

## North Dakota Homeless Population Point in Time Survey January 27, 2010

The North Dakota Coalition for Homeless People (NDCHP) conducted a statewide point-in-time survey of homeless people on January 27, 2010. The survey collected information relating to demographics, education, employment, veteran status, common characteristics, and service utilization.

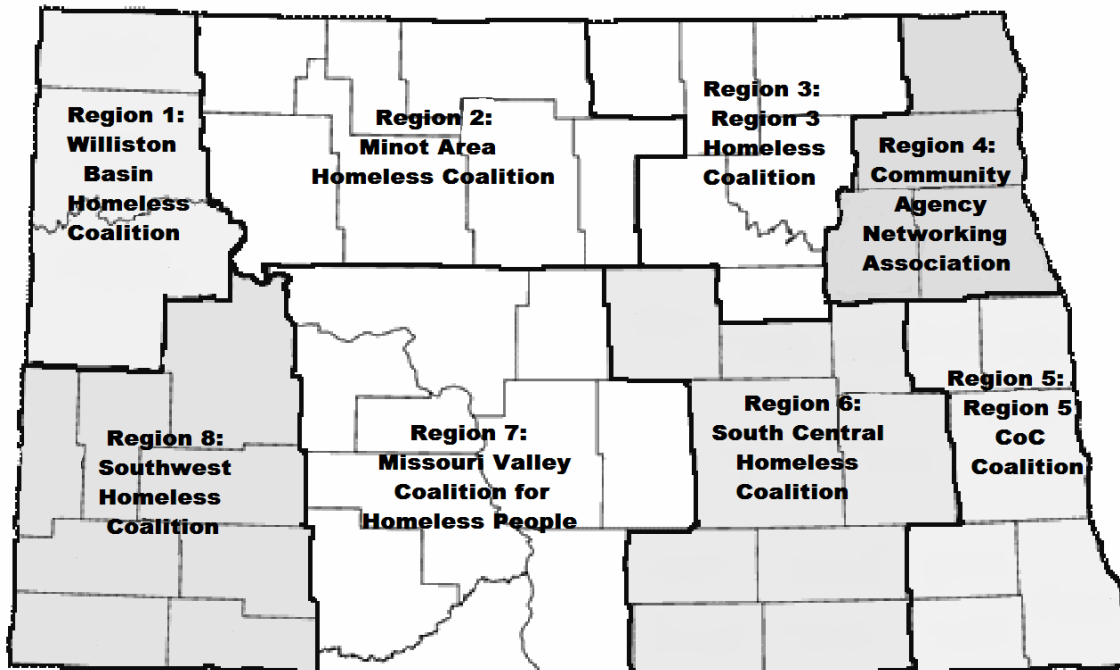
The following table shows the total count of homeless persons by region, age and status as “chronic” or “long term homeless”.

Region	Adults	Children <18	Total persons	Chronic <sup>1</sup>	Long Term Homeless <sup>2</sup>
1	6	5	19*	0	3
2	35	22	59*	0	6
3	101	33	138*	0	16
4	73	34	111*	6	18
5	280	60	347*	49	111
6	39	1	47*	0	18
7	230	142	378*	8	100
8	23	3	27*	1	5
Total ND	787	300	1126*	64	277

\* Information regarding age was not available for 39 homeless persons.

<sup>1</sup> *Chronic status* is determined using the HUD definition, which is an individual with a disabling condition who has been homeless for at least one year, or four or more times in the last three years, and is sleeping either in an emergency shelter or somewhere not fit for human habitation.

<sup>2</sup> *Long term homeless (LTH)* is the definition adopted by the ND Interagency Council on Homelessness, which is an individual or a family with a disabling condition who has been homeless continuously for at least one year or more than four times in the last three years. The ICH definition does not exclude people who are currently living “doubled up” with friends/family, people precariously housed in motels or those in transitional housing.



A brief summary of the findings from North Dakota's 2010 point-in-time survey follows. It makes note of any changes that have taken place since 2006, as well as any differences between the overall homeless population and the chronic homeless or long-term homeless. More detailed information is contained within the data tables included after the summary.

- **Total count.** North Dakota's 2010 point-in-time survey counted 1126 homeless individuals: 787 adults, 300 children under 18 and 39 persons for whom age was not provided. Sixty-four homeless individuals fit the definition of chronic homeless and 277 were considered long-term homeless. Unaccompanied individuals accounted for 622 of the homeless persons, while 473 were in families that had children under 18 and 28 were in families without children under 18.
  - After increasing continuously from 2005 to 2007, then dropping slightly in 2008, the number of homeless individuals counted in North Dakota's point-in-time survey spiked in 2009 and continued to climb higher in 2010.
  - From 2009 to 2010, there was a 36% increase in the number of children under 18, compared to a 4% increase in the number of adults and a 14% increase overall.
  
- **Type of shelter.** One-third of North Dakota's homeless population was staying in an emergency shelter, just as many were in transitional housing and one in five were doubled-up with family or friends.
  - Among long-term homeless households, there has been a decrease in the number staying in emergency shelters and an increase in the number in transitional housing.
  
- **Duration of homelessness.** In North Dakota, a typical homeless episode lasts about six months.
  - Overall, the chronic and long-term homeless had been homeless for much longer.
  - The overall duration of homelessness is similar to previous years.
  
- **Frequency of homelessness.** Three-fifths of homeless persons reported this was their only episode of homelessness in the past three years, one-fifth had been homeless twice, 7% had three homeless episodes and 5% had been homeless four or more times in the last three years.
  - Since 2008, the number of chronic homeless persons and long-term homeless persons who have been homeless once has been dramatically increasing, while the number who have been homeless four or more times has dropped off considerably.
  
- **Family status.** One in five homeless households contained a family of two or more individuals; 18% of the households included children under 18. None of the households were headed by a youth under 18, though 13% were headed by someone between 18 and 21.
  - The number of homeless persons in households with children under 18 increased compared to previous years.
  - By definition, the chronic homeless did not include any families.
  - The long-term homeless were less likely than the overall homeless population to have family with them.

- **Demographics of Homeless Population.** Within North Dakota's adult homeless population, men continue to outnumber women by a ratio of roughly 3:2. The average age of homeless men was 40.6 years, the average age of homeless women was 35.6 years and the average age of homeless children was 6.6 years. About half of the homeless were white and one-third were American Indian. Seventy-one percent had earned no less than a high school diploma or GED; 27% had attended at least some college.
  - In comparison to the overall and long-term homeless populations, the chronic homeless were more likely to be white and male; they were less likely to be American Indian.
  - The average age of men who were chronically homeless was higher than the average ages of men in the overall and long-term homeless populations.
  - The chronic homeless were less likely than the overall homeless population to have received a high school diploma or GED.
  
- **Sources of Income.** Thirty-seven percent of North Dakota's homeless population received income from a job, while 30% received food stamps and 26% got help from family and friends.
  - After peaking in 2009, the percentage of homeless with a job has decreased, especially among the chronic homeless.
  - Compared to the homeless population overall, the chronic homeless were less likely to have a job or get help from family or friends.
  - Among the long-term homeless, the percentage of households receiving help from friends or family has more than doubled since 2009.
  
- **Common Characteristics of Homeless Population.** An inability to afford rent, unemployment, and a history of substance abuse remain the most commonly shared characteristics among the homeless population in North Dakota.
  - Other characteristics shared by at least one in five homeless persons included: bad credit, inability to locate an apartment, a criminal record, family break-up, medical problems, mental illness, money management problems and moving to a new area recently.
  - The chronic homeless are more likely than the overall homeless population to have medical problems and less likely to have a criminal record.
  - The percentage of chronic homeless persons with a history of substance abuse continues to fluctuate from year-to-year, though it remains fairly high.
  - Compared to 2009, the number of chronic homeless who have medical problems or developmental disabilities increased.
  - Compared to the overall homeless population, the long-term homeless are more likely to have a criminal record, a history of substance abuse, mental illness and money management problems. They are less likely to report having bad credit.
  - After decreasing in 2008, the number of long-term homeless persons who are unable to afford rent increased, nearly returning to its previous levels.
  - Other increases seen among the long-term homeless included having a criminal record, being evicted from an apartment and being a parolee or probationer.
  - There was a decrease in the percentage of long-term homeless households dealing with bad credit.

