

Rensselaer County Homeless Programs HMIS Annual Report

01/01/10-12/31/10

Please note that, by law, providers of Domestic Violence services do NOT participate in the HMIS as per HUD regulations. These numbers represent consumers who are in the general homeless shelter and service population, seeking aid from participating agencies.

Census:

Duplicated Count: 3,326 persons in 1,992 households, including 1,043 children in a total of 623 families were reported in the HMIS during this time period.

Unduplicated Count: 2,843 persons in 1,581 households, including 992 children in a total of 519 families were reported in the HMIS during this time period.

Duplicated Number of Persons by Program Type:

Emergency Shelters: 1,187
 Transitional Housing: 255
 Permanent Housing: 522
 Supportive Services Only: 1,362
 HPRP Programs: 1,345

Unduplicated Number of Persons by Program Type:

Emergency Shelters: 910
 Transitional Housing: 199
 Permanent Housing: 477
 Supportive Services Only: 1,257
 HPRP Programs: 1,241

The remaining values are from an unduplicated HMIS count of households and the associated head of household.

AGE RANGE AT INTAKE	Count	%
17 and below	6	0.4%
18-20	80	5.1%
21-30	408	25.8%
31-40	387	24.5%
41-50	405	25.6%
51-60	247	15.6%
61-70	44	2.8%
71+	4	0.3%
TOTAL	1581	

GENDER	Count	%
Female	930	58.8%
Male	650	41.1%
Transgendered Male to Female	1	0.1%
TOTAL	1581	

ETHNICITY	Count	%
Don't Know	3	0.2%
Hispanic / Latino	154	9.7%
Non-Hispanic / Non-Latino	1424	90.1%
TOTAL	1581	

RACE	Count	%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	11	0.7%
Asian	5	0.3%
Black or African-American	531	33.6%
Don't Know	4	0.3%
Multi-Racial	38	2.4%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	8	0.5%
Refused	3	0.2%
White	981	62.0%
TOTAL	1581	

INDIVIDUAL/FAMILY TYPE	Count	%
-No Data-	100	6.3%
Adult Couple without Children	66	4.2%
Individual Female	417	26.4%
Individual Male	478	30.2%
Individual Male Youth (< 18)	1	0.1%
Single Parent Family - Female Head	332	21.0%
Single Parent Family - Male Head	42	2.7%
Single Parent Family - Youth Head	5	0.3%
Two Parent Family - Adult	103	6.5%
Two Parent Family - Youth	37	2.3%
TOTAL	1581	

NUMBER OF CHILDREN	Count	%
-No Data-	93	5.9%
0	969	61.3%
1	232	14.7%
2	154	9.7%
3	79	5.0%
4	47	3.0%
5	6	0.4%
6	1	0.1%
TOTAL	1581	

DISABLING CONDITION	Count	%
-No Data-	101	6.4%
Don't know	20	1.3%
No	711	45.0%
Refused	3	0.2%
Yes	101	6.4%
Yes - Chronic physical illness or disability	108	6.8%
Yes - Developmental disability	12	0.8%
Yes - Diagnosable substance use disorder	66	4.2%
Yes - Dually diagnosed	75	4.7%
Yes - Serious mental illness	384	24.3%
TOTAL	1581	

SPECIAL NEEDS	Count	%
-No Data-	750	47.4%
Alcohol Abuse	206	13.0%
Chronic Health Condition	159	10.1%
Developmental Disability	36	2.3%
Domestic Violence	110	7.0%
Drug Abuse	227	14.4%
HIV/AIDS	24	1.5%
Mental Health	592	37.4%
Physical Disability	179	11.3%
TOTAL	1581	

VETERAN?	Count	%
-No Data-	7	0.4%
Don't Know	8	0.5%
no	1508	95.4%
yes	58	3.7%
TOTAL	1581	

HIGHEST LEVEL OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AT ADMISSION	Count	%
-No Data-	102	6.5%
No schooling completed	98	6.2%
Nursery school to 4th grade	4	0.3%
5th grade or 6th grade	4	0.3%
7th grade or 8th grade	53	3.4%
9th grade	61	3.9%
10th grade	111	7.0%
11th grade	143	9.0%
12th grade - No diploma	106	6.7%
GED	226	14.3%
High School Diploma	596	37.7%
Post-secondary school	77	4.9%
TOTAL	1581	

