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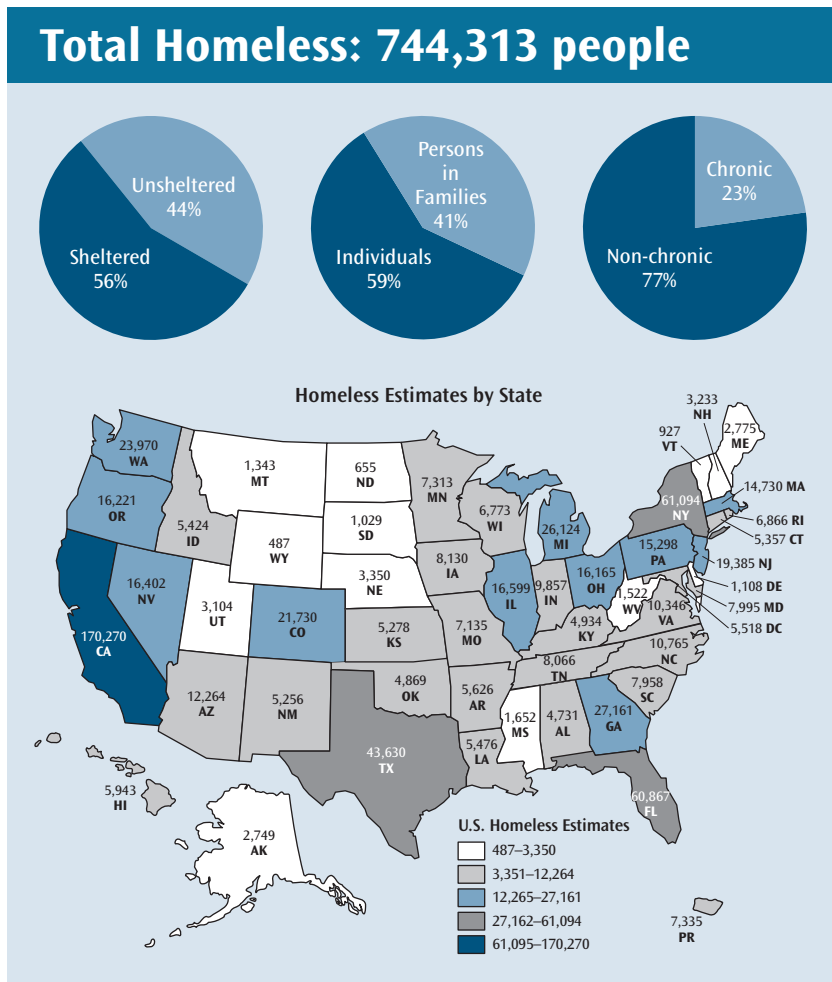
# Summary

**A** movement to end homelessness is underway. Thousands of stakeholders—policymakers, advocates, researchers, practitioners, former and current homeless people, community leaders, and concerned citizens—from across the country are involved in efforts to end homelessness at the local and national level. Today, hundreds of communities are re-tooling their homeless assistance systems and have committed to ending homelessness through local plans. At the federal level, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development’s (HUD) homelessness assistance programs are targeting resources to permanent housing, and the Congress and the Bush Administration have committed to ending chronic homelessness by developing 150,000 units of permanent supportive housing for people who have been homeless for long periods. The private sector, through major philanthropic organizations, is engaging and funding efforts that focus on permanent solutions for homeless people. And new research and imaginative policies at the state and local level are paving the way. Taken together, these efforts represent a nationwide effort to end homelessness.

How will we know if these efforts are successful? This report lays the groundwork for measuring efforts to end homelessness by establishing a baseline number of homeless people from which to monitor trends in homelessness. We use local point-in-time counts of homeless people to create an estimate of the number of homeless people nationwide. As with all data, the counts included in this report are not perfect and have numerous limitations, but they are the best data available at this time.

In January 2005, an estimated 744,313 people experienced homelessness.

- 56 percent of homeless people counted were living in shelters and transitional housing and, shockingly, 44 percent were unsheltered.
- 59 percent of homeless people counted were single adults and 41 percent were persons living in families.



Today, thousands of people—policy-makers, advocates, researchers, practitioners, former and current homeless people, community leaders, philanthropist, and citizens—from across the country are working to end homelessness.

- In total, 98,452 homeless families were counted.
- 23 percent of homeless people were reported as chronically homeless, which, according to HUD’s definition, means that they are homeless for long periods or repeatedly and have a disability.
- A number of states had high rates of homelessness, including Alaska, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Washington State. In addition, Washington, DC had a high rate of homeless people.

These statistics show that far too many people are homeless. There is, however, reason for optimism. During the past five years, community approaches to homelessness have changed and thousands of people are working toward the shared goal of ending homelessness. Measuring their success or failure will depend on collecting and analyzing outcome data, monitoring changes in homelessness populations, and understanding which interventions lead to different outcomes. Yet, up until now, we had no recent data on how many people are homeless in the United States. The data in this report represent the first effort to count homeless people nationwide in 10 years. We hope to make this report an annual report, tracking progress on the efforts to end homelessness nationwide. It is our belief that what gets measured, gets done.

## Ending Homelessness in America

Can we really end homelessness? In 2000, the National Alliance to End Homelessness issued a challenge to American communities to end homelessness in 10 years. Our Ten Year Plan provides a road map: (1) strengthen prevention; (2) focus on permanent housing; (3) support long-term, data-driven strategies at the community level; and (4) rebuild the support system for low-income Americans.<sup>1</sup>

Today, thousands of people—policymakers, advocates, researchers, practitioners, former and current homeless people, community leaders, philanthropists, and citizens—from across the country are working to end homelessness. They are dramatically changing the landscape for homeless people and leading communities in a new direction that reaches for results. Their efforts are striking:

- Over 200 communities across the country are undertaking planning efforts to end homelessness; 90 of these communities have completed plans.<sup>2</sup> Answering a challenge from the U.S. Interagency Council, the National League of Cities, National

<sup>1</sup> To read the National Alliance to End Homelessness’ Ten Year Plan, *A Plan, Not a Dream: How to End Homelessness in Ten Years*, please visit [www.endhomelessness.org](http://www.endhomelessness.org).

<sup>2</sup> See “A New Vision: What Is in Community Plans to End Homelessness,” National Alliance to End Homelessness (2006).

Association of Counties, and U.S. Conference of Mayors have committed to the goal of ending chronic homelessness at the local level.<sup>3</sup>

- Policy changes at the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) are ensuring that Continuums of Care (CoCs), the local or regional bodies that coordinate services and funding for homeless people and families, focus on permanent housing.<sup>4</sup> Many communities are re-tooling their homeless assistance systems using Housing First approaches that help people exit shelter and access affordable housing faster.<sup>5</sup>
- President Bush made ending chronic homelessness in 10 years an administration-wide goal and, each year since 2004, the President has requested an increase in homelessness assistance funding.<sup>6</sup>
- Congress, on a bipartisan basis, committed to creating 150,000 units of permanent supportive housing for chronically homeless people. The 90 community plans completed to date call for creating 80,000 permanent supportive housing units.<sup>7</sup>
- Major foundations and corporations came together with the Corporation for Supportive Housing and the National Alliance to End Homelessness to form the Partnership to End Long Term Homelessness (PELTH), committing \$36 million to the problem and pledging to engage the philanthropic sector in the effort.<sup>8</sup>
- New research on chronic homelessness crystallized effective solutions, highlighting the need for permanent supportive housing. Research on how to get families back into housing faster is emerging.<sup>9</sup>

Taken together, these efforts represent a national effort to end homelessness. Today, homelessness is a problem with a solution, instead of something that will always exist no matter what we do or how much money we throw at it. Challenges remain formidable, but these efforts have the potential to translate into nationwide declines in homelessness. How will we know if they are successful? The purpose of this report is to create a baseline from which to measure progress in ending homelessness. To do so, we compiled local point-in-time counts of homeless people taken in 2005. This report discusses the importance of setting a baseline, provides a brief history of counting homeless people, and then presents our findings from this analysis, including a national estimate and counts of homeless people by state and community.

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<sup>3</sup> In 2003, at the annual meeting of the U.S. Conference of Mayors, U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness Executive Director Philip Mangano challenged 100 cities to create plans to end chronic homelessness and the U.S. Conference of Mayors adopted a resolution in support of this challenge. The National League of Cities and the National Association of Counties also adopted resolutions in favor of plans to end homelessness.

<sup>4</sup> HUD has renewed the department's public commitment to providing permanent housing through the homeless assistance program. The percentage of HUD homeless assistance funding that goes to housing has increased substantially. In 2005, 58 percent of funds supported housing activities versus just 43 percent in 1998. See HUD (2006c).

<sup>5</sup> For more information on communities making progress in ending homelessness, please see our *Community Snapshot* series available at [www.endhomelessness.org](http://www.endhomelessness.org).

<sup>6</sup> The first commitment came from HUD Secretary Mel Martinez in his remarks at the National Alliance to End Homelessness' annual conference. See "Taking on the Problem that 'Cannot Be Solved.'" Remarks prepared for delivery by Secretary Mel Martinez, Friday, July 20, 2001. President Bush later made a commitment in the FY 2003 Federal Budget.

<sup>7</sup> See "A New Vision: What Is in Community Plans to End Homelessness," National Alliance to End Homelessness (2006).

<sup>8</sup> For more information on PELTH, visit [www.endlongtermhomelessness.org](http://www.endlongtermhomelessness.org).

<sup>9</sup> Some of the most important research on permanent supportive housing has been conducted by Dr. Dennis Culhane of the University of Pennsylvania. See Culhane (2002) for details on findings and Gladwell (2006) for a description of how the research can be applied and why it is revolutionizing approaches to homelessness.

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# Measuring Progress and Creating a Baseline

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Now that the goal of ending homelessness is set—and supported by the President, Congress, and community leaders—measuring progress is the next critical step. “What gets measured, gets done” is a popular adage that rings true. If we do not measure progress, we will not know if efforts to end homelessness are showing results. To measure progress, stakeholders must establish a baseline to record how many people are currently homeless. Next, numeric targets and a time line to meet the goal of ending homelessness should be developed. The final step in measuring progress is collecting data on specific performance measures and monitoring outcomes. Data are critical to measuring and tracking progress over time. Unfortunately, collecting data on how many people experience homelessness is a costly endeavor fraught with methodological, logistical, and political challenges.

## Setting a National Baseline: Estimating the Number of Homeless People

How many people are currently homeless in the United States? The answer to this question is important because it establishes the dimensions of the problem and helps policymakers and program administrators track progress on the goal of ending homelessness. Collecting data on homelessness and tracking progress can inform public opinion, increase public awareness, and attract resources that lead to the eradication of the problem. Notwithstanding the critical role of data in crafting solutions to end homelessness, the task of estimating the number of homeless people and collecting data on their characteristics is considerably difficult.