- **Reasons for Homelessness.** The most common causes of homeless in North Dakota are reported to be unemployment and a history of substance abuse.
  - Within the overall homeless population, there has been a large decrease in the prevalence of individuals being homeless because of an inability to pay rent compared to previous years.
  - Among the chronic homeless, unemployment and an inability to pay rent continued to increase as causes of homelessness. There was also an increase in apartment evictions.
  - After decreasing in 2008 and increasing in 2009, both a history of substance abuse and bad credit again decreased in 2010.
  - In comparison to the overall and long-term homeless populations, medical problems and unemployment are more pronounced among the chronic homeless, while being a parolee/probationer is less common.
  - An inability to afford rent was more common among the chronic and long-term homeless than the overall homeless population.
  - The number of long-term homeless who attributed their homelessness to criminal records or being a parolee/probationer increased in 2010.
  - Compared to overall and chronic homelessness, long-term homelessness was more likely to be caused by a criminal record, a history of substance abuse or being a parolee/probationer.
  
- **Service Needs.** Permanent housing continues to be the service most difficult for homeless persons to access, followed by transportation and transitional housing. The homeless population was most likely to name housing assistance or a job as what would most help them obtain housing.
  - Since 2008, there has been a continued decrease in the percentage of homeless individuals receiving emergency shelter.
  - The percentage of individuals not providing a response regarding what would most help them obtain housing remains high.
  - The chronic homeless were more likely to utilize services that meet basic needs than the general homeless population. They were also more likely to use medical/dental services.
  - Those that were chronically homeless were less apt than the general homeless population to have received mental health care, substance abuse services or transportation; they were more likely to report difficulty in accessing transportation.
  - Among the chronic homeless, there was an increase in the number who received case management, food/hot meals, permanent housing and food stamps. The number receiving medication or substance abuse services has decreased. There were also decreases in the number of chronic homeless persons who reported it was difficult to access permanent housing or food stamps.
  - With the exception of emergency shelter, the long-term homeless were more likely to utilize services that meet basic needs than the general homeless population. They were also more likely to receive medication, substance abuse services, transitional housing, life skills training and transportation.
  - Among the long-term homeless, the percentage of individuals receiving food/hot meals has increased, while the number receiving emergency shelter has continued to drop since 2008.

The number of agencies from each region that participated in the 2010 point-in-time survey by submitting completed questionnaires was:

<b>2006 Total</b>	<b>2007 Total</b>	<b>2008 Total</b>	<b>2009 Total</b>	<b>2010 Total</b>	
<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	
4	3	4	5	3	Region 1
4	9	4	5	7	Region 2
2	3	5	3	6	Region 3
10	6	8	10	9	Region 4
14	10	13	12	12	Region 5
3	3	1	3	1	Region 6
9	9	12	8	8	Region 7
5	2	4	5	5	Region 8
51	45	51	51	51	Total ND

The 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010 survey results for the state of North Dakota are shown below. The results are listed by question and broken out by subpopulation.

**1a. Where was the survey taken? (2010)**

2010 Total ND	2010 Chronic ND	2010 LTH ND	
1%	2%	<1%	Outdoors
31%	81%	27%	Emergency shelter
26%	0%	43%	Transitional housing
3%	0%	2%	Motel
30%	12%	22%	Other (abandoned building, auto, hospital, agency office)
9%	5%	6%	No answer

n=779      n=64      n=227

**1b. Where was the survey taken? (Comparisons to past years)**

2006 Total ND	2007 Total ND	2008 Total ND	2009 Total ND	2010 Total ND	
3%	1%	1%	0%	1%	Outdoors
34%	40%	43%	41%	31%	Emergency shelter
30%	16%	21%	31%	26%	Transitional housing
3%	9%	3%	2%	3%	Motel
21%	33%	33%	24%	30%	Other (abandoned building, auto, hospital, agency office)
7%	1%	0%	2%	9%	No answer

n=516      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779

**1c. Where was the survey taken? (Chronic homeless)**

2006 Chronic ND	2007 Chronic ND	2008 Chronic ND	2009 Chronic ND	2010 Chronic ND	
3%	4%	0%	0%	2%	Outdoors
43%	83%	94%	87%	81%	Emergency shelter
30%	0%	0%	1%	0%	Transitional housing
2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Motel
13%	11%	6%	11%	12%	Other (abandoned building, auto, hospital, agency office)
9%	3%	0%	0%	5%	No answer

n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64

**1d. Where was the survey taken? (Long-term homeless)**

2006 LTH ND	2007 LTH ND	2008 LTH ND	2009 LTH ND	2010 LTH ND	
4%	3%	1%	0%	<1%	Outdoors
35%	44%	39%	37%	27%	Emergency shelter
26%	22%	31%	33%	43%	Transitional housing
2%	4%	1%	1%	2%	Motel
26%	25%	27%	25%	22%	Other (abandoned building, auto, hospital, agency office)
8%	2%	0%	4%	6%	No answer

n=152      n=187      n=137      n=187      n=227

**2a. Where did you sleep last night? (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
1%	3%	1%	Outdoors
32%	95%	27%	Emergency Shelter
31%	0%	51%	Transitional Housing
5%	0%	4%	Motel
2%	2%	<1%	Abandoned building/Automobile
<1%	0%	0%	Hospital
7%	0%	4%	Detox/Substance Abuse Treatment
1%	0%	1%	Prison/Jail
20%	0%	10%	Family/Friend
0%	0%	0%	Other
1%	0%	1%	Precariously Housed in Motel
0%	0%	0%	<i>No answer</i>

n=779      n=64      n=227

**2b. Where did you sleep last night? (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	Outdoors
35%	38%	39%	42%	32%	Emergency Shelter
31%	23%	23%	32%	31%	Transitional Housing
6%	6%	6%	3%	5%	Motel
4%	3%	2%	<1%	2%	Abandoned building/Automobile
1%	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	Hospital
5%	1%	5%	3%	7%	Detox/Substance Abuse Treatment
1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	Prison/Jail
14%	19%	21%	13%	20%	Family/Friend
0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Precariously Housed in a Motel
0%	5%	0%	3%	1%	Other
1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	<i>No answer</i>

n=516      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779

**2c. Where did you sleep last night? (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
3%	9%	0%	6%	3%	Outdoors
48%	89%	98%	94%	95%	Emergency Shelter
43%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Transitional Housing
5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Motel
7%	2%	2%	0%	2%	Abandoned building/Automobile
1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Hospital
4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Detox/Substance Abuse Treatment
1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Prison/Jail
0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Other

*n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64*

**2d. Where did you sleep last night? (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
3%	4%	0%	2%	1%	Outdoors
39%	39%	39%	39%	27%	Emergency Shelter
27%	32%	32%	35%	51%	Transitional Housing
5%	4%	2%	2%	4%	Motel
8%	1%	1%	0%	<1%	Abandoned building/Automobile
1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	Hospital
4%	1%	4%	5%	4%	Detox/Substance Abuse Treatment
1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	Prison/Jail
13%	12%	18%	12%	10%	Family/Friend
0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	Precariously Housed in a Motel
1%	4%	0%	2%	0%	Other
0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	<i>No answer</i>

*n=152      n=187      n=137      n=187      n=227*

**3a. Summary - Type of Shelter (% of surveys completed - 2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
3%	5%	2%	Unsheltered (includes outdoors and abandoned auto/bldg)
45%	95%	36%	Emergency Shelter (includes emergency shelter, motel, hospital, detox, sub abuse treatment, jail)
31%	0%	51%	Transitional Housing
20%	0%	10%	Doubled up
1%	0%	1%	Precariously housed in a Motel

n=779      n=64      n=227

**3b. Summary - Type of Shelter (% of surveys completed – comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
6%	5%	2%	1%	3%	Unsheltered (includes outdoors and abandoned auto/bldg)
46%	47%	51%	51%	45%	Emergency Shelter (includes emergency shelter, motel, hospital, detox, sub abuse treatment, jail)
33%	23%	23%	32%	31%	Transitional Housing
14%	24%	21%	13%	20%	Doubled up
0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	Precariously housed in a Motel
0%	0%	2%	3%	0%	Other

n=516      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779

**3c. Summary - Type of Shelter (% of surveys completed – chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
10%	11%	2%	6%	5%	Unsheltered (includes outdoors and abandoned auto/bldg)
57%	89%	98%	94%	95%	Emergency Shelter (includes emergency shelter, motel, hospital, detox, sub abuse treatment, jail)
34%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Transitional Housing

n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64

**3d. Summary - Type of Shelter (% of surveys completed – long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
11%	5%	1%	2%	2%	Unsheltered (includes outdoors and abandoned auto/bldg)
47%	47%	48%	49%	36%	Emergency Shelter (includes emergency shelter, motel, hospital, detox, sub abuse treatment, jail)
29%	32%	32%	35%	51%	Transitional Housing
13%	16%	18%	12%	10%	Doubled up
0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	Precariously Housed in a Motel
1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	Other

