

**BACKGROUND AND NOTES ON THE 2006 TABLES FOR ADULTS WITH OR WITHOUT CHILDREN**

These tables provide detailed survey results from the October 2006 *Statewide survey of people without permanent shelter*. The data are provided to help planners and service providers develop summary information about the characteristics of homeless people, their experiences and needs, and the barriers that prevent them from obtaining housing. For an overview of survey results, see the report *Overview of homelessness in Minnesota 2006: Key facts from the statewide survey* posted on the Wilder Research web site ([wilderresearch.org](http://wilderresearch.org)). Other reports will be posted there as they are available.

The statewide data tables are based on interviews with 1,174 men and 1,270 women in emergency shelters, battered women's shelters, and transitional housing programs, and another 1,138 interviews with adults in non-shelter locations. According to the interviews, our sample of adult respondents had a total of 1,948 children with them.

In the data tables, survey results have been weighted to represent the 1,783 men and 1,860 women who were in temporary housing programs on the night of the survey. According to shelter providers, 2,501 children were with their parents or another adult on the night of the survey.

**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, battered women's shelters, and transitional housing programs on the day of the survey. (We interviewed a 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.

**Not all Continuum of Care regions have all categories of shelters.** That is why some shelter types are missing in certain regional reports.

**Unaccompanied homeless youth (under 18) are not included in these tables.** They will be included in a separate report and tables when available.

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.

**WEIGHTING TECHNIQUES**

The 2006 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 26, 2006. 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, Washington, Ramsey, St. Louis County).
- Shelter type (emergency, transitional, battered women's 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 2,444 interviews with adults. The actual number of adults in temporary housing programs on the night of the survey was 3,643. When this is combined with the results of the 1,138 interviews completed with adults in non-shelter locations, the total sample for which estimates are available is 4,781.

For more detailed information about sampling or weighting procedures, please refer to the full 2003 report, *Homeless adults and children in Minnesota 2003*, or contact the research staff at [homelessstudy@wilder.org](mailto:homelessstudy@wilder.org). Details will also be available in the 2006 technical report when it is completed and posted on this web site ([wilderresearch.org](http://wilderresearch.org)).

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**19. Where did you stay last night?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Transitional housing	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	6	18.8%	1	10.0%	1	4.0%	-	-
Emergency shelter	39	97.5%	12	55.8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	25.0%	-	-	2	8.0%	3	50.0%
Temporary arrangement for free	-	-	5	22.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	43.8%	6	60.0%	4	16.0%	2	33.3%
Outdoors, an abandoned building, vehicle, or a squat	-	-	2	11.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	15	60.0%	1	16.7%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	-	-	4	100.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	20.0%	-	-	-	-
A place that you received a voucher for	-	-	2	11.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	1	4.0%	-	-
Some other temporary arrangement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Own home, close to eviction	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
Detox Center	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8.0%	-	-
Shelter at juvenile detention center	1	2.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	25	100.0%	6	100.0%

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**19. Where did you stay last night? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Transitional housing	27	23.3%	21	34.2%	49	27.1%	211	29.8%	301	42.6%	513	36.2%	717	28.6%	1,180	52.0%	1,896	39.7%
Emergency shelter	49	41.6%	15	24.6%	64	35.7%	170	23.9%	97	13.7%	267	18.8%	1,023	40.8%	404	17.8%	1,427	29.9%
Temporary arrangement for free	18	15.4%	13	20.6%	31	17.2%	112	15.7%	119	16.8%	231	16.3%	255	10.2%	223	9.9%	479	10.0%
Outdoors, an abandoned building, vehicle, or a squat	16	13.7%	3	5.5%	19	10.8%	129	18.2%	36	5.2%	166	11.7%	348	13.9%	89	3.9%	437	9.2%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	6	9.5%	6	3.3%	1	.2%	102	14.4%	103	7.3%	1	.1%	280	12.3%	281	5.9%
A place that you received a voucher for	2	1.7%	2	3.9%	4	2.5%	16	2.3%	14	2.0%	30	2.1%	27	1.1%	22	1.0%	48	1.0%
Some other temporary arrangement	1	.9%	-	-	1	.6%	19	2.7%	16	2.3%	35	2.5%	26	1.0%	21	.9%	47	1.0%
Own home, close to eviction	1	.9%	1	1.6%	2	1.1%	12	1.7%	12	1.7%	24	1.7%	20	.8%	19	.8%	39	.8%
Detox Center	2	1.7%	-	-	2	1.1%	3	.4%	1	.1%	4	.3%	33	1.3%	7	.3%	40	.8%
Jail or law enforcement center	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	1.7%	-	-	12	.8%	13	.5%	3	.2%	16	.3%
Hospital	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	.4%	-	-	3	.2%	9	.3%	4	.2%	12	.3%
Treatment center	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	1.1%	1	.1%	9	.6%	9	.4%	4	.2%	13	.3%
In transit/on bus/train	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.1%	1	.1%	9	.4%	3	.1%	12	.2%
Church	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	.6%	2	.3%	6	.5%	6	.3%	3	.1%	10	.2%
Substandard housing (without heat/water)	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	.6%	4	.6%	8	.6%	4	.2%	4	.2%	8	.2%
Shelter at juvenile detention center	1	.8%	-	-	1	.5%	1	.1%	-	-	1	.1%	1	.1%	-	-	1	.1%
Places open 24 hours e.g., laundromat, casino	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.1%	-	-	1	.1%	2	.1%	-	-	2	.1%
<b>Total</b>	117	100.0%	63	100.0%	179	100.0%	710	100.0%	706	100.0%	1,416	100.0%	2,508	100.0%	2,266	100.0%	4,775	100.0%

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**20. If living in a temporary arrangement, could you sleep there for the next month without being asked to leave?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	-	-	2	100.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	20.0%	1	16.7%	-	-	-	-
No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	80.0%	5	83.3%	3	100.0%	2	100.0%
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	100.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	100.0%	6	100.0%	3	100.0%	2	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	2	15.4%	3	33.0%	5	23.2%	12	11.8%	32	30.4%	44	21.2%	36	16.2%	47	25.1%	83	20.2%
No	11	84.6%	7	67.0%	18	76.8%	90	88.2%	73	69.6%	163	78.8%	187	83.8%	139	74.9%	327	79.8%
<b>Total</b>	13	100.0%	10	100.0%	23	100.0%	102	100.0%	104	100.0%	207	100.0%	224	100.0%	186	100.0%	409	100.0%