The challenges associated with estimating the number of homeless people are not new. Since the mid-1980s, advocates, policymakers, and researchers have struggled with the



## A Brief History of Counting The Homeless Population

Counting the number of homeless people in the United States is methodologically challenging and highly political—a dangerous combination with an interesting history. Past estimates of the number of homeless people range from 250,000 to 3 million homeless people (see Table 1). The 3 million estimate was put forth in 1983 by Mitch Snyder and Mary Ellen Hombs of the Community for Creative Non-violence (CCNV). Hombs and Snyder arrived at the number by asking service providers in 14 cities how many people were homeless and then extrapolated, using an unknown method, to get a figure of 2.2 to 3 million.<sup>a</sup> Although generally viewed as a “guestimate,” the numbers were used repeatedly by the media, eventually becoming ubiquitous.

In 1984, HUD conducted a similar study that also involved local informant estimates as well as enumeration and reported a figure a fraction of the size. The HUD report estimated 250,000–350,000 homeless people at a point in time. Despite the fact that the HUD number was arrived at by professional social scientists, the estimate was “greeted by advocates, media pundits, and sundry members of Congress with fury.” HUD was accused of having a “hidden agenda” and of “rig[ging] the numbers.”<sup>b</sup> The political implication of the difference between the activist’s counts and the HUD counts are still felt and provide good reason to approach homelessness counts with care and caution.

The Census Bureau attempted to include individuals living on the street and in places not intended for human habitation in the 1970, 1980, and 1990 decennial censuses. In 1980, the Census conducted a “casual count” of the homeless population by selecting urban areas over a two-week period. This count took place six weeks after the Decennial Census and involved shelter counts during evening hours and public places sampling during the day. Enumerators interviewed people at employment offices and welfare and food stamp offices, as well as street locations and parks until 8:00 p.m., to identify individuals who had not been included in the original count. Due to methodological problems, the count was not released.

In 1987, the Urban Institute conducted a study providing one-day and one-week estimates on the number of homeless people in the country. This month-long project counted clients of shelters as well as soup kitchens. Enumerating at soup kitchens allowed the researchers to count the often difficult-to-count street population. This study estimated 229,000 homeless adults and children on any given day in cities of over 100,000 people.<sup>c</sup>

In 1990, Census enumerators again performed the shelter count during the late evening and early morning hours, but decided to use a nighttime street enumeration instead of the day count for the 1990 decennial census. On March 20–21, 1990, the S-Night count resulted in about 228,000 homeless persons enumerated. The Bureau believed that the 1990 S-Night count procedures enabled them to resolve any concerns about double-counting.<sup>d</sup>

In 1996, the U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness contracted the Urban Institute to conduct the last national count of homeless people in the United States. The National Survey of Homeless Assistance Providers and Clients had a number of methodological variations from previous counts. It did not include a street count, but counted clients at soup kitchens, shelters, and other homeless service providers. The study found that between 444,000 and 842,000 people in the United States are homeless. This study, conducted more than 10 years ago, is the last national count.

<sup>a</sup> See *Estimates and Public Policy: The Politics of Numbers* (Kondratas, 1991).

<sup>b</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 635.

<sup>c</sup> See *Helping America’s Homeless: Emergency Shelter or Affordable Housing* (Burt et al., 2001).

<sup>d</sup> See *Counting the Homeless: Limitations of the 1990 Census Results and Methodology* (U.S. General Accounting Office, 1991).

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#### A Brief History of Counting The Homeless Population *(continued)*

Year	Homeless Estimate	Methodology	Source
1980	---	Evening shelter count, daytime public places sampling, interviews at welfare and employment offices. (S-Night)	Census Bureau
1983	2.2–3 million	Estimates by local informants extrapolated to national figure	CCNV
1984	250,000–350,000	Estimates by local informants; selected city street and shelter counts	HUD
1987	229,000	Surveys/counts of homeless service providers	Urban Institute
1990	228,000	Nighttime street and shelter count (S-Night)	Census Bureau
1996	842,000 (February); 444,000 (October)	Surveys/counts of homeless service providers.	Urban Institute

task of assembling accurate estimates (see “A Brief History of Counting Homeless People”).<sup>10</sup> Defining who is homeless, essentially identifying who to count, even with an official definition, is a complicated task. By attempting to count a population that is without a home or, as some say, “without place,” enumeration efforts must overcome problems that are inherent to the question they seek to answer. Finding homeless people—notably homeless people living on the street rather than in emergency shelters—is often the biggest challenge. For all of these reasons and many more, estimates of the number of homeless people are highly controversial and are often met with skepticism. Counting the number of homeless people has been described as a “high-stakes numbers game.”<sup>11</sup>

The last nationwide count, and the most rigorous national estimate, of homeless people—the National Survey of Homeless Assistance Providers and Clients (NSHAPC)—was taken over 10 years ago in 1996. This research was sponsored by the U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness and conducted by the Urban Institute. Based on counts of homeless people from a sample of homeless service providers from across the country, the study found that between 444,000 and 842,000 people in the United States are homeless.<sup>12</sup> At the time, the lead researcher of the study, Martha Burt of the Urban Institute, estimated the actual number of homeless people to be around 800,000.<sup>13</sup> The NSHAPC study estimate provides data on how many people are homeless at a specific point in time. The reality is that the homeless population is quite fluid—people move in and out of homelessness and

<sup>10</sup> See Homelessness in America (Baumohl, 1996) for a historical review of efforts to enumerate homelessness in the United States.

<sup>11</sup> See “Counting the Homeless Is a High Stakes Numbers Game” (Rivenburg, 2006).

<sup>12</sup> See America’s Homeless II: Populations and Services (Urban Institute, 2000) for more on the study, estimates, and sampling methods.

<sup>13</sup> See What Will It Take to End Homelessness? (Burt, 2001).

most are homeless for short periods of time. To create an annual estimate of homelessness, Burt and colleagues extrapolated this number, estimating that between 2.3 and 3.5 million people per year experience homelessness.<sup>14</sup>

Although this landmark study revealed a wealth of information on homelessness, national enumeration efforts like the one described above are logistically difficult, methodologically challenging, and expensive. To overcome these challenges, HUD has undertaken two strategies to improve the availability of the data: (1) requiring CoCs to develop administrative data systems; and (2) requiring CoCs to conduct point-in-time counts every other year. Both of these strategies focus on collecting data locally and then aggregating to obtain a national estimate. The first strategy was initiated in 2001, when Congress required all CoCs to create Homeless Management Information Systems (HMIS).<sup>15</sup> These administrative data systems collect data on the characteristics of homeless people entering and exiting the homeless assistance system. Progress on HMIS has been slow, but steady. Today, almost 75 percent of CoCs have implemented HMIS systems.<sup>16</sup> HMIS is a critical tool, but it only collects data on homeless people inside the system. To overcome this gap, in 2003, HUD required CoCs to collect data on the number of people who are homeless—both sheltered and unsheltered—in their community.<sup>17</sup> The quality of these point-in-time counts is uneven, with some jurisdictions using more rigorous methods than others. There have, however, been significant efforts from HUD to provide guidance and increase technical assistance to help local communities collect accurate estimates.<sup>18</sup>

## About the Data in This Report

The purpose of this report is to establish a nationwide baseline—an estimate of how many homeless people sleep in shelters and on the streets—so that we can measure progress toward the goal of ending homelessness. The data in this report are estimates of how many people experience homelessness in communities across the United States. The report tabulates and summarizes data from 463 CoC point-in-time studies conducted in 2005.

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<sup>14</sup> Urban Institute (2000).

<sup>15</sup> See FY 2002 Appropriations Bill.

<sup>16</sup> For more information on HMIS progress, see Report to Congress: Fifth Progress Report on HUD's Strategy for Improving Homeless Data Collection, Reporting, and Analysis (HUD, 2006b).

<sup>17</sup> See SuperNOFA (HUD, 2003).

<sup>18</sup> See A Guide to Counting Homeless People (HUD, 2006a) for more on community approaches to counting homeless people.

No data are without flaws and limitations. As such, these counts are not perfect and should be used as rough guidelines rather than precise estimates. The data limitations for the local point-in-time counts in this report are similar to all counts of homeless people. The limitations include definitional issues, finding homeless people, data collection and enumeration methods, sampling and extrapolation, de-duplicating, and differing time frames. In addition, because it is up to CoCs to design data collection methods that meet local needs, each CoC uses different methods to collect and assemble an estimate. This means that in addition to general limitations, each local point-in-time estimate holds its own unique data limitations. Because communities used varying methods for collecting point-in-time data, we caution the users of these data against comparing the data by jurisdiction because doing so runs the risks of the “apples and oranges” problem. Additional information about the methodology that CoCs use to assemble estimates can be found in an appendix to this report.

## National Estimate

By tabulating local point-in-time estimates, we found that 744,313 people in the United States experienced homelessness in January 2005. This number is adjusted for data summation errors and inaccurate outliers.<sup>19</sup> We provide both the adjusted total and the unadjusted total for the reader (see Table 1). The total adjusted estimate for January 2005 (744,313) falls within the parameters of the 1996 estimate; however, it is difficult to say if the 2005 estimate is an increase, decrease, or no change from the 1996 estimate. While it is hard to say anything about trends in homelessness during the past

**Table 1** Estimates of U.S. Homelessness

Total Homeless Estimate January 2005 Adjusted Total <sup>a</sup>	Total Homeless Estimate January 2005 Unadjusted Total <sup>b</sup>	Total Homeless Estimate 1996 <sup>c</sup>
744,313	804,212	444,000–842,000

<sup>a</sup>This number is an adjusted tabulation of 2005 CoC point-in-time estimates. These data were adjusted and corrected for data entry errors, summation errors, and outliers that provided unscientific estimates or estimates that did not follow HUD’s guidance for counting homeless people. For more on data cleaning techniques, please see the methodological appendix.

<sup>b</sup>The unadjusted total is the total before we cleaned the data as described above and in the methodological appendix.

<sup>c</sup>See Burt et al. (1999) for a description of the last national estimate of homelessness.

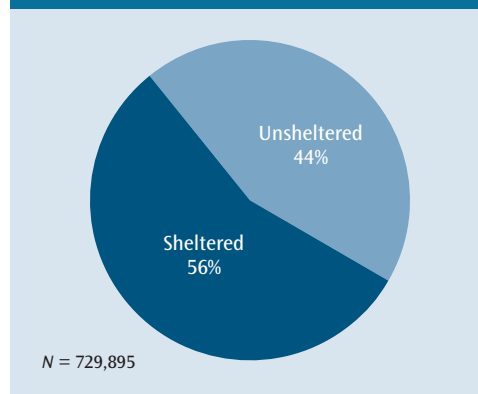
<sup>19</sup> See the methodological appendix for more information on data cleaning techniques.

10 years, it is worth noting that the size of the U.S. population, something that could affect the size of the homeless population, increased dramatically during this period. Further, while we do make comparisons to the general population and poor population, point-in-time estimates only tell us how many people are homeless at a given time; the reality, however, is that many more people experience homelessness annually—people move in and out of homelessness and most people are homeless for only a short period of time. The NSHAPC study estimated that between 2.3 and 3.5 million people are homeless in a given year—nearly 1 to 2 percent of the total population.<sup>20</sup> In short, point-in-time counts, like the estimates in this report, will always represent a smaller percentage of the population when compared to annual estimates.

