

2015 Homeless Veterans (Minnesota definition of Veterans) - Minnesota statewide survey data

BACKGROUND AND NOTES ON THE 2015 TABLES FOR VETERANS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

These tables provide detailed survey results from the October 2015 Minnesota Homeless Study. These tables include information about a subset of the overall population: Veterans experiencing homelessness (as identified through survey responses). The data are provided to help planners and service providers develop summary information about the characteristics of homeless Veterans, their experiences and needs, and the barriers that prevent them from obtaining housing.

For actual **counts** of people who were homeless on October 22, 2015, see the report *Statewide and Region Counts of Homeless People* found at http://mnhomeless.org/minnesota-homeless-study/detailed-data-counts/2015/All-2015-Homeless-Counts_3-16.pdf. Other reports regarding the 2015 homeless study are published at www.mnhomeless.org as they are available.

VETERAN STATUS – MINNESOTA DEFINITION

There are several definitions of Veteran status used to determine eligibility for various services and benefits. These tables reflect the state of Minnesota's definition, which is defined as "a citizen of the United States or a resident alien who has been separated under honorable conditions from any branch of the armed forces of the United States after having served on active duty for 181 consecutive days or by reason of disability incurred while serving on active duty, or who has met the minimum active duty requirement as defined by Code of Federal Regulations, title 38, section 3.12a, or who has active military service certified under section 401, Public Law 95-202. The active military service must be certified by the United States secretary of defense as active military service and a discharge under honorable conditions must be issued by the secretary." (MN Statute 197.447). These Veterans are a subset of the Veterans who meet the federal definition.

The data tables that follow are based on interviews with 251 Veterans who were experiencing homelessness including 225 men and 26 women. In the data tables, survey results have been weighted to represent 351 Veterans; 314 men and 36 women.

NOTES FOR INTERPRETING THE DATA TABLES

The tables contain weighted estimates. This means that the survey results have been statistically adjusted to reflect the actual populations residing in emergency shelters, domestic violence shelters, transitional housing programs, and a few Rapid Rehousing programs that continue to function as transitional housing on the day of the survey. (We interviewed a large sample, not every person in each shelter.)

For non-shelter locations, the data are not weighted. We do not adjust the numbers for non-sheltered respondents, because the actual numbers of men, women, and children on the streets or in non-shelter locations on the day of the survey is unknown.

You should use the percentages, not the frequencies, when interpreting these tables. Sample weighting, such as we have performed with these data, uses calculations that can result in "fractional" persons. When we use computer rounding to adjust for this, the numbers do not always add up exactly to the total for each category.

The total number of responses is different for each question, based on the number of valid responses to that question. Missing data (cases when a respondent did not answer a question) are not reported or included in the percentages.

There may be small difference in the medians reported in these tables versus those reported in aggregate reports. This is due to inconsistencies in how medians are calculated within the statistical software (SPSS).

Unaccompanied minors (under 18) are not included in these tables. They will be included in separate tables about the characteristics of homeless youth ages 24 and younger, when available.

WEIGHTING TECHNIQUES

The percentages apply only to the respondents who were qualified to answer that question. Some tables report data that were collected only from those who answered a previous question in a certain way. For example, many questions about children are asked only of those adults who have children with them, so the percentages apply only to that group.

The Metro region includes the following seven counties: Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, and Washington. The 2015 survey data were weighted to reflect the actual number of sheltered homeless persons, as indicated by specific site counts of people in shelters throughout the state on October 22, 2015. Only sites from which there were completed interviews were used in the weighting. The actual number of homeless persons in non-sheltered locations cannot be accurately estimated, so these cases were given a weight of 1.0.

The weightings were calculated by a sample-balancing program available in the Princeton Statistical Program (P-Stat). Individual case weights were computed based on:

- Individual sites.
- Gender (male, female).
- Region (northwest, northeast, central, west central, southwest, southeast, Anoka, Dakota, Hennepin, Scott/Carver, Ramsey, Washington, and St. Louis County).
- Shelter type (emergency, transitional/Rapid Rehousing, domestic violence shelter).

