

Ventura County 2013 Homeless Count and Subpopulation Survey: Final Report

Table 1: Ventura County Homeless Counts from 2007 – 2013.

Year	Total # of Homeless Persons	% of Increase or Decrease from Previous Year
2007		
2009		
2010		
2011		

Table 4. Total Number of Unsheltered Families and Breakdown by Adults and Children by Jurisdiction

Jurisdiction	# of Families	# of Adults	# of Children	Total	# of Chronic HmIs Families	# of Adults	# of Children	Total
County	49	55	98	149	12	14	33	47
Camarillo	4	5	10	15	0	0	0	0
Fillmore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
			1	2	0	0	0	0
						3	4	6

2013 Ventura County Homeless Count Survey Instrument

Your Name: _____ Date: _____

City or Unincorporated Area: _____

Age please record number for age group:
 1=under 18
 2=18 to 24
 3=25 to 29
 4=30 to 39
 5=40 to 49
 6=50 to 59
 7=60 to 69
 8=70 to 79

Have you served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or coast guard as a member of the National Guard or Reserve?

Have you been living in an emergency shelter or on the streets or in abandoned buildings?

Have you stayed in an emergency shelter or on the streets or in abandoned buildings?

Do you have a chronic health condition such as Diabetes, Heart Trouble, High Blood Pressure, Seizures, Hypertension, Asthma, etc.?

Do you have a mental health problem?

Do you have a physical disability?

Do you have a developmental disability?

Have you ever been in jail or prison?

Have you ever been in a court-ordered sentence?

During the last 12 months, were you released from a correctional institution, jail or prison, or a court-ordered sentence?

If yes, did the correctional institution provide you with information before your release about housing, social services, transportation, etc.?

How many children do you have under age 18 who are living with you today?

Is your spouse or partner living with you today?

Are you homeless today?

First Initial of First Name Only

First Initial of Last Name Only

Gender: M = Male, F = Female

Ethnicity (use instructions at bottom of page)

Table 2: Total Number of Persons Sheltered and Unsheltered by Jurisdiction

Jurisdiction	Total Sheltered & Unsheltered		Sheltered – Emergency Shelter		Sheltered – Transitional Housing		Unsheltered	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
County	1774	100	303	17	397	22	1074	61
Camarillo	27	100	0	0	0	0	27	100
Fillmore	13	100	0	0	0	0	13	100
Moorpark	9	100	0	0	0	0	9	100
Ojai	43	100	19	44	0	0	24	56
Oxnard	645	100	245	38	92	14	308	48
Port Hueneme	17	100	0	0	11	65	6	35
Santa Paula	34	100	0	0	0	0	34	100
Simi Valley	211	100	21	10	0	0	190	90
Thousand Oaks	121	100	0	0	70	58	51	42
Ventura	519	100	5	1	159	31	355	68
Unincorporated Area	135	100	13	10	65	48	57	42

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I. Executive Summary

There are 1,774 adults and children who were homeless during the point-in-time count in the County of Ventura according to the Ventura County 2013 Homeless Count and Subpopulation Survey. This number represents an 8% decrease when compared to the number of homeless persons who were counted last year and the lowest total count since its inception in 2007 (see Table 1).

There was an 8% decrease in the number of homeless adults and children between the 2012 homeless count and the 2013 count.

The cities of Oxnard and Ventura continue to account for 2/3 of the homeless population (36.4 % and 29.3 %, respectively).¹ The City of Simi Valley continues to have the third highest population of homeless at 11.9%, followed by the unincorporated area at 7.6% and the City of Thousand Oaks the fifth highest at 6.8%. The cities in the eastern part of the County had 38% of the unsheltered persons counted and the cities in the western part of the County had 62 % of the persons counted.²

Of the 1,774 homeless adults and children, 1,074 or 61% were unsheltered and 700 were sheltered. Of the sheltered population, 303 were in emergency shelters and 397 in transitional housing programs (see Appendix B for a breakdown by jurisdiction). Comparative data concerning the number of persons counted in past years are provided in this Section. A breakdown by various unsheltered subpopulations for each jurisdiction for this year is provided in Section 4 and Appendix C. A breakdown of sheltered individuals and families recorded in the local Homeless Management and Information System (HMIS) is included in Appendix D.

What Contributed to the Decrease?

During the past two years, the Ventura County and City of Oxnard Homeless Continuum of Care systems³ have begun implementing a Housing First and Rapid Re-housing approach, and successfully developed over 100 units of permanent supportive housing.

¹ The Shelter rotates between Oxnard and Ventura each year. The increase in Oxnard's homeless count and the decline in Ventura's count this year attributed to the fact that the West County Winter Warming Shelter was located in Oxnard this year.

² This does not include the unincorporated areas of the County.

1. Rapid Re-housing

- The County received a three-year allocation in the amount of approximately \$700,000 for rapid re-housing in October 2009 that was expended through September 2012 and served over 500 households.
 - This funding was received through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 which was signed into law by President Obama and included \$1.5 billion for the Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP) which was distributed based on the formula used for the Emergency Shelter Grants (ESG) Program;
 - The County and the City of Oxnard received approximately \$148,000 in ESG funds a year during the past two years which has furthered rapid re-housing efforts.

2. Homelessness Prevention

- The County received a three-year allocation in the amount of approximately \$1,300,000 for homeless prevention in October 2009 that was expended through September 2012 and served over 1,000 households.
 - This funding was received through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 which was signed into law by President Obama and included \$1.5 billion for the Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP) which was distributed based on the formula used for the Emergency Shelter Grants (ESG) Program;
 - The County and the City of Oxnard received approximately \$130,000 in ESG funds a year during the past two years which has furthered homeless prevention efforts.

