



Texas Homeless Network 2013 Point-In-Time Results

Laredo

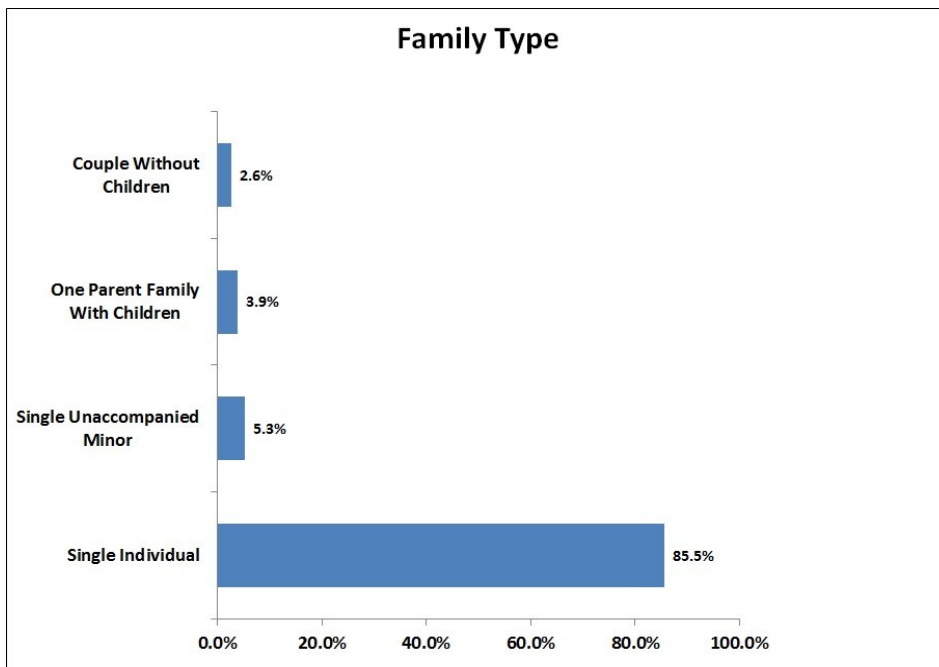
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Every year HUD requires all Continua to collect data on homelessness at a single point-in-time during the last week in January. The Texas Homeless Network annually assists communities with their Point-in-Time homeless survey preparation and data analysis. This report is a compilation of data collected on the day of January 24, 2013, by members of the Laredo Homeless Coalition.

The “known location” methodology was used by volunteers who surveyed persons found at sites identified by the community to be where those suffering from homelessness are known to congregate. The resulting survey sample is represented by people in homeless situations and persons who are at risk of becoming homeless. The number of survey responses does not represent the total population suffering from homelessness, so estimates are provided in this report. This information is used by local communities in the development of short and long-term strategies to alleviate homelessness.

