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Number of surveys recorded	33
Number of adults in households	33
Number of children in households	39
Total number of people	72
Chronically Homeless People*	2

Age Category

	Frequency	Percent
17 & Under	0	0.0
18 – 24	4	12.1
25 – 64	29	87.9
65 & Older	0	0.0
Total	33	100.0

Gender Identity

	Frequency	Percent
Male	1	3.0
Female	31	93.9
Transgender	1	3.0
Does Not Identify as M, F, T	0	0.0
Total	33	100.0

Sexual Orientation

	Frequency	Percent
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual	5	15.2
Straight	19	57.6
Questioning	4	12.0
Prefer not to answer	5	15.2
Total	33	100.0

*Per section 401(2) of the McKinney-Act, 42 U.S.C. 11360, Chronically homeless means: as an individual or family that is homeless and resides in a place not meant for human habitation, a safe haven, or in an emergency shelter, and has been homeless and residing in such a place for at least 1 year or on at least four separate occasions in the last 3 years. The statutory definition also requires that the individual or family has a head of household with a diagnosable substance use disorder, serious mental illness, developmental disability, posttraumatic stress disorder, cognitive impairments resulting from a brain injury, or chronic physical illness or disability.

A shorter way to put it: A person living in emergency shelter, safe haven, or a place not meant for habitation who has a disability, and who has been homeless for at least one year or at least four times in the past three years (total time would equal 12 months or more).



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Race

	Frequency	Percent
White	12	36.4
Asian	0	0.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0
Black or African American	18	54.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0
Two or More	3	9.1
Total	33	100.0

Hispanic or Latino

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	5	15.2
No	28	84.8
Total	33	100.0

Nighttime Residence of Households on 1/26/17

	Frequency	Percent
Emergency Shelter (DV shelter included)	16	48.5
Transitional Shelter	17	51.5
Hotel/Motel (paid by voucher)	0	0.0
Place Not Meant For Habitation	0	0.0
Total	33	100.0

Household Makeup

	Frequency	Percent
Households Without Children	17	51.5
Unaccompanied Youth (age 18 – 24)	1	3.0
Unaccompanied <i>Minor</i> (under age 18)	0	0.0
Parenting Youth (age 18 – 24)	3	9.1
Parenting <i>Minor</i> (under age 18)	0	0.0
Household With Children (at least one adult & one child)	12	36.4
Other Type Of Family	0	0.0
Total	33	100.0



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Current Situation

	Frequency	Percent
1st time homeless in the past 3 years	21	63.6
2-3 episodes in the past 3 years	10	30.3
At least 4 episodes in the past 3 years	0	0.0
Continuously homeless for a year or more	2	6.1
Total	33	100.0

Length of Current Episode of Homelessness

Median	99 Days
Range	1 Day – 3 Years

Location Where Respondent Became Homeless This Time

	Frequency
Lufkin	19
Livingston	2
Nacogdoches	5
Other TX Cities	7
Total	33

Homeless another time in past 12 months

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	13	40.6
No	19	59.4
Total	32	100.0



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Reasons for Homelessness

	Frequency	Percent
Unable to Pay Rent/Mortgage	5	8.1
Loss of Public Aid	0	0.0
Natural Disaster	0	0.0
Unemployment	1	1.6
Moved to Seek Work	0	0.0
Evicted	2	3.2
Physical Health Reasons	0	0.0
Family Illness	0	0.0
Divorce or Separation	2	3.2
Pregnant or Parenting	1	1.6
Mental Illness	1	1.6
Substance Abuse	11	17.7
Left Jail/Prison/Detention	0	0.0
Domestic Violence	33	53.2
Criminal Record	1	1.6
Ran Away From Home	0	0.0
Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity	0	0.0
Aged Out or Ran Away From Foster Care	1	1.7
Kicked Out by Family/Friends	4	6.5
Other	0	0.0
Total	62	100.0

^{*}Individuals were able to pick more than one reason for becoming homeless.

Physical/Mental Disability (self-reported)

	Frequency	Percent
HIV/AIDS	0	0.0
Domestic Violence	33	78.6
Physical Disability	8	19.0
Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)	0	0.0
Serious Mental Illness	0	0.0
Substance Abuse Disorder	1	2.4
Developmental Disability	0	0.0
Traumatic Brain Injury	0	0.0
Total	42	100.0

^{*}Individuals were able to pick more than one reason for physical/mental disability.



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Experienced Physical or Sexual Violence While Homeless

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	13	39.4
No	20	60.6
Total	33	100.0

Pregnant or an Expected Parent

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	3	9.1
No	30	90.9
Total	33	100.0

Able to work

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	25	75.8
No	8	24.2
Total	33	100.0

Job Status

	Frequency	Percent
Unemployed	10	40.0
Regular full-time job	10	40.0
Regular part-time job	3	12.0
Temporary job	0	0.0
Day labor/Odd jobs	2	8.0
Retired	0	0.0
Total	25	100.0

Length of Unemployment

	Months
Median	18



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US Armed Forces Service

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	0	0.0
No	33	100.0
Total	33	100.0

Activated Into Active Duty As

A Member of the National Guard or as a Reservist

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	0	0.0
No	33	100.0
Total	33	100.0

Length of Service

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	Years
Median	0

Tour of Duty

_	Frequency	Percent
Korea	0	0.0
Vietnam	0	0.0
Kuwait	0	0.0
Afghanistan	0	0.0
Iraq	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0
Total Responses	0	0.0

Health Care or Other Benefits from VA medical Center

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	0	0.0
No	33	100.0
Total	33	100.0



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Services Needed

	Frequency	Percent
Basic Needs (clothing/food)	27	34.6
Job Training/Placement	8	10.3
Food Stamps	1	1.3
Transportation Assistance	21	26.9
Case Management	21	26.9
Veteran Benefits	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0
Total	78	100.0

^{*}Individuals were able to pick more than one reason for services needed.

