

Homeless Services Coalition - Point in Time Homeless Survey

Volunteers from over 50 organizations conducted the survey on January 28, 2009.

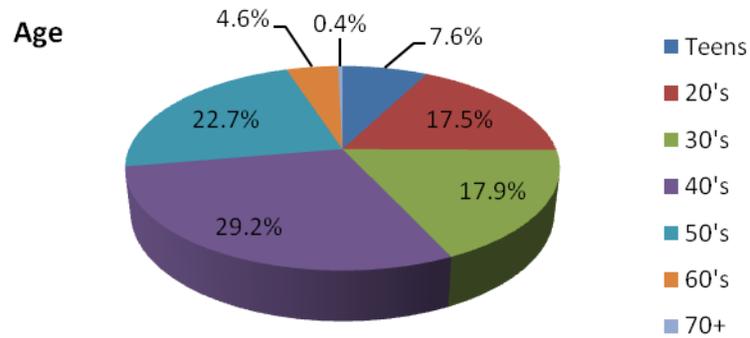
A total of 1678 individuals responded to the survey

Demographics:

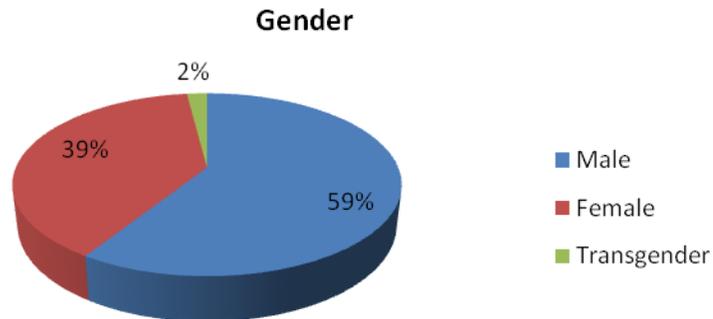
Age

1583 indicated a date of birth (95 did not answer), with ages ranging from 14 to 80 years old.

Teens = 120; twenties = 277; thirties = 284; forties = 462; fifties = 360; sixties = 73; and seventy + = 7.



Gender Male = 975 (59.0%); Female 645 (39.0%) Transgender 32 (2.0%) (26 did not answer)



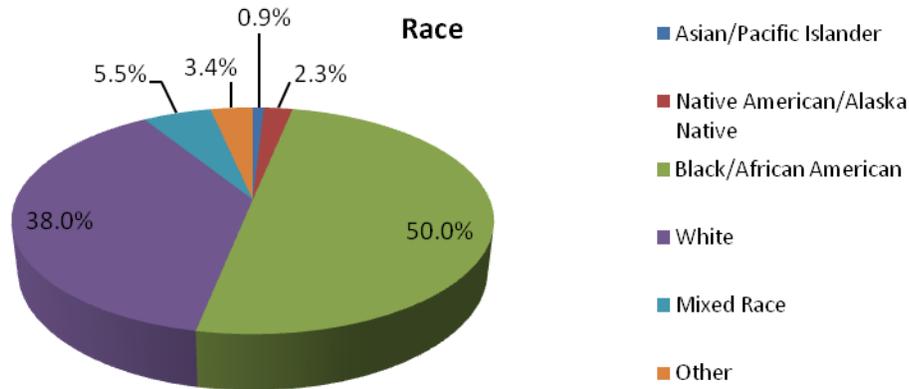
Ethnicity

Hispanic, Latino or Spanish?

Yes = 137 (8.4%) (43 did not answer)

Race (68 did not answer)

Asian/Pacific Islander = 14 (0.9%); Black/African American = 805 (50.0%) White = 611 (38.0%); Native American/Alaska Native = 37 (2.3%); Mixed Race = 88 (5.5%); Other = 55 (3.4%).

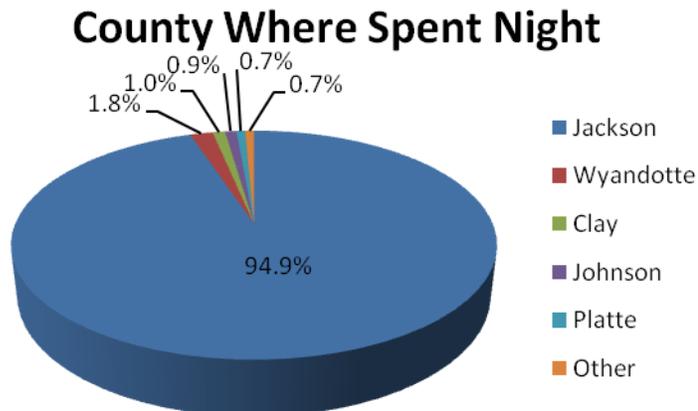


Household Makeup (46 did not answer)

Unaccompanied single adult	1080	(66.2%)
Two adult household with NO children	85	(5.2%)
Two parent household with children	107	(6.6%)
Single female parent household with children	173	(10.6%)
Single male parent household with children	53	(3.2%)
Other	134	(8.2%)

County

Jackson 1569; Wyandotte 29; Clay 17; Johnson 15; Platte 11; Other 12 (25 did not answer)



Is your current situation the result of Domestic Violence? (60 did not answer)

Yes = 250 (15.5%);
No = 1368 (84.5%)

Have you ever served in Military? (48 did not answer)

Yes = 317 (19.4%);
No = 1313 (80.6%)

Have you been continuously homeless for the last twelve months?