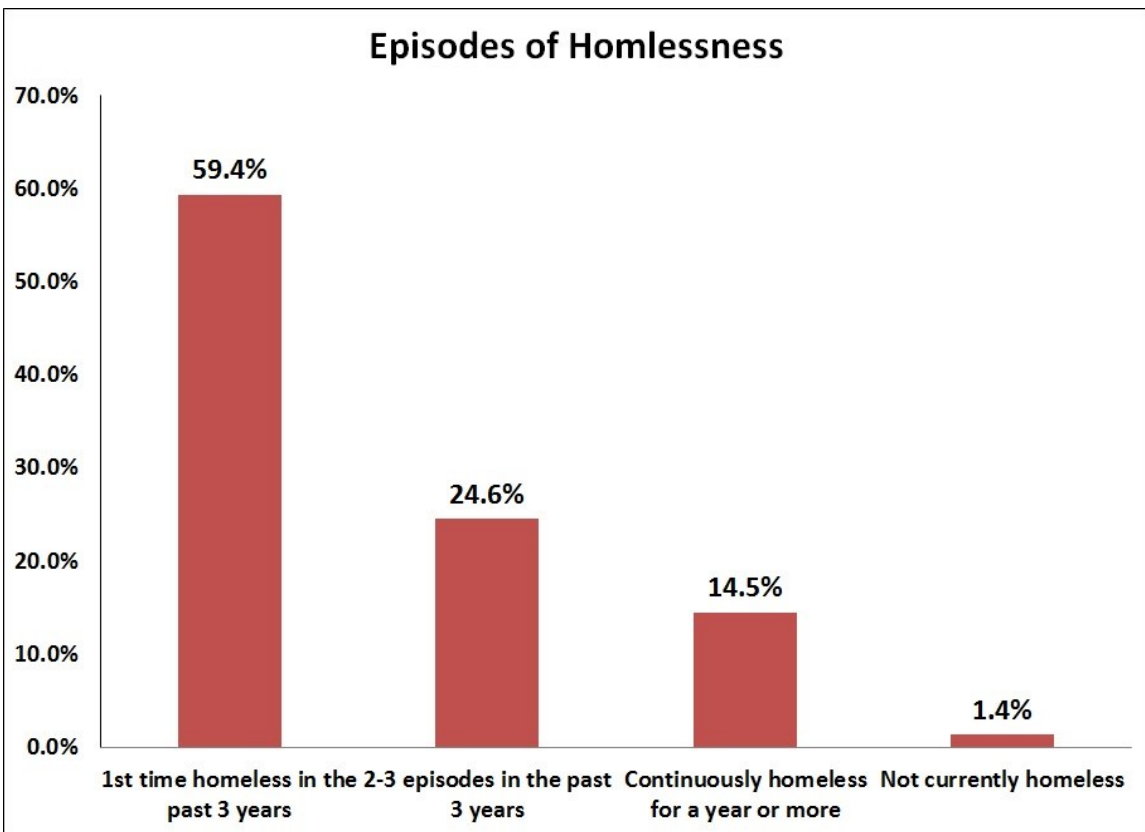
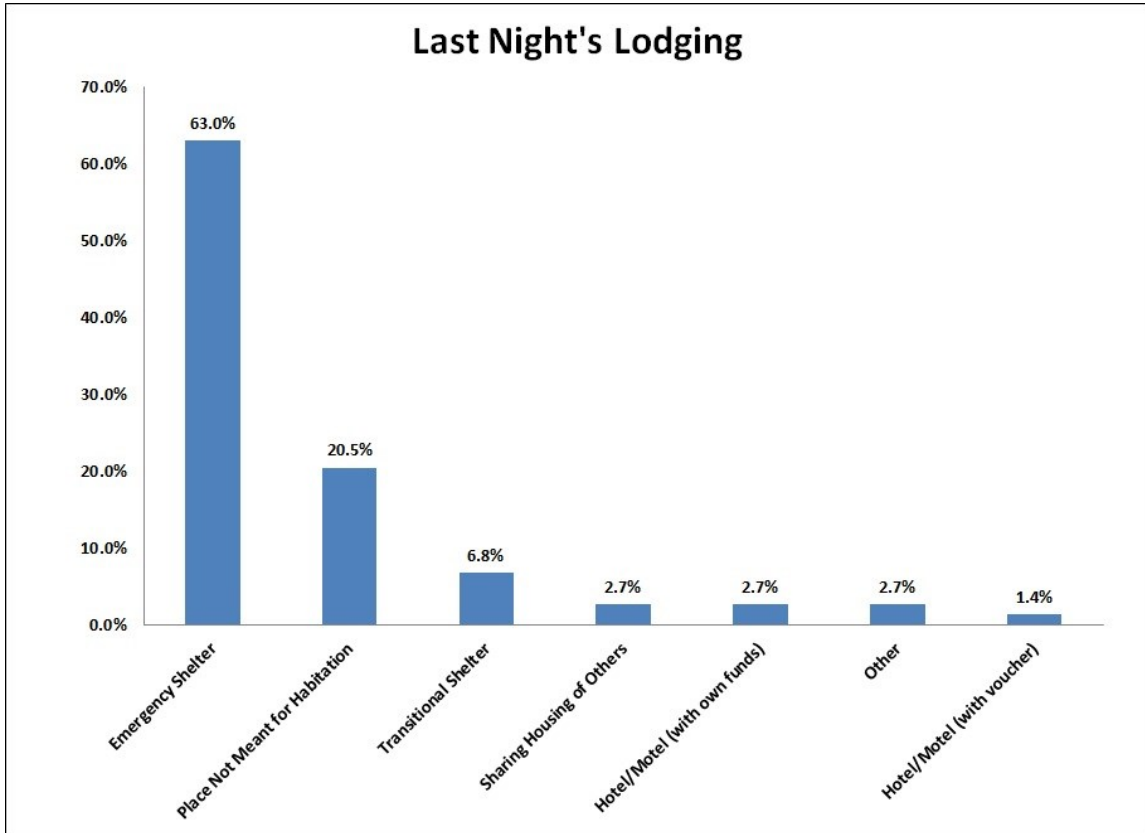
BASIC DEMOGRAPHICS QUICK REFERENCE OF 120 PEOPLE COUNTED



Average age of all participants	44.8
Median age of participants	45.0
Male	82.2%
Female	17.8%
White	67.6%
Black/African-American	8.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5.4%
American Indian or Alaska Native	18.9%
Hispanic/Latino	76.4%
Households with children	9.2%
Median age of Children	12.0
Chronic Homelessness	14.5%