*n=152*

*n=187*

*n=137*

*n=187*

*n=227*

**4a. Summary - Type of Shelter (# of people counted in survey – 2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
31	3	4	Unsheltered
461	61	89	Emergency Shelter
307	0	136	Transitional Housing
270	0	37	Doubled up
57	0	11	Precariously Housed in a Motel

*n=1126      n=64      n=277*

**4b. Summary - Type of Shelter (# of people counted in survey – comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
67	59	19	8	31	Unsheltered
318	405	379	487	461	Emergency Shelter
227	172	199	278	307	Transitional Housing
124	233	217	196	270	Doubled up
0	0	0	0	57	Precariously Housed in a Motel
3	0	18	18	0	Other

*n=739      n=869      n=832      n=987      n=1126*

**4c. Summary - Type of Shelter (# of people counted in survey – chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
12	9	1	4	3	Unsheltered
69	71	50	66	61	Emergency Shelter
41	0	0	0	0	Transitional Housing

*n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64*

**4d. Summary - Type of Shelter (# of people counted in survey – long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
29	11	1	4	4	Unsheltered
77	99	76	108	89	Emergency Shelter
52	68	60	72	136	Transitional Housing
25	37	39	39	37	Doubled up
0	0	0	0	11	Precariously Housed in a Motel
2	0	1	4	0	Other

*n=185      n=215      n=177      n=227      n=277*

5. Specific places in ND where long term homeless population slept on January 28, 2010

Site	Location	# surveys	# people	Families w/children*
<b>Unsheltered</b>				
Outdoors	Dickinson, Fargo	2	2	0
Abandoned Building	Bismarck	1	1	0
Auto	Bismarck	1	1	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Emergency Shelter</b>				
AARC	Bismarck	1	1	0
Detox/Treatment Center	Bismarck, Fargo	9	9	0
Gladys Ray	Fargo	10	10	0
Jail/Prison	Minot	3	3	0
Motel	Bismarck, Grand Forks, Minot	8	14	1 – 2 PHH 1 – 6 PHH
New Life Center	Fargo	34	34	0
North Dakota State Hospital	Jamestown	1	1	0
Northlands Rescue Mission	Grand Forks	5	5	0
Pam's House	Bismarck	2	3	1 – 2 PHH
RMHH	Bismarck	5	5	0
Salvation Army	Fargo	1	1	0
YWCA	Fargo	3	3	0
<Facility Name Missing>	Grand Forks	1	1	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>83</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Transitional Housing</b>				
Arbor House	Bismarck	3	3	0
Bridge Pointe Transitional Living Centre, Inc.	Jamestown	17	17	0
Centre, Inc.	Fargo, Mandan	48	48	0
Center, Inc. / HART Program	Fargo	23	23	0
Comeau Transitional Housing	Grand Forks	1	3	1 – 3 PHH
Cottage Lane Transitional Living	Jamestown	5	5	0
Domestic Violence Crisis Center	Minot	2	3	1 – 2 PHH
Hope Transitional Housing	Grand Forks	1	2	1 – 2 PHH
NDAD	Williston	3	3	0
New Beginnings (RMHH)	Bismarck	2	2	0
Residential Care Center	Dickinson	3	3	0
Youthworks	Bismarck, Fargo	5	8	1 – 2 PHH 1 – 3 PHH
YWCA	Fargo	5	16	1 – 2 PHH 1 – 3 PHH 2 – 5 PHH
<Facility name missing>	Grand Forks, Dickinson	2	4	1 – 3 PHH
<b>Total</b>		<b>120</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Doubled Up/Precariously Housed</b>				
Region 2	Minot	1	1	0
Region 3	Missing	8	13	1 – 3 PHH 1 – 4 PHH
Region 4	Grand Forks	1	1	0
Region 5	Fargo	5	6	1 – 2 PHH
Region 7	Bismarck	9	26	2 – 3 PHH 2 – 5 PHH 1 – 6 PHH
<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>227</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>21</b>

\* PHH = Person Household

**6a. How long have you been homeless? (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
11.9 days	8.0 days	8.5 days	Average # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.2 mo	4.8 mo	4.2 mo	Average # months (if homeless <1 year)
4.4 yr	5.9 yr	4.0 yr	Average # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
1.9 yrs	5.4 yr	3.7 yr	Average length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
10.0 days	8.0 days	8.5 days	Median* # days (if homeless <1 month)
3.0 mo	4.5 mo	3.0 mo	Median* # months (if homeless <1 year)
2.0 yr	3.0 yr	2.0 yr	Median* # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
0.5 yr	3.0 yr	2.0 yr	Median* length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
36	0	1	<i>No answer</i>

*n=779      n=64      n=227*

**6b. How long have you been homeless? (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
13.2 days	10.5 days	10.4 days	13.8 days	11.9 days	Average # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.9 mo	4.1 mo	4.2 mo	4.1 mo	4.2 mo	Average # months (if homeless <1 year)
3.7 yr	3.9 yr	4.9 yr	4.3 yr	4.4 yr	Average # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
1.5 yr	1.7 yr	1.8 yr	1.5 yr	1.9 yrs	Average length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
10 days	8 days	10 days	14 days	10.0 days	Median* # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.0 mo	3.0 mo	4.0 mo	4.0 mo	3.0 mo	Median* # months (if homeless <1 year)
2.0 yr	2.0 yr	3.0 yr	2.0 yr	2.0 yr	Median* # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
0.5 yrs	0.5 yrs	0.5 yrs	0.4 yrs	0.5 yr	Median* length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
23	23	26	43	36	<i>No answer</i>

*n=493      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779*

*\*Table note: A “median” is the mid-point of the dataset, which means exactly 50% of the respondents are above that number and 50% are below. The median does a better job of accounting for “outliers” in the data (i.e., one respondent that is much higher or lower than all the others can skew the results when you use an average).*

**6c. How long have you been homeless? (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
9.3 days	21.0 days	n/a	19.3 days	8.0 days	Average # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.8 mo	4.6 mo	5.0 mo	3.5 mo	4.8 mo	Average # months (if homeless <1 year)
4.6 yr	4.0 yr	6.0 yr	3.8 yr	5.9 yr	Average # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
4.1 yr	4.1 yr	5.3 yr	2.9 yr	5.4 yr	Average length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
8 days	21 days	n/a	18.5 days	8.0 days	Median* # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.0 mo	4.0 mo	5.5 mo	3.0 mo	4.5 mo	Median* # months (if homeless <1 year)
3.0 yr	3.0 yr	3.0 yr	3.0 yr	3.0 yr	Median* # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
2.3 yrs	2.0 yrs	3.0 yrs	2.0 yrs	3.0 yr	Median* length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
2	0	0	1	0	No answer
<i>n=120</i>	<i>n=80</i>	<i>n=51</i>	<i>n=70</i>	<i>n=64</i>	

**6d. How long have you been homeless? (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
12 days	20 days	7 days	16.5 days	8.5 days	Average # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.7 mo	4.9 mo	4.1 mo	4.2 mo	4.2 mo	Average # months (if homeless <1 year)
4.1 yr	3.9 yr	5.0 yr	3.8 yr	4.0 yr	Average # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
3.6 yr	3.2 yr	4.1 yr	3.0 yr	3.7 yr	Average length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
8.5 days	18.0 days	7.0 days	16.0 days	8.5 days	Median* # days (if homeless <1 month)
4.0 mo	5.0 mo	3.5 mo	4.0 mo	3.0 mo	Median* # months (if homeless <1 year)
3.0 yr	3.0 yr	2.0 yr	2.0 yr	2.0 yr	Median* # years (if homeless ≥1 year)
2.0 yr	2.0 yr	2.0 yr	2.0 yr	2.0 yr	Median* length of time homeless (for entire survey population)
5	0	1	7	1	No answer
<i>n=147</i>	<i>n=187</i>	<i>n=137</i>	<i>n=187</i>	<i>n=227</i>	

\*Table note: A “median” is the mid-point of the dataset, which means exactly 50% of the respondents are above that number and 50% are below. The median does a better job of accounting for “outliers” in the data (i.e., one respondent that is much higher or lower than all the others can skew the results when you use an average).

