



2016 Detroit CoC Point-in-Time Count Summary Data Report

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The Detroit Continuum of Care (CoC), the Homeless Action Network of Detroit (HAND), and the City of Detroit conducted a one night Point-in-Time count of people who were homeless in Detroit, Hamtramck, and Highland Park on January 27, 2016. The Point-in-Time count (PIT) provides a snapshot of the number of people who were homeless in our community on this one night. This report provides an overview of the data from the 2016 PIT.

2016 Point-in-Time Summary Data			
	Sheltered [†]	Unsheltered	Total
Persons in Families	634	7	641
<i>Adults in families</i>	231	3	234
<i>Children in families (under 18)</i>	403	4	407
Single Adults (24+)	1357	180	1537
Youth (18-24)	143	6	149
Unaccompanied Youth (under 18) [‡]	8	0	8
Total	2142	193	2335
Sub-Populations			
Chronically Homeless [§]	226	103	329
Veterans	336	18	354

Comparison to Prior Years				
	2016	2015	Increase/(Decrease)	
			Number	Percentage
Total Unsheltered	193	151	42	28%
Unsheltered Persons in Families	7	0	7	
<i>Adults in families</i>	3	0	3	
<i>Children in families (under 18)</i>	4	0	4	
Unsheltered Single Adults (24+)	180	140	40	29%
Unsheltered Youth (18 - 24)	6	10	(4)	(40%)
Unsheltered Unaccompanied Youth (under 18)	0	1	(1)	(100%)
Unsheltered Veterans (subset of unsheltered adults)	18	6	12	200%
Total Sheltered	2142	2,446	(304)	(12%)
Sheltered Persons in Families	634	633	(1)	(<1%)
<i>Adults in families</i>	231	214	17	8%
<i>Children in families (under 18)</i>	403	419	(16)	(4%)
Sheltered Single Adults (24+)	1357	1,638	(281)	(17%)
Sheltered Youth (18 - 24)	143	155	(12)	(8%)
Sheltered Unaccompanied Youth (under 18)	8	20	(12)	(60%)
Sheltered Veterans (subset of sheltered adults)	336	480	(144)	(30%)

[†] "Sheltered" includes persons in an emergency shelter, transitional housing program for the homeless, or a Safe Haven program

[‡] Includes parenting youth and their children

[§] A person is considered chronically homeless if s/he has been continuously homeless for at least one year, or has had four episodes of homelessness in the past three years where those episodes total at least 12 months, and has a disabling condition.