## Sheltered or Unsheltered

The CoC estimates enumerate how many homeless people are living in shelters (this can include emergency shelters and transitional housing) and how many homeless people are literally sleeping and living on the street. The estimates show that 56 percent (407,813) of homeless people were living in shelters and 44 percent (322,082) of homeless people were unsheltered (see Exhibit 1). These point-in-time surveys were taken in January, so it is shocking that more than 300,000 people were sleeping on the street. These data suggest two possible explanations for the high number of people living on the streets: the lack of capacity of the emergency shelter system and the system’s inability to bring people in from the street (either because they do not want to stay in a shelter or because the shelter does not have an adequate number of beds).

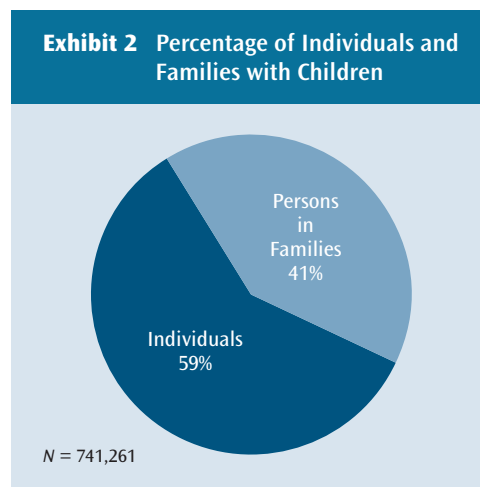
**Exhibit 1** Percentage Sheltered vs. Unsheltered



<sup>20</sup> This study does not have the necessary data to create a national annual estimate; however, local Continuums of Care should be able to calculate an annual estimate.

# Single Adults And Families with Children

Household structure is an important factor in responding to homelessness because single adults and families with children may have different needs. Approximately 59 percent (437,710) of the homeless population counted in 2005 were individuals and 41 percent (303,551) were persons in families with children (see Exhibit 2).



In total, there were 98,452 homeless families counted. These data represent a slight shift from the 1996 data in the percentage of individuals versus persons in families with children. The NSHAPC study showed that, at a point in time, 35 percent of homeless clients were persons in families and 65 percent were single adults. This increase in the percentage of persons in families with children can be explained by a number of possible factors, including differences in methodology between the studies, a decrease in the single adult population, or an actual increase in the percentage of homeless persons with families.

## Chronic Homelessness

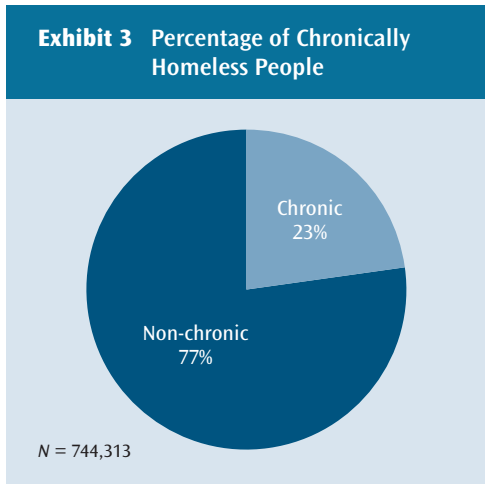
Chronically homeless people represent an estimated 23 percent (171,192) of the total homeless population counted in 2005 (see Exhibit 3).<sup>21</sup> This estimate is similar to previous estimates of 150,000 to 200,000 chronically homeless people.<sup>22</sup> It

<sup>21</sup> According to HUD's definition, a person who is "chronically homeless" is an unaccompanied homeless individual with a disabling condition who has either been continuously homeless for a year or more, or has had at least four episodes of homelessness in the past three years. In order to be considered chronically homeless, a person must have been sleeping in a place not meant for human habitation (e.g., living on the streets) and/or in an emergency homeless shelter. A disabling condition is defined as a diagnosable substance use disorder, serious mental illness, developmental disability, or chronic physical illness or disability including the co-occurrence of two or more of these conditions. A disabling condition limits an individual's ability to work or perform one or more activities of daily living.

<sup>22</sup> Past estimates of the number of adults who experience chronic homelessness from the National Alliance to End Homelessness and the Millennial Housing Commission range from 150,000 to 200,000. See Millennial Housing Commission (2002).

should be noted, however, that counting the number of chronically homeless single adults using point-in-time methods has inherent difficulties. Chronically homeless adults are by definition those who have been homeless for long periods or who experience repeated episodes of homelessness. Identifying chronically homeless people at a point in time means asking homeless people to self-identify as chronically homeless or asking service providers to identify who is chronically homeless. Both of these methods suffer from obvious reliability problems. As

HMIS systems increase their coverage rates, program administrators will be able to estimate more accurately the number of people who experience chronic homelessness.



## Homelessness by State

Exhibit 4 and Table 2 present estimates of homelessness by state, including the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. We created the state totals by summing the CoC estimates in each state. A number of states had high rates of homelessness per capita, including Alaska, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Washington state. In addition, Washington, DC had a high rate of homeless people.

**Table 2** Estimates of Homelessness by State

State	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Adjusted Total	Population	Pct of State Pop.
AK	1,431	1,318	2,749	663,661	0.41%
AL	3,283	1,448	4,731	4,557,808	0.10%
AR	3,650	1,976	5,626	2,779,154	0.20%
AZ	7,306	4,958	12,264	5,939,292	0.21%
*CA	46,940	118,275	170,270	36,132,147	0.47%
CO	7,436	14,294	21,730	4,665,177	0.47%
CT	4,558	799	5,357	3,510,297	0.15%
DC	5,164	354	5,518	550,521	1.00%
DE	989	119	1,108	843,524	0.13%
FL	27,789	33,078	60,867	17,789,864	0.34%
GA	15,471	11,690	27,161	9,072,576	0.30%

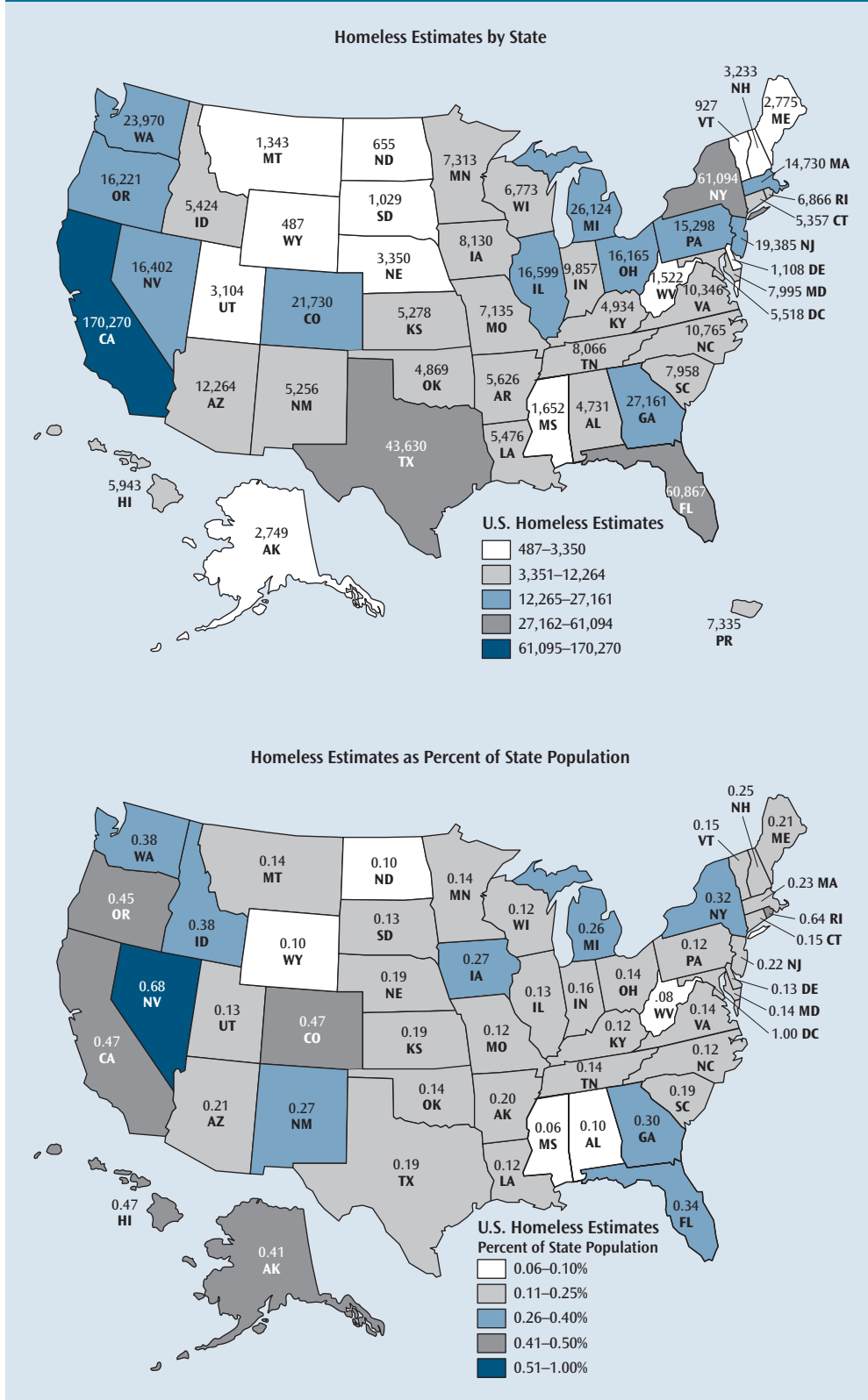
**Table 2** Estimates of Homelessness by State (*continued*)

State	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Adjusted Total	Population	Pct of State Pop.
GU	258	722	980	n/a	n/a
HI	2,448	3,495	5,943	1,275,124	0.47%
IA	4,614	3,516	8,130	2,966,334	0.27%
ID	5,092	332	5,424	1,429,096	0.38%
IL	11,613	4,986	16,599	12,763,371	0.13%
IN	7,079	2,778	9,857	6,271,973	0.16%
KS	—	—	5,278	2,744,687	0.19%
KY	3,426	1,508	4,934	4,173,405	0.12%
LA	—	—	5,476	4,523,628	0.12%
MA	12,922	1,808	14,730	6,398,743	0.23%
MD	6,409	1,586	7,995	5,600,388	0.14%
ME	2,757	18	2,775	1,321,505	0.21%
MI	10,978	15,146	26,124	10,120,860	0.26%
MN	6,256	1,057	7,313	5,132,799	0.14%
MO	5,161	1,974	7,135	5,800,310	0.12%
MS	1,287	365	1,652	2,921,088	0.06%
MT	867	476	1,343	935,670	0.14%
NC	6,965	3,800	10,765	8,683,242	0.12%
ND	606	49	655	636,677	0.10%
NE	2,290	1,060	3,350	1,758,787	0.19%
NH	1,480	1,753	3,233	1,309,940	0.25%
NJ	14,747	4,638	19,385	8,717,925	0.22%
NM	2,049	3,207	5,256	1,928,384	0.27%
NV	6,700	9,702	16,402	2,414,807	0.68%
NY	—	—	61,094	19,254,630	0.32%
OH	12,213	3,952	16,165	11,464,042	0.14%
OK	3,877	992	4,869	3,547,884	0.14%
OR	7,775	8,446	16,221	3,641,056	0.45%
PA	13,889	1,409	15,298	12,429,616	0.12%
PR	2,367	4,968	7,335	n/a	n/a
RI	6,758	108	6,866	1,076,189	0.64%
SC	3,674	4,284	7,958	4,255,083	0.19%
SD	987	42	1,029	775,933	0.13%
TN	5,860	2,206	8,066	5,962,959	0.14%
*TX	—	—	43,630	22,859,968	0.19%
UT	2,568	536	3,104	2,469,585	0.13%
VA	7,434	2,912	10,346	7,567,465	0.14%
VI	184	354	538	n/a	n/a
VT	701	226	927	623,050	0.15%
WA	14,450	9,520	23,970	6,287,759	0.38%
WI	5,142	1,631	6,773	5,536,201	0.12%
WV	1,216	306	1,522	1,816,856	0.08%
WY	401	86	487	509,294	0.10%
<b>Total</b>	—	—	<b>744,313</b>	<b>296,410,334</b>	<b>0.30%</b>