**7a. How many times have you been homeless in the past 3 years? (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
62%	81%	69%	Once
22%	6%	15%	Twice
7%	2%	3%	Three times
5%	11%	12%	Four or more times
4%	0%	1%	<i>No answer</i>

*n=779      n=64      n=227*

**7b. How many times have you been homeless in the past 3 years? (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
51%	45%	48%	57%	62%	Once
19%	19%	20%	19%	22%	Twice
12%	10%	10%	8%	7%	Three times
13%	21%	17%	12%	5%	Four or more times
5%	4%	6%	3%	4%	<i>No answer</i>

*n=516      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779*

**7c. How many times have you been homeless in the past 3 years? (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
54%	25%	25%	44%	81%	Once
6%	9%	22%	9%	6%	Twice
10%	5%	8%	11%	2%	Three times
28%	61%	41%	36%	11%	Four or more times
3%	0%	4%	0%	0%	<i>No answer</i>

*n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64*

**7d. How many times have you been homeless in the past 3 years? (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
49%	36%	31%	49%	69%	Once
7%	10%	20%	10%	15%	Twice
10%	5%	5%	7%	3%	Three times
31%	48%	42%	33%	12%	Four or more times
3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	<i>No answer</i>

*n=152      n=187      n=137      n=187      n=227*

**8a. Did you have family with you last night? (2010)**

2010 Total ND	2010 Chronic ND	2010 LTH ND	
20%	0%	9%	Yes
80%	100%	91%	No
<i>More detail on "Yes, I had family with me"</i>			
2%	0%	1%	Spouse or partner?
2%	0%	1%	Children over age 18?
18%	0%	9%	Children under age 18?
1%	0%	<1%	Other family?

n=779      n=64      n=227

**8b. Did you have family with you last night? (Comparisons to past years)**

2006 Total ND	2007 Total ND	2008 Total ND	2009 Total ND	2010 Total ND	
18%	22%	24%	17%	20%	Yes
82%	78%	76%	83%	80%	No
<i>More detail on "Yes, I had family with me"</i>					
4%	7%	5%	3%	2%	Spouse or partner?
2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	Children over age 18?
15%	18%	19%	14%	18%	Children under age 18?
1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	Other family?

n=516      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779

**8c. Did you have family with you last night? (Chronic homeless)**

2006 Chronic ND	2007 Chronic ND	2008 Chronic ND	2009 Chronic ND	2010 Chronic ND	
0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Yes
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	No

n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64

**8d. Did you have family with you last night? (Long-term homeless)**

2006 LTH ND	2007 LTH ND	2008 LTH ND	2009 LTH ND	2010 Total ND	
9%	10%	14%	9%	9%	Yes
91%	90%	86%	91%	91%	No
<i>More detail on "Yes, I had family with me"</i>					
3%	3%	1%	2%	1%	Spouse or partner?
2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	Children over age 18?
6%	6%	13%	7%	9%*	Children under age 18?
1%	1%	0%	2%	<1%	Other family?

n=152      n=187      n=137      n=187      n=227

\* This includes 20 families with a total of 42 children under age 18

**9a. Summary – Household type (# of people counted in survey – 2010)**

<b>2010 Total</b> ND	<b>2010 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2010 LTH</b> ND	
622	64	206	Individuals
473	0	69	Persons in families with children <18
28	0	2	Persons in families with no children <18
3	0	0	No answer

*n=1126      n=64      n=277*

**9b. Summary – Household type (# of people counted in survey – comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total</b> ND	<b>2007 Total</b> ND	<b>2008 Total</b> ND	<b>2009 Total</b> ND	<b>2010 Total</b> ND	
426	473	421	593	622	Individuals
291	350	363	349	473	Persons in families with children <18
22	46	48	45	28	Persons in families with no children <18
0	0	0	0	3	No answer

*n=739      n=869      n=832      n=987      n=1126*

**9c. Summary – Household type (# of people counted in survey – chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2007 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2008 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2009 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2010 Chronic</b> ND	
122	80	51	70	64	Individuals

*n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64*

**9d. Summary – Household type (# of people counted in survey – long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH</b> ND	<b>2007 LTH</b> ND	<b>2008 LTH</b> ND	<b>2009 LTH</b> ND	<b>2010 Total</b> ND	
138	169	118	171	206	Individuals
43	32	57	49	69	Persons in families with children <18
4	14	2	7	2	Persons in families with no children <18

*n=185      n=215      n=177      n=227      n=277*

**10a. Summary – Youth head of household (2010)**

<b>2010 Total</b> ND	<b>2010 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2010 LTH</b> ND	
0%	0%	0%	Yes – under age 18
13%	3%	5%	Yes – age 18-21
83%	94%	90%	No – head of household older than 21
4%	3%	5%	No answer

n=779      n=64      n=227

**10b. Summary – Youth head of household (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total</b> ND	<b>2007 Total</b> ND	<b>2008 Total</b> ND	<b>2009 Total</b> ND	<b>2010 Total</b> ND	
3%	1%	1%	<1%	0%	Yes – under age 18
11%	13%	10%	9%	13%	Yes – age 18-21
85%	83%	84%	87%	83%	No – head of household older than 21
0%	4%	5%	3%	4%	No answer

n=516      n=605      n=554      n=716      n=779

**10c. Summary – Youth head of household (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2007 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2008 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2009 Chronic</b> ND	<b>2010 Chronic</b> ND	
3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Yes – under age 18
7%	1%	2%	3%	3%	Yes – age 18-21
90%	96%	98%	97%	94%	No – head of household older than 21
0%	3%	0%	0%	3%	No answer

n=122      n=80      n=51      n=70      n=64

**10d. Summary – Youth head of household (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH</b> ND	<b>2007 LTH</b> ND	<b>2008 LTH</b> ND	<b>2009 LTH</b> ND	<b>2010 LTH</b> ND	
3%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Yes – under age 18
9%	6%	6%	6%	5%	Yes – age 18-21
89%	90%	91%	91%	90%	No – head of household older than 21
0%	3%	3%	3%	5%	No answer

n=152      n=187      n=137      n=187      n=227

**11a. Basic Demographics of homeless persons (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
1126	64	277	Total persons in survey
787	62	223	Adults
300	0	42	Children under age 18
39	2	12	No age provided
<i>n=1126</i>	<i>n=64</i>	<i>n=277</i>	
457	52	157	Adult males
320	10	66	Adult females
49	2	12	No age/gender provided
40.6	52.0	43.9	Average age of males
34.6	38.8	37.1	Average age of females
6.6	n/a	6.2	Average age of children
<i>n=1126</i>	<i>n=64</i>	<i>n=277</i>	
52%	72%	57%	White
9%	8%	4%	Black
1%	3%	3%	Asian
33%	17%	31%	American Indian
2%	0%	1%	Other
3%	0%	3%	<i>No answer</i>
<i>n=1126</i>	<i>n=64</i>	<i>n=277</i>	
16%	27%	21%	Grade school/some high school
32%	33%	34%	Completed high school
12%	5%	11%	Completed GED
19%	14%	16%	Some college
8%	17%	10%	Completed college
1%	0%	1%	Other
13%	5%	7%	<i>No answer</i>
<i>n=779</i>	<i>n=64</i>	<i>n=227</i>	

**11b. Basic Demographics of homeless persons counted (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
739	869	832	987	1126	Total persons in survey
546	629	556	756	787	Adults
193	212	248	220	300	Children under age 18
0	28	28	11	39	No age provided
<i>n=739</i>	<i>n=869</i>	<i>n=832</i>	<i>n=987</i>	<i>n=1126</i>	
299*	403	331	441	457	Adult males
189*	226	222	290	320	Adult females
0*	28	31	36	49	No age/gender provided
38.8*	39.8	40.4	42.1	40.6	Average age of males
34.0*	33.3	34.3	35.7	34.6	Average age of females
n/a	6.4	6.2	6.0	6.6	Average age of children
<i>n=492</i>	<i>n=869</i>	<i>n=554</i>	<i>n=987</i>	<i>n=1126</i>	
55%	49%	51%	57%	52%	White
5%	4%	7%	7%	9%	Black
0%	0.1%	1%	1%	1%	Asian
33%	42%	35%	28%	33%	American Indian
2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	Other
4%	4%	5%	5%	3%	No answer
<i>n=739</i>	<i>n=869</i>	<i>n=832</i>	<i>n=987</i>	<i>n=1126</i>	
14%	18%	14%	16%	16%	Grade school/some high school
30%	32%	31%	29%	32%	Completed high school
16%	13%	17%	18%	12%	Completed GED
21%	17%	18%	18%	19%	Some college
5%	7%	5%	6%	8%	Completed college
2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	Other
12%	12%	13%	12%	13%	No answer
<i>n=516</i>	<i>n=605</i>	<i>n=554</i>	<i>n=716</i>	<i>n=779</i>	

