

# Point-In-Time Survey Results

## Midland

January 21, 2016

<b>Number of surveys recorded</b>	<b>105</b>
<b>Number of adults in households</b>	<b>108</b>
<b>Number of children in households</b>	<b>103</b>
<b>Total number of people</b>	<b>211</b>
<b>Chronically Homeless Households*</b>	<b>10</b>

### Age Category

	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>17 &amp; Under</b>	0	0.0
<b>18 – 24</b>	13	12.4
<b>25 – 64</b>	88	83.8
<b>65 &amp; Older</b>	4	3.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Gender Identity

	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Male</b>	35	33.7
<b>Female</b>	69	66.3
<b>Transgender</b>	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Sexual Orientation

	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual</b>	3	3.9
<b>Straight</b>	46	59.7
<b>Questioning</b>	0	0.0
<b>Prefer not to answer</b>	28	36.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>100.0</b>

\*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	56	69.1
Asian	0	0.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0
Black or African American	23	28.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0
Two or More	2	2.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Hispanic or Latino

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	27	31.4
No	59	68.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Nighttime Residence of Households on 1/21/16

	Frequency	Percent
Emergency Shelter (DV shelter included)	54	51.4
Transitional Shelter	30	28.6
Hotel/Motel (paid by voucher)	0	0.0
Place Not Meant For Habitation	21	20.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Household Makeup

	Frequency	Percent
Households Without Children	50	47.6
Unaccompanied <i>Young Adults</i> (age 18 – 24)	4	3.8
Unaccompanied Youth (under age 18)	0	0.0
Parenting <i>Young Adults</i> (age 18 – 24)	9	8.6
Parenting Youth (under age 18)	0	0.0
Household With Children (at least one adult & one child)	42	40.0
Minor Respondent Living With Parent(s)	0	0.0
Other Type Of Family	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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### Current Situation

	Frequency	Percent
1st time homeless in the past 3 years	0	0.0
2-3 episodes in the past 3 years	47	66.2
At least 4 episodes in the past 3 years	2	2.8
Continuously homeless for a year or more	22	31.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Length of Current Episode of Homelessness

Median	9 months
Range	2 days – 10 years

### Location Where Respondent Became Homeless This Time

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### Homeless another time in past 12 months

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	39	52.7
No	35	47.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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### Reasons for Homelessness

	Frequency	Percent
Financial Reasons	38	46.9
Unable to Pay Rent/Mortgage	31	38.3
Loss of Public Aid	1	1.2
Natural Disaster	1	1.2
Unemployment	19	23.5
Moved to Seek Work	7	8.6
Evicted	0	0.0
Physical Health	7	8.6
Domestic Violence	46	56.8
Family Illness	3	3.7
Divorce or Separation	22	27.2
Hospital Discharge	0	0.0
Pregnant or Parenting	4	4.9
Mental Illness	9	11.1
Substance Abuse	14	17.3
Left Jail/Prison/Detention	4	4.9
Criminal Record	2	2.5
Ran Away From Home	2	2.5
Lifestyle Choice	4	4.9
Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity	1	1.2
To Protect Self or Family Member(s)	16	19.8
Abandonment by Parent or Guardian	2	2.5
Too Crowded/Doubled Up	6	7.4
Aged Out or Ran Away From Foster Care	0	0.0
Kicked Out by Family	10	12.3
Kicked Out by Friends	1	1.2
Other	3	3.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>312.3</b>

81 people answered this question. Those 81 people were able to pick more than one reason for becoming homeless.

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### Physical/Mental Disability (self-reported)

	Frequency	Percent
Alcohol/Substance Abuse (or addiction)	21	26.9
Serious Mental Illness	12	15.4
Physical Disability	5	6.4
Developmental Disability	3	3.8
HIV/AIDS	0	0.0
Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)	6	7.7
Traumatic Brain Injury	1	1.3
None of the Above	43	55.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>116.7</b>

78 people answered this question. Those 78 people were able to pick more than one disability.

### Previous Experiences

	Frequency	Percent
Domestic Violence	56	78.9
Child Abuse/Neglect	10	14.1
Foster Care	1	1.4
Legal Problems/Prior Conviction	8	11.3
Sexual Assault	8	11.3
Gang Involvement	1	1.4
None of the Above	12	16.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>135.2</b>

71 people answered this question. Those 71 people were able to pick more than one previous experience.

### Experienced Physical or Sexual Violence While Homeless

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	30	40.5
No	44	59.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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### Education

	Frequency	Percent
Less than 9 <sup>th</sup> grade	5	5.6
Some high school	12	13.5
High school diploma/GED	30	33.7
Some college	36	40.4
College graduate	4	4.5
Technical school/Training program	1	1.1
Master's degree or higher	1	1.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Able to work

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	79	94.0
No	5	6.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Job Status

	Frequency	Percent
Unemployed but looking for work	33	43.4
Unemployed but <i>not</i> looking for work	7	9.2
Regular full-time job	15	19.7
Regular part-time job	14	18.4
Temporary job	2	2.6
Day labor/Odd jobs	5	6.6
Retired	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Length of Unemployment

	Months
Median	2.0

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### US Armed Forces Service

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	6	7.3
No	76	92.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Activated Into Active Duty As A Member of the National Guard or as a Reservist

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	0	0.0
No	75	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Length of Service

	Years
Median	3.5

### Tour of Duty

	Frequency	Percent
Korea	0	0.0
Vietnam	1	50.0
Kuwait	0	0.0
Afghanistan	0	0.0
Iraq	0	0.0
Other	1	50.0
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>

2 people answered this question. Those 2 people were able to pick more than one tour of duty.

### Health Care or Other Benefits from VA medical Center

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	0	0.0
No	2	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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### Services Needed

	Frequency	Percent
Basic Needs (clothing/food)	45	61.6
Job Training/Placement	52	71.2
Food Stamps	49	67.1
Transportation Assistance	38	52.1
Case Management	39	53.4
Veteran Benefits	3	4.1
Other	2	2.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>312.3</b>

73 people answered this question. Those 73 people were able to pick more than one needed service.