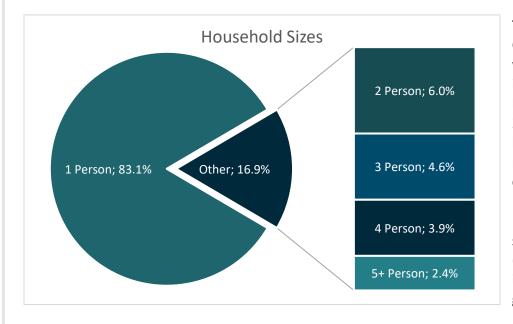


7/1/2019 - 9/30/2019

# NY-507 - Schenectady City & County CoC

### **Overview – All Programs**

Between 7/1/2019 and 9/30/2019, providers in the Schenectady CoC served 1878 people experiencing or at risk of experiencing homelessness.<sup>i</sup> Residential programs served 1493 individuals a total of 1754 times, and supportive services-only programs served 385 individuals a total of 407 times.<sup>ii, iii</sup>

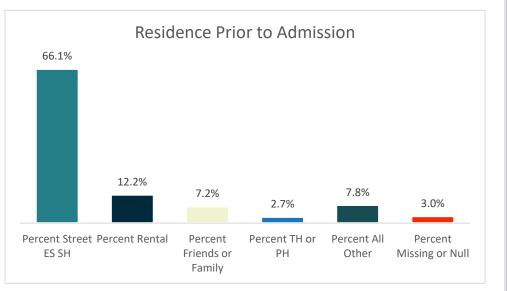


There were 1273 households in the CoC, including: 1050 households without children (containing 1072 individuals), 191 households with both adults and children (containing 250 adults and 394 children), and 32 households of only unaccompanied minors (under 18 years of age), containing 43 minors.<sup>iv</sup>

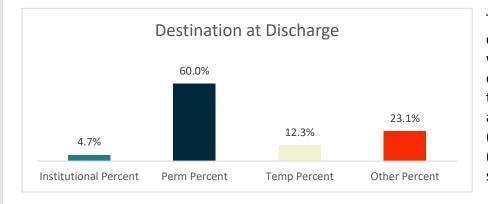
By gender, providers in the CoC served 791 (42.1%) women, 953 (50.7%) men, 6 (0.3%) transidentified individuals, and 1 (0.1%) gender non-conforming individual.

The racial breakdown of those served included: 723 (38.5%) White, 841 (44.8%) Black or African-American, 7 (0.4%) Asian, 6 (0.3%) Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, 17 (0.9%) American Indian or Alaskan Native, and 152 (8.1%) Multiple Races.<sup>v</sup> Regardless of race, 299 (15.9%) individuals identified as Hispanic/Latino in ethnicity.<sup>vi</sup>

Of 1336 adults or heads of household, 883 (66.1%) indicated a prior residence of Emergency Shelter, the streets, or Safe Haven. Of these clients, 463 (52.4%) reported one previous episode of homelessness within the last three years. 152 (17.2%), 69 (7.8%), and 192 (21.7%) reported that they had been 2, 3, or 4+ times homeless (respectively) during the same time frame. 7 (0.8%) did not report on this data element.



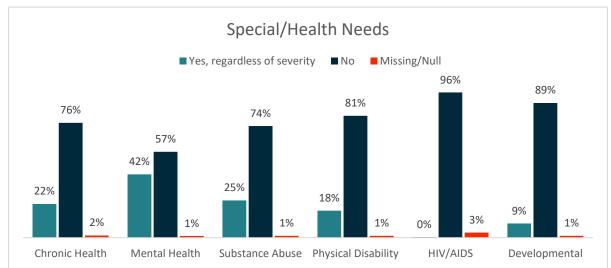
Of the adults or heads of household who were in program a year or more and received an annual assessment (267), 112 (41.9%) saw an increase in income (cash and cash benefits) between admission and their most recent update, while 36 (13.5%) maintained a stable income of greater than zero.



The total number of individuals discharged during the year was 472, which included 336 adults and 136 children. 283 (60.0%) were discharged to a permanent destination. Between admission and discharge, income for 7 (2.1%) clients over 18 rose, while 118 (35.1%) clients over 18 maintained a stable income of greater than zero.

# Sub-Populations – All Programs

131 (10.3%) individuals over 18 met the criteria for chronic homelessness at the time of project entry.<sup>vii</sup> 1 out of every 13.4 adults receiving services this year was a veteran (7.4%). Out of the 95 veterans served, 54 (56.8%) reported a disabling condition and 9 (9.5%) met the criteria for chronic homelessness at admission. At admission, 129 clients (9.8%) of all clients were considered youth (18-24 years of age.)



# Special Needs – HUD and HHS Funded Programs Only

75.8% of adults (562/741) and 12.4% of children (31/251) 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 (177). When taking severity of condition into account, 441 adults reported conditions that met the criteria to be considered a disability.<sup>viii</sup>

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 <u>www.caresny.org/.</u>

# 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

SCAP STEHP LEGAL AID Prevention

SCAP STEHP Prevention

SCAP-ESG-Court Advocacy

SCAP-ESG-Court Advocacy Prevention LASH

VCHC SSVF Prevention

SSVF Eastern New York - 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

SSVF Eastern New York - 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

#### **Transitional Housing**

City Mission of Schenectady Transitional Housing SCAP Sojourn House

### **Day Shelter**

Bethesda House Day Program Drop-in Center BH STEHP Emergency Services Program

<sup>iv</sup> Data based on **current** age and household composition, which may differ from information reported at admission.

<sup>v</sup> For this report, all clients self-identifying with more than one race are counted within 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."

 $^{\rm vii}$  Using HUD's definition of chronic homelessness.

viii Using HUD's definition of a disabling condition.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> Data breakdowns may total less than this number due to differences in data collection requirements across funders, as well as data completeness. Information on reporting methodology and on data completeness may be found at <u>www.caresny.org/.</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>ii</sup> For this report, all Permanent Housing (Housing Only, Housing with Services, Permanent Supportive Housing, and Rapid Re-Housing) and Transitional Housing are residential; Street Outreach, Homelessness Prevention, Day Shelter, and Services Only Program enrollments are Supportive Services.

<sup>&</sup>quot; "Persons Served" totals only: if an individual client is served by **BOTH** Residential and Supportive Services within the same report period, the client is counted once in **EACH** total; therefore, adding these together may equal more than the total unduplicated number of persons served. Only new enrollments for the quarter are included for Supportive Services.