\* 2006 survey results are for survey respondents only (not for all people noted on survey forms)

**11c. Basic Demographics of homeless persons counted (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
122	80	51	70	64	Total persons in survey
119	77	51	70	62	Adults
3	0	0	0	0	Children under age 18
0	3	0	0	2	No age provided
<i>n=122</i>	<i>n=80</i>	<i>n=51</i>	<i>n=70</i>	<i>n=64</i>	
91*	69	43	62	52	Adult males
22*	8	8	8	10	Adult females
0*	3	0	0	2	No age/gender provided
45.2*	46.4	50.8	48.1	52.0	Average age of males
39.6*	33.1	44.4	36.4	38.8	Average age of females
n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Average age of children
<i>n=113</i>	<i>n=80</i>	<i>n=51</i>	<i>n=70</i>	<i>n=64</i>	
68%	65%	67%	77%	72%	White
3%	4%	8%	7%	8%	Black
0%	1%	0%	0%	3%	Asian
21%	24%	22%	14%	17%	American Indian
1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Other
7%	5%	4%	1%	0%	No answer
<i>n=122</i>	<i>n=80</i>	<i>n=51</i>	<i>n=70</i>	<i>n=64</i>	
12%	18%	18%	23%	27%	Grade school/some high school
35%	50%	29%	39%	33%	Completed high school
16%	3%	27%	14%	5%	Completed GED
22%	11%	12%	14%	14%	Some college
3%	6%	6%	3%	17%	Completed college
1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	Other
12%	11%	8%	4%	5%	No answer
<i>n=122</i>	<i>n=80</i>	<i>n=51</i>	<i>n=70</i>	<i>n=64</i>	

\* 2006 survey results are for survey respondents only (not for all people noted on survey forms)

**11d. Basic Demographics of homeless persons counted (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
185	215	177	227	277	Total persons in survey
157	187	135	196	223	Adults
28	21	38	31	42	Children under age 18
0	7	4	0	12	No age provided
<i>n=185</i>	<i>n=215</i>	<i>n=177</i>	<i>n=227</i>	<i>n=277</i>	
104*	141	89	130	157	Adult males
39*	46	46	59	66	Adult females
0*	7	4	7	12	No age/gender provided
44.3*	43.8	47.0	44.8	43.9	Average age of males
37.5*	36.3	37.3	39.5	37.1	Average age of females
n/a	8.2	4.7	6.6	6.2	Average age of children
<i>n=185</i>	<i>n=215</i>	<i>n=177</i>	<i>n=227</i>	<i>n=277</i>	
58%	57%	58%	63%	57%	White
5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	Black
0%	1%	0%	<1%	3%	Asian
31%	34%	32%	26%	31%	American Indian
1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	Other
4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	No answer
<i>n=152</i>	<i>n=215</i>	<i>n=177</i>	<i>n=227</i>	<i>n=277</i>	
15%	18%	19%	22%	21%	Grade school/some high school
33%	40%	28%	29%	34%	Completed high school
16%	13%	23%	15%	11%	Completed GED
24%	13%	18%	17%	16%	Some college
2%	4%	4%	4%	10%	Completed college
1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	Other
10%	11%	6%	12%	7%	No answer
<i>n=152</i>	<i>n=187</i>	<i>n=137</i>	<i>n=187</i>	<i>n=227</i>	

\* 2006 survey results are for survey respondents only (not for all people noted on survey forms)

**12a. Sources of Income (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
3%	9%	4%	Ask on the street
3%	6%	3%	Blood/plasma donation
4%	0%	4%	Child support
26%	11%	31%	Family/Friends
30%	25%	24%	Food stamps
3%	0%	4%	General assistance
37%	27%	41%	Job
14%	3%	15%	Medicaid
10%	8%	8%	Other
1%	0%	1%	Pension
<1%	0%	<1%	Prostitution
8%	16%	12%	Social Security
7%	6%	9%	SSDI
7%	5%	10%	SSI
<1%	0%	<1%	Survivor benefits
6%	0%	4%	TANF
2%	0%	1%	Unemployment
2%	5%	5%	Veteran's benefits

*n=779*

*n=64*

*n=227*

**12b. Sources of Income (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
3%	5%	4%	2%	3%	Ask on the street
0%	2%	2%	3%	3%	Blood/plasma donation
2%	3%	3%	4%	4%	Child support
20%	16%	20%	18%	26%	Family/Friends
18%	23%	27%	25%	30%	Food stamps
			3%	3%	General assistance
43%	46%	42%	50%	37%	Job
9%	7%	13%	14%	14%	Medicaid
12%	12%	12%	16%	10%	Other
1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	Pension
0%	0%	0%	0%	<1%	Prostitution
6%	10%	12%	5%	8%	Social Security
0%	0%	0%	0%	7%	SSDI
12%	8%	9%	9%	7%	SSI
0%	0%	0%	0%	<1%	Survivor benefits
5%	7%	8%	5%	6%	TANF
1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	Unemployment
4%	2%	4%	3%	2%	Veteran's benefits

*n=516*

*n=605*

*n=554*

*n=716*

*n=779*

**12c. Sources of Income (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
2%	14%	4%	4%	9%	Ask on the street
0%	4%	2%	4%	6%	Blood/plasma donation
0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Child support
16%	14%	12%	4%	11%	Family/Friends
13%	10%	16%	16%	25%	Food stamps
			1%	0%	General assistance
42%	36%	27%	47%	27%	Job
12%	3%	4%	4%	3%	Medicaid
11%	11%	14%	13%	8%	Other
5%	0%	4%	1%	0%	Pension
9%	10%	12%	9%	16%	Social Security
0%	0%	0%	0%	6%	SSDI
27%	9%	10%	9%	5%	SSI
2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	TANF
0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	Unemployment
13%	4%	6%	6%	5%	Veteran's benefits

*n=122*

*n=80*

*n=51*

*n=70*

*n=64*

**12d. Sources of Income (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
3%	11%	7%	3%	4%	Ask on the street
0%	3%	3%	3%	3%	Blood/plasma donation
1%	2%	2%	4%	4%	Child support
18%	16%	19%	13%	31%	Family/Friends
16%	12%	23%	22%	24%	Food stamps
			4%	4%	General assistance
36%	43%	39%	46%	41%	Job
13%	7%	10%	20%	15%	Medicaid
26%	12%	14%	21%	8%	Other
3%	1%	4%	2%	1%	Pension
0%	0%	0%	0%	<1%	Prostitution
9%	15%	10%	7%	12%	Social Security
0%	0%	0%	0%	9%	SSDI
23%	12%	12%	21%	10%	SSI
0%	0%	0%	0%	<1%	Survivor benefits
4%	3%	9%	4%	4%	TANF
0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	Unemployment
10%	4%	9%	5%	5%	Veteran's benefits

*n=152*

*n=187*

*n=137*

*n=187*

*n=227*

**13a. Characteristics of the survey respondents** (Answers to the question: “x” affects me) (2010)

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
38%	38%	18%	Bad credit
21%	17%	24%	Can't locate an apartment
29%	19%	47%	Criminal record
6%	14%	9%	Developmental disability
2%	3%	3%	Discharged—from med. hospital
9%	8%	15%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
14%	17%	15%	Employed
17%	19%	22%	Evicted from apartment
20%	19%	24%	Family breakup
<1%	0%	0%	HIV/AIDS
45%	52%	70%	History of substance abuse
24%	58%	40%	Medical problems
35%	36%	49%	Mental illness
29%	34%	42%	Money management problems
23%	22%	23%	Moved to this area recently
17%	6%	30%	Parolee or probationer
1%	0%	1%	Sexual orientation
52%	64%	58%	Unable to afford rent
0%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
16%	20%	22%	Underemployed
48%	52%	49%	Unemployed
14%	16%	18%	Veteran
16%	11%	14%	Victim of domestic violence
2%	0%	3%	Welfare issues
6%	2%	4%	Other

n=779

n=64

n=227

**13b. Characteristics of the survey respondents** (*Answers to the question: “x” affects me*) (**Comparisons to past years**)