3. Housing First

- The County began to implement a Housing First approach during the past few years through Shelter Plus Care certificates and HUD VASH voucher certificates and will expand this approach.

³ The Ventura County and City of Oxnard Homeless Continuum of Care systems have approximately 100 active members of public and private agencies who serve homeless persons throughout the County.

4. Permanent Supportive Housing

- During the past two years approximately 100 permanent supportive housing units were developed in the County;

5. Efforts of residential and non-residential service providers

- There are 12 year-round and seasonal shelters and 13 transitional housing programs that help homeless individuals and families exit homelessness every day.
- In addition, there are numerous programs county-wide that provide non-residential services such as access to mainstream benefits, employment services, health care, and mental health care that also help homeless individuals and families exit homelessness every day.

These accomplishments have largely contributed to the decrease in the number of homeless persons during the past couple of years. These accomplishments are in addition to the number of persons that emergency shelter and transitional housing providers help exit homelessness every day.

Housing First is recognized as an evidence-based approach and as a best practice by national researchers and policymakers based on years of research and implementation. The implementation of a Housing First Approach has helped jurisdictions across the country significantly reduce their homeless population.

Implementation involves moving homeless persons including chronically homeless individuals from the streets and directly into housing and providing wrap-around services to ensure housing stability. This approach links chronically homeless persons to permanent supportive housing which provides subsidized housing and appropriate supportive services. This approach is in contrast to a “housing readiness model” which emphasizes that a homeless individual or family must address other issues such as substance abuse and mental illness through case management in a shelter or transitional housing program prior to entering affordable permanent housing.

Rapid Re-housing has also been recognized as an evidence-based approach and as a best practice by national researchers and policymakers based on years of research and implementation. The implementation of Rapid Re-housing has also helped jurisdictions across the country significantly reduce their homeless population.

Rapid re-housing helps families and individuals who are not chronically homeless obtain permanent housing immediately and to stabilize themselves as soon as possible. Such households have not been living on the streets for years with physical disabling conditions such as serious mental illness, substance abuse disorders, and/or chronic physical illness. They have lived independently in permanent housing in the past and are in need of temporary assistance for several months instead of years. During this time they are able to become increasingly self-sufficient through public assistance and/or employment. They may need long-term non-monetary assistance to prevent the loss of their housing such as free or low cost clothing, food, health care, household supplies, and transportation.

Permanent Supportive Housing provides long-term affordable rental housing and a broad range of on-site and/or off-site wrap-around supportive services. The goal during residency is to increase independent living skills of residents who pay no more than 30% of their monthly income for rent so that they are able to maintain their housing. Persons without permanent disabling conditions may ultimately become self-sufficient and pay 100% of their rent and may or may not need supportive services.

Comparative Data

The County of Ventura first conducted a homeless count and subpopulation survey in 2007. Beginning in 2009, the homeless count and subpopulation survey was conducted every year. The following table compares the homeless counts since 2007.

Table 1: Ventura County Homeless Counts from 2007 – 2013.

Year	Total # of Homeless Persons	% of Increase or Decrease from Previous Year
2007	1,961	-
2009	2,193	+12
2010	1,815	-17
2011	1,872	+3
2012	1,936	+3
2013	1,774	-8

The next table provides a comparison of the number of homeless persons counted since 2007 by cities and unincorporated area.

Table 2. Comparison of the number of homeless persons counted since 2007 by cities and unincorporated area

Jurisdiction	2007	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Camarillo	10	13	15	29	30	27
Fillmore	5	4	5	10	16	13
Moorpark	13	7	1	7	5	9
Ojai	82	60	52	40	41	43
Oxnard	671	679	520	638	522	645
Port Hueneme	9	1	9	6	12	17
Santa Paula	97	91	54	50	60	34
Simi Valley	163	303	229	226	284	211
Thousand Oaks	81	147	106	87	90	121
Ventura	588	623	601	570	701	519
Unincorporated Area	242	265	223	209	175	135
Total:	1,961	2,193	1,815	1,872	1,936	1,774

Next Steps

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires Continuum of Care systems that receive HUD funding such as Ventura County and Oxnard to continue to conduct homeless counts and subpopulation surveys. The U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness (USICH) encourages all Continuum of Care systems to conduct homeless counts and subpopulation surveys as a means to align with the goals of Opening Doors: Federal Strategic Plan to Prevent and End Homelessness which is the first federal plan to end homelessness.

Homeless counts and subpopulation surveys are meant to establish baseline numbers concerning the total number of unsheltered persons within Continuum of Care systems. These activities are also meant to establish baseline numbers for various unsheltered subpopulations that are described in Section 3.

The methodology, also described in Section 3, was used to establish baseline numbers for each of the groups of unsheltered persons described above. The method included the use of a homeless count and subpopulation survey instrument (see Appendix A). These numbers are broken out for each jurisdiction in Section 4. Numbers for subpopulations are listed for each jurisdiction in Appendix B.

In order to be competitive for HUD funding, Continuum of Care systems are also required to establish benchmarks based on the baseline numbers. Benchmarks are annual incremental reductions. Thus, Continuum of Care systems should establish benchmarks for the total

homeless population and for subpopulations, especially those that are the most mired in homelessness and/or increasing in numbers.

Chronic Homelessness

While homelessness has decreased among the entire homeless population during the past few years, the percentage of unsheltered chronically homeless adults has increased.