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**21. Counting last night, how long have you stayed there?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1 - 7 days	10	25.5%	12	55.8%	1	25.0%	3	14.0%	1	5.0%	14	43.8%	3	30.0%	17	65.4%	5	83.3%
8 - 13 days	2	4.3%	2	10.9%	-	-	1	5.0%	-	-	1	3.1%	1	10.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
14 - 20 days	7	16.8%	-	-	1	25.0%	3	14.2%	1	5.0%	4	12.5%	1	10.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
21 - 30 days	13	33.9%	2	10.9%	-	-	2	12.1%	4	17.6%	4	12.5%	4	40.0%	2	7.7%	1	16.7%
1 - 3 months	8	19.4%	3	11.3%	2	50.0%	7	35.4%	4	17.6%	3	9.4%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
4 - 6 months	-	-	2	11.1%	-	-	1	7.1%	-	-	3	9.4%	-	-	3	11.5%	-	-
7 - 9 months	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5.0%	3	15.0%	1	3.1%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
10 - 12 months	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	19.9%	2	6.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-
More than a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7.0%	4	19.9%	-	-	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%
<b>Mean days</b>	20.7		20.6		40.8		75.1		209.3		53.4		85.5		27.5		7.8	
<b>Median days</b>	21.0		7.0		37.5		37.0		244.0		14.0		17.5		3.0		5.5	

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**21. Counting last night, how long have you stayed there? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1 - 7 days	44	37.3%	22	35.8%	66	36.8%	214	31.1%	145	20.9%	360	26.0%	646	26.1%	389	17.5%	1,035	22.0%
8 - 13 days	5	4.0%	3	5.5%	8	4.5%	30	4.4%	17	2.4%	47	3.4%	95	3.8%	61	2.7%	155	3.3%
14 - 20 days	15	12.3%	3	4.8%	18	9.7%	57	8.2%	42	6.1%	99	7.1%	168	6.8%	136	6.1%	304	6.5%
21 - 30 days	22	18.6%	11	17.6%	33	18.2%	107	15.5%	109	15.8%	216	15.6%	374	15.2%	327	14.7%	702	14.9%
1 - 3 months	19	16.0%	8	12.9%	27	14.9%	92	13.4%	121	17.5%	214	15.4%	310	12.6%	368	16.6%	678	14.4%
4 - 6 months	7	6.3%	2	3.9%	10	5.5%	71	10.3%	77	11.0%	148	10.7%	303	12.3%	300	13.5%	603	12.9%
7 - 9 months	3	2.6%	3	4.9%	6	3.4%	23	3.4%	52	7.5%	75	5.4%	169	6.9%	196	8.8%	366	7.8%
10 - 12 months	2	1.7%	4	6.5%	6	3.4%	40	5.9%	73	10.5%	114	8.2%	176	7.1%	224	10.1%	400	8.5%
More than a year	1	1.2%	5	8.1%	6	3.6%	54	7.9%	58	8.3%	112	8.1%	229	9.3%	222	10.0%	451	9.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1,383</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2,470</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2,225</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>4,695</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Mean days</b>	40.5		92.6		58.5		150.7		145.1		147.9		178.2		160.7		169.9	
<b>Median days</b>	15.0		21.0		19.0		28.0		45.0		30.0		30.0		61.0		44.0	

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**22. How many nights have you stayed outside or in a place not meant for housing in October?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
0 nights	23	57.5%	9	44.4%	4	100.0%	17	86.0%	19	95.0%	24	75.0%	6	60.0%	-	-	-	-
1 night	3	8.6%	1	6.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6.3%	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
2 nights	2	4.3%	4	18.5%	-	-	1	7.0%	-	-	2	6.3%	2	20.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
3 nights	2	4.3%	2	12.4%	-	-	-	-	1	5.0%	2	6.3%	1	10.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
4 nights	3	8.4%	4	18.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-	
5 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	11.5%	1	16.7%	
6 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
7 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7.7%	1	16.7%	-
8 nights	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
9 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	1	16.7%	-
11 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-	-
12 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-	-
13 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7.7%	2	33.3%	-
15 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-	-
17 nights	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-	-
19 nights	3	8.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7.7%	-	-	-
22 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**22. How many nights have you stayed outside or in a place not meant for housing in October? (continued)**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
23 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
24 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
25 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
26 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	23.1%	1	16.7%
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	20	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%
<b>Mean number of nights outside</b>	3.3		1.5		.0		1.2		.2		.8		.8		15.5		12.7	
<b>Median number of nights outside</b>	.0		1.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		15.0		12.0	



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**22. How many nights have you stayed outside or in a place not meant for housing in October? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
0 nights	64	54.5%	38	63.4%	102	57.5%	365	52.6%	561	80.7%	926	66.6%	1,421	57.3%	1,825	82.5%	3,246	69.2%
1 night	5	4.6%	2	3.7%	8	4.3%	19	2.7%	15	2.1%	34	2.4%	81	3.3%	47	2.1%	128	2.7%
2 nights	6	5.2%	6	9.4%	12	6.6%	35	5.0%	17	2.5%	52	3.8%	134	5.4%	50	2.3%	183	3.9%
3 nights	5	4.0%	4	7.5%	9	5.2%	28	4.1%	16	2.3%	44	3.2%	111	4.5%	48	2.2%	159	3.4%
4 nights	4	3.7%	4	6.1%	8	4.5%	18	2.6%	12	1.8%	30	2.2%	65	2.6%	23	1.0%	88	1.9%
5 nights	3	2.5%	1	1.7%	4	2.2%	16	2.3%	6	.9%	22	1.6%	60	2.4%	16	.7%	77	1.6%
6 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	7	1.0%	3	.4%	10	.7%	30	1.2%	11	.5%	41	.9%
7 nights	2	1.7%	1	1.7%	3	1.7%	5	.8%	5	.7%	10	.7%	51	2.1%	22	1.0%	73	1.6%
8 nights	3	2.3%	-	-	3	1.5%	11	1.6%	4	.5%	15	1.1%	30	1.2%	11	.5%	41	.9%
9 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.1%	1	.1%	2	.1%	6	.2%	4	.2%	9	.2%
10 nights	1	.8%	1	1.7%	2	1.1%	12	1.8%	4	.6%	16	1.2%	46	1.8%	14	.6%	60	1.3%
11 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	2	.3%	2	.3%	4	.3%	5	.2%	4	.2%	8	.2%
12 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	3	.4%	1	.2%	4	.3%	11	.5%	7	.3%	18	.4%
13 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	.9%	3	.5%	10	.7%	13	.5%	6	.3%	20	.4%
14 nights	2	1.7%	2	3.3%	4	2.2%	11	1.5%	6	.9%	17	1.2%	46	1.9%	19	.9%	65	1.4%
15 nights	1	1.2%	-	-	1	.8%	10	1.4%	3	.4%	13	.9%	22	.9%	5	.2%	27	.6%
16 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	2	.3%	1	.1%	3	.2%	7	.3%	3	.1%	10	.2%
17 nights	2	1.4%	-	-	2	1.0%	4	.5%	-	-	4	.3%	7	.3%	3	.1%	10	.2%
18 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	5	.8%	-	-	5	.4%	9	.4%	1	.0%	10	.2%
19 nights	3	2.8%	-	-	3	1.9%	7	1.0%	2	.3%	9	.6%	14	.6%	3	.1%	17	.4%
20 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	2.0%	2	.3%	16	1.2%	35	1.4%	12	.5%	47	1.0%
21 nights	2	1.7%	-	-	2	1.1%	9	1.2%	2	.3%	11	.8%	25	1.0%	14	.6%	39	.8%
22 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	.4%	-	-	3	.2%	10	.4%	2	.1%	12	.2%
23 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	7	1.1%	1	.2%	8	.6%	16	.6%	3	.1%	19	.4%