*Notes.* \* Totals for these states were adjusted to more closely reflect HUD guidelines. For Hidalgo, TX, we used their actual enumerated figures instead of the extrapolated figures. For Los Angeles, we removed the extrapolated population figure considered “doubled up” by telephone survey. For more on the methods we used, please see the methodological appendix. The state population numbers are from the American Community Survey 2005. Please note that the homeless counts are point-in-time estimates and do not fully capture the number of people who experience homelessness over the course of a year. The percentage of people who experience homelessness in the general population would be much higher if annual estimates were available.



**Exhibit 4** Estimates of Homelessness by State



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# Homelessness by Community

**H**ow many people are homeless in your community? Every community in the country includes a Continuum of Care (CoC). CoC geographies are composed of one or more cities and counties and do not overlap. CoCs are the closest proximate of cities and towns, even though most CoCs include contiguous areas. Appendix A provides estimates of homelessness by CoC.

## Conclusion

**T**he data in this report represent the first effort to count homeless people nationwide in 10 years. Much has changed since that time in terms of data and research on homelessness. HUD and local communities are overcoming technical inertia, despite lack of funding and scarce resources, and are putting more emphasis on collecting data, tracking how many people are homeless, and understanding the characteristics of homeless people. These data will help policymakers understand the scope of the problem and identify communities that are making progress and communities that are struggling to find effective responses to homelessness. Data will also help garner national attention to the issue. Taken as a whole, the efforts to end homelessness from across the country are striking, but despite efforts to end homelessness, and some progress in a handful of communities, this report shows that far too many people remain homeless in America.

# Appendix A: Homelessness Estimates by CoC

## Appendix A

CoC Code	Continuum of Care Name	State	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Total Homeless	Total Individuals	Total Families with Children	Total Families with Children	Percent Individual	Percent Persons in Families with Children
AK-500	Anchorage CoC	AK	983	998	1981	1211	752	210	61.13	37.96
AK-501	Alaska Balance of State CoC	AK	448	320	768	235	533	174	30.60	69.40
AL-500	Birmingham/Jefferson, St. Clair, Shelby Counties CoC	AL	1471	763	2234	1568	666	212	70.19	29.81
AL-501	Mobile City & County/Baldwin County CoC	AL	218	238	456	343	113	36	75.22	24.78
AL-502	Florence/Northwest Alabama CoC	AL	140	130	270	130	140	38	48.15	51.85
AL-503	Huntsville/North Alabama CoC	AL	527	55	582	562	20	9	96.56	3.44
AL-504	Montgomery City & County CoC	AL	399	78	477	389	64	24	81.55	13.42
AL-505	Gadsden/Northeast Alabama CoC	AL	93	3	96	48	48	20	50.00	50.00
AL-506	Tuscaloosa City & County CoC	AL	182	25	207	154	53	22	74.40	25.60
AL-507	Alabama BOS	AL	253	156	409	402	7	172	98.29	1.71
AR-500	Little Rock/Central Arkansas CoC	AR	1152	148	1300	1222	78	31	94.00	6.00
AR-501	Fayetteville/Northwest Arkansas CoC	AR	237	376	613	377	236	82	61.50	38.50
AR-502	Conway/Arkansas River Valley CoC	AR	1438	481	1919	1512	407	369	78.79	21.21
AR-504	Delta Hills CoC	AR	681	888	1569	1186	383	255	75.59	24.41
AR-505	Southeast Arkansas	AR	97	69	166	115	51	18	69.28	30.72
AR-507	Eastern Arkansas CoC	AR	34	0	34	34	0	0	100.00	0.00
AR-509	Hot Springs	AR	11	14	25	9	16	6	36.00	64.00
AZ-500	Arizona Balance of State CoC	AR	966	1642	2608	1855	753	221	71.13	28.87
AZ-501	Tucson/Pima County CoC	AZ	1676	702	2378	1556	822	258	65.43	34.57
AZ-502	Phoenix/Mesa/Maricopa County Regional CoC	AZ	4664	2614	7278	4979	2299	683	68.41	31.59
CA-500	San Jose/Santa Clara City & County CoC	CA	2623	4389	7012	5798	1214	380	82.69	17.31
CA-501	San Francisco CoC	CA	2749	2655	5404	4792	612	213	88.68	11.32

CoC Code	Continuum of Care Name	State	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Total Homeless	Total Individuals	Total Families with Children	Total Families with Children	Percent Individual	Percent Families with Children
CA-502	Oakland/Alameda County CoC	CA	2590	2539	5129	3010	2119	684	58.69	41.31
CA-503	Sacramento City & County CoC	CA	1584	645	2229	1747	482	151	78.38	21.62
CA-504	Santa Rosa/Petaluma/Sonoma County CoC	CA	954	783	1737	897	840	296	51.64	48.36
CA-505	Richmond/Contra Costa County CoC	CA	993	5278	6271	4805	1466	418	76.62	23.38
CA-506	Salinas/Monterey County CoC	CA	503	1067	1570	1264	306	94	80.51	19.49
CA-507	Marin County CoC	CA	575	442	1017	685	332	91	67.35	32.65
CA-508	Watsonville/Santa Cruz City & County CoC	CA	674	2679	3353	2767	586	184	82.52	17.48
CA-509	Mendocino County CoC	CA	142	1509	1651	1501	150	43	90.91	9.09
CA-510	Turlock/Modesto/Stanislaus County CoC	CA	678	935	1613	990	623	202	61.38	38.62
CA-511	Stockton/San Joaquin County CoC	CA	2772	588	3360	2485	875	276	73.96	26.04
CA-512	Daly/San Mateo County CoC	CA	740	491	1231	921	310	96	74.82	25.18
CA-513	Visalia, Kings, Tulare Counties CoC	CA	522	7235	7757	2077	3964	1716	26.78	51.10
CA-514	*Fresno/Madera County CoC	CA	1387	7786	14228	4758	9470	6886	33.44	66.56
CA-515	Roseville/Placer County CoC	CA	375	91	466	219	247	95	47.00	53.00
CA-517	Napa City & County CoC	CA	194	143	337	239	98	35	70.92	29.08
CA-518	Vallejo/Solano County CoC	CA	561	2979	3540	1007	2533	1013	28.45	71.55
CA-519	Chico/Paradise/Butte County CoC	CA	556	300	856	504	352	128	58.88	41.12
CA-520	Merced City & County CoC	CA	202	2352	2554	570	1984	531	22.32	77.68
CA-521	Davis/Woodland/Yolo County CoC	CA	318	315	633	504	129	67	79.62	20.38
CA-522	Humboldt County CoC	CA	446	1401	1847	1105	742	302	59.83	40.17
CA-523	Colusa/Glenn/Tehama/Trinity County CoC	CA	73	126	199	80	119	23	40.20	59.80

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CA-600	*Los Angeles City & County CoC	CA	9875	50414	60289	54735	5554	—	90.79	9.21
CA-601	San Diego CoC	CA	2822	1446	4268	2747	1521	486	64.36	35.64
CA-602	Santa Ana/Anaheim/Orange County CoC	CA	2101	747	2848	2099	749	217	73.70	26.30
CA-603	Santa Maria/Santa Barbara County CoC	CA	1147	2911	4058	3206	852	284	79.00	21.00
CA-604	Bakersfield/Kern County CoC	CA	1037	616	1653	1225	428	123	74.11	25.89
CA-605	San Buena Ventura/Ventura County CoC	CA	419	894	1313	799	514	209	60.85	39.15
CA-606	Long Beach CoC	CA	1670	2805	4475	2458	2017	613	54.93	45.07
CA-607	Pasadena CoC	CA	186	1031	1217	618	599	193	50.78	49.22
CA-608	Riverside City & County CoC	CA	1654	3131	4785	3197	1588	542	66.81	33.19
CA-609	San Bernardino City & County CoC	CA	945	3530	4475	3408	1067	312	76.16	23.84
CA-610	San Diego County CoC	CA	1885	3305	5190	3551	1639	523	68.42	31.58
CA-611	Oxnard CoC	CA	318	324	642	388	254	95	60.44	39.56
CA-612	Glendale CoC	CA	124	238	362	247	115	35	68.23	31.77
CA-613	Imperial County CoC	CA	269	155	424	221	203	105	52.12	47.88
CA-614	San Luis Obispo County CoC	CA	277	—	277	157	120	32	56.68	43.32
CO-500	Colorado Balance of State CoC	CO	1578	8736	10314	3288	7026	1757	31.88	68.12
CO-503	Metropolitan Denver Homeless Initiative	CO	5068	5089	10157	5049	5108	1612	49.71	50.29
CO-504	Colorado Springs/El Paso County CoC	CO	790	469	1259	877	382	117	69.66	30.34
CT-500	Danbury CoC	CT	211	23	234	156	78	16	66.67	33.33
CT-501	New Haven CoC	CT	800	334	1134	544	590	216	47.97	52.03
CT-502	Hartford CoC	CT	831	35	866	615	251	76	71.02	28.98
CT-503	Bridgeport/Stratford/Fairfield CoC	CT	338	40	378	262	116	37	69.31	30.69