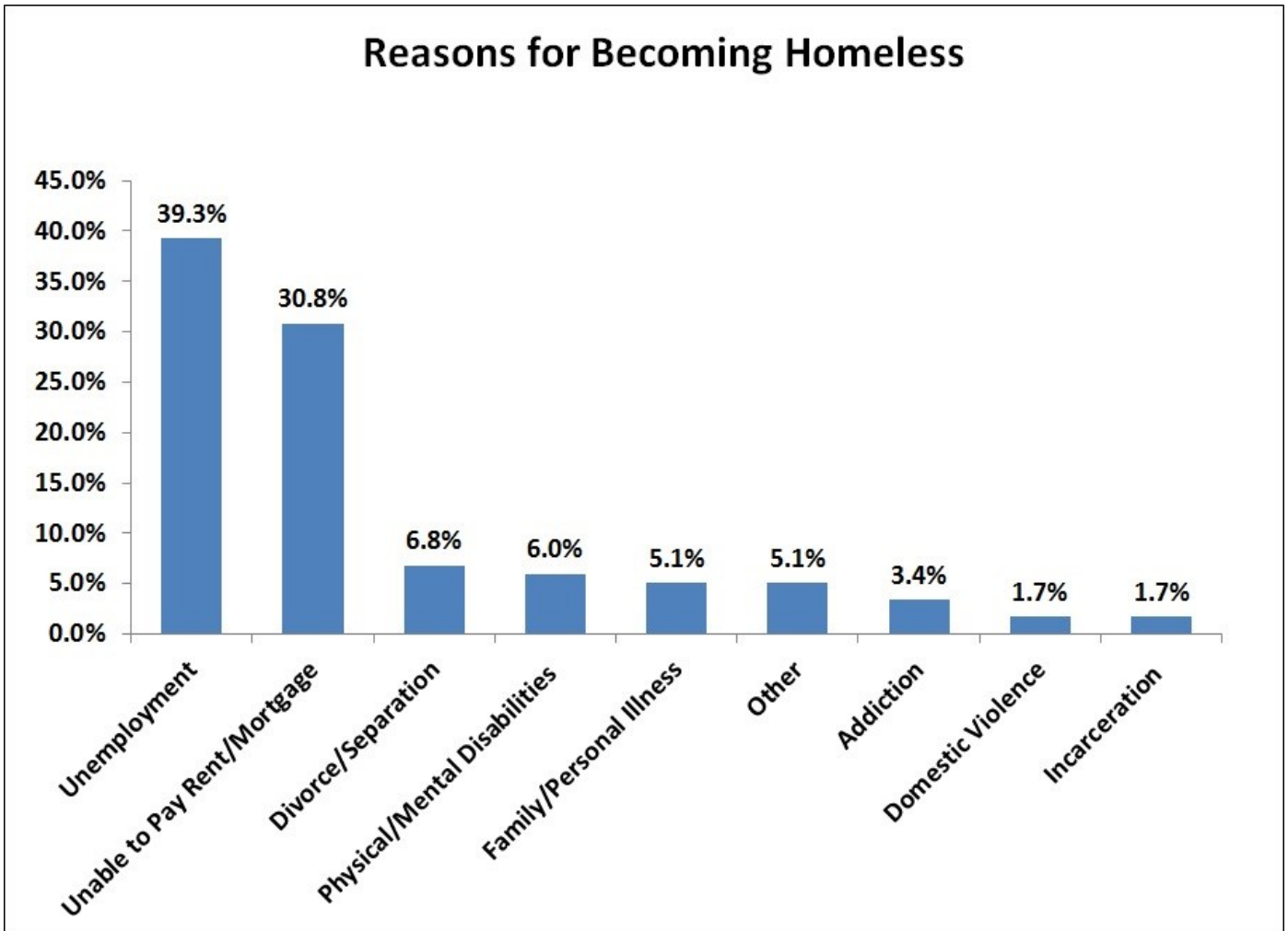
120 people were accounted for in the survey. 109 adults and 11 children.