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**22. How many nights have you stayed outside or in a place not meant for housing in October? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
24 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	7	1.0%	1	.1%	8	.6%	18	.7%	3	.1%	21	.4%
25 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	10	1.5%	2	.3%	12	.9%	28	1.1%	8	.4%	36	.8%
26 nights	6	5.1%	1	1.7%	7	3.9%	76	10.9%	25	3.6%	101	7.3%	178	7.2%	48	2.2%	226	4.8%
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	60	100.0%	178	100.0%	694	100.0%	695	100.0%	1,389	100.0%	2,479	100.0%	2,212	100.0%	4,690	100.0%
<b>Mean number of nights outside</b>	5.0		2.0		3.9		6.5		2.0		4.2		4.9		1.7		3.4	
<b>Median number of nights outside</b>	.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0	

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**23. In October, how many nights have you spent doubled-up, in someone else's house, apartment, or room where you were allowed to stay on a temporary basis?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
0 nights	29	74.5%	5	25.0%	2	50.0%	15	71.7%	18	89.9%	14	43.8%	2	20.0%	17	65.4%	2	33.3%
1 night	-	-	1	6.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
2 nights	2	4.3%	1	6.1%	-	-	1	7.0%	1	5.0%	1	3.1%	-	-	2	7.7%	-	-
3 nights	2	4.3%	5	24.7%	-	-	3	14.2%	1	5.0%	-	-	1	10.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
4 nights	-	-	2	12.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	2	20.0%	-	-	2	33.3%
5 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7.0%	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	1	3.8%	-	-
6 nights	-	-	1	6.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	1	10.0%	2	7.7%	2	33.3%
8 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9 nights	-	-	-	-	1	25.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 nights	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	9.4%	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
11 nights	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14 nights	2	4.1%	-	-	1	25.0%	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	2	7.7%	-	-
15 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
16 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19 nights	-	-	1	6.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 nights	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
21 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**23. In October, how many nights have you spent doubled-up, in someone else's house, apartment, or room where you were allowed to stay on a temporary basis? (continued)**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
22 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-
24 nights	-	-	2	12.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.1%	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
26 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	21.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	20	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%
<b>Mean number of nights outside</b>	2.5		6.0		5.8		.9		.3		9.8		6.9		2.1		3.7	
<b>Median number of nights outside</b>	.0		3.0		4.5		.0		.0		4.5		4.0		.0		4.0	

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**23. In October, how many nights have you spent doubled-up, in someone else's house, apartment, or room where you were allowed to stay on a temporary basis? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
0 nights	75	63.7%	29	48.7%	104	58.6%	422	61.4%	452	64.9%	874	63.2%	1,614	65.7%	1,583	71.6%	3,197	68.5%
1 night	1	.8%	2	3.8%	3	1.9%	20	2.8%	18	2.6%	37	2.7%	75	3.1%	53	2.4%	128	2.7%
2 nights	6	5.2%	2	3.7%	8	4.7%	36	5.2%	20	2.9%	56	4.1%	127	5.2%	72	3.3%	199	4.3%
3 nights	6	4.7%	7	11.5%	12	7.0%	19	2.8%	21	3.0%	40	2.9%	92	3.7%	52	2.4%	144	3.1%
4 nights	1	.8%	6	10.7%	7	4.2%	12	1.8%	15	2.1%	27	1.9%	58	2.4%	41	1.9%	100	2.1%
5 nights	3	2.9%	-	-	3	1.9%	13	1.9%	4	.6%	17	1.2%	57	2.3%	27	1.2%	84	1.8%
6 nights	-	-	1	2.2%	1	.7%	12	1.8%	10	1.4%	22	1.6%	32	1.3%	25	1.1%	57	1.2%
7 nights	3	2.5%	3	5.0%	6	3.4%	18	2.6%	16	2.2%	33	2.4%	56	2.3%	47	2.1%	103	2.2%
8 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	1.3%	-	-	9	.6%	23	.9%	11	.5%	34	.7%
9 nights	-	-	1	1.6%	1	.6%	3	.4%	2	.3%	5	.3%	6	.2%	5	.2%	11	.2%
10 nights	5	4.0%	1	1.7%	6	3.2%	17	2.4%	11	1.6%	28	2.0%	53	2.2%	33	1.5%	86	1.8%
11 nights	2	1.4%	-	-	2	1.0%	5	.7%	3	.4%	8	.6%	7	.3%	4	.2%	11	.2%
12 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.1%	7	1.0%	8	.6%	9	.4%	11	.5%	19	.4%
13 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	.4%	3	.5%	6	.5%	9	.4%	6	.3%	16	.3%
14 nights	5	3.9%	1	1.6%	6	3.2%	15	2.1%	12	1.8%	27	1.9%	37	1.5%	39	1.8%	76	1.6%
15 nights	-	-	1	1.7%	1	.6%	8	1.2%	10	1.5%	19	1.4%	16	.7%	17	.7%	33	.7%
16 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	.7%	-	-	5	.3%	9	.4%	5	.2%	14	.3%
17 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	.5%	4	.3%	5	.2%	5	.2%	10	.2%
18 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.1%	-	-	1	.1%	9	.4%	-	-	9	.2%
19 nights	-	-	1	2.0%	1	.7%	-	-	1	.2%	1	.1%	3	.1%	6	.3%	9	.2%
20 nights	3	2.3%	-	-	3	1.5%	10	1.4%	3	.4%	13	.9%	24	1.0%	20	.9%	44	.9%
21 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	.7%	7	1.0%	12	.9%	13	.5%	22	1.0%	35	.7%
22 nights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	.3%	2	.1%	10	.4%	6	.3%	16	.3%