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CT-504	Middletown/Middlesex County CoC	CT	314	70	384	266	118	51	69.27	30.73
CT-505	Connecticut Balance of State CoC	CT	462	53	515	243	272	92	47.18	52.82
CT-506	Norwalk/Fairfield County CoC	CT	191	8	199	173	26	9	86.93	13.07
CT-507	Norwich/New London City & County CoC	CT	242	77	319	187	132	46	58.62	41.38
CT-508	Stamford/Greenwich CoC	CT	403	23	426	311	115	40	73.01	27.00
CT-509	New Britain CoC	CT	199	57	256	183	73	23	71.48	28.52
CT-510	Bristol CoC	CT	58	47	105	58	47	19	55.24	44.76
CT-511	Litchfield County CoC	CT	252	7	259	220	39	70	84.94	15.06
CT-512	City of Waterbury CoC	CT	257	25	282	217	65	26	76.95	23.05
DC-500	District of Columbia CoC	DC	5164	354	5518	3794	1724	566	68.76	31.24
DE-500	Delaware Statewide CoC	DE	989	119	1108	649	459	142	58.57	41.43
FL-500	Sarasota, Bradenton, Manatee Counties CoC	FL	945	385	1330	963	367	133	72.41	27.59
FL-501	Tampa/Hillsborough County CoC	FL	6291	3630	9921	2409	7512	922	24.28	75.72
FL-502	St. Petersburg/Clearwater/Largo/Pinellas County CoC	FL	1601	2223	3824	2609	1215	430	68.23	31.77
FL-503	Lakeland/Winterhaven, Polk County CoC	FL	525	184	709	557	152	58	78.56	21.44
FL-504	Daytona Beach/Daytona/Volusia, Flagler Counties CoC	FL	505	2162	2667	1534	1133	376	57.52	42.48
FL-505	Fort Walton Beach/Okaloosa, Walton Counties CoC	FL	122	1735	1857	1107	740	203	59.61	39.85
FL-506	Tallahassee/Leon County CoC	FL	460	98	558	365	193	77	65.41	34.59
FL-507	Orlando/Orange, Osceola, Seminole Counties CoC	FL	1697	934	2631	1931	2103	700	73.39	26.61
FL-508	Gainesville/Alachua, Putnam Counties CoC	FL	322	435	757	556	201	61	73.45	26.55

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FL-509	Fort Pierce/St. Lucie, Indian River, Martin Counties CoC	FL	427	1589	2016	1103	913	407	54.71	45.29
FL-510	Jacksonville-Duval, Clay Counties CoC	FL	2209	721	2930	2521	409	138	86.04	13.96
FL-511	Pensacola/Escambia, Santa Rosa County CoC	FL	576	3221	3797	1291	2506	1628	34.00	66.00
FL-512	Saint Johns County CoC	FL	147	834	981	848	133	51	86.44	13.56
FL-513	Palm Bay/Brevard County CoC	FL	698	819	1517	1201	316	84	79.17	20.83
FL-514	Ocala/Marion County CoC	FL	331	1079	1410	975	435	148	69.15	30.85
FL-517	Hardee/Highlands	FL	110	700	810	538	272	90	66.42	33.58
FL-518	Columbia, Hamilton, Lafayette, Suwannee Counties CoC	FL	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
FL-519	Pasco	FL	2499	1178	3677	1716	1961	785	46.67	53.33
FL-520	Citrus/Hernando	FL	411	1001	1412	710	702	206	50.28	49.72
FL-600	Miami/Dade County CoC	FL	3171	1989	5160	3441	1719	426	66.69	33.31
FL-601	Ft Lauderdale/Broward County CoC	FL	2672	442	3114	2606	508	132	83.69	16.31
FL-602	Punta Gorda/Charlotte County CoC	FL	159	4634	4793	2732	2061	920	57.00	43.00
FL-603	Ft Myers/Cape Coral/Lee County CoC	FL	427	1629	2056	1838	218	61	89.40	10.60
FL-604	Monroe County CoC	FL	437	544	981	888	93	n/a	90.52	9.48
FL-605	West Palm Beach/Palm Beach County CoC	FL	802	604	1406	794	612	191	56.47	43.53
FL-606	Naples/Collier County CoC	FL	245	308	553	449	104	56	81.19	18.81
GA-500	City of Atlanta CoC	FL	4570	2262	6832	5673	1159	367	83.04	16.96
GA-501	Georgia Balance of State CoC	GA	2750	7849	10599	2962	7637	2387	27.95	72.05
GA-503	Athens/Clarke County CoC	FL	319	117	436	278	158	51	63.76	36.24
GA-504	Augusta CoC	GA	6627	732	7359	1868	5491	1605	25.38	74.62



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GA-505	Columbus-Muscogee/Russell County CoC	GA	246	218	464	435	29	9	93.75	6.25
GA-506	Marietta/Cobb County CoC	GA	395	330	725	305	420	125	42.07	57.93
GA-507	Savannah/Chatham County CoC	GA	564	182	746	427	319	123	57.24	42.76
GU-500	Guam CoC	GU	258	722	980	249	731	133	25.41	74.59
HI-500	Hawaii Balance of State CoC	HI	923	1522	2445	1355	1090	289	55.42	44.58
HI-501	Honolulu CoC	HI	1525	1973	3498	1837	1661	474	52.52	47.48
IA-500	Sioux City/Dakota County CoC	IA	179	6	185	97	88	31	52.43	47.57
IA-501	Iowa Balance of State CoC	IA	2028	586	2614	1118	1496	545	42.77	57.23
IA-502	Des Moines/Polk County CoC	IA	2407	2924	5331	2769	2562	628	51.94	48.06
ID-500	Boise/Ada County CoC	ID	2681	66	2747	1786	961	324	65.02	34.98
ID-501	McHenry County CoC	ID	2411	266	2677	1535	1142	458	57.34	42.66
IL-500	McHenry County CoC	IL	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
IL-501	Rockford/Winnebago, Boone Counties CoC	IL	458	1209	1667	574	1093	221	34.43	65.57
IL-502	Waukegan/North Chicago/Lake County CoC	IL	376	11	387	239	148	44	61.76	38.24
IL-503	Champaign/Urbana/Rantoul/Champaign County CoC	IL	235	26	261	118	143	43	45.21	54.79
IL-504	Madison County CoC	IL	226	74	300	78	222	73	26.00	74.00
IL-505	Evanston CoC	IL	95	89	184	128	54	17	69.57	29.35
IL-506	Joliet/Bolingbrook/Will County CoC	IL	353	12	365	169	196	68	46.30	53.70
IL-507	Peoria/Perkin/Fulton, Peoria, Tazewell, Woodford CoC	IL	433	135	568	340	228	84	59.86	40.14
IL-508	East Saint Louis/Belleville/Saint Clair County CoC	IL	349	757	1106	665	441	121	60.13	39.87

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IL-509	DeKalb City & County CoC	IL	85	31	116	63	53	20	54.31	45.69
IL-510	Chicago CoC	IL	4978	1702	6680	4013	2667	781	60.07	39.93
IL-511	Cook County CoC	IL	1024	61	1085	462	623	203	42.58	57.42
IL-512	Bloomington/Central Illinois CoC	IL	438	54	492	251	181	60	51.02	36.79
IL-513	Springfield/Sangamon County CoC	IL	415	23	438	346	92	31	79.00	21.01
IL-514	Dupage County CoC	IL	538	19	557	207	350	121	37.16	62.84
IL-515	South Central Illinois CoC	IL	127	141	268	67	201	84	25.00	75.00
IL-516	Decatur/Macon County CoC	IL	180	197	377	117	260	85	31.03	68.97
IL-517	Aurora/Elgin/Kane County CoC	IL	452	54	506	408	98	48	80.63	19.37
IL-518	Rock Island/Moline/Northwestern Illinois CoC	IL	474	190	664	338	326	151	50.90	49.01
IL-519	West Central Illinois CoC	IL	147	131	278	69	209	68	24.82	75.18
IL-520	Southern Illinois CoC	IL	230	70	300	106	194	132	35.33	64.67
IN-500	South Bend/Mishawaka/St. Joseph County CoC	IN	524	111	635	389	246	90	61.26	38.74
IN-501	Evansville/Vanderburgh County CoC	IN	488	7	495	265	230	70	53.54	46.46
IN-502	Indiana Balance of State CoC	IN	4074	2366	6440	3352	3108	1134	52.05	48.26
IN-503	Indianapolis CoC	IN	1993	294	2287	1671	616	183	73.07	26.93
KS-500	Lawrence/Douglas County CoC	KS	—	—	142	112	30	4	78.87	21.13
KS-501	Kansas City/Wyandotte County	KS	100	75	175	137	38	12	78.29	21.71
KS-502	Wichita/Sedgwick County CoC	KS	531	197	728	537	191	90	73.76	26.24
KS-503	Topeka/Shawnee County CoC	KS	500	18	518	280	238	57	54.05	45.95
KS-505	Overland Park/Johnson County CoC	KS	157	80	237	62	175	56	26.16	73.84
KS-507	Kansas Balance of State CoC	KS	—	—	3478	2345	1133	370	67.42	32.58

<b>CoC Code</b>	<b>Continuum of Care Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Sheltered</b>	<b>Unsheltered</b>	<b>Total Homeless</b>	<b>Total Individuals</b>	<b>Total Families with Children</b>	<b>Total Families with Children</b>	<b>Percent Individual</b>	<b>Percent Families with Children</b>
KY-500	Kentucky Balance of State CoC	KY	1573	1006	2579	971	1608	540	37.65	62.35
KY-501	Louisville/Jefferson County CoC	KY	1021	452	1473	781	692	249	53.02	46.98
KY-502	Lexington/Fayette County CoC	KY	832	50	882	657	225	94	74.49	25.51
LA-500	Lafayette/Acadiana CoC	LA	508	172	680	345	335	106	50.74	49.26
LA-501	Lake Charles/Southwestern Louisiana CoC	LA	156	32	188	138	50	16	73.40	26.60
LA-502	Shreveport/Bossier/Northwest CoC	LA	701	173	874	450	298	126	51.49	34.01
LA-503	New Orleans/Jefferson Parish CoC	LA	1460	591	2051	1420	631	213	69.23	30.77
LA-504	Baton Rouge CoC	LA	721	169	890	478	412	80	53.71	46.29
LA-505	Monroe/Northeast Louisiana CoC	LA	97	20	117	74	43	28	63.25	36.75
LA-506	Slidell/Livingston/Southeast Louisiana CoC	LA	257	62	319	172	102	45	53.92	31.97
LA-507	Alexandria/Central Louisiana CoC	LA	0		250	189	61	23	75.60	24.40
LA-508	Houma-Terrebonne CoC	LA	101	6	107	55	52	15	51.40	48.60
MA-500	Boston CoC	MA	5520	299	5819	3944	1875	667	67.78	32.22
MA-501	Franklin/Hampden/Hamshire/Holyoke County CoC	MA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MA-502	Lynn CoC	MA	350	44	394	141	253	95	35.79	64.21
MA-503	Cape Cod/Islands CoC	MA	500	571	1071	613	458	162	57.24	42.76
MA-504	Springfield CoC	MA	623	45	668	429	239	79	64.22	35.78
MA-505	New Bedford CoC	MA	218	54	272	191	81	27	70.22	29.78
MA-506	Worcester City & County CoC	MA	1068	25	1093	543	550	207	49.68	50.32
MA-507	Pittsfield/Berkshire County CoC	MA	280	67	347	167	180	62	48.13	51.87
MA-508	Lowell CoC	MA	332	44	376	202	174	60	53.72	46.28
MA-509	Cambridge CoC	MA	456	45	501	388	113	42	77.45	22.55