	2011	2012	2013
Unsheltered Chronically Homeless	48%	56%	70%

Even though the number of unsheltered chronically homeless persons decreased from 851 in 2012 to 752, unsheltered chronically homeless persons make up an increasing percentage of the entire homeless population. Approximately 70% of the unsheltered persons counted are chronically homeless. A chronically homeless person has a disabling condition and has been homeless for a year or more or had four episodes of homelessness in three years. The percentage of chronically homeless persons has increased steadily over the last three point-in-time counts in Ventura County and is well above the national average of 18%. The evidence-base and best practice to end chronic homelessness is Housing First which moves households from the streets and directly into permanent supportive housing and providing appropriate wrap-around services to ensure housing stability.

Veterans

	2011	2012	2013
Veterans	9%	13%	13%

The percentage of homeless veterans has also increased since 2011. Homeless veterans are not just men. The 2013 homeless count and subpopulation survey revealed that there were 134 homeless veterans who were unsheltered. This special subpopulation is targeted in the federal plan to end homelessness. Efforts are underway all across the country and here in Ventura County to stabilize the lives of this target population. During the past few years, the Housing Authority of the City of San Buenaventura and the Housing Authority of the City of Oxnard received 100 HUD Veteran Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH) vouchers of which 18 have not yet been used. Delays in distribution are being remediated as the Veteran's Administration has contracted out screening activities and will have a local office at one of the Housing Authority of San Buenaventura housing projects. The vouchers provide subsidized housing and case management services.

Members of Families

	2011	2012	2013
Members of Families	26%	24%	27%

The percentage of families has remained study over the past few years. Efforts are also underway all across the country and here in Ventura County to stabilize the lives of this target population by implementing a rapid re-housing model. This model is recognized as an evidence-based approach and as a best practice by national researchers and policymakers and has helped jurisdictions across the country significantly reduce their homeless family population. Families are placed directly into housing and receive an appropriate amount of rental assistance and wrap-around services such as employment counseling and placement, health care, and mental health care. This model is in contrast to placing families in shelters and getting them “housing ready.” HUD and the USICH is strongly encouraging the rapid re-housing model to end family homelessness.

Youth

	2011	2012	2013
Youth Ages 18 - 24	8%	7%	7%

The percentage of youth ages 18 - 24 has remained study over the past few years. A rapid re-housing model has also helped jurisdictions across the country significantly reduce their youth population. Families are placed directly into housing and receive an appropriate amount of rental assistance and wrap-around services such as career and employment counseling and placement, education counseling, and substance abuse treatment. This model is also in contrast to placing youth in shelters and getting them “housing ready.” HUD and the USICH is strongly encouraging the rapid re-housing model to end youth homelessness.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

	2011	2012	2013
Persons Released from Corrections	data was not collected		30%

In 2013, data was collected for persons released from corrections. This data is based upon the following question:

- “During the last 12 months, were you released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-mandated sentence?”

Nearly one-third (30%) of unsheltered adults, were recently released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-mandated sentence. Of the 10 cities in the county, four had a percentage of 30% or more and include:

- Simi Valley (37%);
- Santa Paula (35%);
- Ventura (35%); and
- Oxnard (30%).

Data for this subpopulation should be collected each year.

HUD and USICH also encourage Continuum of Care systems to adopt and implement evidence-based and best practices that include Housing First and Rapid Re-housing approaches in order for benchmarks to be met each year. These approaches are urged within various HUD publications and within the annual Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance application and are also urged within the USICH publication Opening Doors: Federal Strategic Plan to Prevent and End Homelessness.

II. Background Information

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), as part of its requirements for local jurisdictions to continue to receive Continuum of Care funding for homeless persons, has asked local jurisdictional applicants to conduct a “one day point-in-time” unsheltered and sheltered count homeless count every other year during the last 10 days of January since 2005. However, since 2012, HUD requires a sheltered count every year which includes emergency shelters and transitional housing programs including safe havens.

In addition, HUD requires local jurisdictional applicants to gather subpopulation data for the following subpopulations: chronically homeless individuals, chronically homeless families, persons with mental illness, persons with HIV/AIDS, substance abusers, veterans, victims of domestic violence, unaccompanied youth under age 18, and youth ages 18 – 24.

A. When were the 2013 Count and Subpopulation Survey conducted?

The homeless count and subpopulation survey were conducted throughout the day on January 29, 2013. Identifier information was also collected to prevent duplication. The local HMIS was used to complete the sheltered count on the same day. Those agencies that operate an emergency shelter or transitional housing program and do not participate in HMIS completed a survey instrument that asked the same information as collected HMIS.

B. Who was counted and surveyed in 2013?

Only those persons who met HUD’s definition of homelessness were counted and surveyed. HUD considers a person homeless only when he/she live

- In places not meant for human habitation, such as cars, parks, sidewalks, and abandoned buildings;
- In an emergency shelter; and
- In transitional housing including safe havens.

HUD does not consider the following persons to be homeless—persons who are “doubled up,” or persons who are “near homelessness”—but considers them to be at risk of becoming homeless. Such persons were not included in the homeless count.

The County of Ventura, like many other counties, has a substantial number of households that are at risk of becoming homeless. According to the U.S. Census Bureau, in 2012, there were approximately 42,000 households consisting of about 130,000 persons (nearly one of every five residents) in Ventura County who were members of a household whose annual income was less

than \$25,000. There were approximately 21,000 households consisting of about 66,000 persons whose annual income was less than \$15,000 a year.