Weightings were used to estimate the characteristics of homeless persons in Minnesota's temporary housing programs on the night of the survey based on the sample of 2,416 interviews with adults. The actual number of adults in temporary housing programs on the night of the survey was 4,426. When this is combined with the results of the 1,112 interviews completed with adults in non-shelter locations, the total sample for which estimates are available is 5,538.

If questions on weighting techniques, contact the research staff at brian.pittman@wilder.org.

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 Military veterans

124. Have you ever served in the U.S. military?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	125	100%	22	100%	119	100%	9	100%	71	100%	5	100%
No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	125	100%	22	100%	119	100%	9	100%	71	100%	5	100%

124. Have you ever served in the U.S. military?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	103	100%	11	100%	114	100.0%	211	100%	25	100%	236	100.0%	314	100%	36	100%	351	100.0%
No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	103	100%	11	100%	114	100.0%	211	100%	25	100%	236	100.0%	314	100%	36	100%	351	100.0%

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125. If served in the military, in which branch?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Army	70	56.2%	18	82.9%	57	48.0%	3	38.5%	38	53.5%	4	80.0%
Navy	27	21.4%	3	12.9%	18	15.1%	-	-	10	14.1%	1	20.0%
Marines	13	10.8%	-	-	25	21.2%	2	32.6%	15	21.1%	-	-
Air Force	12	9.3%	-	-	7	6.2%	2	29.0%	4	5.6%	-	-
Coast Guard	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
National Guard / Reserves - active duty	3	2.2%	1	4.2%	11	9.5%	-	-	4	5.6%	-	-
National Guard / Reserves - not active duty	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	125	100%	22	100%	119	100%	7	100%	71	100%	5	100%

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 Military veterans

125. If served in the military, in which branch?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Army	54	52.7%	9	80.5%	63	55.5%	111	52.4%	16	69.6%	127	54.1%	165	52.5%	25	73.2%	190	54.5%
Navy	13	12.5%	1	10.8%	14	12.3%	42	19.8%	3	11.5%	44	19.0%	55	17.4%	4	11.3%	58	16.8%
Marines	15	14.8%	-	-	15	13.3%	38	18.1%	2	10.2%	41	17.4%	54	17.0%	2	6.8%	56	16.0%
Air Force	9	8.4%	1	8.8%	10	8.4%	14	6.8%	1	4.7%	15	6.6%	23	7.3%	2	6.0%	25	7.2%
Coast Guard	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
National Guard / Reserves - active duty	12	11.6%	-	-	12	10.4%	6	2.9%	1	4.1%	7	3.0%	18	5.7%	1	2.7%	19	5.4%
National Guard / Reserves - not active duty	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	103	100%	11	100%	114	100.0%	211	100%	23	100%	234	100.0%	314	100%	34	100%	349	100.0%

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 Military veterans

126. If served in the military, how long did you serve?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Less than 3 months	3	2.1%	-	-	6	4.7%	-	-	2	2.9%	1	20.0%
3 to 6 months	4	3.0%	-	-	3	2.9%	-	-	1	1.4%	-	-
More than 6 months to 2 years	24	19.4%	11	52.2%	23	19.3%	1	14.9%	10	14.3%	2	40.0%
More than 2 years	92	75.5%	11	47.8%	87	73.1%	6	85.1%	57	81.4%	2	40.0%
Total	122	100%	22	100%	119	100%	7	100%	70	100%	5	100%

126. If served in the military, how long did you serve?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Less than 3 months	-	-	1	8.8%	1	0.9%	10	4.8%	-	-	10	4.3%	10	3.2%	1	2.9%	11	3.2%
3 to 6 months	1	1.2%	-	-	1	1.0%	7	3.3%	-	-	7	3.0%	8	2.6%	-	-	8	2.4%
More than 6 months to 2 years	15	14.8%	5	46.1%	20	18.0%	42	19.8%	9	40.9%	51	21.9%	57	18.2%	15	42.6%	71	20.6%
More than 2 years	85	84.0%	5	45.2%	90	80.1%	152	72.1%	13	59.1%	165	70.8%	236	75.9%	19	54.4%	255	73.8%
Total	101	100%	11	100%	112	100.0%	210	100%	23	100%	233	100.0%	311	100%	34	100%	345	100.0%