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MA-510	Gloucester/Haverhill/Salem/Essex County CoC	MA	566	46	612	374	238	86	61.11	38.89
MA-511	Quincy/Weymouth CoC	MA	294	40	334	195	139	48	58.38	41.62
MA-512	Lawrence CoC	MA	46	50	96	96	—	59	100.00	0.00
MA-513	Malden/Medford CoC	MA	169	38	207	48	159	52	23.19	76.81
MA-514	Framingham/Waltham CoC	MA	832	76	908	542	366	154	59.69	40.31
MA-515	Fall River CoC	MA	124	3	127	83	44	19	65.35	34.65
MA-516	Massachusetts Balance of State CoC	MA	428	70	498	133	364	124	26.71	73.09
MA-517	Somerville CoC	MA	227	6	233	153	80	32	65.67	34.33
MA-518	Brookline/Newton CoC	MA	95	9	104	28	76	31	26.92	73.08
MA-519	Attleboro/Taunton/Bristol County CoC	MA	209	176	385	225	160	54	58.44	41.56
MA-520	Brockton/Plymouth City & County CoC	MA	585	100	685	286	399	134	41.75	58.25
MD-500	Cumberland/Allegany County CoC	MD	161	74	235	112	122	38	47.67	51.91
MD-501	Baltimore City CoC	MD	232	583	2904	2082	822	270	71.69	28.31
MD-502	Harford County CoC	MD	95	20	115	63	49	19	54.78	42.61
MD-503	Annapolis/Anne Arundel County CoC	MD	228	45	273	117	156	50	42.86	57.14
MD-504	Howard County CoC	MD	153	29	182	53	129	38	29.12	70.88
MD-505	Baltimore County CoC	MD	359	39	398	117	281	185	29.40	70.60
MD-506	Carroll County CoC	MD	186	29	215	136	79	26	63.26	36.74
MD-507	Cecil County CoC	MD	73	25	98	51	47	16	52.04	47.96
MD-508	Charles, Calvert, St. Mary's Counties CoC	MA	300	74	544	161	383	137	29.60	70.40
MD-509	Frederick City & County CoC	MD	215	53	268	169	99	33	63.06	36.94
MD-510	Garrett County CoC	MD	14	3	17	14	3	1	82.35	17.65
MD-511	Mid-Shore Regional CoC	MD	123	51	174	84	70	20	48.28	40.23

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MD-512	Hagerstown/Washington County CoC	MD	219	23	242	133	109	28	54.96	45.04	
MD-513	Wicomico/Somerset/Worcester County CoC	MD	157	25	182	108	74	40	59.34	40.66	
MD-600	Bowie/Prince George's County CoC	MD	682	257	939	462	477	140	49.20	50.80	
MD-601	Montgomery County CoC	MD	1053	156	1209	616	452	141	50.95	37.39	
ME-500	Maine Balance of State CoC	ME	1488	15	1503	621	882	332	41.32	58.68	
ME-501	Bangor/Penobscot County CoC	ME	542	3	545	266	279	66	48.81	51.19	
ME-502	Portland CoC	ME	727	0	727	449	272	110	61.76	37.41	
MI-500	Michigan Balance of State CoC	MI	1542	607	2149	877	1272	403	40.81	59.19	
MI-501	Detroit CoC	MI	4311	10516	14827	8921	5906	1465	60.17	39.83	
MI-502	Dearborn/Wayne County CoC	MI	495	240	735	328	407	114	44.63	55.37	
MI-503	St. Clair Shores/Warren/Macomb County CoC	MI	314	261	575	512	63	20	89.04	10.96	
MI-504	Pontiac/Royal Oak/Oakland County CoC	MI	598	695	1293	838	455	67	64.81	35.19	
MI-505	Flint/Genesee County CoC	MI	323	1889	2212	574	1638	n/a	25.95	74.05	
MI-506	Grand Rapids/Wyoming/Kent County CoC	MI	814	55	869	420	449	152	48.33	51.67	
MI-507	Protage/Kalamazoo City & County CoC	MI	411	1	412	205	207	73	49.76	50.24	
MI-508	Lansing/East Lansing/Ingham County CoC	MI	300	57	357	217	128	n/a	60.78	35.85	
MI-509	Ann Arbor/Washtenaw County CoC	MI	250	179	429	307	122	41	71.56	28.44	
MI-510	Saginaw City & County CoC	MI	268	17	285	180	105	36	63.16	36.84	
MI-511	Lenawee County CoC	MI	85	24	109	36	73	23	33.03	66.97	
MI-512	Grand Traverse/Antrim, Leelanau Counties CoC	MI	109	141	250	182	68	28	72.80	27.20	
MI-514	Battle Creek/Calhoun County	MI	98	49	147	111	36	13	75.51	24.49	

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MI-515	Monroe County	MI	124	38	162	87	75	30	53.70	46.30
MI-516	Norton Shores/Muskegon City & County CoC	MI	218	226	444	199	245	60	44.82	55.18
MI-517	Jackson City & County CoC	MI	291	21	312	63	249	67	20.19	79.81
MI-519	Holland/Ottawa County CoC	MI	270	103	373	105	268	82	28.15	71.85
MI-521	Cass County CoC	MI	47	7	54	18	36	9	33.33	66.67
MI-523	Eaton County	MI	110	20	130	10	112	35	7.69	86.15
MN-500	Minneapolis/Hennepin County CoC	MN	3058	357	3415	1753	1662	498	51.33	48.67
MN-501	Saint Paul/Ramsey County CoC	MN	1146	142	1288	697	591	218	54.11	45.89
MN-502	Rochester/Southeast Minnesota CoC	MN	432	36	468	138	330	100	29.49	70.51
MN-503	Dakota County CoC	MN	264	182	446	218	228	76	48.88	51.12
MN-504	Northeast Minnesota CoC	MN	90	47	137	33	104	46	24.09	75.91
MN-505	St. Cloud/Central Minnesota CoC	MN	306	88	394	102	292	88	25.89	74.11
MN-506	Northwest Minnesota CoC	MN	99	11	110	51	59	17	46.36	53.64
MN-507	Coon Rapids/Anoka County CoC	MN	202	16	218	31	187	56	14.22	85.78
MN-508	Moorehead/West Central Minnesota CoC	MN	95	26	121	53	68	24	43.80	56.20
MN-509	Duluth/Saint Louis County CoC	MN	391	86	477	207	270	81	43.40	56.60
MN-510	Scott, Carver Counties CoC	MN	72	41	113	58	55	18	51.33	48.67
MN-511	Southwest Minnesota CoC	MN	42	14	56	20	36	11	35.71	64.29
MN-512	Washington County CoC	MN	59	11	70	11	59	23	15.71	84.29
MO-500	St. Louis County CoC	MO	326	80	406	146	260	81	35.96	64.04
MO-501	St. Louis City CoC	MO	1137	348	1485	692	793	239	46.60	53.40
MO-502	Columbia/Boone County CoC	MO	490	795	1285	944	341	80	73.46	26.54

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MO-600	Springfield/Greene, Christian, Webster Counties CoC	MO	406	34	440	234	206	81	53.18	46.82
MO-601	Clay, Platte Counties CoC	MO	1019	321	1340	442	898	208	32.99	67.01
MO-602	Joplin/Jasper/Newton County CoC	MO	232	147	379	305	74	26	80.47	19.53
MO-603	St. Joseph/Buchanan County CoC	MO	88	6	94	71	23	9	75.53	24.47
MO-604	Kansas City/Jackson County/Independence/Lee's Summit CoC	MO	1446	198	1644	1203	1498	441	73.18	26.82
MO-606	Missouri Balance of State CoC	MO	17	45	62	56	23	6	90.32	9.68
MS-500	Jackson/Rankin, Madison Counties CoC	MS	451	37	488	422	66	47	86.48	13.52
MS-501	Mississippi Balance of State CoC	MS	354	189	543	448	95	31	82.50	17.50
MS-503	Gulf Port/Gulf Coast Regional CoC	MS	482	139	621	544	49	28	87.60	7.89
MT-500	Montana Statewide CoC	MT	867	476	1343	808	535	177	60.16	39.84
NC-500	Winston Salem/Forsyth County CoC	NC	435	20	455	363	92	28	79.78	20.22
NC-501	Asheville/Buncombe County CoC	NC	387	103	490	422	68	22	86.12	13.88
NC-502	Durham City & County CoC	NC	507	28	535	404	131	60	75.51	24.49
NC-504	Greensboro/High Point CoC	NC	536	276	812	660	152	48	81.28	18.72
NC-505	Charlotte/Mecklenburg County CoC	NC	1659	537	2196	1618	578	166	73.68	26.32
NC-506	Wilmington/Brunswick, New Hanover, Pender Counties CoC	NC	242	385	627	468	159	64	74.64	25.36
NC-507	Raleigh/Wake County CoC	NC	1029	77	1106	741	365	127	67.00	33.00
NC-508	Anson, Moore, Montgomery, Richmond Counties CoC	NC	98	137	235	54	181	73	22.98	77.02
NC-509	Gastonia/Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln Counties CoC	NC	274	122	396	239	157	52	60.35	39.65
NC-511	Fayetteville/Cumberland County CoC	NC	272	760	1032	793	239	79	76.84	23.16

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NC-512	Burlington/Alamance County CoC	NC	217	38	255	214	30	11	83.92	11.76
NC-513	Chapel Hill/Orange County CoC	NC	197	33	230	171	59	20	74.35	25.65
NC-514	Neuse-Tideland Regional CoC	NC	83	88	171	98	73	28	57.31	42.69
NC-515	Greenville/Pitt County CoC	NC	59	63	122	69	n/a	53	56.56	n/a
NC-516	Northwest North Carolina CoC	NC	118	812	930	693	237	91	74.52	24.73
NC-517	Franklin/Granville/Warren/Vance	NC	67	9	76	53	23	10	69.74	30.26
NC-518	Rocky Mount/Nash, Edgecombe Counties CoC	NC	241	168	409	188	221	76	45.97	54.03
NC-519	Randolph County CoC	NC	20	17	37	25	12	5	67.57	32.43
NC-522	Southwest CoC	NC	86	59	145	54	91	36	37.24	62.76
NC-524	Goldsboro/Duplin/Wayne Counties	NC	80	21	101	72	29	10	71.29	28.71
NC-525	Johnston/Lee/Hartnet Counties	NC	129	35	164	109	43	12	66.46	26.22
NC-526	Concord/Davison County/Piedmont Regional	NC	229	12	241	161	80	28	66.80	33.20
ND-500	North Dakota Statewide CoC	ND	606	49	655	423	232	75	64.58	35.42
NE-500	North Central Nebraska CoC	NE	289	182	471	149	250	72	31.63	53.08
NE-501	Omaha/Council Bluffs CoC	NE	1056	185	1241	953	288	97	76.79	23.21
NE-502	Lincoln CoC	NE	833	614	1447	897	550	192	61.99	38.00
NE-503	Southwest Nebraska CoC	NE	80	19	99	44	55	21	44.44	55.56
NE-505	Panhandle of Nebraska CoC	NE	32	60	92	53	39	18	57.61	42.39
NH-500	New Hampshire Balance of State CoC	NH	728	667	1395	595	800	269	42.65	57.35
NH-501	Manchester CoC	NH	527	750	1277	753	524	143	58.97	41.03
NH-502	Nashua/Hillsborough County CoC	NH	225	336	561	267	294	108	47.59	52.41
NJ-500	Atlantic City & County CoC	NJ	396	252	648	539	109	38	83.18	16.82