Also, the Census Bureau noted that 10 percent or nearly 76,000 residents of the County were living below the poverty level as reported in the 2011 American Community Survey. These persons are at risk of becoming homeless. Many of these persons can become homeless because of social structural issues such as increases in rent, loss of job, and rising health care costs. In addition, personal experiences such as domestic violence, physical disabilities, mental illness, and substance abuse can cause members of a low income household or an entire household to become homeless. Often, one or more of these experiences factor into a household's homeless experience.

C. Who carried out the count and subpopulation survey?

Over 200 volunteers helped with the count and subpopulation survey. Each city had volunteer teams that were coordinated by a team leader(s). In addition, volunteer teams were coordinated by a team leader(s) to count in the unincorporated areas of the county. Teams counted on the streets, at non-residential program sites that served homeless persons such as food programs, health care centers, and public assistance sites, and at shelters and transitional housing programs.

Volunteer efforts were coordinated by the County Executive Office (CEO) which is responsible to the Board of Supervisors for the general administration and coordination of all County operations and programs (see <http://portal.countyofventura.org/portal/page/portal/ceo>). The CEO consulted with the Institute for Urban Initiatives to complete the count and subpopulation survey.

Urban Initiatives is a community-based research and development agency that has completed many housing and homeless assessments including several homeless counts for cities and counties throughout Southern California. It consists of several community and faith-based agencies that respond to the economic, housing, and social needs of neighborhoods, cities, and counties from local community, regional, national, international, and faith-based perspectives (see www.urban-initiatives.org).

The CEO also consulted with the Ventura County Homeless and Housing Coalition to plan and coordinate the count. The Coalition is made up of representatives from many public and private organizations including businesses, city departments, corporations, county departments, faith-based agencies, for-profit organizations, neighborhood groups, non-profit organizations, and private foundations. The Coalition has helped coordinate the county's continuum of care system for homeless persons since 1996 (see www.vchhc.org).

III. Methodology

A homeless count and subpopulation survey instrument was used to gather data by counters (see Appendix A). The instrument focused on gathering answers that were used to create an identifier and to determine the number of persons for each subpopulation required by HUD. All information gathered through this instrument remains confidential.

During the count, volunteers were required to collect the following information concerning every homeless person counted: first initial of first name, first initial of last name, gender, ethnicity⁴, age by code⁵, and state born. The information for each encounter was inputted into a data base. The information was used to create an identifier for each person. For example, a homeless person may have the following code of "WTMW6CA." This means that this person's first name began with "W", last name began with "T", he was male "M", he was White "5", in the age range of 50-61, and born in California.

First Initial	Last Initial	Gender	Ethnicity	Age Code	State Born
W	T	M	5	6	CA

If the same identifier appeared more than once, it was assumed that this was the same person and the person would only be counted once. An example to illustrate how this process worked is noted in the table below. Numbers 6 and 7 (shaded in gray) would be considered the same person. If for some reason there was doubt that numbers 6 and 7 were the same person, other data collected on the same two people would be used to address the doubt.

Number of Person	First Initial	Last Initial	Gender	Ethnicity	Age Code	State Born
1	J	H	F	5	6	CA
2	H	T	M	4	7	CA
3	R	K	F	4	5	TX
4	K	N	M	1	4	CA
5	F	A	M	3	3	CA
6	J	F	M	5	5	CA
7	J	F	M	5	5	CA
8	S	G	F	4	2	NY

⁴ The code for ethnicity was 1=African American or Black; 2=American Indian or Alaskan Native; 3=Asian or Pacific Islander; 4=Hispanic or Latino; 5=White; and 6=Other.

⁵ The code for age included: 1=under age 18; 2=18-24; 3=25-29; 4=30-39; 5=40-49; 6=50-61; 7=62-69; 8=70-79; and 9=80+.

The obtained data also provided the opportunity to break down the number of homeless persons counted by gender, ethnicity, age range, and state born. Thus, the questions served two purposes—basic demographic information and the prevention of duplication.

The instrument also focused on gathering answers to several questions to determine the number of persons for each of the eight subpopulations required by HUD which include:

- Chronically Homeless Individuals;
- Chronically Homeless Families;
- Persons with HIV/AIDS;
- Persons with Chronic Substance Abuse;
- Persons with Severe Mental Illness;
- Unaccompanied Youth under Age 18;
- Veterans;
- Victims of Domestic Violence; and
- Youth Ages 18 to 24.

Other subpopulation data was also collected for

- Persons released from a Correctional Institution during past 12 months after serving a court-ordered sentence;
- Persons with a Physical Disability;
- Persons with a Developmental Disability;
- Persons with Chronic Health Conditions; and
- Seniors age 62+.

Sheltered Count and Subpopulation Survey

As required by HUD, the sheltered count included the number of persons and households sleeping in emergency shelters (including seasonal shelters) and transitional housing, including safe haven programs, which were listed on the Housing Inventory Chart (HIC). In addition, any persons staying in hotels or motels as a result of receiving a voucher from a social service agency were included in the sheltered count per HUD's instructions if the voucher program was listed on the HIC.

The HIC is updated and submitted to HUD in April of each year, as part of the annual Point-in-Time count process. Prior to the homeless count, the HIC was updated by CEO staff to include any new programs or exclude any programs no longer operational.

HUD encourages the use of HMIS data to generate sheltered counts and subpopulation data for programs with 100% of beds participating in HMIS. Thus, HMIS was used to gather the total number of occupied beds and the number of persons for each subpopulation. A “Data Collection Instrument” was used to collect the total number of occupied beds and the number of persons for each subpopulation for non-participating HMIS programs and for HMIS participating agencies that do not have their HMIS data complete and correct. The same questions used to collect subpopulation data through HMIS were used for the data collection instrument. Thus, sheltered count data for all sheltered programs was gathered either through a data collection sheet or HMIS.