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
34%	32%	26%	31%	38%	Bad credit
18%	21%	21%	16%	21%	Can't locate an apartment
28%	24%	18%	29%	29%	Criminal record
11%	7%	5%	4%	6%	Developmental disability
5%	5%	5%	2%	2%	Discharged—from med. hospital
8%	8%	8%	7%	9%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
21%	21%	14%	13%	14%	Employed
17%	15%	16%	14%	17%	Evicted from apartment
32%	25%	23%	23%	20%	Family breakup
1%	0.3%	0%	1%	<1%	HIV/AIDS
48%	42%	36%	44%	45%	History of substance abuse
31%	22%	25%	27%	24%	Medical problems
35%	32%	33%	33%	35%	Mental illness
40%	33%	24%	30%	29%	Money management problems
27%	19%	28%	21%	23%	Moved to this area recently
18%	8%	11%	17%	17%	Parolee or probationer
1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	Sexual orientation
62%	55%	51%	50%	52%	Unable to afford rent
3%	2%	1%	<1%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
17%	18%	19%	24%	16%	Underemployed
52%	45%	45%	43%	48%	Unemployed
12%	13%	15%	18%	14%	Veteran
21%	14%	20%	16%	16%	Victim of domestic violence
8%	3%	1%	2%	2%	Welfare issues
10%	5%	7%	6%	6%	Other

*n*=516

*n*=605

*n*=554

*n*=716

*n*=779

**13c. Characteristics of the survey respondents (Answers to the question: “x” affects me) (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
37%	38%	29%	37%	38%	Bad credit
16%	14%	20%	16%	17%	Can't locate an apartment
20%	25%	10%	14%	19%	Criminal record
21%	19%	8%	4%	14%	Developmental disability
7%	10%	4%	7%	3%	Discharged—from med. hospital
16%	4%	4%	4%	8%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
23%	28%	4%	9%	17%	Employed
16%	15%	14%	14%	19%	Evicted from apartment
25%	25%	12%	20%	19%	Family breakup
0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	HIV/AIDS
57%	74%	53%	64%	52%	History of substance abuse
54%	41%	49%	47%	58%	Medical problems
50%	36%	39%	34%	36%	Mental illness
53%	40%	24%	34%	34%	Money management problems
20%	16%	29%	17%	22%	Moved to this area recently
12%	4%	6%	3%	6%	Parolee or probationer
2%	1%	4%	0%	0%	Sexual orientation
59%	74%	69%	57%	64%	Unable to afford rent
3%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
22%	23%	22%	24%	20%	Underemployed
48%	58%	59%	47%	52%	Unemployed
25%	24%	31%	21%	16%	Veteran
11%	9%	14%	9%	11%	Victim of domestic violence
4%	3%	0%	1%	0%	Welfare issues
5%	6%	10%	1%	2%	Other

n=122

n=80

n=51

n=70

n=64

**13d. Characteristics of the survey respondents (Answers to the question: “x” affects me) (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
40%	39%	35%	34%	18%	Bad credit
22%	15%	23%	17%	24%	Can't locate an apartment
24%	32%	21%	28%	47%	Criminal record
18%	13%	8%	9%	9%	Developmental disability
6%	6%	7%	5%	3%	Discharged—from med. hospital
13%	14%	13%	16%	15%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
20%	26%	12%	16%	15%	Employed
17%	19%	16%	14%	22%	Evicted from apartment
30%	27%	23%	19%	24%	Family breakup
0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	HIV/AIDS
61%	73%	58%	63%	70%	History of substance abuse
52%	41%	51%	43%	40%	Medical problems
49%	50%	53%	52%	49%	Mental illness
56%	44%	34%	44%	42%	Money management problems
18%	16%	22%	18%	23%	Moved to this area recently
11%	5%	14%	13%	30%	Parolee or probationer
1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	Sexual orientation
65%	62%	63%	46%	58%	Unable to afford rent
2%	2%	0%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
18%	18%	20%	24%	22%	Underemployed
55%	51%	50%	47%	49%	Unemployed
21%	16%	24%	19%	18%	Veteran
16%	15%	22%	12%	14%	Victim of domestic violence
8%	5%	1%	3%	3%	Welfare issues
5%	8%	8%	4%	4%	Other

n=152

n=187

n=137

n=187

n=227

**14a. Is “x” a Reason for your homelessness? (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
18%	14%	18%	Bad Credit
12%	8%	11%	Can't locate an apartment
17%	11%	32%	Criminal record
3%	5%	3%	Developmental disability
1%	0%	1%	Discharged—from med. hospital
4%	3%	7%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
2%	2%	2%	Employed
14%	17%	15%	Evicted from apartment
12%	11%	11%	Family breakup
<1%	0%	<1%	HIV/AIDS
28%	27%	47%	History of substance abuse
7%	22%	9%	Medical problems
16%	17%	25%	Mental illness
12%	19%	16%	Money management problems
8%	3%	4%	Moved to this area recently
11%	0%	22%	Parolee or probationer
<1%	0%	0%	Sexual orientation
16%	58%	39%	Unable to afford rent
0%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
9%	11%	13%	Underemployed
32%	44%	32%	Unemployed
12%	8%	9%	Victim of domestic violence
1%	0%	1%	Welfare
6%	5%	6%	Other

*n=779*

*n=64*

*n=227*

**14b. Is “x” a Reason for your homelessness? (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
14%	12%	9%	14%	18%	Bad Credit
10%	13%	10%	10%	12%	Can't locate an apartment
16%	12%	8%	16%	17%	Criminal record
4%	4%	1%	2%	3%	Developmental disability
2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	Discharged—from hospital
4%	2%	2%	5%	4%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	Employed
13%	12%	11%	10%	14%	Evicted from apartment
21%	15%	14%	15%	12%	Family breakup
0%	1%	0%	<1%	<1%	HIV/AIDS
35%	26%	18%	27%	28%	History of substance abuse
11%	6%	6%	7%	7%	Medical problems
21%	16%	12%	16%	16%	Mental illness
17%	17%	8%	11%	12%	Money management problems
6%	9%	11%	9%	8%	Moved to this area recently
8%	6%	5%	11%	11%	Parolee or probationer
1%	1%	0%	<1%	<1%	Sexual orientation
37%	32%	30%	36%	16%	Unable to afford rent
1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
7%	10%	8%	14%	9%	Underemployed
31%	30%	24%	30%	32%	Unemployed
14%	10%	15%	11%	12%	Victim of domestic violence
2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	Welfare
5%	4%	4%	3%	6%	Other

*n=516*

*n=605*

*n=554*

*n=716*

*n=779*

**14c. Is “x” a Reason for your homelessness? (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
11%	18%	6%	24%	14%	Bad Credit
8%	9%	12%	9%	8%	Can't locate an apartment
17%	10%	2%	7%	11%	Criminal record
9%	8%	4%	4%	5%	Developmental disability
2%	0%	2%	3%	0%	Discharged—from hospital
9%	0%	2%	1%	3%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	Employed
10%	11%	2%	6%	17%	Evicted from apartment
12%	15%	8%	10%	11%	Family breakup
0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	HIV/AIDS
48%	53%	25%	51%	27%	History of substance abuse
21%	10%	12%	19%	22%	Medical problems
34%	19%	16%	23%	17%	Mental illness
21%	33%	10%	17%	19%	Money management problems
3%	9%	6%	4%	3%	Moved to this area recently
9%	4%	0%	0%	0%	Parolee or probationer
2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Sexual orientation
27%	61%	29%	44%	58%	Unable to afford rent
0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
7%	11%	8%	16%	11%	Underemployed
24%	53%	27%	37%	44%	Unemployed
6%	8%	8%	4%	8%	Victim of domestic violence
1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	Welfare
3%	4%	4%	1%	5%	Other