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127. If served in the military, when did you begin your military service?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Prior to August 1964	4	3.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.4%	-	-
August 1964 to May 1975	33	27.0%	-	-	18	14.9%	-	-	14	19.7%	-	-
June 1975 to September 1980	39	31.4%	13	57.6%	37	31.1%	-	-	16	22.5%	3	60.0%
October 1980 to March 2003	42	34.0%	7	32.6%	52	43.7%	5	73.7%	31	43.7%	1	20.0%
April 2003 or later	5	4.2%	2	9.8%	12	10.3%	2	26.3%	9	12.7%	1	20.0%
Total	124	100%	22	100%	119	100%	7	100%	71	100%	5	100%

127. If served in the military, when did you begin your military service?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Prior to August 1964	1	1.0%	-	-	1	0.9%	4	2.0%	-	-	4	1.8%	5	1.7%	-	-	5	1.5%
August 1964 to May 1975	13	13.2%	-	-	13	11.9%	52	24.4%	-	-	52	22.1%	65	20.8%	-	-	65	18.7%
June 1975 to September 1980	31	30.7%	3	28.3%	34	30.4%	60	28.6%	12	54.8%	73	31.1%	92	29.3%	16	46.0%	107	30.9%
October 1980 to March 2003	39	38.7%	7	61.0%	46	40.9%	85	40.4%	6	28.5%	92	39.2%	125	39.8%	13	39.3%	138	39.8%
April 2003 or later	17	16.4%	1	10.8%	18	15.9%	10	4.6%	4	16.7%	13	5.8%	26	8.4%	5	14.7%	31	9.1%
Total	102	100%	11	100%	113	100.0%	211	100%	23	100%	234	100.0%	313	100%	34	100%	347	100.0%

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128. If served in the military, did you serve in a combat zone during any of the following conflicts?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Never served in a combat zone	74	60.5%	19	85.7%	93	78.2%	7	100%	39	54.9%	4	80.0%
The Vietnam War	25	20.2%	-	-	5	4.3%	-	-	9	12.7%	-	-
Post 9/11 Iraq or Afghanistan Wars	7	5.9%	-	-	11	9.2%	-	-	18	25.4%	-	-
First Gulf War	11	9.3%	3	14.3%	7	6.1%	-	-	8	11.3%	-	-
Libya	4	3.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.4%	-	-
Lebanon/Beirut	-	-	-	-	3	2.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granada	1	1.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.4%	-	-
Unspecified combat zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	20.0%
Total	122	100%	22	100%	119	100%	7	100%	71	100%	5	100%

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128. If served in the military, did you serve in a combat zone during any of the following conflicts?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Never served in a combat zone	68	66.6%	9	79.3%	77	67.9%	138	65.6%	21	92.1%	159	68.2%	205	66.0%	30	87.9%	235	68.1%
The Vietnam War	10	9.8%	-	-	10	8.9%	29	13.7%	-	-	29	12.4%	39	12.5%	-	-	39	11.2%
Post 9/11 Iraq or Afghanistan Wars	13	12.5%	-	-	13	11.2%	23	11.1%	-	-	23	10.0%	36	11.6%	-	-	36	10.4%
First Gulf War	9	9.1%	1	11.9%	11	9.4%	17	8.2%	2	7.9%	19	8.2%	27	8.5%	3	9.2%	30	8.6%
Libya	1	1.0%	-	-	1	0.9%	4	1.8%	-	-	4	1.6%	5	1.5%	-	-	5	1.4%
Lebanon/Beirut	3	2.6%	-	-	3	2.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	0.8%	-	-	3	0.8%
Granada	1	1.3%	-	-	1	1.2%	1	0.5%	-	-	1	0.4%	2	0.7%	-	-	2	0.7%
Unspecified combat zone	-	-	1	8.8%	1	0.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2.9%	1	0.3%
Total	102	100%	11	100%	113	100.0%	210	100%	23	100%	232	100.0%	311	100%	34	100%	346	100.0%