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**23. In October, how many nights have you spent doubled-up, in someone else's house, apartment, or room where you were allowed to stay on a temporary basis? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
23 nights	1	.8%	-	-	1	.6%	8	1.2%	5	.7%	13	.9%	15	.6%	9	.4%	24	.5%
24 nights	-	-	2	4.1%	2	1.4%	4	.6%	8	1.2%	12	.9%	16	.7%	15	.7%	31	.7%
25 nights	1	.8%	1	1.7%	2	1.1%	4	.6%	4	.6%	8	.6%	13	.5%	6	.3%	19	.4%
26 nights	7	5.9%	-	-	7	3.9%	40	5.7%	57	8.2%	97	7.0%	68	2.8%	91	4.1%	159	3.4%
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	60	100.0%	178	100.0%	688	100.0%	696	100.0%	1,384	100.0%	2,456	100.0%	2,210	100.0%	4,666	100.0%
<b>Mean number of nights outside</b>	4.1		3.9		4.1		4.3		4.6		4.5		3.2		3.2		3.2	
<b>Median number of nights outside</b>	.0		1.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0		.0	

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**24. Who did you stay with last night?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Alone	40	100.0%	9	44.4%	2	50.0%	16	80.8%	7	32.7%	16	50.0%	4	40.0%	20	76.9%	2	33.3%
Children only	-	-	4	18.5%	2	50.0%	-	-	13	62.3%	-	-	2	20.0%	1	3.8%	1	16.7%
Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7.1%	-	-	9	28.1%	3	30.0%	2	7.7%	1	16.7%
Spouse/partner/significant other with children	-	-	5	24.7%	-	-	1	7.0%	1	5.0%	2	6.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spouse/partner/significant other	-	-	2	12.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6.3%	-	-	2	7.7%	2	33.3%
Family member	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5.0%	-	-	3	9.4%	1	10.0%	1	3.8%	-	-
Other arrangement including children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other arrangement including spouse/partner	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other arrangement including partner and children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other arrangements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	20	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%

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**24. Who did you stay with last night? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Alone	92	78.0%	23	39.0%	115	64.8%	513	72.7%	215	30.6%	727	51.7%	1,928	77.3%	778	34.5%	2,706	57.0%
Children only	1	.8%	21	35.5%	22	12.6%	11	1.6%	266	37.9%	278	19.7%	57	2.3%	954	42.3%	1,011	21.3%
Friends	12	10.6%	4	6.7%	16	9.2%	77	10.9%	42	6.0%	119	8.4%	230	9.2%	105	4.7%	335	7.1%
Spouse/partner/significant other with children	3	2.9%	6	9.8%	9	5.2%	45	6.4%	91	13.0%	136	9.7%	111	4.4%	221	9.8%	331	7.0%
Spouse/partner/significant other	4	3.4%	4	7.4%	8	4.7%	37	5.3%	46	6.6%	84	5.9%	99	4.0%	93	4.1%	193	4.1%
Family member	5	4.3%	1	1.7%	6	3.4%	19	2.7%	27	3.8%	46	3.3%	65	2.6%	74	3.3%	139	2.9%
Other arrangement including children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	1.5%	11	.8%	-	-	23	1.0%	23	.5%
Other arrangement including spouse/partner	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	.2%	-	-	2	.1%	2	.1%	1	.0%	3	.1%
Other arrangement including partner and children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	.4%	3	.2%	1	.0%	5	.2%	6	.1%
All other arrangements	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.2%	1	.2%	2	.2%	3	.1%	2	.1%	5	.1%
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	60	100.0%	178	100.0%	705	100.0%	702	100.0%	1,407	100.0%	2,494	100.0%	2,257	100.0%	4,751	100.0%



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**25. How long have you been without a regular or permanent place to live?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Less than a month	3	8.6%	4	16.8%	1	33.3%	2	12.1%	-	-	1	3.1%	2	20.0%	3	11.5%	1	16.7%
1 - 3 months	16	40.7%	15	66.0%	2	66.7%	4	21.4%	3	15.1%	7	21.9%	2	20.0%	5	19.2%	1	16.7%
4 - 6 months	5	12.7%	1	5.9%	-	-	6	28.4%	3	12.5%	3	9.4%	1	10.0%	2	7.7%	1	16.7%
7 - 11 months	5	12.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	19.9%	2	6.3%	1	10.0%	-	-	-	-
1 - 3 years	5	12.7%	3	11.3%	-	-	5	26.1%	9	44.9%	12	37.5%	3	30.0%	3	11.5%	1	16.7%
More than 3 years	5	12.8%	-	-	-	-	2	12.0%	2	7.5%	7	21.9%	1	10.0%	13	50.0%	2	33.3%
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	3	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Less than a month	10	8.4%	8	12.5%	18	9.8%	75	10.7%	103	14.8%	177	12.7%	217	8.7%	222	9.9%	438	9.3%
1 - 3 months	32	27.5%	23	36.9%	55	30.7%	150	21.4%	190	27.3%	340	24.4%	425	17.0%	505	22.6%	930	19.7%
4 - 6 months	16	13.4%	6	9.5%	22	12.1%	112	16.1%	103	14.8%	215	15.4%	303	12.2%	313	14.0%	616	13.0%
7 - 11 months	7	5.9%	5	8.2%	12	6.7%	68	9.7%	74	10.6%	142	10.2%	257	10.3%	262	11.7%	519	11.0%
1 - 3 years	25	21.5%	16	25.5%	41	22.8%	172	24.6%	155	22.3%	327	23.5%	642	25.7%	623	27.8%	1,265	26.7%
More than 3 years	28	23.3%	5	7.4%	32	17.9%	122	17.5%	71	10.2%	193	13.8%	651	26.1%	314	14.0%	966	20.4%
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	62	100.0%	179	100.0%	699	100.0%	695	100.0%	1,394	100.0%	2,495	100.0%	2,239	100.0%	4,734	100.0%

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**26. How many different times have you been homeless during the last three years?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1 time	20	49.3%	17	77.6%	4	100.0%	8	40.6%	3	15.1%	11	34.4%	4	40.0%	5	19.2%	-	-
2 times	7	16.8%	-	-	-	-	3	14.2%	13	65.0%	5	15.6%	1	10.0%	2	7.7%	1	16.7%
3 times	3	8.4%	2	11.1%	-	-	6	31.1%	1	5.0%	4	12.5%	3	30.0%	-	-	1	16.7%
4 or more times	10	25.5%	3	11.3%	-	-	3	14.0%	3	15.0%	12	37.5%	2	20.0%	19	73.1%	4	66.7%
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1 time	44	37.1%	28	45.2%	72	39.9%	299	43.9%	328	47.3%	627	45.6%	1,144	46.9%	1,041	47.3%	2,185	47.1%
2 times	17	14.0%	15	24.4%	32	17.6%	136	20.0%	144	20.8%	281	20.4%	462	19.0%	491	22.3%	953	20.5%
3 times	14	11.6%	7	11.9%	21	11.7%	68	10.0%	75	10.8%	143	10.4%	227	9.3%	229	10.4%	456	9.8%
4 or more times	44	37.3%	12	18.5%	56	30.8%	177	26.0%	146	21.1%	323	23.5%	605	24.8%	439	20.0%	1,045	22.5%
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	63	100.0%	180	100.0%	680	100.0%	694	100.0%	1,374	100.0%	2,439	100.0%	2,201	100.0%	4,640	100.0%