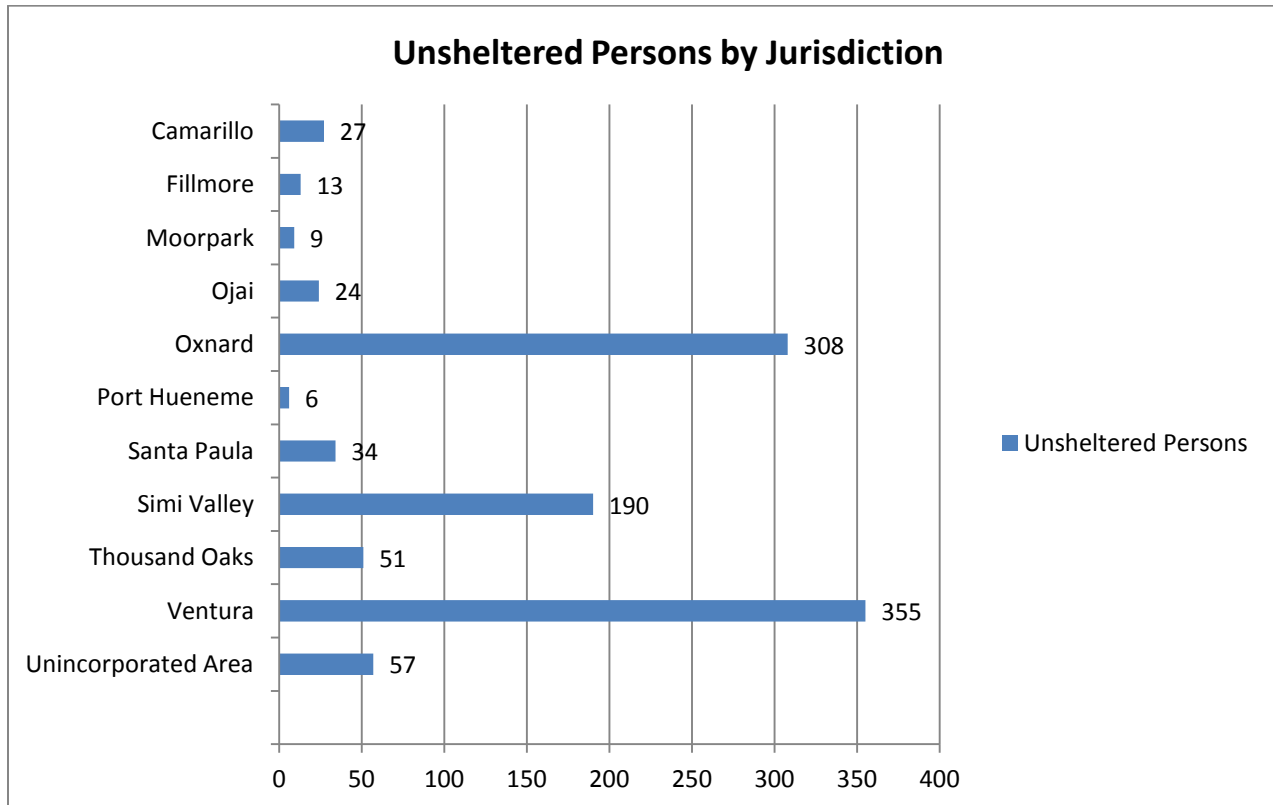
IV. Findings for Jurisdictions Concerning Unsheltered Adults

This section provides homeless count and subpopulation findings for unsheltered adults by jurisdiction. Findings include the total number of persons counted and a breakdown by various subpopulations. In previous years, this section has also included data for the sheltered population. This year, for the first time, HMIS was used in order to count the sheltered population. The survey questions are part of the required input in the HMIS. The purpose for reporting on the subpopulation data for the unsheltered population is to provide baseline numbers and establish benchmarks and use best practices to meet those benchmarks. The baseline numbers and benchmarks for the sheltered population, however, are to focus on length of stay and shortening the length of stay and not the subpopulations.

The U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) application requires information about the following homeless subpopulations listed in Section 3 above as part of the annual Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Program. Thus, survey questions were compiled that asked questions in order to ensure that accurate data would be collected for each subpopulation. In addition to the subpopulations noted in Section 3, additional questions were asked to collect data for the following subpopulations:

- African American/Black;
- American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- Asian/Pacific Islander;
- Hispanic/Latino;
- Men;
- Persons with Chronic Illness;
- Persons with Developmental Disabilities;
- Persons with Physical Disabilities;
- Persons Released from Correctional Institutions;
- Seniors age 62+;
- White; and
- Women.

Findings include a breakdown of all the subpopulations noted on the previous page for the total number of unsheltered adults for each jurisdiction. The total number of unsheltered persons (adults and children) for each jurisdiction is listed in the table below followed by the subpopulation findings for each jurisdiction.