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129. If served in the military, what type of discharge did you receive?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Honorable	105	85.7%	16	70.8%	100	85.3%	7	100%	48	70.6%	4	80.0%
General	13	10.3%	3	11.5%	15	12.9%	-	-	17	25.0%	1	20.0%
Medical	5	4.0%	3	11.6%	2	1.8%	-	-	3	4.4%	-	-
Administrative	-	-	1	6.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	122	100%	22	100%	117	100%	7	100%	68	100%	5	100%

129. If served in the military, what type of discharge did you receive?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Honorable	76	75.9%	7	57.1%	82	74.0%	177	85.2%	20	88.8%	197	85.5%	253	82.2%	27	78.2%	280	81.8%
General	21	20.9%	1	8.8%	22	19.6%	24	11.5%	3	11.2%	27	11.5%	45	14.6%	4	10.4%	48	14.1%
Medical	3	3.2%	3	22.4%	6	5.2%	7	3.3%	-	-	7	3.0%	10	3.3%	3	7.5%	13	3.7%
Administrative	-	-	1	11.7%	1	1.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.9%	1	0.4%
Total	100	100%	11	100%	111	100.0%	208	100%	23	100%	231	100.0%	308	100%	34	100%	342	100.0%

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130. If served in the military, do you feel that you have any service-related health problems?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	67	54.8%	7	33.5%	60	52.9%	3	38.5%	30	44.1%	2	40.0%
No	55	45.2%	15	66.5%	53	47.1%	4	61.5%	38	55.9%	3	60.0%
Total	122	100%	22	100%	114	100%	7	100%	68	100%	5	100%

130. If served in the military, do you feel that you have any service-related health problems?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	49	49.3%	4	37.3%	53	48.1%	108	52.8%	8	34.6%	116	51.0%	157	51.7%	12	35.5%	169	50.1%
No	50	50.7%	7	62.7%	57	51.9%	97	47.2%	15	65.4%	111	49.0%	147	48.3%	22	64.5%	169	49.9%
Total	99	100%	11	100%	110	100.0%	205	100%	23	100%	227	100.0%	303	100%	34	100%	338	100.0%

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131. For those with service-related problems, what kinds of problems do you feel that you have?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Mental health (including PTSD & readjustment disorder)	29	47.2%	3	34.8%	26	45.4%	2	70.5%	13	50.0%	-	-
Ear or hearing	25	39.9%	2	21.5%	27	47.0%	1	29.5%	10	38.5%	1	50.0%
Back	4	6.4%	-	-	4	6.4%	-	-	3	11.5%	-	-
Knees	3	5.0%	1	17.7%	2	3.9%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Physical health / physical injuries (not specified)	2	3.7%	-	-	3	6.0%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Problems with feet	1	2.0%	2	25.9%	2	4.2%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Respiratory / Lungs	3	5.0%	-	-	2	4.2%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Eyes	2	3.7%	2	21.5%	3	4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heart problems	5	7.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Diabetes	4	6.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nervous system disorder	4	6.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Head injury	3	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Leg injury	1	2.2%	-	-	1	1.8%	-	-	-	-	1	50.0%
Ankle injury	1	2.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7.7%	-	-
Shoulders / Arms	-	-	-	-	2	4.2%	1	29.5%	-	-	-	-
Alcohol / Drug addiction	3	4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cancer	-	-	-	-	3	4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand / Finger	-	-	-	-	1	2.3%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Teeth / Mouth	2	2.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chemicals, unspecified	2	2.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kidney problem	2	2.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hepatitis C / liver problems	-	-	-	-	1	2.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Skin problems / rashes	-	-	-	-	1	2.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arthritis	-	-	-	-	1	1.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neck injury	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Broken bone / fractures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
Total	62	100%	7	100%	58	100%	3	100%	26	100%	2	100%