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**27. How many different times have you been homeless during your life time?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
One time	13	33.9%	7	33.6%	3	100.0%	3	14.2%	3	15.1%	4	12.9%	2	22.2%	2	8.0%	-	-
2 to 3 times	5	13.1%	6	27.5%	-	-	10	47.5%	10	50.0%	5	16.1%	4	44.4%	4	16.0%	-	-
4 to 7 times	10	26.4%	7	33.0%	-	-	3	14.1%	5	22.4%	12	38.7%	1	11.1%	8	32.0%	5	83.3%
8 or more times	10	26.7%	1	5.9%	-	-	5	24.1%	3	12.5%	10	32.3%	2	22.2%	11	44.0%	1	16.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
One time	22	19.0%	15	25.6%	37	21.3%	171	25.6%	202	30.2%	374	27.9%	674	28.2%	662	30.7%	1,335	29.4%
2 to 3 times	24	20.7%	20	33.5%	44	25.1%	170	25.4%	214	31.9%	384	28.7%	605	25.3%	674	31.3%	1,279	28.2%
4 to 7 times	33	28.8%	18	29.6%	51	29.0%	156	23.3%	162	24.2%	318	23.7%	583	24.4%	464	21.5%	1,046	23.0%
8 or more times	36	31.5%	7	11.3%	43	24.5%	171	25.6%	91	13.6%	263	19.6%	528	22.1%	353	16.4%	881	19.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1,338</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2,390</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2,152</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>4,542</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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**28. Proportion of respondents who are defined as long-term homeless**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered				
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
<b>Minnesota definition:</b> Homeless a year or longer currently, or 4 or more times in the past 3 years																			
Yes	15	38.2%	3	11.3%	-	-	8	38.1%	12	59.9%	21	65.6%	4	40.0%	20	76.9%	5	83.3%	
No	24	61.8%	20	88.7%	4	100.0%	13	61.9%	8	40.1%	11	34.4%	6	60.0%	6	23.1%	1	16.7%	
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%	
<b>Federal definition:</b> Homeless a year or longer currently, or 4 or more times in the past 3 years, <u>and</u> single (not accompanied by spouse or children) <u>and</u> with a serious or chronic disability																			
Yes	12	29.7%	3	11.3%	-	-	5	26.1%	3	12.5%	13	40.6%	3	30.0%	13	50.0%	3	50.0%	
No	28	70.3%	20	88.7%	4	100.0%	15	73.9%	18	87.5%	19	59.4%	7	70.0%	13	50.0%	3	50.0%	
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	32	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%	

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**28. Proportion of respondents who are defined as long-term homeless (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide						
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
<b>Minnesota definition:</b> Homeless a year or longer currently, or 4 or more times in the past 3 years																			
Yes	64	54.2%	24	37.9%	88	48.5%	366	51.4%	294	41.6%	660	46.5%	1,488	59.2%	1,099	48.5%	2,587	54.1%	
No	54	45.8%	39	62.1%	93	51.5%	347	48.6%	413	58.4%	760	53.5%	1,026	40.8%	1,169	51.5%	2,194	45.9%	
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	63	100.0%	180	100.0%	713	100.0%	707	100.0%	1,420	100.0%	2,514	100.0%	2,267	100.0%	4,781	100.0%	
<b>Federal definition:</b> Homeless a year or longer currently, or 4 or more times in the past 3 years, <u>and</u> single (not accompanied by spouse or children) <u>and</u> with a serious or chronic disability																			
Yes	43	36.5%	11	17.7%	54	30.0%	254	35.6%	103	14.6%	357	25.1%	1,068	42.5%	439	19.3%	1,507	31.5%	
No	75	63.5%	51	82.3%	126	70.0%	460	64.4%	604	85.4%	1,063	74.9%	1,445	57.5%	1,829	80.7%	3,274	68.5%	
<b>Total</b>	118	100.0%	63	100.0%	180	100.0%	713	100.0%	707	100.0%	1,420	100.0%	2,514	100.0%	2,267	100.0%	4,781	100.0%	

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**29. Have you ever lived in any of the following types of homeless service programs?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male (N=40)		Female (N=21-22)		Female (N=4)		Male (N=20)		Female (N=14-20)		Male (N=31-32)		Female (N=10)		Male (N=26)		Female (N=6)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	39	97.5%	12	55.8%	-	-	8	38.2%	10	58.7%	24	75.0%	7	70.0%	16	61.5%	6	100.0%
Transitional housing	12	29.5%	1	5.4%	-	-	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	11	34.4%	4	40.0%	8	30.8%	3	50.0%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	5	23.5%	4	100.0%	-	-	7	38.2%	-	-	6	60.0%	-	-	3	50.0%
Permanent housing with supportive services	7	17.0%	1	5.4%	1	25.0%	2	12.1%	3	17.9%	5	16.1%	-	-	2	7.7%	1	16.7%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>97.5%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>55.8%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>81.3%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>80.0%</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>73.1%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male (N=117-118)		Female (N=56-63)		Total (N=173-180)		Male (N=692-709)		Female (N=684-704)		Total (N=1,378-1,413)		Male (N=2,461-2,506)		Female (N=2,214-2,253)		Total (N=4,681-4,759)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	86	73.3%	36	59.8%	122	68.7%	414	59.2%	323	46.7%	737	53.0%	1,824	73.2%	1,283	57.5%	3,106	65.8%
Transitional housing	51	43.2%	29	45.8%	80	44.1%	296	41.8%	365	51.8%	661	46.8%	1,110	44.3%	1,382	61.3%	2,492	52.4%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	25	42.0%	25	14.0%	4	.5%	284	40.8%	287	20.7%	24	1.0%	905	40.6%	930	19.8%
Permanent housing with supportive services	16	13.8%	6	10.2%	22	12.7%	56	8.1%	61	8.9%	117	8.5%	257	10.4%	230	10.4%	487	10.4%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>88.1%</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>81.1%</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>85.7%</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>79.0%</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>86.3%</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>82.6%</b>	<b>2,240</b>	<b>89.1%</b>	<b>2,097</b>	<b>92.5%</b>	<b>4,337</b>	<b>90.7%</b>

