



HUD's 2010 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 2010 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: 12/14/2009

Summary by household type reported:

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing		
Households with only Individuals	1317	799	255	2,371
Households with Adults and Children	756	191	0	947
Total Households	2,073	990	255	3,318

	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency Shelter	Transitional Housing		
Persons in Households with only Individuals	1317	799	255	2,371
Persons in Households with Adults and Children	2312	456	0	2,768
Total Homeless Persons in Households	3,629	1,255	255	5,139

Summary of homeless persons by subpopulations reported**:

	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Total
Chronically Homeless	544	165	709
Severely Mentally Ill	531	74	605
Chronic Substance Abuse	726	110	836
Persons with HIV/AIDS	65	0	65
Victims of Domestic Violence	279	10	289
Unaccompanied Youth (Under 18)	23	0	23

*In cases where a CoC did not conduct a 2010 count, or conducted a sheltered-only count, 2009 PIT data has been used to supplement the missing data.

**The 2010 veterans subpopulation data will be published with the 2010 Annual Homeless Assessment Report (AHAR) Supplemental Report on Veterans Homelessness.