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131. For those with service-related problems, what kinds of problems do you feel that you have?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Mental health (including PTSD & readjustment disorder)	23	52.9%	3	76.5%	26	55.0%	46	44.5%	1	15.8%	47	42.4%	69	47.0%	4	37.1%	73	46.2%
Ear or hearing	19	44.6%	-	-	19	40.6%	43	41.6%	3	43.2%	46	41.7%	62	42.5%	3	28.0%	66	41.4%
Back	6	13.1%	-	-	6	11.9%	5	4.8%	-	-	5	4.5%	11	7.3%	-	-	11	6.7%
Knees	3	6.0%	-	-	3	5.5%	4	3.7%	1	16.7%	5	4.6%	6	4.4%	1	10.8%	8	4.9%
Physical health / physical injuries (not specified)	1	2.3%	-	-	1	2.1%	6	5.6%	-	-	6	5.2%	7	4.6%	-	-	7	4.3%
Problems with feet	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	4.6%	2	24.3%	7	6.0%	5	3.2%	2	15.8%	7	4.2%
Respiratory / Lungs	1	2.3%	-	-	1	2.1%	6	5.4%	-	-	6	5.0%	7	4.5%	-	-	7	4.2%
Eyes	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	4.9%	2	20.2%	7	5.9%	5	3.4%	2	13.1%	7	4.2%
Heart problems	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	4.5%	-	-	5	4.2%	5	3.1%	-	-	5	2.9%
Diabetes	1	3.0%	-	-	1	2.7%	3	2.9%	-	-	3	2.7%	4	2.9%	-	-	4	2.7%
Nervous system disorder	3	6.0%	-	-	3	5.5%	1	1.2%	-	-	1	1.1%	4	2.7%	-	-	4	2.5%
Head injury	1	3.0%	-	-	1	2.7%	2	2.3%	-	-	2	2.2%	4	2.5%	-	-	4	2.3%
Leg injury	1	2.4%	1	23.5%	2	4.3%	1	1.4%	-	-	1	1.3%	2	1.7%	1	8.3%	3	2.2%
Ankle injury	1	2.3%	-	-	1	2.1%	2	2.2%	-	-	2	2.0%	3	2.2%	-	-	3	2.1%
Shoulders / Arms	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2.4%	1	10.3%	3	2.9%	2	1.7%	1	6.7%	3	2.0%
Alcohol / Drug addiction	1	3.0%	-	-	1	2.7%	2	1.5%	-	-	2	1.4%	3	2.0%	-	-	3	1.8%
Cancer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2.6%	-	-	3	2.4%	3	1.8%	-	-	3	1.7%
Hand / Finger	1	2.3%	-	-	1	2.1%	1	1.3%	-	-	1	1.2%	2	1.6%	-	-	2	1.5%
Teeth / Mouth	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.5%	-	-	2	1.4%	2	1.1%	-	-	2	1.0%
Chemicals, unspecified	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.5%	-	-	2	1.4%	2	1.1%	-	-	2	1.0%
Kidney problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.5%	-	-	2	1.4%	2	1.0%	-	-	2	1.0%
Hepatitis C / liver problems	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.3%	-	-	1	1.2%	1	0.9%	-	-	1	0.8%
Skin problems / rashes	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.2%	-	-	1	1.1%	1	0.8%	-	-	1	0.8%
Arthritis	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.1%	-	-	1	1.0%	1	0.8%	-	-	1	0.7%
Neck injury	1	2.3%	-	-	1	2.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.7%	-	-	1	0.6%
Broken bone / fractures	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.0%	-	-	1	0.9%	1	0.7%	-	-	1	0.6%
Total	44	100%	4	100%	48	100.0%	103	100%	8	100%	111	100.0%	146	100%	12	100%	159	100.0%

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132. If served in the military, have you been diagnosed with a service-related head injury or TBI (traumatic brain injury)?