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**30. Have you ever lived in any of the following types of homeless service programs as a child?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male (N=38-40)		Female (N=21-22)		Female (N=4)		Male (N=19-20)		Female (N=14-20)		Male (N=29-32)		Female (N=9-10)		Male (N=25-26)		Female (N=5-6)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	2	4.5%	1	6.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	13.8%	2	20.0%	-	-	1	20.0%
Transitional housing	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	3	15.0%	-	-	2	6.3%	-	-	-	-	1	16.7%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11.1%	-	-	-	-
Permanent housing with supportive services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	10.7%	1	3.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8.6%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14.2%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15.6%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20.0%</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>16.7%</b>

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male (N=112-118)		Female (N=56-63)		Total (N=170-180)		Male (N=650-713)		Female (N=676-707)		Total (N=1,326-1,420)		Male (N=2,364-2,514)		Female (N=2,160-2,267)		Total (N=4,524-4,781)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	6	5.1%	4	7.5%	10	5.9%	20	3.2%	35	5.1%	55	4.2%	122	5.2%	193	8.9%	315	7.0%
Transitional housing	7	5.6%	1	1.6%	8	4.3%	20	2.9%	22	3.3%	42	3.1%	67	2.7%	88	4.1%	155	3.4%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	1	1.8%	1	.6%	4	.5%	24	3.6%	28	2.0%	21	.9%	89	4.1%	110	2.4%
Permanent housing with supportive services	1	.9%	2	2.7%	3	1.5%	5	.7%	10	1.4%	14	1.0%	25	1.0%	35	1.6%	60	1.3%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9.6%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9.5%</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>9.8%</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>13.1%</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>10.1%</b>

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**31. Have you ever lived in any of the following types of homeless service programs as an adult?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male (N=40)		Female (N=21-22)		Female (N=4)		Male (N=20)		Female (N=14-20)		Male (N=31-32)		Female (N=10)		Male (N=25-26)		Female (N=6)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	39	97.5%	12	55.8%	-	-	8	38.2%	10	58.7%	24	75.0%	7	70.0%	15	60.0%	6	100.0%
Transitional housing	10	25.2%	1	5.4%	-	-	19	92.9%	20	100.0%	10	32.3%	4	40.0%	8	30.8%	3	50.0%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	5	23.5%	4	100.0%	-	-	7	38.2%	-	-	6	60.0%	-	-	3	50.0%
Permanent housing with supportive services	7	17.0%	1	5.4%	1	25.0%	2	12.1%	1	7.2%	5	16.1%	-	-	2	7.7%	1	16.7%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>97.5%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>55.8%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>92.9%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>81.3%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>80.0%</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>69.2%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male (N=117-118)		Female (N=56-63)		Total (N=173-180)		Male (N=691-713)		Female (N=682-707)		Total (N=1,373-1,420)		Male (N=2,454-2,514)		Female (N=2,204-2,267)		Total (N=4,658-4,781)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	85	73.0%	36	59.8%	121	68.6%	402	58.0%	308	44.7%	710	51.3%	1,778	71.6%	1,206	54.5%	2,984	63.5%
Transitional housing	47	40.1%	29	45.8%	75	42.0%	280	39.7%	356	50.7%	636	45.2%	1,070	42.9%	1,348	60.0%	2,417	51.0%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	25	42.0%	25	14.0%	-	-	270	39.0%	270	19.5%	5	.2%	859	38.9%	863	18.5%
Permanent housing with supportive services	16	13.8%	4	7.5%	20	11.8%	51	7.4%	50	7.3%	101	7.4%	232	9.5%	200	9.1%	432	9.3%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>86.1%</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>81.1%</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>84.4%</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>77.0%</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>83.9%</b>	<b>1,142</b>	<b>80.4%</b>	<b>2,192</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>2,051</b>	<b>90.4%</b>	<b>4,243</b>	<b>88.7%</b>



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**32. Have you ever lived in any of the following types of homeless service programs in the last 2 years?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male (N=40)		Female (N=20-22)		Female (N=4)		Male (N=20)		Female (N=14-20)		Male (N=31-32)		Female (N=9-10)		Male (N=25-26)		Female (N=6)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	39	97.5%	12	55.8%	-	-	8	38.2%	6	35.2%	20	62.5%	4	44.4%	12	48.0%	5	83.3%
Transitional housing	5	12.7%	-	-	-	-	17	85.8%	20	100.0%	8	25.8%	1	10.0%	5	20.0%	2	33.3%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	4	18.8%	4	100.0%	-	-	3	14.6%	-	-	5	55.6%	-	-	3	50.0%
Permanent housing with supportive services	5	12.7%	1	5.4%	1	25.0%	1	7.1%	-	-	3	9.7%	-	-	1	4.0%	1	16.7%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>97.5%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>55.8%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>92.9%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>68.8%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>60.0%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>57.7%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male (N=116-118)		Female (N=56-63)		Total (N=172-180)		Male (N=689-713)		Female (N=682-707)		Total (N=1,371-1,420)		Male (N=2,450-2,514)		Female (N=2,201-2,267)		Total (N=4,656-4,781)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	78	67.1%	27	47.0%	106	60.4%	341	49.3%	266	38.7%	607	44.0%	1,632	65.8%	1,051	47.6%	2,683	57.2%
Transitional housing	35	30.6%	23	37.4%	59	33.0%	242	34.3%	326	46.4%	567	40.3%	917	36.8%	1,235	55.0%	2,151	45.4%
Battered women's shelter	-	-	18	32.5%	18	10.5%	-	-	209	30.3%	209	15.1%	3	.1%	637	28.9%	640	13.7%
Permanent housing with supportive services	10	9.0%	3	5.7%	14	7.9%	31	4.4%	30	4.4%	61	4.4%	153	6.2%	147	6.7%	300	6.4%
<b>Any of the above shelter facilities</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>80.1%</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>77.9%</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>79.4%</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>70.8%</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>79.9%</b>	<b>1,070</b>	<b>75.3%</b>	<b>2,103</b>	<b>83.7%</b>	<b>1,966</b>	<b>86.7%</b>	<b>4,069</b>	<b>85.1%</b>

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**33. Did you leave any of these types of homeless service programs in the last 12 months?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	20	50.7%	2	10.9%	-	-	9	45.3%	6	31.5%	8	25.8%	5	50.0%	11	42.3%	4	66.7%
No/NA	20	49.3%	20	89.1%	3	100.0%	11	54.7%	13	68.5%	23	74.2%	5	50.0%	15	57.7%	2	33.3%
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	3	100.0%	20	100.0%	19	100.0%	31	100.0%	10	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	48	41.3%	18	28.9%	66	37.1%	177	25.5%	193	28.4%	371	26.9%	711	28.9%	749	33.9%	1,460	31.3%
No/NA	69	58.7%	43	71.1%	112	62.9%	518	74.5%	488	71.6%	1,006	73.1%	1,748	71.1%	1,461	66.1%	3,209	68.7%
<b>Total</b>	117	100.0%	61	100.0%	177	100.0%	695	100.0%	681	100.0%	1,377	100.0%	2,458	100.0%	2,210	100.0%	4,669	100.0%