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NJ-501	Bergen County	NJ	380	148	528	264	264	82	50.00	50.00
NJ-502	Burlington County CoC	NJ	742	238	980	548	432	151	55.92	44.08
NJ-503	Camden City & County CoC	NJ	749	280	1029	663	366	114	64.43	35.57
NJ-504	Newark/Essex County CoC	NJ	1262	420	1682	995	687	220	59.16	40.84
NJ-505	Gloucester County CoC	NJ	200	28	228	82	146	50	35.96	64.04
NJ-506	Jersey City/Hudson County CoC	NJ	2679	272	2951	1186	1765	601	40.19	59.81
NJ-507	New Brunswick/Middlesex County CoC	NJ	715	463	1178	531	647	238	45.08	54.92
NJ-508	Monmouth County CoC	NJ	1090	209	1299	500	799	285	38.49	61.51
NJ-509	Morris County CoC	NJ	300	112	412	255	157	48	61.89	38.11
NJ-510	Lakewood Township/Ocean County CoC	NJ	515	41	556	253	303	112	45.50	54.50
NJ-511	Paterson/Passaic County CoC	NJ	957	483	1440	773	667	217	53.68	46.32
NJ-512	Salem County CoC	NJ	178	8	186	25	161	86	13.44	86.56
NJ-513	Somerset County CoC	NJ	442	66	508	337	171	59	66.34	33.66
NJ-514	Trenton/Mercer County CoC	NJ	2057	938	2995	907	2088	891	30.28	69.72
NJ-515	Elizabeth/Union County CoC	NJ	1267	297	1564	520	1044	349	33.25	66.75
NJ-516	Warren County CoC	NJ	245	79	324	199	125	43	61.42	38.58
NJ-518	Cape May County CoC	NJ	135	28	163	104	59	21	63.80	36.20
NJ-519	Sussex County CoC	NJ	319	28	347	124	169	62	35.73	48.70
NJ-520	Cumberland County	NJ	119	248	367	231	136	33	62.94	37.06
NM-500	Albuquerque CoC	NM	1168	2481	3649	2385	1264	523	65.36	34.64
NM-501	New Mexico Balance of State CoC	NM	881	726	1607	980	627	256	60.98	39.02
NV-500	Las Vegas/Clark County CoC	NV	2774	9424	12198	4480	7718	50	36.73	63.27
NV-501	Reno/Sparks/Washoe County CoC	NV	630	178	808	624	184	50	77.23	22.77
NV-502	Nevada Balance of State CoC	NV	3296	100	3396	351	3045	754	10.34	89.66

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NY-500	Rochester/Irondequoit/Greece/Monroe County CoC	NY	666	16	682	367	315	123	53.81	46.19
NY-501	Elmira/Chemung County CoC	NY	340	94	434	361	73	20	83.18	16.82
NY-502	City of Auburn/Cayuga County CoC	NY	44	91	135	53	82	26	39.26	60.74
NY-503	Albany City & County CoC	NY	563	79	642	451	191	62	70.25	29.75
NY-504	Cattaraugus County CoC	NY	513	80	593	105	488	268	17.71	82.29
NY-505	Syracuse/Onondaga County CoC	NY	645	9	654	548	106	43	83.79	16.21
NY-506	Steuben County CoC	NY	27	1	28	20	8	2	71.43	28.57
NY-507	Schenectady City & County CoC	NY	295	117	412	338	74	26	82.04	17.96
NY-508	Buffalo/Erie County CoC	NY	1194	167	1361	949	412	116	69.73	30.27
NY-510	Tompkins County CoC	NY	96	34	130	107	23	12	82.31	17.69
NY-511	Binghamton/Union Town/Broome County CoC	NY	n/a	n/a	190	145	45	16	76.32	23.68
NY-512	Troy/Rensselaer County CoC	NY	322	30	352	184	168	52	52.27	47.73
NY-514	Jamestown/Dunkirk/Chautauqua County CoC	NY	242	101	343	178	109	56	51.90	31.78
NY-516	Clinton County CoC	NY	128	15	143	111	32	11	77.62	22.38
NY-517	Orleans County CoC	NY	18	—	18	17	n/a	14	94.44	5.56
NY-518	Utica/Rome/Oneida County CoC	NY	210	70	280	198	82	41	70.71	29.29
NY-519	Columbia/Greene County CoC	NY	149	8	157	98	59	24	62.42	37.58
NY-520	Franklin County CoC	NY	17	1	18	9	9	3	50.00	50.00
NY-521	Madison County	NY	n/a	n/a	22	6	16	4	27.27	72.73
NY-522	Jefferson, Lewis, St. Lawrence Co.	NY	112	15	127	104	23	8	81.89	18.11
NY-523	Saratoga, North Country	NY	315	74	389	263	126	47	67.61	32.39
NY-600	New York City CoC	NY	43760	4395	48155	19864	28290	9630	41.25	58.75

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NY-601	Poughkeepsie/Dutchess County CoC	NY	312	54	366	215	151	49	58.74	41.26
NY-602	Newburgh/Middletown/Orange County CoC	NY	244	163	407	220	187	64	54.05	45.95
NY-603	Islip/Babylon/Huntington/Suffolk County CoC	NY	2532	196	2728	1188	1540	472	43.55	56.45
NY-604	Yonkers/Mount Vernon/New Rochelle/Westchester County CoC	NY	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
NY-605	Nassau County CoC	NY	1124	91	1215	353	862	281	29.05	70.95
NY-606	Rockland County	NY	387	97	484	422	62	40	87.19	12.81
NY-607	Sullivan County CoC	NY	305	3	308	177	131	33	57.47	42.53
NY-608	Ulster County CoC	NY	211	110	321	196	125	41	61.06	38.94
OH-500	Cincinnati/Hamilton County CoC	OH	1145	199	1344	887	457	139	66.00	34.00
OH-501	Toledo/Lucas County CoC	OH	597	142	739	464	275	95	62.79	37.21
OH-502	Cleveland/Cuyahoga County CoC	OH	1984	224	2208	1784	424	147	80.80	19.20
OH-503	Columbus/Franklin County CoC	OH	1807	62	1869	1022	847	235	54.68	45.32
OH-504	Youngstown/Mahoning County CoC	OH	266	98	364	222	142	46	60.99	39.01
OH-505	Dayton/Kettering/Montgomery County CoC	OH	732	72	804	424	380	143	52.74	47.26
OH-506	Akron/Baberton/Summit County CoC	OH	855	195	1050	830	220	76	79.05	20.95
OH-507	Ohio Balance of State CoC	OH	4392	2780	7172	3514	3658	1353	49.00	51.00
OH-508	Canton/Massillon/Alliance/Stark County CoC	OH	435	180	615	281	334	108	45.69	54.31
OK-500	North Central Oklahoma CoC	OK	194	47	241	159	82	24	65.98	34.02
OK-501	Tulsa City & County/Broken Arrow CoC	OK	642	52	694	555	139	47	79.97	20.03
OK-502	Oklahoma City CoC	OK	1293	133	1426	1140	286	90	79.94	20.06

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OK-503	Balance of State	OK	1380	44	1424	460	964	178	32.30	67.70	
OK-504	Norman/Cleveland Counties	OK	193	72	265	167	98	29	63.02	36.98	
OK-505	Northeast Oklahoma CoC	OK	175	644	819	185	634	294	22.59	77.41	
OR-500	Eugene/Springfield/Lane County CoC	OR	1184	109	1293	544	749	240	42.07	57.93	
OR-501	Portland/Gresham/Multnomah County CoC	OR	2749	2355	5104	3294	1810	592	64.54	35.46	
OR-502	Medford/Ashland/Jackson County CoC	OR	191	608	799	583	216	110	72.97	27.03	
OR-503	Central Oregon CoC	OR	342	151	493	125	368	105	25.35	74.65	
OR-504	Salem/Marion/Polk County CoC	OR	570	921	1491	879	612	176	58.95	41.05	
OR-505	Oregon Balance of State CoC	OR	2212	1048	3260	1199	2061	717	36.78	63.22	
OR-506	Hillsboro/Beaverton/Washington County CoC	OR	360	1653	2013	282	1731	679	14.01	85.99	
OR-507	Clackamas County CoC	OR	167	1601	1768	783	985	317	44.29	55.71	
PA-500	Philadelphia CoC	PA	6477	176	6653	3317	3336	956	49.86	50.14	
PA-501	Harrisburg/Dauphin County CoC	PA	322	58	380	225	155	51	59.21	40.79	
PA-502	Upper Darby/Chester/Haverford/Delaware County CoC	PA	831	42	873	327	546	167	37.46	62.54	
PA-503	Wilkes-Barre/Hazleton/Luzerne County CoC	PA	132	5	137	69	68	20	50.36	49.64	
PA-504	Lower Marion/Norristown/Abington/Montgomery County CoC	MD	576	53	629	161	468	152	25.60	74.40	
PA-505	Chester County CoC	PA	325	64	389	273	116	48	70.18	29.82	
PA-506	Reading/Berks County CoC	PA	487	38	525	294	231	69	56.00	44.00	
PA-507	Altoona/Central Pennsylvania CoC	PA	818	146	964	477	487	153	49.48	50.52	
PA-508	Scranton/Lackawanna County CoC	PA	234	297	531	232	299	93	43.69	56.31	

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PA-509	Allentown/Northeast Pennsylvania CoC	PA	547	42	589	214	375	129	36.33	63.67
PA-510	Lancaster City & County CoC	PA	512	33	545	323	222	90	59.27	40.73
PA-511	Bristol/Bensalem/Bucks County CoC	PA	336	296	632	111	521	167	17.56	82.44
PA-600	Pittsburgh/McKeesport/Penn Hills/Allegheny County CoC	PA	1135	52	1187	706	481	187	59.48	40.52
PA-601	Southwest Pennsylvania CoC	PA	508	60	568	308	260	86	54.23	45.77
PA-602	Northwest Pennsylvania CoC	PA	268	5	273	153	120	42	56.04	43.96
PA-603	Beaver County CoC	PA	51	0	51	51	n/a	n/a	100.00	0.00
PA-605	Erie City & County CoC	PA	330	42	372	186	141	n/a	50.00	37.90
PR-501	San Juan CoC	PR	641	2327	2968	2442	526	208	82.28	17.72
PR-502	Puerto Rico Balance of Commonwealth CoC	PR	509	1405	1914	1644	190	80	85.89	9.93
PR-503	Caguas CoC	PR	457	375	832	607	225	105	72.96	27.04
PR-504	Aguadilla CoC	PR	140	41	181	104	71	29	57.46	39.23
PR-505	Eastern Puerto Rico	PR	620	820	1440	1230	210	70	85.42	14.58
RI-500	Rhode Island Statewide CoC	RI	6758	108	6866	4045	2821	1218	58.91	41.09
SC-500	Charleston/Low Country CoC	SC	536	304	840	516	170	154	61.43	20.24
SC-501	Greenville/Anderson/Spartanburg Upstate CoC	SC	1312	735	2047	1107	706	234	54.08	34.49
SC-502	Columbia Midlands CoC	SC	1241	1397	2638	2096	542	259	79.45	20.55
SC-503	Myrtle Beach/Sumter City & County CoC	SC	460	1476	1936	1298	638	260	67.05	32.95
SC-504	Florence City & County/Pee Dee CoC	SC	125	372	497	311	186	63	62.58	37.42
SD-500	South Dakota Statewide CoC	SD	987	42	1029	746	283	92	72.50	27.50
TN-500	Chattanooga/Southeast Tennessee CoC	TN	382	303	685	408	277	102	59.56	40.44
TN-501	Memphis/Shelby County CoC	TN	1767	109	1876	1149	727	266	61.25	38.75