Yes = 768 (46.8%);
No = 872 (53.2%)

Which of the following best describes your situation in last three years? (194 did not answer)

First time homeless 739 (49.8%)
Two to three episodes 401 (27.0%)
At least four episodes 344 (23.2%)

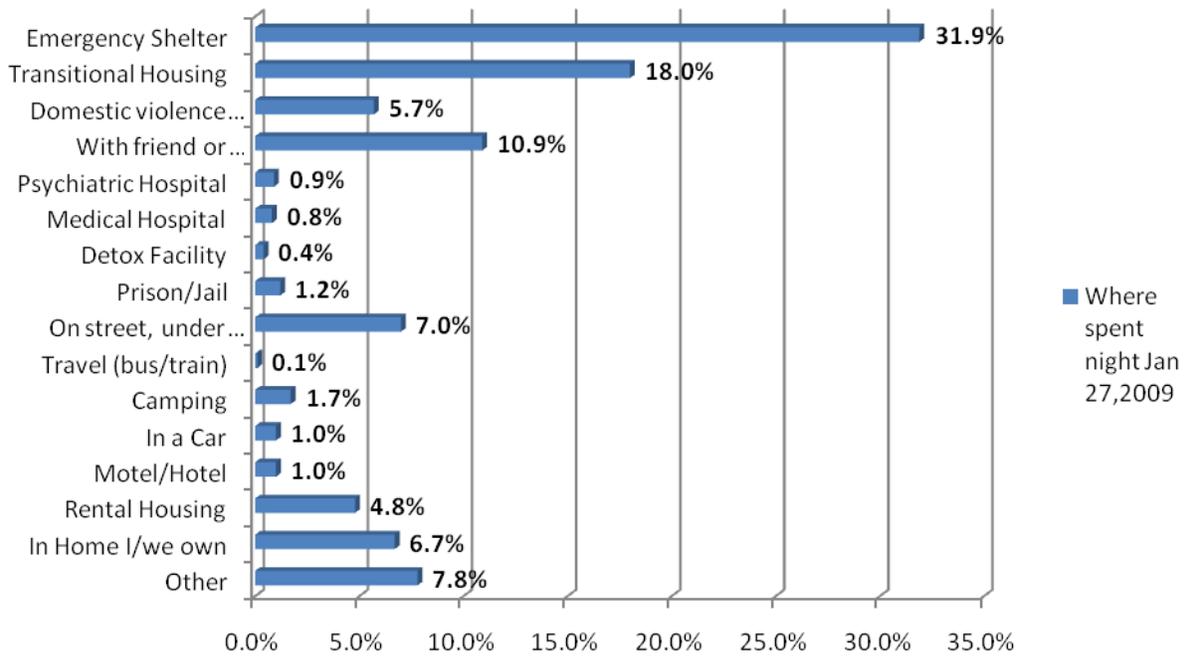
Have you ever been told you have.... (YES)

Substance Abuse 463 (27.6%)
Serious Mental Illness 363 (21.6%)
Developmental Disability 120 (7.2%)
Physical illness or Disability 250 (14.9%)
HIV / AIDS 24 (1.4%)

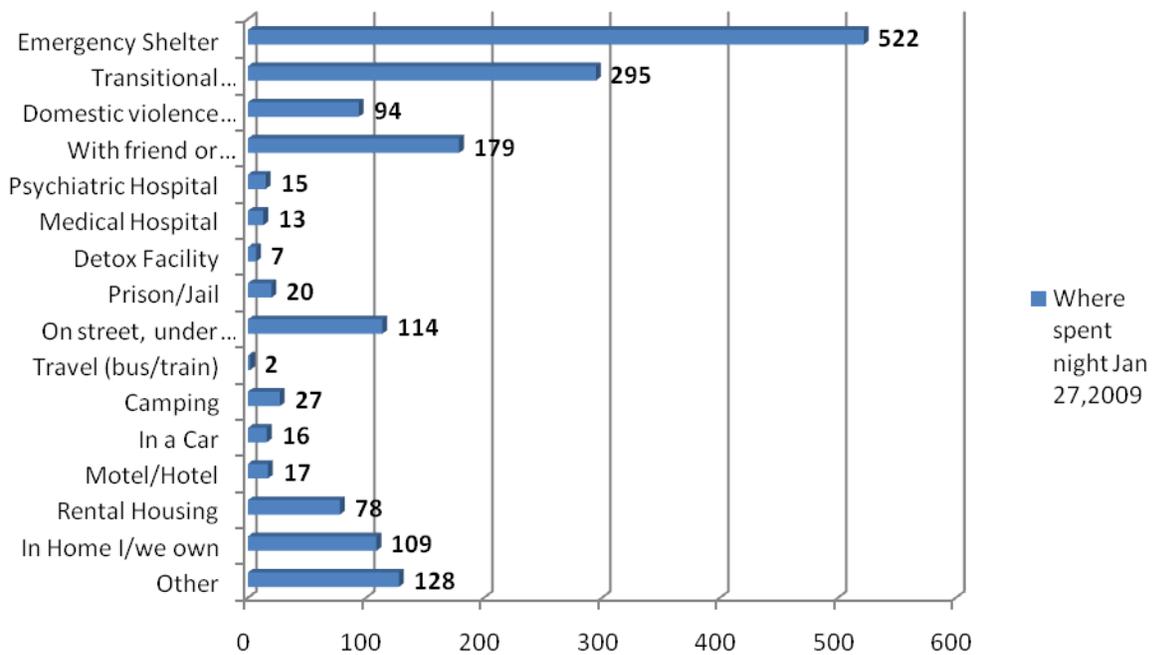
On January 27th, did you need or receive