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**34. For those who left one of the types of homeless service programs in the last 12 months, which did you leave last?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	15	74.7%	1	50.0%	-	-	6	68.6%	6	100.0%	6	75.0%	2	40.0%	9	81.8%	4	100.0%
Transitional housing	-	-	1	50.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	60.0%	-	-	-	-
Battered women's shelter	3	16.9%	-	-	-	-	3	31.4%	-	-	2	25.0%	-	-	2	18.2%	-	-
Permanent supportive housing	2	8.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	20	100.0%	2	100.0%	-	-	9	100.0%	6	100.0%	8	100.0%	5	100.0%	11	100.0%	4	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Emergency shelter	36	75.2%	13	76.0%	50	75.4%	142	81.0%	88	45.8%	230	62.7%	531	75.7%	345	46.8%	875	60.9%
Transitional housing	-	-	4	24.0%	4	6.4%	-	-	83	43.3%	83	22.6%	2	.2%	261	35.5%	263	18.3%
Battered women's shelter	10	21.3%	-	-	10	15.6%	30	16.9%	16	8.2%	45	12.3%	138	19.7%	105	14.3%	243	16.9%
Permanent supportive housing	2	3.5%	-	-	2	2.6%	4	2.1%	5	2.8%	9	2.4%	30	4.3%	26	3.5%	56	3.9%
<b>Total</b>	48	100.0%	18	100.0%	66	100.0%	175	100.0%	191	100.0%	367	100.0%	701	100.0%	736	100.0%	1,438	100.0%

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**35. For those who left one of the types of homeless service programs in the last 12 months, did you have a stable place to live when you left?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	7	33.4%	1	50.0%	-	-	4	61.2%	4	100.0%	1	12.5%	1	20.0%	3	27.3%	-	-
No	13	66.6%	1	50.0%	-	-	2	38.8%	-	-	7	87.5%	4	80.0%	8	72.7%	4	100.0%
<b>Total</b>	20	100.0%	2	100.0%	-	-	6	100.0%	4	100.0%	8	100.0%	5	100.0%	11	100.0%	4	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	15	32.1%	6	38.5%	20	33.7%	50	30.5%	90	49.7%	140	40.5%	237	35.9%	416	58.8%	653	47.8%
No	31	67.9%	9	61.5%	40	66.3%	115	69.5%	91	50.3%	205	59.5%	424	64.1%	291	41.2%	715	52.2%
<b>Total</b>	45	100.0%	15	100.0%	60	100.0%	165	100.0%	180	100.0%	345	100.0%	661	100.0%	707	100.0%	1,368	100.0%

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**36. Of those who left one of the types of homeless service programs in the last 12 months, proportion who had a stable place to live, by type of program left.**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Transitional housing	-	-	1	100.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Emergency shelter	5	33.5%	-	-	-	-	2	70.6%	4	100.0%	1	16.7%	1	50.0%	3	33.3%	-	-
Battered women's shelter	2	50.0%	-	-	-	-	1	50.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Permanent housing with supportive services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Transitional housing	-	-	1	28.7%	1	28.7%	-	-	37	47.1%	37	47.1%	2	100.0%	138	55.4%	140	55.7%
Emergency shelter	11	34.3%	5	42.3%	16	36.2%	43	31.7%	44	54.4%	87	40.2%	190	37.9%	208	64.3%	398	48.2%
Battered women's shelter	3	30.5%	-	-	3	30.5%	7	28.2%	7	45.2%	14	34.5%	36	28.9%	56	56.7%	92	41.3%
Permanent housing with supportive services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	28.7%	2	16.9%	8	27.2%	7	26.0%	15	26.7%

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**37. For those who left one of the types of homeless service programs in the last 12 months, did you receive any help finding a stable place to live when you left?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	2	8.1%	2	100.0%	-	-	3	54.5%	4	100.0%	2	25.0%	3	60.0%	1	9.1%	1	25.0%
No	18	91.9%	-	-	-	-	3	45.5%	-	-	6	75.0%	2	40.0%	10	90.9%	3	75.0%
<b>Total</b>	20	100.0%	2	100.0%	-	-	6	100.0%	4	100.0%	8	100.0%	5	100.0%	11	100.0%	4	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	8	17.8%	10	66.6%	18	29.9%	47	28.9%	88	48.4%	135	39.1%	192	29.2%	355	50.3%	547	40.1%
No	37	82.2%	5	33.4%	42	70.1%	116	71.1%	94	51.6%	210	60.9%	466	70.8%	350	49.7%	817	59.9%
<b>Total</b>	45	100.0%	15	100.0%	60	100.0%	164	100.0%	181	100.0%	345	100.0%	659	100.0%	705	100.0%	1,364	100.0%

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**38. For those who left one of the types of homeless service programs in the last 12 months, were you offered follow-up or aftercare services before leaving?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	5	25.0%	-	-	-	-	3	54.5%	2	57.1%	-	-	2	40.0%	1	9.1%	1	25.0%
No	15	75.0%	2	100.0%	-	-	3	45.5%	2	42.9%	8	100.0%	3	60.0%	10	90.9%	3	75.0%
<b>Total</b>	20	100.0%	2	100.0%	-	-	6	100.0%	4	100.0%	8	100.0%	5	100.0%	11	100.0%	4	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	9	20.9%	5	33.6%	15	24.0%	31	18.8%	84	46.4%	115	33.3%	137	20.7%	271	38.3%	407	29.8%
No	36	79.1%	10	66.4%	46	76.0%	133	81.2%	97	53.6%	230	66.7%	523	79.3%	437	61.7%	960	70.2%
<b>Total</b>	45	100.0%	15	100.0%	60	100.0%	164	100.0%	181	100.0%	345	100.0%	660	100.0%	708	100.0%	1,368	100.0%

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**39. How old were you the very first time you were homeless, either with or without your parents?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
0 to 12 years old	2	4.3%	-	-	-	-	1	5.7%	-	-	-	-	1	10.0%	1	4.0%	2	33.3%
13 to 17 years old	4	10.9%	4	16.8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	36.7%	1	10.0%	5	20.0%	2	33.3%
18 to 21 years old	7	17.0%	7	33.4%	1	33.3%	8	45.9%	9	42.5%	8	26.7%	3	30.0%	7	28.0%	-	-
22 to 29 years old	3	8.6%	2	10.9%	-	-	1	8.1%	6	30.0%	3	10.0%	4	40.0%	4	16.0%	-	-
30 to 39 years old	8	21.2%	4	16.5%	1	33.3%	4	24.2%	3	15.0%	3	10.0%	1	10.0%	5	20.0%	2	33.3%
40 to 49 years old	8	21.1%	3	11.3%	1	33.3%	3	16.1%	3	12.5%	3	10.0%	-	-	3	12.0%	-	-
50 or older	7	17.0%	2	11.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Mean age</b>	33.7		27.3		32.0		26.1		25.8		24.2		21.3		24.8		19.0	
<b>Median age</b>	36.0		21.0		34.0		20.0		24.0		18.0		21.0		21.0		14.0	



