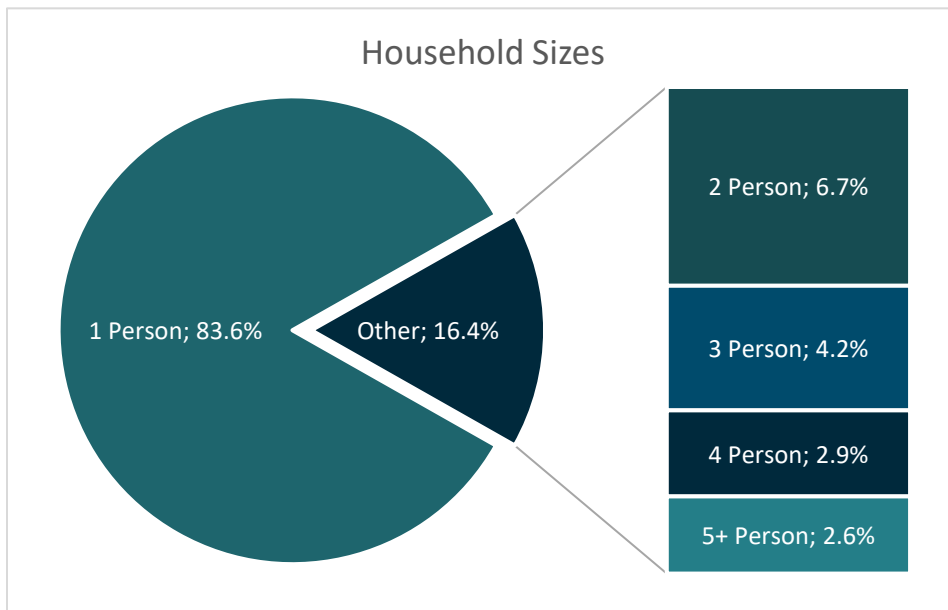# CARES
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CRHMIS Quarterly Report: 2019 Q2
1/1/2019-3/31/2019

NY-507 - Schenectady City & County CoC
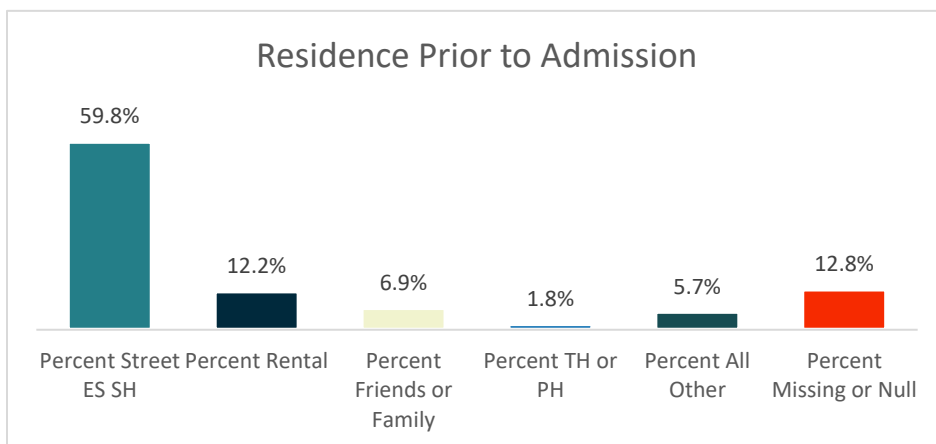
Overview – All Programs

Between 1/1/2019 and 3/31/2019, providers in the Schenectady CoC served 2051 people experiencing or at risk of experiencing homelessness.[i] Residential programs served 1453 people[ii], and supportive services only (SSO) programs served 598 people.[iii]

