

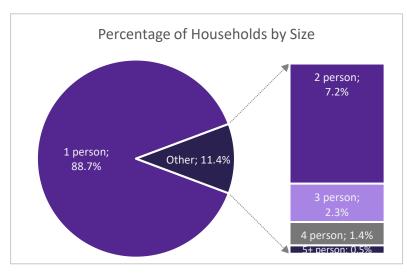
# Federal Fiscal Year 2018 Annual Report

# NY-520 - Franklin County CoC

10/1/2017-9/30/2018

### Overview - All Programs

Between 10/1/2017 and 9/30/2018, providers in the FranklinEssex served 261 people experiencing or at risk of experiencing homelessness.<sup>i</sup> Residential programs served 261 people<sup>ii</sup>, and supportive services only (SSO) programs served 0 people.<sup>iii</sup>

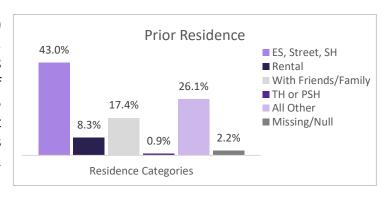


There were 222 households in the CoC, including: 201 households without children (containing 205 individuals), 21 households with both adults and children (containing 26 adults and 31 children), and 0 households of only unaccompanied minors (under 18 years of age), containing 0 minors.<sup>iv</sup>

By gender, providers in the CoC served 102 (39.1%) women, 158 (60.5%) men, 1 (0.4%) trans-identified individual, and no gender non-conforming individuals.

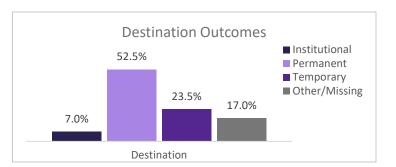
The racial breakdown of those served included: 234 (89.7%) White, 5 (1.9%) Black or African-American, 1 (0.4%) Asian, 10 (3.8%) American Indian or Alaskan Native, and 8 (3.1%) Multiple Races. Regardless of race, 6 (2.3%) individuals identified as Hispanic/Latino in ethnicity.

Of 230 adults or heads of household, 99 (43.0%) indicated a prior residence of Emergency Shelter, the streets, or Safe Haven. Of these clients, 58 (58.6%) reported one previous episode of homelessness within the last three years. 15 (15.2%), 10 (10.1%), and 10 (10.1%) reported that they had been 2, 3, or 4+ times homeless (respectively) during the same time frame. 11 (11.1%) did not report on this data element.

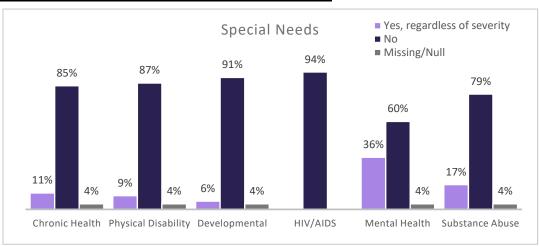


Of the adults or heads of household who were in program a year or more and received an annual assessment (12), 4 (33.3%) saw an increase in income (cash and cash benefits) between admission and their most recent update, while 3 (25.0%) maintained a stable income of greater than zero.

The total number of individuals discharged during the year was 200, which included 186 adults and 14 children. 105 (52.5%) were discharged to a permanent destination. Between admission and discharge, income for 3 (1.6%) clients over 18 rose, while 56 (30.1%) clients over 18 maintained a stable income of greater than zero.



### Special Needs – HUD and HHS Funded Programs Only



66.7% of adults (24/36) and 17.6% of children (3/17) in HUD or HHS funded programs self-reported at least one physical, emotional, or other health condition *regardless of whether the condition had become serious enough to be disabling*. Among those reporting multiple conditions, the most significant comorbidity was Mental Health and Substance Use (6). When taking severity of condition into account, 15 adults reported conditions that met the criteria to be considered a disability.<sup>vii</sup>

## <u>Sub-Populations – All Programs</u>

3 (1.3%) individuals over 18 met the criteria for chronic homelessness at the time of project entry. 1 out of every 13.2 adults receiving services this year was a veteran (7.6%). Out of the 17 veterans served, 9 (52.9%) reported a disabling condition and none met the criteria for chronic homelessness at admission. At admission, 28 clients (12.2%) of all clients were considered youth (18-24 years of age.)

Data quality and completeness play a major role in ensuring that these data accurately reflect the work being done within the CoC. CARES reports on the health of HMIS data monthly, and this information may be found at <a href="www.caresny.org/">www.caresny.org/</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Data breakdowns may total less than this number due to differences in data reporting across funders as well as data completeness. Information on **reporting methodology** and on **data completeness** may be found at <a href="www.caresny.org/">www.caresny.org/</a>.

ii RRH enrollments are considered residential.

For these 'Persons Served' numbers only: if an individual client is served by **BOTH** Residential and Supportive Services programs within the same year, the client is counted once in Residential **AND** once in Supportive Services. Therefore, adding these two numbers may equal more than the total unduplicated number of persons served.

iv Data based on current age and household composition, which may differ from information reported at admission.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>v</sup> Clients may self-identify up to 5 race categories in HMIS; for the purposes of this report, all clients self-identifying with more than one race are grouped together into the "Multiple Races" category.

vi HUD data standards collects Ethnicity information under the rationale: "To indicate clients who do and do not identify themselves as Hispanic or Latino." HMIS options for ethnicity are: Hispanic/Latino, Non-Hispanic/Latino, Client doesn't know, Client refused, or Data not collected.

vii As per the HUD definition of a disabling condition; please see the most recent HUD HMIS Data Standards Manual for further information.

## Projects Included in Report for NY-520 - Franklin County CoC

#### **Emergency Shelter**

Citizen Advocates - Homeless Apartment Program Essex County DSS Hotel/Motel Franklin County DSS Hotel/Motel Program

### **PH - Permanent Supportive Housing**

Albany VASH - Albany VISN FCCHC - CoC Housing Program Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition Grant

#### **Transitional Housing**

Akwesasne Housing Authority - Mohawk Indian Housing