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By Shelter Type	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	6	5.1%	-	-	10	8.3%	-	-	11	15.9%	-	-
No	115	94.9%	22	100%	108	91.7%	7	100%	58	84.1%	5	100%
Total	121	100%	22	100%	118	100%	7	100%	69	100%	5	100%

132. If served in the military, have you been diagnosed with a service-related head injury or TBI (traumatic brain injury)? (continued)

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By Geographic Comparisons	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	14	14.5%	-	-	14	13.0%	12	6.0%	-	-	12	5.4%	27	8.7%	-	-	27	7.9%
No	85	85.5%	11	100%	97	87.0%	196	94.0%	23	100%	218	94.6%	281	91.3%	34	100%	315	92.1%
Total	100	100%	11	100%	111	100.0%	208	100%	23	100%	231	100.0%	308	100%	34	100%	342	100.0%

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133. If served in the military, have you attended a Veterans StandDown event during the last 12 months?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

By Shelter Type	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	47	38.2%	6	26.0%	37	31.3%	-	-	25	35.2%	2	40.0%
No	76	61.8%	16	74.0%	81	68.7%	7	100%	46	64.8%	3	60.0%
Total	124	100%	22	100%	119	100%	7	100%	71	100%	5	100%

133. If served in the military, have you attended a Veterans StandDown event during the last 12 months?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

By Geographic Comparisons	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	27	26.4%	2	19.5%	29	25.7%	83	39.1%	5	24.2%	88	37.6%	109	34.9%	8	22.6%	117	33.7%
No	75	73.6%	9	80.5%	84	74.3%	129	60.9%	17	75.8%	146	62.4%	204	65.1%	26	77.4%	230	66.3%
Total	102	100%	11	100%	113	100.0%	211	100%	23	100%	234	100.0%	313	100%	34	100%	347	100.0%

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134. If served in the military, have you had contact with a County or Tribal Veteran Services Officer during the last 12 months?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

By Shelter Type	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	52	43.1%	3	14.6%	31	26.6%	3	38.5%	29	41.4%	2	40.0%
No	69	56.9%	19	85.4%	86	73.4%	4	61.5%	41	58.6%	3	60.0%
Total	121	100%	22	100%	117	100%	7	100%	70	100%	5	100%

134. If served in the military, have you had contact with a County or Tribal Veteran Services Officer during the last 12 months?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

By Geographic Comparisons	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	45	44.1%	3	25.7%	48	42.2%	67	32.7%	5	22.1%	72	31.6%	112	36.4%	8	23.3%	120	35.1%
No	57	55.9%	8	74.3%	66	57.8%	139	67.3%	18	77.9%	157	68.4%	196	63.6%	26	76.7%	222	64.9%
Total	102	100%	11	100%	113	100.0%	207	100%	23	100%	229	100.0%	309	100%	34	100%	343	100.0%

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135. If served in the military, are you currently receiving any of the following veterans' benefits?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
No veteran benefits	70	57.8%	10	52.5%	48	40.6%	6	88.6%	40	57.1%	3	60.0%
Veterans Administration Medical services (VAMC)	35	28.7%	8	40.8%	59	49.9%	1	11.4%	19	27.1%	2	40.0%
Service connected compensation	33	27.0%	3	13.8%	41	35.0%	-	-	19	27.1%	2	40.0%
Veterans Administration disability pay	19	15.3%	1	7.1%	16	13.8%	-	-	8	11.4%	1	20.0%
Non-Service Connected (NSC) Veteran's pension	8	6.3%	2	8.8%	3	2.2%	-	-	4	5.7%	-	-
Other federal veterans' benefits	4	3.0%	-	-	2	2.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
State Veterans Home benefits	1	1.0%	-	-	3	2.3%	-	-	2	2.9%	-	-
Other state veterans' benefits	1	1.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	5.7%	-	-
Total	122	100%	18	100%	117	100%	7	100%	70	100%	5	100%