Camarillo

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 17

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 24% or 4 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 29% or 5 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 24% or 10 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 71% or 12 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 53% or 9 unsheltered adults were men;
- 47% or 8 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 29% or 5 unsheltered adults had 10 children which made up four unsheltered families;
- 71% or 12 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 24% or 4 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 12% or 2 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 18% or 3 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 23% or 4 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 12% or 2 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 0% or 0 of the 2 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 6% or 1 unsheltered adult had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 12% or 2 unsheltered adult served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 12% or 2 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 41% or 7 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 12% or 2 unsheltered adults were youth ages 18 to 24;
- 12% or 2 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Fillmore

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 13

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 69% or 9 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 23% or 3 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 77% or 10 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 62% or 8 unsheltered adults were men;
- 38% or 5 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had children;
- 100% or 13 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 24% or 4 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 15% or 2 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 31% or 4 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 31% or 4 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 15% or 2 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 0% or 0 of the 2 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 31% or 4 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 15% or 2 unsheltered adult served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 15% or 2 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 23% or 3 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 8% or 1 unsheltered adult was a youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Moorpark

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 9

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 67% or 6 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 45% or 4 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 55% or 5 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 89% or 8 unsheltered adults were men;
- 11% or 1 unsheltered adult was a woman.

Household Composition

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had children;
- 100% or 9 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 11% or 1 unsheltered adult had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 22% or 2 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 33% or 3 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 22% or 2 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 22% or 2 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 0% or 0 of the 2 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 67% or 6 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 22% or 2 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 22% or 2 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 11% or 1 unsheltered adult was a youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Ojai

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 23

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 39% or 9 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 9% or 2 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 13% or 3 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 78% or 18 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 83% or 19 unsheltered adults were men;
- 17% or 4 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 4% or 1 unsheltered adult had one children which made up one family;
- 96% or 22 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 52% or 12 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 17% or 4 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 13% or 3 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 35% or 8 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 13% or 3 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 0% or 0 of the 3 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 9% or 2 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 22% or 5 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 26% or 6 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 22% or 5 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 4% or 1 unsheltered woman served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 4% or 1 unsheltered adult was a youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Oxnard

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 308

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 71% or 218 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were two Chronically Homeless Families with two adults and four children.**

Ethnicity

- 11% or 34 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 3% or 9 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 1% or 3 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 40% or 123 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 37% or 114 unsheltered adults were White;
- 8% or 25 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 65% or 200 unsheltered adults were men;
- 35% or 108 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 6% or 17 unsheltered adults had 31 children which made up 17 families;
- 94% or 291 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 35% or 108 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 21% or 65 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 4% or 11 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 30% or 92 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 31% or 95 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 30% or 92 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 29% or 27 of the 92 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 11% or 34 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 29% or 89 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 11% or 33 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 10% or 29 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 1% or 2 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 22% or 67 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 6% or 20 unsheltered adult was a youth ages 18 to 24;
- 1% or 3 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Port Hueneme

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 6

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 67% or 4 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 33% or 2 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 17% or 1 unsheltered adult was Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 17% or 1 unsheltered adult was Hispanic/Latino;
- 33% or 2 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 67% or 4 unsheltered adults were men;
- 33% or 2 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had children;
- 100% or 6 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 17% or 1 unsheltered adult had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 17% or 1 unsheltered adult had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 100% or 6 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months.

Seniors age 62+

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 17% or 1 unsheltered adult was a youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Santa Paula

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 31

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 87% or 27 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There was one Chronically Homeless Family with one adult and one child.**

Ethnicity

- 3% or 1 unsheltered adult was African American/Black;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 77% or 24 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 20% or 6 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 74% or 23 unsheltered adults were men;
- 26% or 8 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 10% or 3 unsheltered adults had three children each which made up three families;
- 90% or 28 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 26% or 8 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

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**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 10% or 3 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 13% or 4 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 23% or 7 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 35% or 11 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 0% or 0 of the 11 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 10% or 3 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 35% or 11 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 19% or 6 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 13% or 4 unsheltered adults were youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Simi Valley

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 186

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 79% or 147 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were two Chronically Homeless Families with two adults and two children.**

Ethnicity

- 4% or 7 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 1% or 1 unsheltered adult was American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 17% or 32 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 74% or 138 unsheltered adults were White;
- 4% or 8 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 72% or 134 unsheltered adults were men;
- 28% or 52 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 3% or 5 unsheltered adults had four children which made up four families;
- 97% or 181 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 33% or 61 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 18% or 34 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0.5% or 1 unsheltered adult had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 24% or 45 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 33% or 61 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 37% or 69 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 17% or 12 of the 69 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 4% or 8 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 38% or 71 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 6% or 11 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 6% or 11 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 22% or 41 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 4% or 7 unsheltered adults were youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0.5% or 1 person was an unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Thousand Oaks

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 44

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 66% or 29 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 2% or 1 unsheltered adult was African American/Black;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 18% or 8 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 73% or 32 unsheltered adults were White;
- 7% or 3 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 82% or 36 unsheltered adults were men;
- 18% or 8 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 7% or 3 unsheltered adults had seven children which made up three families;
- 93% or 41 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 36% or 16 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 16% or 7 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 25% or 11 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 30% or 13 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 16% or 7 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 29% or 2 of the 7 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 5% or 2 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 11% or 5 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 20% or 9 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 20% or 9 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 23% or 10 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 14% or 6 unsheltered adults were youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were an unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Ventura

Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 313

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 69% or 216 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were seven Chronically Homeless Families with nine adults and 26 children.**

Ethnicity

- 4% or 12 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 5% or 16 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 1% or 3 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 19% or 59 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 71% or 222 unsheltered adults were White;
- 0% or 1 unsheltered adult stated Other.