RESPONDENT HISTORY

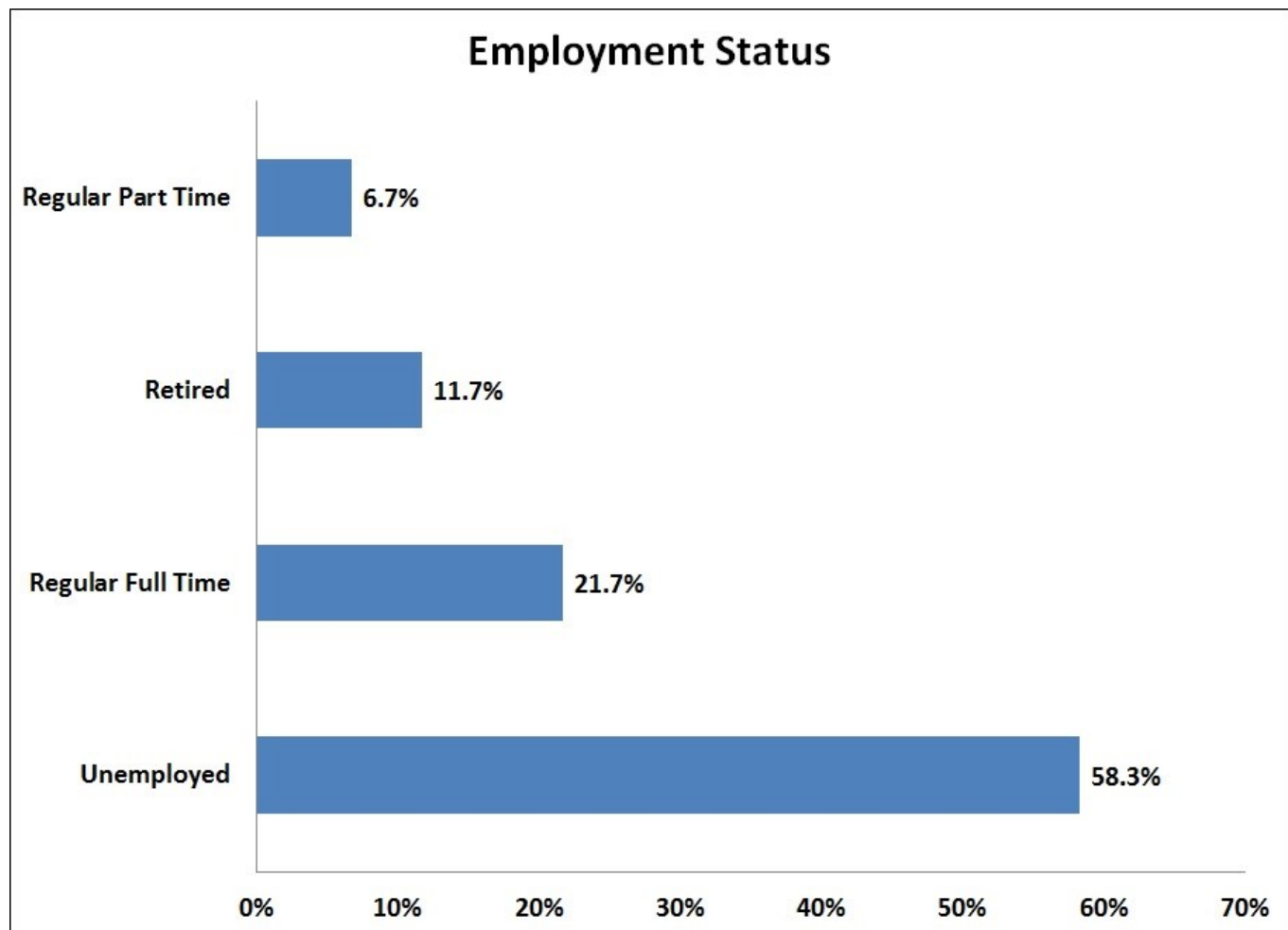


¹ §11302. General definition of homeless individual: (a) In general For purposes of this chapter, the term "homeless" or "homeless individual or homeless person" includes: 1. an individual who lacks a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence; and 2. an individual who has a primary nighttime residence that is – A. a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter designed to provide temporary living accommodations (including welfare hotels, congregate shelters, and transitional housing for the mentally ill); B. an institution that provides a temporary residence for individuals intended to be institutionalized; or C. a public or private place not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings.

