

Homeless Solutions for Boulder County (HSBC) Year 1 Report: Data Appendix

HSBC Year 1 (October 2017-September 2018) Aggregate Data on Clients Screened for Services

	Countywide	Boulder	Longmont
Overall coordinated entry assessment data			
Number of clients screened	2,448	1,849	599
Referred to Housing-focused shelter	986	844	142
Referred to Navigation Services	1,462	1,005	457
Percentage of clients screened	100.0	75.5	24.5
Referred to Housing-focused shelter	40.3	45.6	23.7
Referred to Navigation Services	59.7	54.4	76.3
Client demographics			
Percentage of clients by gender			
Male	70.0	72.4	62.3
Female	28.9	26.4	36.7
Transgender	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Gender nonconforming	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Gender unknown	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Client chose not to answer	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Percentage of clients by age			
18 to 24	8.2	7.4	10.7
25 to 34	22.9	22.9	22.8
35 to 44	25.4	26.4	22.3
45 to 54	22.5	22.8	21.6
55 to 64	16.1	15.8	16.9
65 and older	4.9	4.7	5.7
Average age	42.9	43.0	42.8
Median age	42.1	42.1	41.9

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	Countywide	Boulder	Longmont
Percentage of clients by race			
American Indian or Alaska Native alone	2.8	2.8	2.6
Asian alone	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Black alone	6.6	7.7	2.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander alone	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
White alone	64.2	62.5	69.4
Other race alone	6.2	5.3	8.8
Multiracial	8.6	8.7	8.1
Unknown	10.8	11.6	7.9
Percentage of clients by ethnicity			
Hispanic/Latino	12.0	9.8	18.8
Non-Hispanic/Latino	53.8	54.1	52.5
Ethnicity unknown	34.3	36.0	28.7
Ties to Boulder County			
Percentage of clients by length of time in Boulder County			
Two years or longer	40.6	35.6	56.5
At least one year but less than two years	6.3	6.5	5.8
At least six months but less than one year	5.3	5.2	5.8
At least one month but less than six months	12.5	12.3	12.9
Less than one month	35.3	40.5	18.9
Percentage of clients by presence of family in Boulder County			
Report family in Boulder County	25.2	18.0	47.6
Do not report family in Boulder County	74.8	82.0	52.4
Percentage of clients who report being in Boulder County less than one month and do not report family in Boulder County *			
Percentage of this group that reports having worked in Boulder County	16.8	16.1	22.4
Percentage of this group that reports having gone to school in Boulder County	3.2	3.4	2.0

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	Countywide	Boulder	Longmont
Living situation prior to screening, experience with homelessness, and reported disabling condition			
Percentage of clients by where they stayed the previous night			
Homeless Situation	85.9	89.6	74.2
Emergency shelter	28.9	33.1	15.7
Interim housing	1.9	2.0	1.6
Place not meant for human habitation	38.8	35.2	50.0
Safe Haven	1.1	1.3	<1.0
Homeless situation - detail unknown	15.2	18.0	6.6
Institutional Situation	3.7	4.2	2.1
Hospital or other residential non-psychiatric medical facility	1.0	1.1	<1.0
Jail or prison	1.3	1.4	1.2
Long-term care facility or nursing home	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Psychiatric hospital or other psychiatric facility	<1.0	1.0	0.0
Substance abuse treatment facility or detox center	<1.0	<1.0	0.0
Foster care home or foster care group home	<1.0	<1.0	0.0
Institutional situation - detail unknown	<1.0	<1.0	0.0
Transitional or Permanent Housing Situation	10.4	6.2	23.7
Hotel or motel	1.8	1.0	4.3
Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy	1.9	1.1	4.3
Staying or living with a family member	2.6	1.4	6.4
Staying or living with a friend	2.9	1.8	6.4
Other transitional or permanent housing situation	1.2	<1.0	2.3
Transitional or Permanent Housing Situation - detail unknown	0.0	0.0	0.0
Percentage of clients by length of time in that prior living situation			
One night or less	21.2	24.3	11.3
Two to six nights	12.6	13.3	10.2
One week or more, but less than one month	10.4	9.5	13.1
One month or more, but less than 90 days	11.5	10.0	16.2
90 days or more, but less than one year	19.5	17.5	25.9
One year or longer	24.9	25.4	23.3

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	Countywide	Boulder	Longmont
Percentage of clients who were homeless prior to that situation**			
Yes	3.9	4.1	3.3
No	1.9	1.4	3.6
Question not asked	94.0	94.5	92.7
Percentage of clients by the number of times they have experienced homelessness in the past three years, including the current episode			
One time	56.3	53.4	67.7
Two times	19.7	19.7	19.8
Three times	7.2	7.5	6.0
Four or more times	16.7	19.4	6.5
Percentage of clients by the total number of months they have experienced homelessness in the past three years			
Less than 6 months	30.9	28.5	40.4
Six to 11 months	14.6	15.3	11.5
12 or more months	54.6	56.2	48.1
Percentage of clients by whether they report a disabling condition			
Yes	70.3	72.9	60.9
No	29.7	27.1	39.1

Notes:

* Only clients who have been in Boulder County less than one month and do not report family in the area are asked subsequent questions about work and school to determine if they have other community ties. For all clients who have been in the County for a month or longer or who report family in the area this question is not asked. Because of this, those who are asked the work and school questions are disproportionately unlikely to have gone to school or worked here. This data should be interpreted with that in mind.

** In order to align with federal data collection requirements, this question is only asked of a subset of clients who were in their prior living situation a short time. Because of this, this data point is missing for the majority of clients.