*n*=122

*n*=80

*n*=51

*n*=70

*n*=64

**14d. Is “x” a Reason for your homelessness? (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
16%	13%	12%	14%	18%	Bad Credit
10%	9%	12%	10%	11%	Can't locate an apartment
18%	17%	10%	13%	32%	Criminal record
8%	6%	1%	4%	3%	Developmental disability
2%	1%	4%	1%	1%	Discharged—from hospital
8%	2%	4%	11%	7%	Discharged—from psych. hospital
0%	1%	0%	0%	2%	Employed
13%	13%	9%	9%	15%	Evicted from apartment
18%	15%	12%	10%	11%	Family breakup
0%	1%	1%	0%	<1%	HIV/AIDS
51%	43%	25%	41%	47%	History of substance abuse
22%	7%	10%	13%	9%	Medical problems
34%	25%	19%	28%	25%	Mental illness
24%	24%	12%	14%	16%	Money management problems
3%	6%	9%	5%	4%	Moved to this area recently
9%	5%	1%	3%	22%	Parolee or probationer
1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Sexual orientation
35%	41%	33%	33%	39%	Unable to afford rent
0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Unaccompanied youth
6%	8%	9%	10%	13%	Underemployed
28%	34%	26%	27%	32%	Unemployed
11%	8%	14%	7%	9%	Victim of domestic violence
2%	3%	0%	1%	1%	Welfare
3%	4%	5%	2%	6%	Other

*n=152*

*n=187*

*n=137*

*n=187*

*n=227*

15a. Service utilization (2010)

	2010 Total ND			2010 Chronic ND			2010 LTH ND		
	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access
<b>Basic Needs</b>									
Emergency Shelter	35%	1%	8%	75%	2%	2%	28%	1%	4%
Food/Hot Meals	60%	1%	2%	91%	2%	3%	80%	1%	2%
Clothing	45%	2%	4%	78%	0%	3%	58%	2%	2%
Case Management	55%	3%	3%	70%	0%	2%	75%	1%	1%
<b>Health Care Needs</b>									
Mental Health Care	30%	2%	3%	16%	2%	5%	39%	3%	5%
Medical/Dental	32%	5%	7%	52%	6%	11%	41%	7%	6%
Medication	32%	2%	4%	36%	6%	6%	45%	2%	4%
Domestic Violence Services	11%	1%	2%	3%	0%	3%	10%	0%	1%
Substance Abuse Services	23%	2%	2%	8%	2%	2%	36%	3%	3%
<b>Stabilizing Needs</b>									
Transitional Housing	34%	5%	10%	25%	8%	13%	52%	4%	8%
Permanent Housing	8%	22%	20%	19%	14%	17%	14%	24%	20%
Housing Placement	15%	10%	7%	5%	6%	9%	13%	17%	9%
Job Training/Placement	11%	10%	7%	5%	6%	3%	14%	12%	5%
Life Skills training	18%	4%	3%	5%	3%	5%	33%	5%	2%
Child Care	5%	2%	2%	2%	0%	3%	5%	<1%	1%
Legal Aid	2%	2%	4%	2%	2%	5%	3%	2%	4%
GED/English Classes	6%	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	5%	2%	2%
Transportation	37%	4%	11%	23%	2%	20%	48%	3%	11%
Storage	13%	1%	5%	31%	2%	8%	16%	1%	4%
Relocation Assistance	3%	5%	7%	0%	3%	2%	1%	11%	7%
<b>Mainstream Resources</b>									
Veterans Benefits	5%	1%	2%	11%	2%	2%	9%	2%	1%
Food Stamps	31%	6%	5%	30%	6%	0%	25%	3%	2%
SSI	9%	3%	4%	13%	3%	2%	15%	3%	4%
SSDI	8%	3%	5%	8%	5%	3%	11%	5%	4%
TANF	5%	3%	4%	0%	0%	3%	5%	1%	3%
Immigration Documentation	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Other	1%	<1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%	0%	1%
	n=779	n=779	n=779	n=64	n=64	n=64	n=227	n=227	n=227

**15b. Service utilization (Comparisons to past years)**

	2008 Total ND			2009 Total ND			2010 Total ND		
	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access
<b>Basic Needs</b>									
Emergency Shelter	52%	2%	5%	44%	1%	4%	35%	1%	8%
Food/Hot Meals	60%	1%	2%	61%	1%	2%	60%	1%	2%
Clothing	45%	1%	4%	51%	2%	3%	45%	2%	4%
Case Management	55%	2%	2%	60%	3%	3%	55%	3%	3%
<b>Health Care Needs</b>									
Mental Health Care	30%	4%	2%	29%	5%	2%	30%	2%	3%
Medical/Dental	26%	7%	7%	31%	6%	8%	32%	5%	7%
Medication	32%	4%	5%	33%	3%	6%	32%	2%	4%
Domestic Violence Services	13%	1%	1%	10%	2%	2%	11%	1%	2%
Substance Abuse Services	18%	2%	1%	22%	3%	3%	23%	2%	2%
<b>Stabilizing Needs</b>									
Transitional Housing	28%	7%	6%	35%	8%	7%	34%	5%	10%
Permanent Housing	3%	20%	15%	4%	25%	20%	8%	22%	20%
Housing Placement	8%	7%	5%	10%	8%	7%	15%	10%	7%
Job Training/Placement	10%	7%	4%	14%	10%	9%	11%	10%	7%
Life Skills training	18%	2%	3%	22%	2%	2%	18%	4%	3%
Child Care	6%	3%	1%	6%	3%	2%	5%	2%	2%
Legal Aid	3%	2%	4%	4%	2%	4%	2%	2%	4%
GED/English Classes	6%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%	6%	2%	2%
Transportation	33%	3%	11%	38%	4%	17%	37%	4%	11%
Storage	11%	1%	3%	11%	1%	3%	13%	1%	5%
Relocation Assistance	2%	5%	5%	2%	4%	6%	3%	5%	7%
<b>Mainstream Resources</b>									
Veterans Benefits	4%	1%	1%	5%	1%	3%	5%	1%	2%
Food Stamps	30%	6%	4%	28%	5%	5%	31%	6%	5%
SSI	9%	3%	3%	8%	3%	5%	9%	3%	4%
SSDI	8%	3%	3%	8%	4%	5%	8%	3%	5%
TANF	6%	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%	5%	3%	4%
Immigration Documentation	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
Other	1%	1%	1%	<1%	1%	1%	1%	<1%	1%
	n=554	n=554	n=554	n=716	n=716	n=716	n=779	n=779	n=779

**15c. Service utilization (Chronic homeless)**

	2008 Chronic ND			2009 Chronic ND			2010 Chronic ND		
	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access
<b>Basic Needs</b>									
Emergency Shelter	92%	0%	0%	74%	0%	0%	75%	2%	2%
Food/Hot Meals	75%	2%	2%	81%	1%	1%	91%	2%	3%
Clothing	73%	0%	6%	73%	0%	3%	78%	0%	3%
Case Management	53%	2%	2%	60%	1%	6%	70%	0%	2%
<b>Health Care Needs</b>									
Mental Health Care	16%	8%	4%	20%	6%	1%	16%	2%	5%
Medical/Dental	27%	10%	18%	53%	7%	7%	52%	6%	11%
Medication	29%	6%	4%	49%	3%	6%	36%	6%	6%
Domestic Violence Services	6%	2%	4%	6%	0%	1%	3%	0%	3%
Substance Abuse Services	10%	2%	2%	19%	3%	4%	8%	2%	2%
<b>Stabilizing Needs</b>									
Transitional Housing	2%	10%	8%	24%	6%	7%	25	8%	13%
Permanent Housing	2%	16%	16%	3%	16%	26%	19%	14%	17%
Housing Placement	2%	6%	10%	7%	3%	11%	5%	6%	9%
Job Training/Placement	0%	4%	4%	7%	3%	11%	5%	6%	3%
Life Skills training	4%	0%	4%	10%	1%	3%	5%	3%	5%
Child Care	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	3%
Legal Aid	4%	2%	4%	4%	1%	6%	2%	2%	5%
GED/English Classes	2%	0%	2%	1%	0%	4%	2%	0%	2%
Transportation	16%	4%	10%	16%	1%	23%	23%	2%	20%
Storage	14%	0%	2%	27%	1%	1%	31%	2%	8%
Relocation Assistance	2%	4%	2%	0%	1%	7%	0%	3%	2%
<b>Mainstream Resources</b>									
Veterans Benefits	6%	2%	4%	10%	3%	6%	11%	2%	2%
Food Stamps	20%	2%	4%	19%	4%	10%	30%	6%	0%
SSI	14%	4%	4%	9%	6%	9%	13%	3%	2%
SSDI	4%	4%	6%	7%	7%	9%	8%	5%	3%
TANF	0%	0%	4%	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	3%
Immigration Documentation	0%	0%	4%	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	2%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	2%
	n=51	n=51	n=51	n=70	n=70	n=70	n=64	n=64	n=64