Gender

- 72% or 225 unsheltered adults were men;
- 28% or 88 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 7% or 21 unsheltered adults had 42 children which made up 17 families;
- 93% or 292 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 48% or 150 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

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**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 21% or 66 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 2% or 6 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 41% or 128 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 48% or 150 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 35% or 110 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 33% or 36 of the 110 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 8% or 25 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 33% or 103 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 17% or 53 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 16% or 49 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 1% or 4 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 37% or 116 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 6% or 19 unsheltered adults were youth ages 18 to 24;
- 1% or 3 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

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Total Number of Unsheltered Adults is 57

Chronically Homeless Individuals

- 67% or 38 unsheltered adults were Chronically Homeless Individuals.*

Chronically Homeless Families

- There were no Chronically Homeless Families.**

Ethnicity

- 4% or 2 unsheltered adults were African American/Black;
- 2% or 1 unsheltered adults were American Indian/Alaskan Native;
- 2% or 1 unsheltered adults were Asian/Pacific Islander;
- 19% or 11 unsheltered adults were Hispanic/Latino;
- 56% or 32 unsheltered adults were White;
- 18% or 10 unsheltered adults stated Other.

Gender

- 65% or 37 unsheltered adults were men;
- 35% or 20 unsheltered adults were women.

Household Composition

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had children;
- 100% or 57 unsheltered adults were single.

Persons with Chronic Illness

- 35% or 20 unsheltered adults had a chronic illness such as diabetes, heart trouble, high blood pressure, seizures, hepatitis, respiratory problems, epilepsy, tuberculosis, or arthritis.

*An unsheltered adult was considered chronically homeless according to HUD's definition of chronic homelessness, which includes persons living in emergency shelters and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more, and/or persons living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings four times or more during the last three years. In addition, according to HUD, the person must have a disabling condition, which for the purposes of this survey included mental health problems, drug or alcohol problem, physical disability, developmental disability, and/or HIV/AIDS.

**A family was considered chronically homeless if, according to HUD, there was at least one adult that met the definition of chronic homelessness described in the footnote above.

Persons with Developmental Disabilities

- 18% or 10 unsheltered adults had a developmental disability.

Persons with HIV/AIDS

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults had been diagnosed with AIDS or had tested positive for HIV.

Persons with Mental Illness

- 30% or 17 unsheltered adults had a mental health problem.

Persons with Physical Disabilities

- 56% or 32 unsheltered adults had a physical disability.

Persons Released from Correctional Institutions

- 30% or 17 unsheltered adults were released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-ordered sentence during the past 12 months;
- 29% or 5 of the 17 unsheltered adults were provided with information such as housing, social services, transportation, etc. before their release.

Seniors age 62+

- 9% or 5 unsheltered adults were age 62+.

Substance Abusers

- 32% or 18 unsheltered adults had a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Veterans

- 12% or 7 unsheltered adults served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 12% or 7 unsheltered men served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- 0% or 0 unsheltered women served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist.

Victims of Domestic Violence

- 25% or 14 unsheltered adults had been a victim of domestic or intimate partner violence.

Youth

- 0% or 0 unsheltered adults were youth ages 18 to 24;
- 0% or 0 persons were unaccompanied youth under age 18.

Appendix A - Homeless Count and Subpopulation Instrument

Are You Homeless Today?	First Initial of Name Only	First Initial of Last Name Only	Gender - M = male & F = female	First Initial of Name Only	First Initial of Last Name Only	Age: please record number for age group: 1=under 18 2=18 to 24 3=25 to 29 4=30 to 39 5=40 to 49 6=50 to 61 7=62 to 69 8=70 to 79 9=80+	CA	Have You Served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or called into active duty as a member of the National Guard or Reservist?	Have you been living in an emergency shelter and/or on the streets or in abandoned buildings for the past year or more?	Have you stayed in an emergency shelter or on the streets 4 times or more during the last 3 years?	Do You Have a Physical Disability?	Do You Have a Developmental Disability?	Do You Have a Chronic Health Condition such as Diabetes, Heart Trouble, High Blood Pressure, Seizures, Hepatitis, Respiratory Problems, Epilepsy, Tuberculosis, or Arthritis?	If yes, does this condition limit your ability to get or keep a job or take care of personal matters?	Have You Ever Been a Victim of Domestic or Intimate Partner Violence?	Do You Feel You Have a Mental Health Problem?	Do You Have a Drug or Alcohol Problem?	During the Last 12 Months, Were You Released from a Correctional Institution?	If Yes, Did the Correctional Institution Provide Information Before Your Release about Housing, Social Services, Transportation, etc.?	How many children do you have under Age 18 who are homeless & Living With You Today?	Is Your Spouse or Partner* Living with you today? "Yes," Record Answers to same Questions for Spouse or Partner in Following Shaded Row.			
Y	N	A	M	B	1	4	CA																	
Y	N		M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Spouse/ Partner			M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Y	N		M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Spouse/ Partner			M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Y	N		M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Spouse/ Partner			M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Y	N		M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Spouse/ Partner			M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Y	N		M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N
Spouse/ Partner			M	F				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	N

*A Partner is a person you live with and share a common family life but are not joined in a traditional marriage. ©Institute for Urban Initiatives

Appendix B - Total Number of Persons Sheltered and Unsheltered by Jurisdiction

	Total Sheltered & Unsheltered		Sheltered – Emergency Shelter		Sheltered – Transitional Housing		Unsheltered	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
County	1774	100	303	17	397	22	1074	61
Camarillo	27	100	0	0	0	0	27	100
Fillmore	13	100	0	0	0	0	13	100
Moorpark	9	100	0	0	0	0	9	100
Ojai	43	100	19	44	0	0	24	56
Oxnard	645	100	245	38	92	14	308	48
Port Hueneme	17	100	0	0	11	65	6	35
Santa Paula	34	100	0	0	0	0	34	100
Simi Valley	211	100	21	10	0	0	190	90
Thousand Oaks	121	100	0	0	70	58	51	42
Ventura	519	100	5	1	159	31	355	68
Unincorporated Area	135	100	13	10	65	48	57	42