CAUSES OF HOMELESSNESS

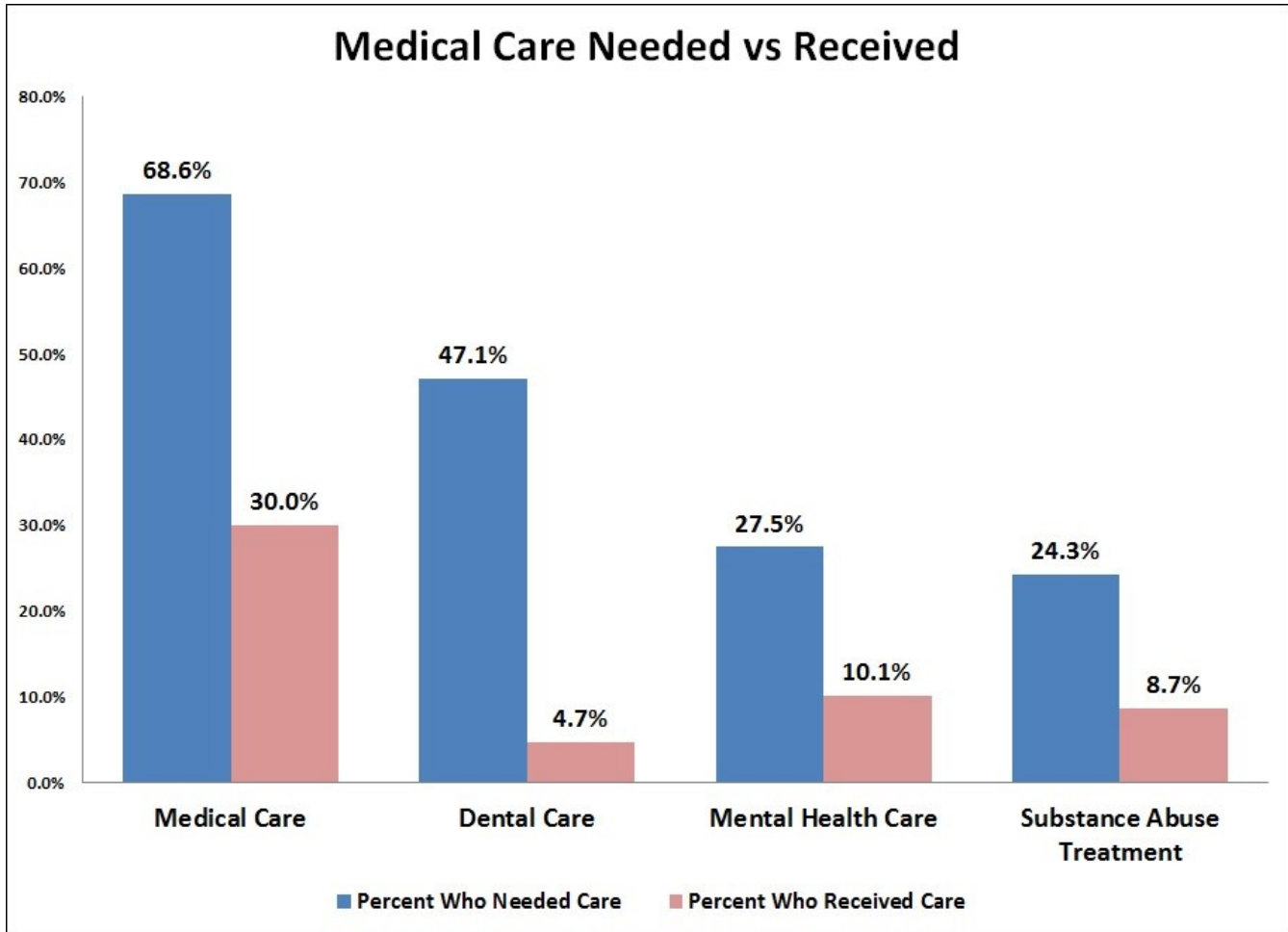


EMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATION



- **71.2%** of respondents indicated that they were able to work.
- Those that work, average **34.91** hours per week, and their median monthly income was **\$607.00**.
- Median length of unemployment is **1 year**.
- **60.3%** of respondents report attaining a high school diploma or higher degree in this sample.
- **39.7%** did not graduate high school.

HEALTH CARE



Health Care Need	Majority Received From	Percentage
Medical	Emergency Room	68.8%
Dental	N/A	0.0%
Mental Health	MHMR	100.0%
Substance Abuse Treatment	“Other”	100.0%

TREATMENT SERVICES AND INSTITUTIONAL STAYS

Receiving Treatment For:	
Mental Illness	32.0%
Drug Abuse	32.0%
Other Physical Condition	4.0%
Alcohol Abuse	14.0%
HIV/AIDS	18.0%

Institutional Stays:	
Jail or Prison	46.8%
Substance Abuse Treatment Facility	29.8%
State Hospital or Long Term Care Facility	17.0%
Foster Care	6.4%

Prior to entering these institutions, 57.1% of respondents were homeless.

Upon leaving the institution, 27.6% remained homeless.

