

HUD's 2009 Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Programs Homeless Populations and Subpopulations

Important Notes About This Data: This report is based on point-in-time information provided to HUD by Continuums of Care (CoCs) in the 2009 application for CoC Homeless Assistance Programs. CoCs are required to provide an unduplicated count of homeless persons according to HUD standards (explained in HUD's two guides to Counting Sheltered and Unsheltered Homeless People at http://www.hudhre.info/documents/counting_unsheltered.pdf).

HUD has not independently verified the information. The reader is therefore cautioned that since compliance with these standards may vary, the reliability and consistency of the homeless counts may also vary among CoCs. Additionally, a shift in the methodology a CoC uses to count the homeless may cause a change in homeless counts between reporting periods.

CoC Number: MA-500

CoC Name: Boston CoC

Point-in Time Date: 12/15/2008

Summary by household type reported:

	She	Sheltered		
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing	Unsheltered	Total
Households without Children	1,324	1,120	219	2,663
Households with Children	675	170	0	845
Total Households	1,999	1,290	219	3,508

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	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing	Unsheltered	Total
Persons in Households Without Children	1,324	1,120	219	2,663
Persons in Households with Children	1,994	444	0	2,438
Total Homeless Persons in Households	3,318	1,564	219	5,101

Summary of homeless persons by subpopulations reported:

	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Total
Chronically Homeless	662	155	817
Severely Mentally Ill	523	64	587
Chronic Substance Abuse	953	94	1,047
Veterans	475	26	501
Persons with HIV/AIDS	58	0	58
Victims of Domestic Violence	337	9	346
Unaccompanied Youth (Under 18)	16	0	16

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