Appendix C - Subpopulations by Jurisdiction

Table 3. Total Number of Unsheltered Adults and Breakdown by Subpopulations by Jurisdiction

Jurisdiction	Total Number of Adults	Chronically Homeless Individuals		Mentally Ill		Persons w/ HIV/AIDS		Seniors Age 62+		Substance Abusers	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
County	1,007	707	70	311	31	18	2	86	9	313	31
Camarillo	17	4	24	3	18	0	0	0	0	1	6
Fillmore	13	9	69	4	31	0	0	0	0	4	31
Moorpark	9	6	67	3	33	0	0	0	0	6	67
Ojai	23	9	69	3	13	0	0	2	9	5	22
Oxnard	308	218	71	92	30	11	4	34	11	89	29
Port Hueneme	6	4	67	1	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
Santa Paula	31	27	87	4	13	0	0	3	10	11	35
Simi Valley	186	147	79	45	24	1	0.5	15	8	71	38
Thousand Oaks	44	29	66	11	25	0	0	2	9	5	22
Ventura	313	216	69	128	41	6	2	25	8	103	33
Unincorporated Area	57	38	66	17	30	0	0	5	9	18	32

Table 3. Total Number of Unsheltered Adults and Breakdown by Subpopulations by Jurisdiction (con't)

Jurisdiction	Total Number of Adults	Veterans		Victims of Domestic Violence		Youth Age 18 - 24		Unaccompanied Youth < Age 18		Persons Released from Jail*	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
County	1,007	134	13	264	26	62	6	9	1	315	31
Camarillo	17	2	12	7	41	2	12	2	12	2	12
Fillmore	13	2	15	3	23	1	8	0	0	2	15
Moorpark	9	2	22	0	0	1	11	0	0	2	22
Ojai	23	6	26	0	0	1	4	0	0	3	13
Oxnard	308	33	11	67	22	20	6	3	1	92	30
Port Hueneme	6	0	0	0	0	1	17	0	0	0	0
Santa Paula	31	0	0	6	19	4	13	0	0	11	35
Simi Valley	186	20	11	41	22	7	7	1	0.5	69	37
Thousand Oaks	44	9	20	10	23	6	14	0	0	7	16
Ventura	313	53	17	116	37	19	6	3	1	110	35
Unincorporated Area	57	7	12	14	25	0	0	0	0	17	30

*This subpopulation was based upon the survey question "During the last 12 months, were you recently released from a correctional institution such as a jail or prison after serving a court-mandated sentence."

Table 4. Total Number of Unsheltered Families and Breakdown by Adults and Children by Jurisdiction

Jurisdiction	# of Families	# of Adults	# of Children	Total	# of Chronic Hmls Families	# of Adults	# of Children	Total
County	49	55	98	149	12	14	33	47
Camarillo	4	5	10	15	0	0	0	0
Fillmore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Moorpark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ojai	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Oxnard	17	17	31	48	2	2	4	6
Port Hueneme	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Santa Paula	3	3	3	6	1	1	1	2
Simi Valley	4	5	4	9	2	2	2	4
Thousand Oaks	3	3	7	10	0	0	0	0
Ventura	17	21	42	59	7	9	26	35
Unincorporated Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Appendix D – Sheltered Count in HMIS

Sheltered and Unsheltered PIT Count Homeless Populations PIT Date: 1/29/13

Point In Time Count of Sheltered Clients

Persons in Households with at least one Adult and one Child

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency	Transitional		
Number of Households	2	39	0	41
Number of Persons (Adults and Children)	4	122	0	126
Number of Persons (Under Age 18)	2	77	0	79
Number of Persons (Age 18-24)	2	3	0	5
Number of Persons (Over Age 24)	0	42	0	42

Persons in Households without Children

	Sheltered			Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency	Transitional	Safe Haven		
Number of Households	130	50	10	0	190
Number of Persons (Adults)	130	50	10	0	190
Number of Persons (Age 18-24)	5	1	0	0	6
Number of Persons (Over Age 24)	125	49	10	0	184

Persons in Households with Only Children

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency	Transitional		
Number of Households	7	4	0	11
Total Number of One-Child Households	7	3	0	10
Total number of Multi-Child Households	0	1	0	1
Number of Children in Multi-Child Households	0	2	0	2

Total Households and Persons

	Sheltered			Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency	Transitional	Safe Haven		
Total Households	139	93	10	0	242
Total Persons	141	177	10	0	328

**Sheltered and Unsheltered PIT Count
Homeless Subpopulations
PIT Date: 1/29/13**

Homeless Subpopulations

(Veteran and Chronically Homeless subpopulation data is required for Sheltered and Unsheltered persons)

	Sheltered		Unsheltered
	Emergency	Safe Haven	
Chronically Homeless Individuals	12	6	0
Chronically Homeless Families			0
Persons in Chronically Homeless Families (Total Persons in Household)	0		0

Other Homeless Subpopulations

(Other Homeless subpopulation data is required for sheltered and unsheltered persons)

	Sheltered			Unsheltered
	Emergency	Transitional	Safe Haven	
Veterans	6	5	2	0
Female Veterans	0	0	1	0
Severely Mentally Ill	19	25	10	0
Chronic Substance Abuse	10	42	9	0
Persons with HIV/AIDS	0	0	0	0
Victims of Domestic Violence (Optional)	5	25	3	0