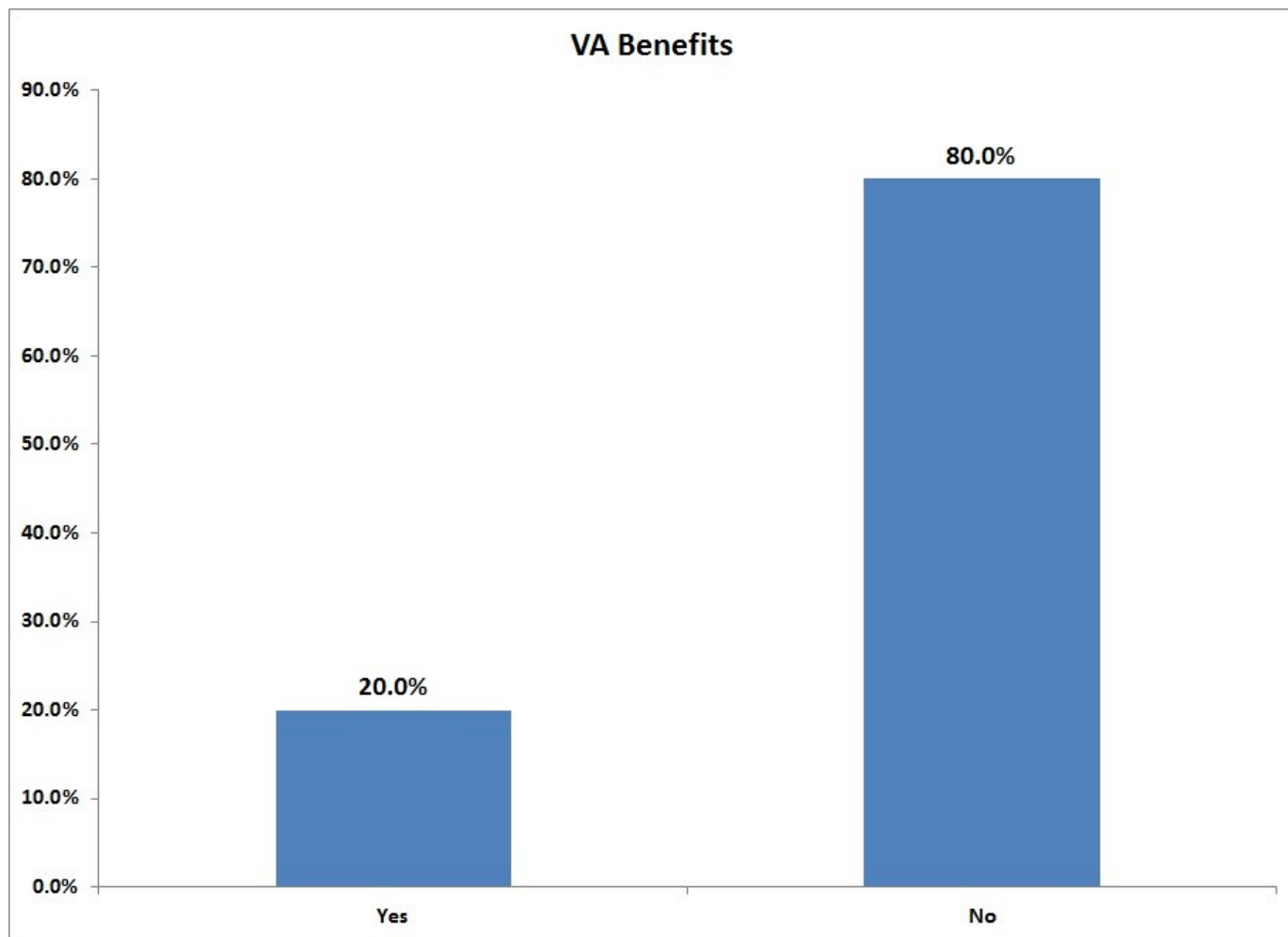
VETERAN STATISTICS

Respondents indicating having served in the United States Armed Forces: 8.8%

