	12	.4		
	System	262	9.8		
	Total	274	10.2		
Total		2683	100.0		

Family Status

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	unaccompanied adult (single)	1946	72.5	72.6	72.6
	unaccompanied youth (less than age 25)	249	9.3	9.3	81.9
	household with children	443	16.5	16.5	98.5
	household without children	41	1.5	1.5	100.0
	Total	2679	99.9	100.0	
Missing	System	4	.1		
Total		2683	100.0		

Youth

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	unaccompanied youth (less than age 25)	249	9.3	75.9	75.9
	parenting youth 18-24	76	2.8	23.2	99.1

	youth HH non parenting (18-24)	3	.1	.9	100.0
	Total	328	12.2	100.0	
Missing	System	2355	87.8		
Total		2683	100.0		

Age

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	14-17	12	.4	.5	.5
	18-24	328	12.2	12.6	13.0
	25-54	1649	61.5	63.2	76.2
	55-59	351	13.1	13.5	89.7
	60 plus	269	10.0	10.3	100.0
	Total	2609	97.2	100.0	
Missing	System	74	2.8		
Total		2683	100.0		

How long have you been homeless this time?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	LT 1 month	165	6.1	8.2	8.2
	GT 1 month LT 1 yr	812	30.3	40.2	48.4
	1 to 3 yrs	650	24.2	32.2	80.6
	GT 3 yrs	326	12.2	16.1	96.7
	Dont Know	16	.6	.8	97.5
	I am not currently homeless	50	1.9	2.5	100.0
	Total	2019	75.3	100.0	
Missing	No Response	37	1.4		
	Bad Data	2	.1		
	Multiple Selected, Bad Data?	1	.0		
	System	624	23.3		
Total	664	24.7			
Total	2683	100.0			

How many times have you been homeless in the last three years?^a

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	One	1293	48.2	50.1	50.1
	Two	581	21.7	22.5	72.6
	Three	243	9.1	9.4	82.0
	Four or more	354	13.2	13.7	95.7
	I have not been homeless at any time	111	4.1	4.3	100.0
	Total	2582	96.2	100.0	
Missing	No Response	95	3.5		
	Bad Data	2	.1		
	Multiple Selected, Bad Data?	1	.0		
	Client Doesn't Know	2	.1		
	Client Refused	1	.0		
Total	101	3.8			
Total	2683	100.0			

Where respondents stayed

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ES	975	36.3	37.1	37.1
	DV	5	.2	.2	37.3
	TH	1180	44.0	44.9	82.1
	on street safe haven	423	15.8	16.1	98.2
	Total	2630	98.0	100.0	
Missing	System	53	2.0		
Total		2683	100.0		

Chronic

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	.00	1180	44.0	71.0	71.0
	1.00	483	18.0	29.0	100.0
	Total	1663	62.0	100.0	
Missing	System	1020	38.0		
Total		2683	100.0		

Parent type

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	non parent	2232	83.2	83.2	83.2
	single parent	373	13.9	13.9	97.1
	2 parent	77	2.9	2.9	100.0
	Total	2682	100.0	100.0	
Missing	System	1	.0		
Total		2683	100.0		

Newly homeless

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1.00	530	19.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	2153	80.2		
Total		2683	100.0		

In the past month have you or anyone in your household received money from working?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	618	23.0	32.8	32.8
	No	1264	47.1	67.2	100.0
	Total	1882	70.1	100.0	
Missing	No Response	161	6.0		
	Bad Data	14	.5		
	Multiple Selection, Bad Data?	2	.1		
	System	624	23.3		
	Total	801	29.9		
Total		2683	100.0		

Domestic violence

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	.00	1436	53.5	80.3	80.3
	1.00	317	11.8	17.7	98.0
	3.00	35	1.3	2.0	100.0
	Total	1788	66.6	100.0	
Missing	System	895	33.4		
Total		2683	100.0		

Q9. Do you have custody of children under age 18 who are not sleeping with you tonight?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Bad Data	16	.6	.8	.8
	No	1778	66.3	86.4	87.1
	No Response	142	5.3	6.9	94.0
	Yes	123	4.6	6.0	100.0
	Total	2059	76.7	100.0	
Missing		624	23.3		
Total		2683	100.0		