Household Sizes

1 Person; 83.6%
Other; 16.4%
2 Person; 6.7%
3 Person; 4.2%
4 Person; 2.9%
5+ Person; 2.6%

There were 1431 households in the CoC, including: 1175 households without children (containing 1212 individuals), 194 households with both adults and children (containing 261 adults and 387 children), and 62 households of only unaccompanied minors (under 18 years of age), containing 82 minors.[iv]
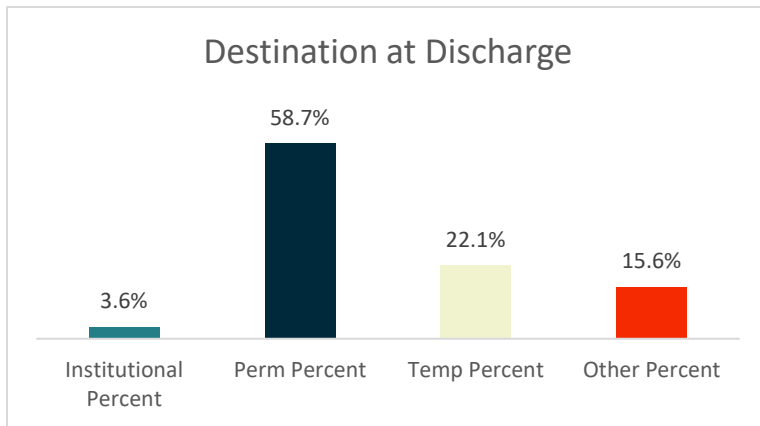
By gender, providers in the CoC served 904 (44.1%) women, 1015 (49.5%) men, 5 (0.2%) trans-identified individuals, and 1 (0.0%) gender non-conforming individuals.

The racial breakdown of those served included: 775 (37.8%) White, 885 (43.1%) Black or African-American, 9 (0.4%) Asian, 25 (1.2%) Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, 31 (1.5%) American Indian or Alaskan Native, and 181 (8.8%) Multiple Races.[v] Regardless of race, 318 (15.5%) individuals identified as Hispanic/Latino in ethnicity.[vi]

Residence Prior to Admission

59.8%	12.2%	6.9%	1.8%	5.7%	12.8%
Percent Street ES SH	Percent Rental	Percent Friends or Family	Percent TH or PH	Percent All Other	Percent Missing or Null

Of 1512 adults or heads of household, 904 (59.8%) indicated a prior residence of Emergency Shelter, the streets, or Safe Haven. Of these clients, 463 (51.2%) reported one previous episode of homelessness within the last three years. 162 (17.9%), 71 (7.9%), and 200 (22.1%) reported that they had been 2, 3, or 4+ times homeless (respectively) during the same time frame. 8 (0.9%) 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 (339), 118 (34.8%) saw an increase in income (cash and cash benefits) between admission and their most recent update, while 73 (21.5%) maintained a stable income of greater than zero.

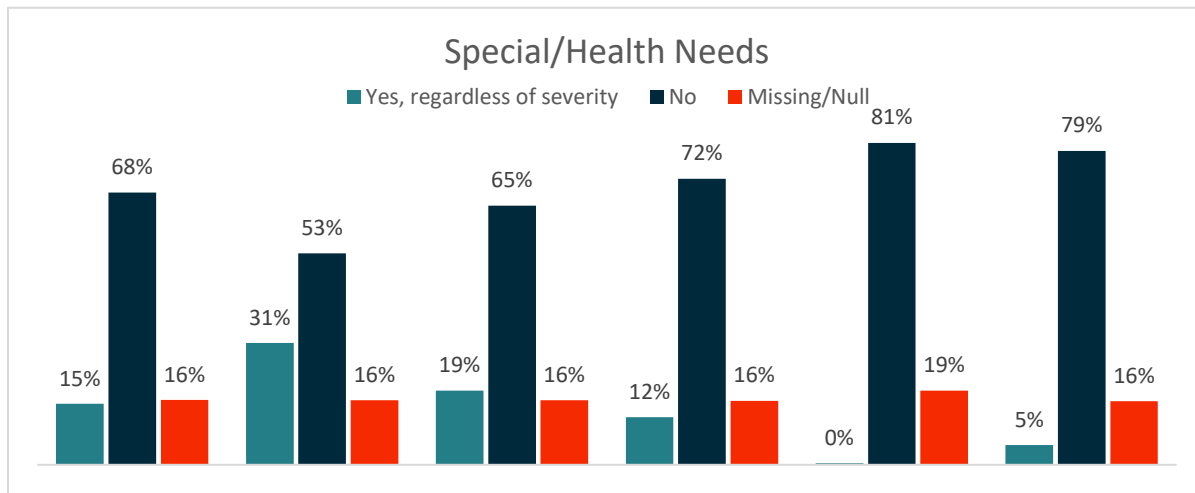## Destination at Discharge

The total number of individuals discharged during the year was 588, which included 438 adults and 150 children. 345 (58.7%) were discharged to a permanent destination. Between admission and discharge, income for 21 (4.8%) clients over 18 rose, while 165 (37.7%) clients over 18 maintained a stable income of greater than zero.