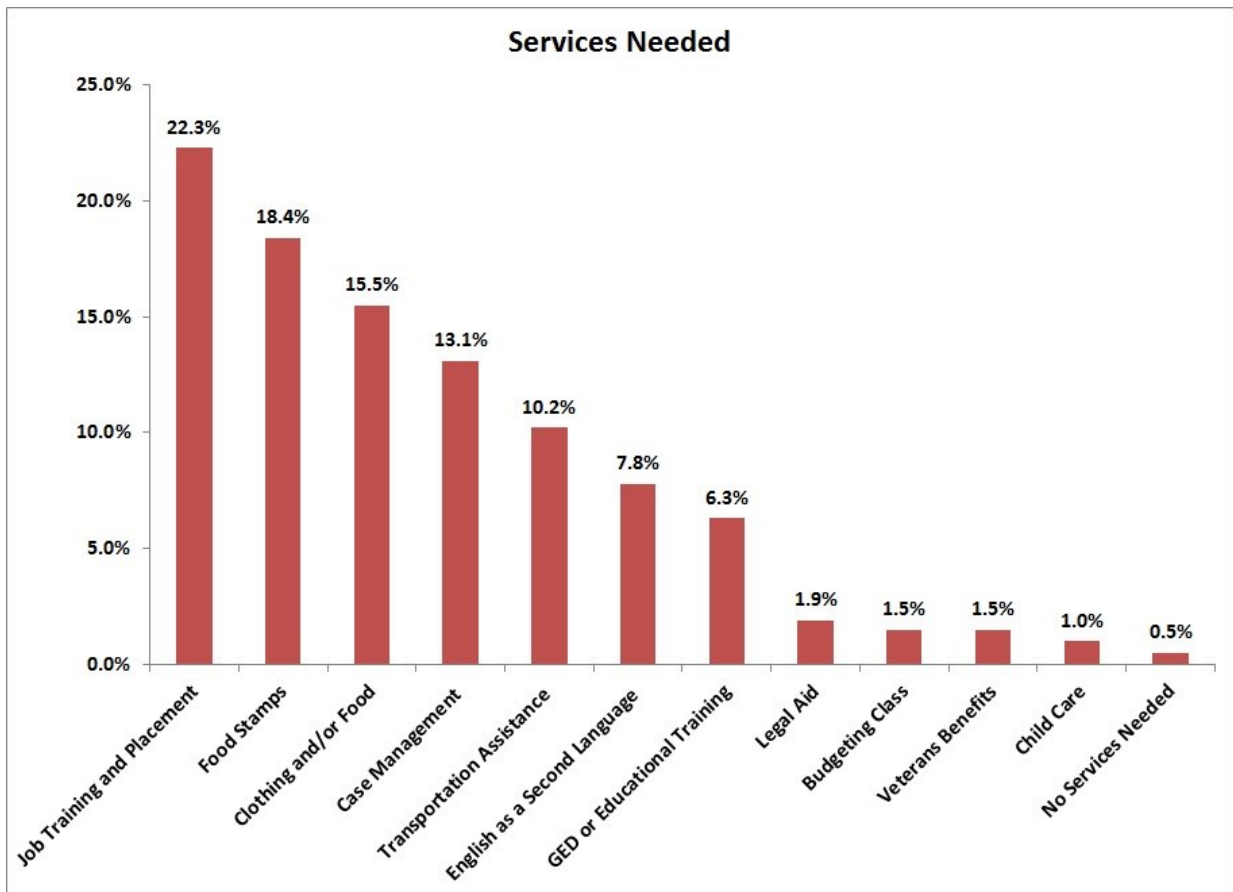
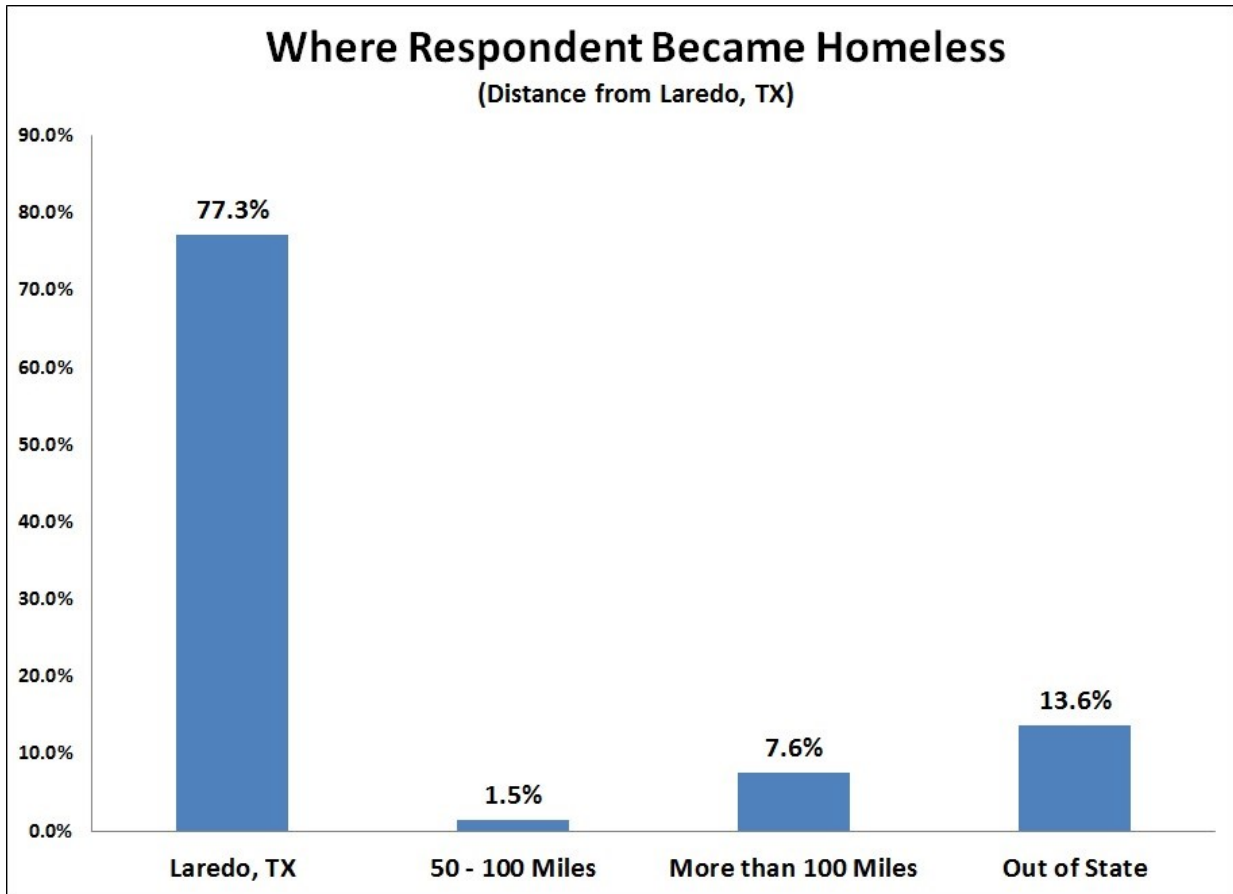
Median length of service was 2 years.