**15d. Service utilization (Long-term homeless)**

	2008 LTH ND			2009 LTH ND			2010 LTH ND		
	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access	Received	Waiting to Receive	Difficult to Access
<b>Basic Needs</b>									
Emergency Shelter	53%	3%	6%	40%	1%	4%	28%	1%	4%
Food/Hot Meals	72%	1%	3%	69%	1%	2%	80%	1%	2%
Clothing	64%	1%	7%	52%	1%	5%	58%	2%	2%
Case Management	71%	2%	4%	65%	2%	4%	75%	1%	1%
<b>Health Care Needs</b>									
Mental Health Care	39%	6%	5%	43%	4%	2%	39%	3%	5%
Medical/Dental	33%	9%	11%	49%	8%	7%	41%	7%	6%
Medication	45%	7%	7%	51%	4%	5%	45%	2%	4%
Domestic Violence Services	9%	1%	2%	7%	2%	2%	10%	0%	1%
Substance Abuse Services	25%	3%	2%	26%	4%	3%	36%	3%	3%
<b>Stabilizing Needs</b>									
Transitional Housing	35%	7%	7%	41%	8%	9%	52%	4%	8%
Permanent Housing	1%	20%	15%	3%	19%	20%	14%	24%	20%
Housing Placement	6%	7%	9%	9%	5%	9%	13%	17%	9%
Job Training/Placement	7%	7%	6%	19%	7%	6%	14%	12%	5%
Life Skills training	18%	3%	4%	28%	3%	4%	33%	5%	2%
Child Care	6%	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%	5%	<1%	1%
Legal Aid	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	4%
GED/English Classes	7%	1%	2%	5%	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%
Transportation	29%	4%	11%	34%	3%	15%	48%	3%	11%
Storage	15%	1%	4%	19%	1%	3%	16%	1%	4%
Relocation Assistance	1%	4%	8%	2%	4%	6%	1%	11%	7%
<b>Mainstream Resources</b>									
Veterans Benefits	7%	1%	2%	9%	2%	4%	9%	2%	1%
Food Stamps	26%	4%	4%	25%	5%	7%	25%	3%	2%
SSI	9%	4%	4%	19%	5%	7%	15%	3%	4%
SSDI	8%	3%	4%	17%	5%	7%	11%	5%	4%
TANF	7%	1%	4%	4%	1%	2%	5%	1%	3%
Immigration Documentation	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Other	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
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**16a. “What services would help you the most to find or obtain housing?” (2010)**

<b>2010 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
1%	2%	<1%	Addiction services/Stay sober
7%	6%	6%	Affordable housing (willing landlord, lower rent)
2%	0%	3%	Better credit/no credit check
7%	6%	11%	Car/Transportation
6%	5%	5%	Case management
1%	2%	1%	Child Care
1%	0%	1%	Food/Clothing
16%	11%	22%	Housing assistance (Sec 8, etc)
3%	2%	6%	Housing for criminal background
1%	3%	1%	Housing planning
6%	3%	11%	Income
1%	0%	0%	Internet access
11%	8%	13%	Job
3%	2%	2%	Job training/education/job placement
3%	3%	3%	Life skills/credit counseling/money mgmt
2%	0%	2%	Medical/dental/mental health/domestic violence
5%	3%	4%	More available housing
40%	50%	33%	No answer
8%	3%	14%	Other
2%	0%	2%	Permanent housing
<1%	0%	0%	Receive benefits (TANF, SSI, SSDI, VA)
1%	0%	1%	Relocation assistance
6%	2%	7%	Rent deposit/1 <sup>st</sup> month rent
<1%	0%	<1%	Reunification with family
5%	5%	3%	Shelter/Transitional housing

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**16b. “What services would help you the most to find or obtain housing?” (Comparisons to past years)**

<b>2006 Total ND</b>	<b>2007 Total ND</b>	<b>2008 Total ND</b>	<b>2009 Total ND</b>	<b>2010 Total ND</b>	
9%	5%	1%	1%	1%	Addiction services/Stay sober
29%	4%	6%	6%	7%	Affordable housing (willing landlord, lower rent)
				2%	Better credit/no credit check
13%	6%	2%	8%	7%	Car/Transportation
9%	3%	8%	7%	6%	Case management
2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	Child Care
3%	1%	0%	<1%	1%	Food/Clothing
12%	7%	8%	9%	16%	Housing assistance (Sec 8, etc)
2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	Housing for criminal background
8%	3%	0%	1%	1%	Housing planning
8%	5%	3%	6%	6%	Income
				1%	Internet access
33%	14%	10%	18%	11%	Job
13%	4%	4%	3%	3%	Job training/education/job placement
7%	1%	3%	1%	3%	Life skills/credit counseling/money mgmt
7%	2%	3%	3%	2%	Medical/dental/mental health/domestic violence
0%	8%	7%	3%	5%	More available housing
0%	44%	54%	48%	40%	No answer
12%	10%	6%	12%	8%	Other
0%	5%	1%	1%	2%	Permanent housing
5%	2%	2%	3%	<1%	Receive benefits (TANF, SSI, SSDI, VA)
0%	9%	1%	2%	1%	Relocation assistance
8%	2%	2%	3%	6%	Rent deposit/1 <sup>st</sup> month rent
1%	1%	0%	0%	<1%	Reunification with family
6%	4%	3%	2%	5%	Shelter/Transitional housing

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**16c. “What services would help you the most to find or obtain housing?” (Chronic homeless)**

<b>2006 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2007 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2008 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2009 Chronic ND</b>	<b>2010 Chronic ND</b>	
8%	19%	0%	1%	2%	Addiction services/Stay sober
31%	3%	6%	6%	6%	Affordable housing (willing landlord, lower rent)
14%	6%	2%	1%	6%	Car/Transportation
6%	1%	0%	11%	5%	Case management
0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	Child Care
2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	Food/Clothing
8%	4%	8%	7%	11%	Housing assistance (Sec 8, etc)
2%	0%	0%	1%	2%	Housing for criminal background
12%	3%	3%	0%	3%	Housing planning
2%	9%	0%	6%	3%	Income
35%	15%	12%	9%	8%	Job
10%	0%	0%	4%	2%	Job training/education/job placement
12%	0%	2%	1%	3%	Life skills/credit counseling/money mgmt
12%	3%	0%	1%	0%	Medical/dental/mental health/domestic violence
0%	1%	6%	4%	3%	More available housing
0%	46%	69%	59%	50%	No answer
18%	8%	4%	11%	3%	Other
0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	Permanent housing
6%	4%	2%	1%	0%	Receive benefits (TANF, SSI, SSDI, VA)
0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	Relocation assistance
4%	1%	0%	3%	2%	Rent deposit/1 <sup>st</sup> month rent
0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	Reunification with family
4%	1%	4%	0%	5%	Shelter/Transitional housing

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**16d. “What services would help you the most to find or obtain housing?” (Long-term homeless)**

<b>2006 LTH ND</b>	<b>2007 LTH ND</b>	<b>2008 LTH ND</b>	<b>2009 LTH ND</b>	<b>2010 LTH ND</b>	
7%	9%	0%	3%	<1%	Addiction services/Stay sober
32%	2%	4%	6%	6%	Affordable housing (willing landlord, lower rent)
				3%	Better credit/no credit check
18%	7%	4%	6%	11%	Car/Transportation
4%	2%	3%	9%	5%	Case management
1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	Child Care
3%	1%	0%	1%	1%	Food/Clothing
8%	7%	7%	4%	22%	Housing assistance (Sec 8, etc)
3%	1%	1%	2%	6%	Housing for criminal background
11%	3%	0%	0%	1%	Housing planning
4%	7%	1%	3%	11%	Income
31%	14%	13%	13%	13%	Job
15%	2%	2%	3%	2%	Job training/education/job placement
11%	1%	3%	1%	3%	Life skills/credit counseling/money mgmt
8%	3%	1%	3%	2%	Medical/dental/mental health/domestic violence
0%	6%	7%	4%	4%	More available housing
0%	51%	64%	58%	33%	No answer
19%	7%	7%	8%	14%	Other
0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	Permanent housing
7%	2%	2%	2%	0%	Receive benefits (TANF, SSI, SSDI, VA)
0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	Relocation assistance
13%	2%	2%	2%	7%	Rent deposit/1 <sup>st</sup> month rent
0%	0%	0%	0%	<1%	Reunification with family
3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	Shelter/Transitional housing

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