MONTHLY INCOME SOURCES AT ADMISSION	Count	%
-No Data-	455	28.8%
Alimony or other spousal support	2	0.1%
Child support	65	4.1%
DSS Congregate care	3	0.2%
Earned Income	336	21.3%
Employment Earnings	2	0.1%
Food Stamps	2	0.1%
General Public Assistance	146	9.2%
Medicaid	2	0.1%
None	3	0.2%
Other	16	1.0%
Pension from a former job	2	0.1%
Private disability insurance	7	0.4%
Retirement income from SSA	4	0.3%
SSDI	221	14.0%
SSI	364	23.0%
TANF	41	2.6%
Unemployment Benefits	107	6.8%
VA Benefits	1	0.1%
Veteran's Disability Payment	2	0.1%
Veteran's Pension	1	0.1%
Worker's compensation	11	0.7%
TOTAL	1581	

HOMELESS CAUSE	Count	%
-No Data-	751	47.5%
Asked to Leave Shared Residence	128	8.1%
Benefits Loss/Reduction	16	1.0%
Domestic Violence	33	2.1%
Drug/Alcohol Abuse	38	2.4%
Eviction	223	14.1%
Illness	8	0.5%
Injury	2	0.1%
Job Income Loss/Reduction	67	4.2%
Natural Disaster	3	0.2%
Other	137	8.7%
Release from Hospital	27	1.7%
Release from Prison/Jail	55	3.5%
Release from Psych. Facility	26	1.6%
Relocation	67	4.2%
TOTAL	1581	

RESIDENCE PRIOR TO PROGRAM ENTRY	Count	%
-No Data-	92	5.8%
Don't Know	10	0.6%
Emergency shelter	3	0.2%
Emergency shelter, including hotel or motel paid for with emergency shelter voucher	256	16.2%
Hospital (non-psychiatric)	5	0.3%
Hotel or motel paid for without emergency shelter voucher	30	1.9%
Jail, prison or juvenile detention facility	35	2.2%
Other	45	2.8%
Owned by client, no ongoing housing subsidy	43	2.7%
Owned by client, with ongoing housing subsidy	2	0.1%
Permanent supportive housing for formerly homeless persons (such as SHP, S+C, or SRO Mod Rehab)	20	1.3%
Place not meant for habitation (e.g., a vehicle, an abandoned building, bus/train/subway station/airport or anywhere outside)	57	3.6%
Psychiatric hospital or other psychiatric facility	43	2.7%
Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy	470	29.7%
Rental by client, with VASH housing subsidy	5	0.3%
Rental by client, with other (non-VASH) ongoing housing subsidy	46	2.9%
Staying or living in a family member's room, apartment, or house	175	11.1%
Staying or living in a friend's room, apartment, or house	143	9.0%

Substance abuse treatment facility or detox center	28	1.8%
Transitional housing for homeless persons (including homeless youth)	70	4.4%
TOTAL	1581	

HOUSING STATUS	Count	%
-No Data-	112	7.1%
Don't Know	4	0.3%
Imminently losing their housing	257	16.3%
Literally homeless	744	47.1%
Refused	1	0.1%
Stably housed	200	12.7%
Unstably housed and at-risk of losing their housing	263	16.6%
TOTAL	1581	

CHRONICALLY HOMELESS	Count	%
-No Data-	72	4.6%
no	1426	90.2%
yes	83	5.2%
TOTAL	1581	

SERVICES SOUGHT	Count	%
-No Data-	530	33.5%
Drug Treatment	60	3.8%
Legal Aid - CRJS/Civil	18	1.1%
Medical Care	65	4.1%
Mental Health Care	232	14.7%
Shelter/Housing	1028	65.0%
TOTAL	1581	

PROGRAM CATEGORY	Count	%
ES Emergency Shelter	446	28.2%
PH Permanent Housing	401	25.4%
SSO Supportive Services Only	557	35.2%
TH Transitional Housing	177	11.2%
TOTAL	1581	

PROGRAM GROUP	Count	%
Emergency Shelter	254	16.1%
Emergency Shelter Families	80	5.1%
HPRP Program	541	34.2%
Motel Voucher Program	112	7.1%
Outreach	3	0.2%
Permanent Supportive Housing	261	16.5%
Shelter Plus Care	10	0.6%
Single Room Occupancy	130	8.2%
Supportive Services Only	13	0.8%
Transitional Housing	177	11.2%
TOTAL	1581	

ZIP CODE OF LAST PERMANENT ADDRESS

Rensselaer County:	75.7%
<i>City of Troy</i>	68.4%
<i>City of Rensselaer</i>	3.2%
Other NYS:	19.5%
<i>New York City and Boros</i>	0.9%
Other US States and Territories:	1.3%
No Data:	3.5%