

## STATEWIDE AND REGION COUNTS OF HOMELESS PEOPLE

### HENNEPIN COUNTY

Every three years Wilder Research conducts a statewide study to better understand the prevalence, causes, circumstances, and effects of homelessness. The study includes face-to-face interviews with people throughout the state who meet the [federal definition of homelessness](#), and a count of homeless people.

This report provides numbers of homeless people counted on the day of the study, October 22, 2015. Counts include people staying in emergency and domestic violence shelters, and transitional housing sites. These counts were reported by the housing providers. It also includes counts of homeless people found through outreach in non-shelter locations such as encampments, hot-meal programs, and other drop-in service locations that were interviewed for the study. This report does not contain estimates of the uncounted or unidentified homeless population.



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## HENNEPIN COUNTY CONTINUUM OF CARE COUNTS OF PEOPLE AND FAMILIES

### 1. Number of people identified as homeless, by type of shelter and age group

		Emergency shelters	Domestic violence shelters	Transitional housing	Rapid Rehousing*	Total in shelters	Total not in shelters	Total
Unaccompanied minors (age < 18)	Male	10	-	9	-	19	7	26
	Female	17	-	6	-	23	6	29
	<i>Total</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>55</i>
Young adults age 18-21	Male	38	-	22	5	65	16	81
	Female	45	4	37	15	101	18	119
	<i>Total</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>166</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>200</i>
Young adults age 22-24	Male	32	-	9	6	47	19	66
	Female	33	7	36	12	88	3	91
	<i>Total</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>157</i>
Adults age 25-54	Male	421	-	245	23	689	135	824
	Female	266	66	271	28	631	35	666
	<i>Total</i>	<i>687</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>516</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>1,320</i>	<i>170</i>	<i>1,490</i>
Adults age 55 and older	Male	189	-	76	-	265	41	306
	Female	52	3	33	-	88	9	97
	<i>Total</i>	<i>241</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>109</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>353</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>403</i>
<b>Number of minors and adults</b>		<b>1,103</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>2,016</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>2,305</b>
<b>Number of children with parents</b>		<b>443</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,360</b>
<b>Total number of homeless people</b>		<b>1,546</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>1,434</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>3,366</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>3,665</b>

\* Rapid Rehousing (RRH) is temporary assistance for persons experiencing homelessness to help them obtain and pay for housing. Persons receiving RRH are generally receiving a subsidy to pay rent to landlords for a limited time. Most RRH programs in Minnesota were not included in the 2015 Statewide Homeless Study. After careful review, a small number of exceptions were made to include programs that maintained the same model of services and supports, but were considered "transitional housing" during their participation in the 2012 study.

## HENNEPIN COUNTY CONTINUUM OF CARE COUNTS BY FAMILY STATUS

### 2. Number of families identified as homeless, by type of shelter and age group of family head

Family composition	Families in shelters	Families interviewed in non-shelter locations	Total families counted	Children with parents in shelters	Children with parents in non-shelter locations	Total children counted
Headed by unaccompanied minors age < 18	Male caregiver only	-	-	-	-	-
	Female caregiver only	-	-	-	-	-
	Couples with children	-	-	-	-	-
	<i>Total</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Headed by young adults age 18-21	Male caregiver only	-	-	-	-	-
	Female caregiver only	34	2	36	44	2
	Couples with children	7	2	9	12	2
	<i>Total</i>	41	4	45	56	4
Headed by young adults age 22-24	Male caregiver only	2	-	2	4	-
	Female caregiver only	57	-	57	105	-
	Couples with children	12	-	12	29	-
	<i>Total</i>	71	-	71	138	-
Headed by adults age 25+	Male caregiver only	20	3	23	26	5
	Female caregiver only	312	1	313	786	1
	Couples with children	107	-	107	344	-
	<i>Total</i>	439	4	443	1,156	6
<b>Total male-headed families</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Total female-headed families</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>938</b>
<b>Total couples with children</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>387</b>
<b>Total families</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,360</b>

### 3. People in families: Adults or youth with accompanying children

	Number of homeless people in shelters	Number of homeless people identified in non-shelter locations	Total number of homeless people identified on October 22, 2015
Unaccompanied minors – age < 18	-	-	-
Young adults - age 18-21	48	6	54
Young adults - age 22-24	83	-	83
Adults - age 25-54	541	4	545
Adults - age 55 and older	5	-	5
<b>Total number of parents in families</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>687</b>
<b>Total number of children with parents</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,360</b>
<b>Total number of people in families</b>	<b>2,027</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2,047</b>

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### 4. People not in families: Adults or youth without accompanying children

	Number of homeless people in shelters	Number of homeless people identified in non-shelter locations	Total number of homeless people identified on October 22, 2015
<b>Individuals</b> (including couples who do not have children with them and not including children who are with parents)			
Unaccompanied minors – age < 18	42	13	55
Young adults - age 18-21	118	28	146
Young adults - age 22-24	52	22	74
Adults - age 25-54	779	166	945
Adults - age 55 and older	348	50	398
<b>Total number of individuals</b> (not including children or parents)	<b>1,339</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>1,618</b>

### 5. Total people in families and not in families

	Number of homeless people in shelters	Number of homeless people identified in non-shelter locations	Total number of homeless people identified on October 22, 2015
Total number of people in families	2,027	20	2,047
Total number of individuals	1,339	279	1,618
<b>Total number of people identified by the study as experiencing homelessness</b>	<b>3,366</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>3,665</b>