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TN-502	Knoxville/Knox County CoC	TN	639	112	751	655	96	41	87.22	12.78
TN-503	South Central Tennessee CoC	TN	84	44	128	87	41	14	67.97	32.03
TN-504	Nashville/Davidson County CoC	TN	1315	227	1542	1404	138	45	91.05	8.95
TN-505	Clarksville/Mid Cumberland CoC	TN	115	96	211	127	84	42	60.19	39.81
TN-506	Oak Ridge/Upper Cumberland	TN	308	321	629	450	669	179	71.54	28.46
TN-507	Jackson/West Tennessee CoC	TN	883	806	1689	1040	649	260	61.57	38.43
TN-509	Appalachian Regional CoC	TN	293	132	425	345	80	29	81.18	18.82
TN-510	Murfreesboro	TN	74	56	130	117	13	5	90.00	10.00
TX-500	San Antonio/Bexar County CoC	TX	1374	277	1651	1200	451	146	72.68	27.32
TX-501	Corpus Christi/Nueces County CoC	TX	408	2692	3100	2738	362	226	88.32	11.68
TX-502	Brownsville, Harlingen, San Benito Cameron Counties	TX	173	22	195	118	57	20	60.51	29.23
TX-503	Austin/Travis County CoC	TX	1166	726	1892	1364	528	177	72.09	27.91
TX-504	Dewitt, Lavaca, Victoria Counties CoC	TX	60	256	316	145	171	59	45.89	54.11
TX-506	*McAllen/Hidalgo	TX			4910	1359	3551		27.68	72.32
TX-600	Dallas City & County/Irving CoC	TX	3317	412	3729	2352	1377	464	63.07	36.93
TX-601	Fort Worth/Arlington/Tarrant County CoC	TX	2457	1812	4269	2890	1379	544	67.70	32.30
TX-602	Houston/Harris County CoC	TX	5422	6583	12005	9009	2996	969	75.04	24.96
TX-603	El Paso City & County CoC	TX	923	148	1071	615	456	146	57.42	42.58
TX-604	Waco/McLennan County CoC	TX	94	392	486	225	261	87	46.30	53.70
TX-605	Abilene/West Texas CoC	TX	175	731	906	559	347	108	61.70	38.30
TX-606	Texarkana CoC	TX	120	32	152	127	25	6	83.55	16.45
TX-608	Bryan/College Station/Brazos	TX	149	21	170	135	90	35	79.41	20.59

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TX-610	Denton City & County CoC	TX	184	286	470	198	272	61	42.13	57.87	
TX-611	Amarillo CoC	TX	446	721	1167	772	395	142	66.15	33.85	
TX-612	Montgomery County CoC	TX	125	101	226	69	157	50	30.53	69.47	
TX-613	Longview/Marshall Area CoC	TX	211	77	288	193	95	33	67.01	32.99	
TX-615	Killeen/Central	TX	536	45	581	414	331	167	71.26	28.74	
TX-616	Beaumont/Port Arthur/South East Texas CoC	TX	559	4760	5319	3743	1576	440	70.37	29.63	
TX-617	Lubbock	TX	393	51	444	109	187	148	24.55	42.12	
TX-623	Galveston/Gulf Coast CoC	TX	215	68	283	191	92	25	67.49	32.51	
UT-500	Salt Lake City & County CoC	UT	1944	194	2138	1307	831	275	61.13	38.87	
UT-503	Utah Balance of State CoC	UT	399	157	556	267	289	125	48.02	51.98	
UT-504	Provo/Mountainland CoC	UT	225	185	410	228	182	62	55.61	44.39	
VA-500	Richmond/Henrico, Chesterfield, Hanover Counties CoC	VA	773	696	1469	1243	226	83	84.62	15.38	
VA-501	Norfolk CoC	VA	536	64	600	443	157	46	73.83	26.17	
VA-502	Roanoke City & County/Salem CoC	VA	430	63	493	398	95	38	80.73	19.27	
VA-503	Virginia Beach CoC	VA	335	293	628	381	247	77	60.67	39.33	
VA-504	Charlottesville CoC	VA	139	104	243	156	87	n/a	64.20	35.80	
VA-505	Newport News/Hampton/Virginia Peninsula CoC	VA	727	307	1034	752	282	107	72.73	27.27	
VA-507	Portsmouth CoC	VA	226	106	332	222	110	30	66.87	33.13	
VA-508	Lynchburg CoC	VA	130	62	192	146	46	14	76.04	23.96	
VA-509	Petersburg CoC	VA	41	91	132	115	17	8	87.12	12.88	
VA-510	Staunton, Waynesboro, Augusta, Highland Counties	VA	37	28	65	56	6	3	86.15	9.23	

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VA-512	Chesapeake	VA	21	186	207	95	112	34	45.89	54.11
VA-513	Shenandoah, Frederick, Page, Warren Counties CoC	VA	827	26	853	220	633	164	25.79	74.21
VA-514	Fredericksburg/Spotsylvania, Stafford Counties CoC	VA	361	46	407	322	85	30	79.12	20.88
VA-517	Danville, Martinsville CoC	VA	71	10	81	45	36	8	55.56	44.44
VA-518	Harrisburg/ Rockingham County CoC	VA	64	2	66	13	53	18	19.70	80.30
VA-519	Suffolk	VA	16	23	39	25	14	5	64.10	35.90
VA-520	Accomack/Northampton	VA	33	55	88	38	50	13	43.18	56.82
VA-521	Balance of State	VA	377	174	551	207	344	131	37.57	62.43
VA-600	Arlington County CoC	VA	258	162	420	295	125	48	70.24	29.76
VA-601	Fairfax County CoC	VA	1303	155	1458	525	933	265	36.01	63.99
VA-602	Loudoun County CoC	VA	70	23	93	40	53	16	43.01	56.99
VA-603	Alexandria CoC	VA	311	80	391	240	151	50	61.38	38.62
VA-604	Manassas City & Park/Prince William County CoC	VA	348	156	504	186	318	100	36.90	63.01
VI-500	Virgin Islands CoC	VI	184	354	538	401	137	46	74.54	25.46
VT-500	Vermont Balance of State CoC	VT	568	193	761	342	419	140	44.94	55.06
VT-501	Burlington/Chittenden County CoC	VT	133	33	166	114	52	20	68.67	31.33



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WA-500	Seattle/King County CoC	WA	5099	2216	7315	4355	2960	1014	59.54	40.46
WA-501	Washington Balance of State CoC	WA	3129	3610	6739	3234	3505	1321	47.99	52.01
WA-502	City of Spokane CoC	WA	1440	384	1824	1363	461	148	74.73	25.27
WA-503	Tacoma/Lakewood/Pierce County CoC	WA	1437	487	1924	773	1151	645	40.18	59.82
WA-504	Everett/Snohomish County CoC	WA	1579	1662	3241	1388	1853	959	42.83	57.17
WA-506	Spokane County CoC	WA	69	90	159	27	132	40	16.98	83.02
WA-507	Yakima City & County CoC	WA	677	513	1190	443	747	249	37.23	62.77
WA-508	Vancouver- Clarke Co.	WA	1020	558	1578	814	764	282	51.58	48.42
WI-500	Wisconsin Balance of State CoC	WI	2316	297	2613	1052	1561	554	40.26	59.74
WI-501	Milwaukee City & County CoC	WI	1578	1240	2818	1567	1251	446	55.61	44.39
WI-502	Racine City & County CoC	WI	230	46	276	183	93	34	66.30	33.70
WI-503	Madison/Dane County CoC	WI	1018	48	1066	580	486	149	54.41	45.59
WV-500	Wheeling/Weirton Area CoC	WV	78	21	99	72	27	14	72.73	27.27
WV-501	Huntington/Cabell, Wayne Counties CoC	WV	227	85	312	227	85	33	72.76	27.24
WV-503	Charleston/Kanawha, Putnam, Boone, Clay Counties CoC	WV	326	76	402	319	83	26	79.35	20.65
WV-508	Huntington/Cabell Wayne County CoC	WV	585	124	709	357	352	132	50.37	49.65
WY-500	Wyoming Statewide CoC	WY	401	86	487	241	246	80	49.49	50.57

# Appendix B: Methodology

**T**his report summarizes and tabulates data from 463 CoC point-in-time studies conducted in 2005. Each year, CoCs submit these data to HUD in the Exhibit 1 table of the SuperNOFA application. We obtained the data in electronic form from Abt Associates with permission from HUD.

## Methodology

In the 2005 SuperNOFA application the Exhibit 1 table was accompanied by a methodological narrative supplied by the CoC. The narrative describes their methods for collecting point-in-time data. Research staff from the Homelessness Research Institute at the National Alliance to End Homelessness read through each methodology, entering key variables into a database. This information helped us understand how the sites collected the data. There are limits to this approach—most notably that the narratives are open-ended and often leave out key information. Nevertheless, the methodological narratives are the only widely available information on how the data were collected so we are including them in this report. For more information on how the data were collected, local Continuums of Care should be contacted. We summarized our analysis of the narratives in a technical appendix, available at [www.endhomelessness.org](http://www.endhomelessness.org).

## Data Cleaning

We took a number of steps to ensure the data were as accurate as possible. We adjusted the data for three types of errors: (1) data entry errors; (2) summation errors; and (3) outliers or data inconsistencies. For the first two types of errors, we adjusted to the total. For the third type of adjustment, there were two outliers in the data set that we adjusted: Hidalgo Continuum of Care (TX-506) and Los Angeles Continuum of Care (CA-600). Hidalgo CoC reported 40,816 homeless people in 2005. This number is significantly higher than the number Hidalgo reported in 2004. Further investigation revealed that the number was in fact an unscientific estimate and we adjusted the total to reflect the actual number of homeless people counted in 2005 (this number is listed in the methodological appendix) instead of the extrapolation that was originally included in Hidalgo's Exhibit 1 report. Los Angeles reported 83,347 total homeless people. This number, however, includes an estimated 23,058 homeless people who are doubled up and were counted through a phone survey based on a sample of 1,000 respondents. HUD's definition of homelessness does not include individuals or families that are doubled up, so we adjusted Los Angeles' estimate to reflect only the number of homeless people who met HUD's definition.

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