Q9. Do you have custody of children under age 18 who are not sleeping with you tonight? - Number of Children

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2453	91.4	91.4	91.4
-9	122	4.5	4.5	96.0
1	65	2.4	2.4	98.4
2	21	.8	.8	99.2
3	10	.4	.4	99.6
4	4	.1	.1	99.7
5	1	.0	.0	99.7
9	1	.0	.0	99.8
N/A	1	.0	.0	99.8
NA	1	.0	.0	99.9
No	1	.0	.0	99.9
NO ANSWER	1	.0	.0	99.9
NO RESPONSE	1	.0	.0	100.0
One	1	.0	.0	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

If yes, where did they stay on Mon 1/26?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Family/Friend house	88	3.3	82.2	82.2
	Another shelter	8	.3	7.5	89.7
	On the street	9	.3	8.4	98.1
	Not sure	2	.1	1.9	100.0
	Total	107	4.0	100.0	
Missing	No Response	155	5.8		
	Bad Data	17	.6		
	Multiple Selection, Bad Data?	2	.1		
	System	2402	89.5		
	Total	2576	96.0		
Total		2683	100.0		

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Abuse or Violence in the home

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2115	78.8	78.8	78.8
0	317	11.8	11.8	90.6
1	20	.7	.7	91.4
Abuse	1	.0	.0	91.4
Abuse or violence	1	.0	.0	91.5
Abuse or Violence in the home	229	8.5	8.5	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Alcohol or substance abuse problems

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2023	75.4	75.4	75.4
1.00	174	6.5	6.5	81.9
Alcohol or substance abuse problems	486	18.1	18.1	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Asked to leave

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2325	86.7	86.7	86.7
1.00	51	1.9	1.9	88.6
Asked to leave	307	11.4	11.4	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Bad Credit

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2408	89.8	89.8	89.8
1.00	16	.6	.6	90.3
Bad Credit	259	9.7	9.7	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Discharged from foster care

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2663	99.3	99.3	99.3
Discharged from foster care	20	.7	.7	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Discharged from jail

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2493	92.9	92.9	92.9
Discharged from jail	190	7.1	7.1	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Discharged from prison

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2552	95.1	95.1	95.1
Discharged from prison	131	4.9	4.9	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Family member or personal illness

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2345	87.4	87.4	87.4
Family member illness	1	.0	.0	87.4
Family member or personal illness	337	12.6	12.6	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Legal Problems

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2469	92.0	92.0	92.0
Legal Problems	214	8.0	8.0	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Other

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2412	89.9	89.9	89.9
Other	271	10.1	10.1	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Lost job/Couldn't find work

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1985	74.0	74.0	74.0
1	1	.0	.0	74.0
Lost job/Couldn't find work	697	26.0	26.0	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Medical Expenses

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2539	94.6	94.6	94.6
Medical Expenses	144	5.4	5.4	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Mental Illness

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2278	84.9	84.9	84.9
Mental Illness	405	15.1	15.1	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Moved to find work

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2457	91.6	91.6	91.6
Moved to find work	226	8.4	8.4	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Problems with Public Benefits

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2477	92.3	92.3	92.3
Problems with public benefits	1	.0	.0	92.4
Problems with Public Benefits	205	7.6	7.6	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

**Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? -
Reasons related to my sexual orientation**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2659	99.1	99.1	99.1
Reasons related to my sexual orientation	24	.9	.9	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

**Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? -
Relationship problems or family break-up**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1920	71.6	71.6	71.6
0	286	10.7	10.7	82.2
1	51	1.9	1.9	84.1
Relationship problem	2	.1	.1	84.2
Relationship problems or family break-up	424	15.8	15.8	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

**Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? -
Unable to pay utilities**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2341	87.3	87.3	87.3
1	1	.0	.0	87.3
Unable to pay utilities	341	12.7	12.7	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Unable to pay rent/mortgage

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1668	62.2	62.2	62.2
0	274	10.2	10.2	72.4
1	63	2.3	2.3	74.7
Unable to pay rent/mortgage	678	25.3	25.3	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	

Q11. What are the reasons/contributing factors as to why you are homeless now or that you are experiencing housing instability? - Doesn't apply to me

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	2617	97.5	97.5	97.5
Doesn't apply to me	66	2.5	2.5	100.0
Total	2683	100.0	100.0	