Of those who served in the armed forces, 25.0% were called to active duty as a member of the National Guard or a Reservist.

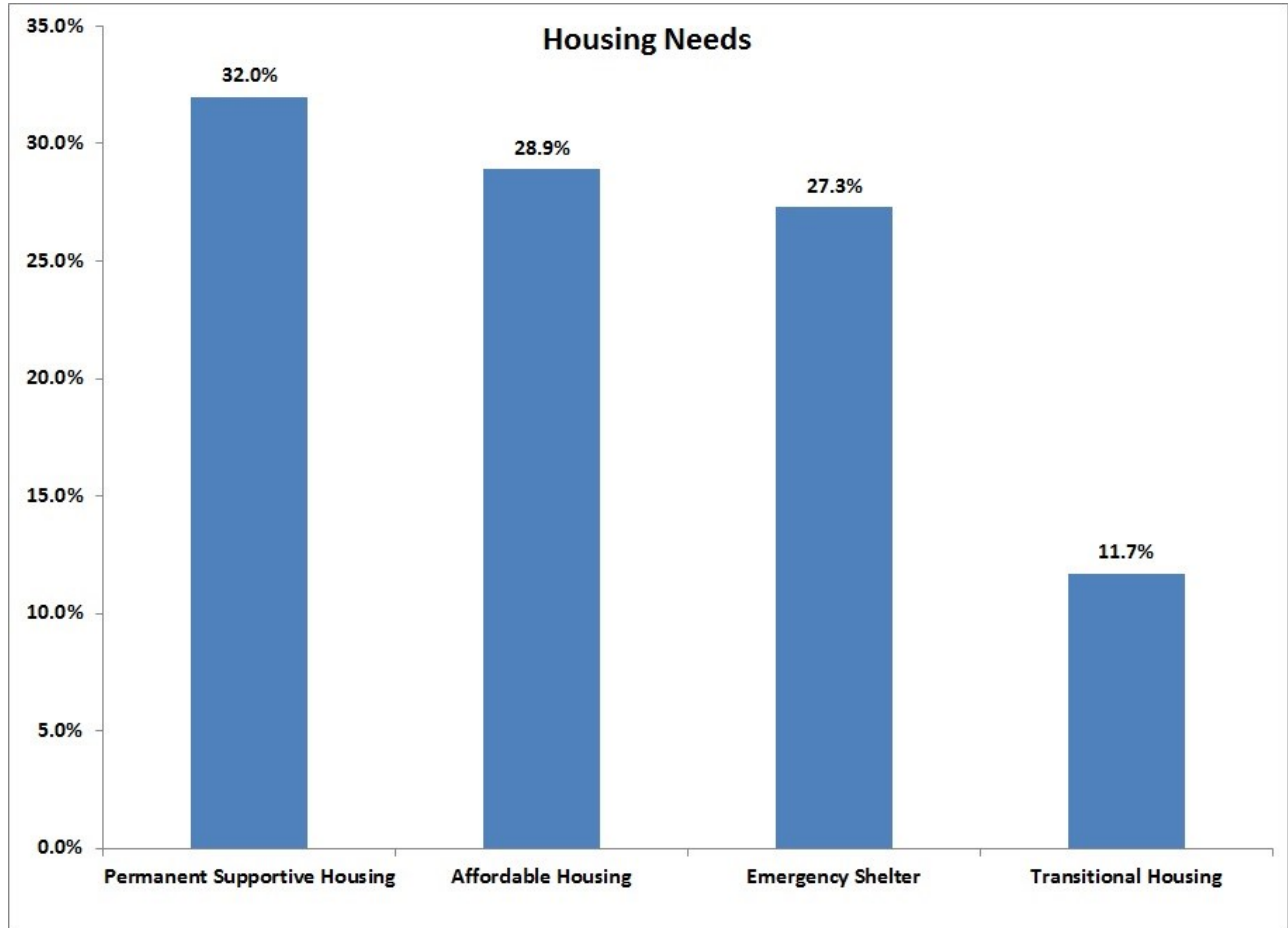
Tour of Duty	Percent Served
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LOCATION AND COMMUNITY NEEDS



HOUSING NEEDS & ESTIMATES



PIT homeless estimate for Laredo: 1460

Annualized homeless population estimates for Laredo: 1482

Details of Homelessness

With the range of homelessness from 7 days to 25 years, the median length of homelessness was 1.26 years.



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