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**39. How old were you the very first time you were homeless, either with or without your parents? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
0 to 12 years old	4	3.3%	3	4.9%	7	3.9%	37	5.6%	52	7.8%	88	6.7%	114	4.7%	176	8.2%	289	6.3%
13 to 17 years old	20	18.1%	7	10.9%	27	15.5%	116	17.6%	113	17.2%	229	17.4%	363	15.0%	391	18.2%	753	16.5%
18 to 21 years old	30	26.6%	20	32.6%	50	28.7%	150	22.8%	158	24.0%	307	23.4%	411	17.0%	418	19.5%	829	18.2%
22 to 29 years old	12	10.5%	13	20.4%	24	14.0%	87	13.3%	142	21.5%	229	17.4%	356	14.7%	467	21.8%	823	18.0%
30 to 39 years old	21	18.4%	11	17.4%	31	18.1%	109	16.6%	110	16.7%	219	16.7%	503	20.8%	368	17.2%	871	19.1%
40 to 49 years old	17	15.3%	6	9.8%	23	13.4%	114	17.3%	60	9.1%	173	13.2%	460	19.0%	239	11.1%	699	15.3%
50 or older	9	7.8%	2	4.0%	11	6.4%	45	6.9%	25	3.7%	70	5.3%	214	8.9%	87	4.0%	301	6.6%
<b>Total</b>	112	100.0%	62	100.0%	174	100.0%	657	100.0%	659	100.0%	1,316	100.0%	2,421	100.0%	2,145	100.0%	4,566	100.0%
<b>Mean age</b>	28.0		25.2		27.0		27.8		24.8		26.3		30.0		25.6		27.9	
<b>Median age</b>	23.0		23.0		23.0		23.0		22.0		22.0		28.0		23.0		25.0	

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**40. In the last three months, were you ever unable to obtain shelter because of a lack of available bed spaces?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	15	38.1%	2	10.9%	2	50.0%	3	14.0%	2	7.5%	4	12.9%	4	44.4%	10	38.5%	5	83.3%
No	25	61.9%	20	89.1%	2	50.0%	17	86.0%	19	92.5%	27	87.1%	5	55.6%	16	61.5%	1	16.7%
<b>Total</b>	40	100.0%	22	100.0%	4	100.0%	20	100.0%	20	100.0%	31	100.0%	9	100.0%	26	100.0%	6	100.0%

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	32	27.3%	15	24.2%	47	26.2%	141	20.1%	104	14.9%	245	17.5%	570	22.9%	380	17.0%	950	20.1%
No	85	72.7%	47	75.8%	132	73.8%	562	79.9%	594	85.1%	1,156	82.5%	1,921	77.1%	1,861	83.0%	3,782	79.9%
<b>Total</b>	117	100.0%	62	100.0%	178	100.0%	703	100.0%	698	100.0%	1,402	100.0%	2,491	100.0%	2,241	100.0%	4,732	100.0%

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**41. For those who were unable to obtain shelter in the last three months, where did you end up sleeping?**

**West Central MN**

	Emergency shelter				Battered women's shelter		Transitional housing				Informal shelter				Unsheltered			
	Male		Female		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Outdoors	5	33.7%	-	-	-	-	1	100.0%	-	-	1	25.0%	-	-	6	60.0%	1	20.0%
Friend/family member's house	2	10.8%	-	-	1	50.0%	-	-	2	100.0%	1	25.0%	3	75.0%	-	-	-	-
Another shelter	5	33.3%	1	50.0%	1	50.0%	-	-	-	-	1	25.0%	1	25.0%	-	-	1	20.0%
Car, abandoned building, or other enclosed place	2	10.8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10.0%	2	40.0%
Motel/other place - with voucher	2	11.2%	1	50.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	20.0%
Some other kind of place	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	25.0%	-	-	1	10.0%	-	-
Church	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10.0%	-	-
Safe home for people in crisis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10.0%	-	-
<b>Total</b>	15	100.0%	2	100.0%	2	100.0%	1	100.0%	2	100.0%	4	100.0%	4	100.0%	10	100.0%	5	100.0%

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**41. For those who were unable to obtain shelter in the last three months, where did you end up sleeping? (continued)**

**Totals**

	West Central MN						Greater Minnesota						Statewide					
	Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total		Male		Female		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Outdoors	14	44.3%	1	6.7%	15	31.9%	43	31.0%	9	8.7%	52	21.8%	204	36.9%	44	12.0%	248	26.9%
Friend/family member's house	3	8.6%	6	37.0%	8	17.9%	29	20.4%	41	42.0%	70	29.3%	95	17.3%	144	38.7%	239	25.9%
Another shelter	6	19.8%	4	28.1%	10	22.5%	14	10.3%	12	11.9%	26	10.9%	100	18.0%	58	15.7%	158	17.1%
Car, abandoned building, or other enclosed place	3	8.6%	2	13.4%	5	10.2%	21	14.9%	14	13.8%	34	14.4%	74	13.3%	44	12.0%	118	12.8%
Motel/other place - with voucher	2	5.6%	2	14.8%	4	8.6%	11	7.9%	12	12.1%	23	9.6%	19	3.4%	32	8.8%	51	5.5%
Some other kind of place	2	6.6%	-	-	2	4.4%	9	6.7%	1	1.0%	10	4.4%	27	4.9%	11	2.9%	37	4.1%
Church	1	3.3%	-	-	1	2.2%	7	5.0%	2	2.3%	9	3.9%	12	2.1%	19	5.2%	31	3.4%
Went home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5.6%	5	2.3%	-	-	9	2.5%	9	1.0%
Safe home for people in crisis	1	3.3%	-	-	1	2.2%	2	1.4%	-	-	2	.8%	8	1.5%	-	-	8	.9%
Rode on bus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	1.4%	1	.3%	9	.9%
Hospital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.2%	4	1.1%	5	.6%
Motel - no voucher	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.7%	-	-	2	1.0%	2	.4%	-	-	2	.3%
Detox	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.7%	-	-	1	.4%	2	.4%	1	.3%	3	.3%
Jail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.3%	1	.5%	-	-	1	.3%	1	.1%
Board and lodge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.4%	1	.6%	-	-	1	.4%	1	.1%
Elder lodge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	.2%	-	-	1	.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>100.0%</b>