	Needed	Needed did not receive	Needed and received
Employment search	750 (44.7%)	515 (30.7%)	235 (14.0%)
Job training/skills	541 (32.3%)	407 (24.3%)	134 (8.0%)
Life skills training	459 (27.4%)	248 (14.8%)	211 (12.6%)
Vocational rehabilitation services	342 (20.4%)	257 (15.3%)	85 (5.1%)
Alcohol and substance abuse treatment	388 (23.1%)	134 (8.0%)	254 (15.1%)
Mental health care	423 (25.2%)	176 (10.5%)	247 (14.7%)
Case management	579 (34.5%)	211 (12.6%)	368 (21.9%)
Housing Placement	724 (43.1%)	547 (32.6%)	177 (10.5%)
Primary health care	482 (28.7%)	332 (19.8%)	150 (8.9%)
Dental care	595 (35.4%)	531 (31.6%)	64 (3.8%)
Legal assistance	314 (18.7%)	229 (13.6%)	85 (5.1%)
Child transportation to school	158 (9.4%)	79 (4.7%)	79 (4.7%)
General transportation	615 (36.6%)	380 (22.6%)	235 (14.0%)
Shower/phone/mail/clothes washing	736 (43.9%)	221 (13.2%)	515 (30.7%)

Where Spent Night January 27,2009 (Percentages)



Where Spent Night January 27,2009 (Numbers)



Where spent night by Race and Gender

	Asian/ Pacific Islander			Native American /Alaska Native			Black /African American			White			Mixed Race			Other		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Emergency Shelter	3			8	5		164	90	4	116	55	1	14	9	1	16	1	
Transitional Housing	2			4	1		57	61	2	87	49	3	7	8		4	3	
Domestic violence Shelter		1			1			36	1		41			5	1		6	
With friend or relative			1	2	2		54	45	2	28	24	1	4	6		1		1
Psychiatric Hospital							4	3		4	2					1		
Medical Hospital							3	2		3	4			1				
Detox Facility							5	1		1								
<i>Prison/Jail</i>							6	6		5	1		1			1		
On street, under bridge, in abandoned building		1		4	2	1	21	9	1	49	11		1	3	1	3	1	
Travel (bus/train)							2											
Camping				2			5	1		12	4			2		1		
In a Car							6	1		4	2			1		1		
Motel/Hotel							7	3		5	1							
Rental Housing							27	18	3	13	7	1	3					
In Home I/we own	1	2	1	1			43	21	5	7	5		4	4		5	1	
Other				2			36	20		36	14		7	0	1	6	1	
Total	6	4	2	23	11	1	440	317	18	370	220	6	41	39	4	39	13	1

Where spent night by Age and Gender

	Teens			20's			30's			40's			50's			60+		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Emergency Shelter	14	14		36	24		58	18	2	100	48	3	99	38	1	20	19	
Transitional Housing	12	14		18	32	2	27	27		55	33	1	42	14		6	2	1
Domestic violence Shelter		2			29	1		20			13			6	1		3	
With friend or relative	9	13		13	12	2	17	18	1	29	21	1	22	8		1	5	
Psychiatric Hospital		2								4	2		4			1	1	
Medical Hospital	1				1		2	2		1	1		1	3				
Detox Facility	1			2	1					2			1					
<i>Prison/Jail</i>				3	1		4	3		4	3		2					
On street, under bridge, in abandoned building		2	1	9	3	2	8	5		31	6		24	9		2	2	
Travel (bus/train)	1			1														
Camping	1			3				2		9	2		4	3		2		
In a Car		1		1	1		3	1		1			5	1		1		
Motel/Hotel	3			2				1		5	2		1	1				
Rental Housing	3	1		12	7	2	5	5		11	8		10	4	1	2	2	
In Home I/we own	6	9		19	9		16	2	2	8	7	2	10	5	3	2		
Other	1	4		16	4		14	12		26	7		17	8		6	0	
Total	52	62	1	135	124	9	154	116	5	286	153	7	242	100	6	43	34	1