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135. If served in the military, are you currently receiving any of the following veterans' benefits?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
No veteran benefits	60	58.4%	9	80.5%	69	60.6%	98	47.5%	10	51.2%	108	47.8%	158	51.1%	19	62.1%	177	52.1%
Veterans Administration Medical services (VAMC)	35	34.1%	2	19.5%	37	32.6%	77	37.5%	8	42.3%	86	37.9%	113	36.4%	10	33.8%	123	36.2%
Service connected compensation	30	29.6%	1	8.8%	31	27.5%	63	30.3%	4	18.5%	66	29.3%	93	30.1%	5	14.9%	98	28.7%
Veterans Administration disability pay	15	14.4%	-	-	15	12.9%	28	13.6%	2	12.1%	30	13.5%	43	13.9%	2	7.6%	45	13.3%
Non-Service Connected (NSC) Veteran's pension	6	5.5%	-	-	6	4.9%	9	4.2%	2	8.4%	10	4.5%	14	4.6%	2	5.3%	16	4.7%
Other federal veterans' benefits	1	1.3%	-	-	1	1.1%	5	2.3%	-	-	5	2.1%	6	2.0%	-	-	6	1.8%
State Veterans Home benefits	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2.9%	-	-	6	2.6%	6	1.9%	-	-	6	1.8%
Other state veterans' benefits	1	1.0%	-	-	1	0.9%	4	2.1%	-	-	4	1.9%	5	1.7%	-	-	5	1.6%
Total	103	100%	11	100%	114	100.0%	206	100%	19	100%	225	100.0%	309	100%	31	100%	340	100.0%

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136. If served in the military and are not currently receiving any veterans' benefits, have you used or received any veterans' benefits in the last 12 months?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

By Shelter Type	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	3	4.5%	2	15.6%	-	-	-	-	1	2.7%	-	-
No	66	95.5%	10	84.4%	44	100%	6	100%	36	97.3%	2	100%
Total	69	100%	11	100%	44	100%	6	100%	37	100%	2	100%

136. If served in the military and are not currently receiving any veterans' benefits, have you used or received any veterans' benefits in the last 12 months?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

By Geographic Comparisons	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	1	2.4%	-	-	1	2.0%	3	2.9%	2	16.9%	5	4.3%	4	2.7%	2	9.0%	6	3.5%
No	55	97.6%	9	100%	64	98.0%	92	97.1%	9	83.1%	101	95.7%	147	97.3%	18	91.0%	165	96.5%
Total	56	100%	9	100%	65	100.0%	95	100%	11	100%	105	100.0%	151	100%	20	100%	170	100.0%

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137. If served in the military, have you joined the Minnesota Homeless Veteran Registry?

Statewide Veterans (State of MN definition)

<i>By Shelter Type</i>	Emergency shelter / Domestic violence shelter				Transitional housing / Rapid Re-housing				Non-shelter locations			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	41	34.7%	7	30.8%	32	27.0%	3	38.5%	16	24.2%	2	66.7%
No	77	65.3%	15	69.2%	86	73.0%	4	61.5%	50	75.8%	1	33.3%
Total	118	100%	22	100%	117	100%	7	100%	66	100%	3	100%

137. If served in the military, have you joined the Minnesota Homeless Veteran Registry?
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Statewide Veterans Totals (State of MN definition)

<i>By Geographic Comparisons</i>	Greater Minnesota						Metro						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	24	25.0%	3	25.7%	27	25.1%	64	31.5%	9	41.5%	73	32.4%	89	29.4%	12	35.9%	100	30.0%
No	73	75.0%	8	74.3%	82	74.9%	140	68.5%	12	58.5%	152	67.6%	213	70.6%	21	64.1%	234	70.0%
Total	97	100%	11	100%	109	100.0%	204	100%	21	100%	225	100.0%	302	100%	32	100%	334	100.0%