Sub-Populations – All Programs

116 (8.5%) individuals over 18 met the criteria for chronic homelessness at the time of project entry.[vii] 1 out of every 15.1 adults receiving services this year was a veteran (6.6%). Out of the 90 veterans served, 49 (54.4%) reported a disabling condition and 7 (7.8%) met the criteria for chronic homelessness at admission. At admission, 261 clients (17.7%) of all clients were considered youth (18-24 years of age.)

Special Needs – HUD and HHS Funded Programs Only

57.3% of adults (467/815) and 11.3% of children (34/301) 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 (155). When taking severity of condition into account, 376 adults reported conditions that met the criteria to be considered a disability.[viii]

Data quality and completeness play a major role in ensuring that these data accurately reflect the work being done within the CoC. Reports regarding the health of these data may be found at www.caresny.org/.

Projects Included in Report for NY-507 - Schenectady City & County CoC

Emergency Shelter

Bethesda House Emergency Veterans Initiative

Bethesda House Overnight Emergency Shelter

City Mission of Schenectady Family Life Center

City Mission of Schenectady Shelter

Safe Inc of Sch'dy - SAFE House

SCDSS - Home Connections Family

SCDSS - Schen Co - Home Connections ES

Homelessness Prevention

AHC - SSVF Homeless Prevention

Bethesda House of Schenectady HOME Prevention

Safe Inc - Community Coaching

SCAP STEHP LEGAL AID Prevention

SCAP STEHP Prevention

SCAP-ESG-Court Advocacy

SCAP-ESG-Court Advocacy Prevention LASH

VCHC SSVF Prevention

PH - Permanent Supportive Housing

Albany VASH - Albany VISN

Bethesda House - Beacon Residential Program

Bethesda House Liberty House

Bethesda House Lighthouse

Bethesda House Pathways To The Future

Mohawk Opportunities Continuum of Care Program - 14 Unit

Mohawk Opportunities Permanent Supported Housing Program

New Choices Recovery Center - Shelter Plus Care

SCAP - Housing For Health

SCAP PHP 27

SCAP Shelter Plus Care Program

Schenectady YMCA - SRO

YMCA - Development at Broadway Mod Rehab SRO

YMCA of Schenectady Shelter Plus Care -DUP09A 10 unit

YMCA of Schenectady Shelter Plus Care -DUP09B 20 unit

YWCA Schenectady - Main Building

YWCA Schenectady Rosa's House Expansion

PH - Rapid Re-Housing

AHC - SSVF Rapid Rehousing

Bethesda House of Schenectady HOME Rapid Re-housing

BH STEHP Rapid Re-Housing

SCAP - CoC Rapid Re-Housing

SCAP STEHP Rapid Rehousing

VCHC SSVF Program Rapid Rehousing

Services Only Program

LASH Schenectady

Safe Inc of Sch'dy - Project Safe/Life Skills Program

SCAP ESSHI at Hillside View

SCAP Supportive Housing Solutions

SCDSS - Schen Co - Home Connections CM

Street Outreach

CAPTAIN RHY Outreach

Safe Inc - Outreach

Transitional Housing

City Mission of Schenectady Transitional Housing

SCAP Sojourn House

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[i] Data breakdowns may total less than this number due to differences in data requirements across funders as well as data completeness. Information on reporting methodology and on data completeness may be found at www.caresny.org/.

[ii] RRH enrollments are considered residential.

[iii] For 'Persons Served' numbers only: if an individual client is served by **BOTH** Residential and Supportive Services programs within the same report period, the client is counted once in **EACH** total; therefore, adding these numbers may equal more than the total unduplicated number of persons.

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

[v] Clients may self-identify up to 5 race categories in HMIS; for this report, all clients self-identifying with more than one race are grouped together into the "Multiple Races" category.

[vi] HUD collects Ethnicity information under the rationale: "To indicate clients who do and do not identify themselves as Hispanic or Latino."

[vii] Please note that HMIS began using HUD's new definition of chronic homelessness effective 10/1/2015 and all individuals in program on or after that date are measured using this new definition, even if their program start date was prior to the change in definition taking effect.

[viii] Using the HUD definition of a disabling condition; please see the most recent HUD HMIS Data Standards Manual for further information.