

# Homeless Count and Characteristics Survey Results

Mt. Pleasant

January 23, 2014

<b>Number of Surveys Recorded</b>	<b>85</b>
<b>Total Number of Adults</b>	<b>86</b>
<b>Total Number of Children</b>	<b>119</b>
<b>Total Household Members</b>	<b>205</b>

## 1. Age of Respondent

	<b>Age</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>34.33</b>
<b>Median</b>	<b>33.00</b>

## 2. Gender of Respondent

	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Male</b>	17	20.0
<b>Female</b>	68	80.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 3. Race of Household Members

	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Percent of Cases</b>
<b>American Indian or Alaska Native</b>	1	0.5	0.5
<b>Black or African American</b>	57	28.4	28.6
<b>White</b>	143	71.1	71.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>101.0</b>

\*199 Confirmed Cases

## 4. Hispanic or Latino?

	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Yes, Hispanic or Latino</b>	23	11.6
<b>No, Not Hispanic or Latino</b>	175	88.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>100.0</b>

All percentages rounded to the nearest tenth of a percent

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### 5. Physical/Mental Disability

	Frequency	Percent	Percent of Cases
Substance Abuse Disorder	14	6.8	6.8
Chronic Physical Illness	3	1.5	1.5
Serious Mental Illness	4	1.9	2.0
Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder	10	4.9	4.9
None of the Above	175	85.0	85.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.5</b>

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### 6. Family/Household Makeup

	Frequency	Percent
Single Individual	36	42.4
Couple Without Children	1	1.2
One Parent Family With Children	48	56.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### 7. Total People In Family/Household

Average	1.53
Median	1.00

### 8. Adults In Family/Household

Average	1.01
Median	1.00

### 9. Total Children In Family/Household

Average	1.40
Median	1.00

### 10. Age of Children

	Age
Average	7.87
Median	7.00

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### 11. Gender of Children

	Frequency	Percent
Male	60	52.2
Female	55	47.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### 12. Last Night's Lodging

	Frequency	Percent
Emergency Shelter	6	7.1
Transitional Shelter	20	23.5
Place Not Meant For Habitation	10	11.8
Sharing Housing Of Others	6	7.1
Corrections Facility/Jail	21	24.7
Hotel/Motel (with voucher)	10	11.8
Hotel/Motel (with own funds)	4	4.7
Own Place With Imminent Eviction	8	9.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### 13. Children Enrolled in School

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	37	82.2
No	6	13.3
Head Start	2	4.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### 14. Enrollment Assistance for Children

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	9	22.5
No	31	77.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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## 15. Resources Needed By Children

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent
Health Care	12	36.4	66.7
Child Support	13	39.4	72.2
TANF	6	18.2	33.3
WIC	2	6.1	11.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>183.3</b>

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## 16. US Armed Forces Service

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	1	1.2
No	80	98.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 17. Activated Into Active Duty As A Member Of The National Guard Or As A Reservist

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	0	0.00
No	1	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 18. Length of Homelessness

Median	2 Months
Range	1 day – 3 years

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## 19. Respondent's Situation

	Frequency	Percent
<b>1st time homeless in the past 3 years</b>	72	84.7
<b>2-3 episodes in the past 3 years</b>	10	11.8
<b>At least 4 episodes in the past 3 years</b>	1	1.2
<b>Continuously homeless for a year or more</b>	2	2.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 20. Times Moved in Last 60 Days

<b>Median</b>	<b>2 Times</b>
<b>Range</b>	<b>1 Time – 3 Times</b>

## 21. Homeless another time in past 12 months?

	Frequency	Percent
<b>Yes</b>	21	24.7
<b>No</b>	64	75.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 22. Reasons for Homelessness

	Frequency	Percent of Responses	Percent of Cases
<b>Unable to pay rent/mortgage</b>	5	4.8	6.0
<b>Unemployment</b>	7	6.7	8.3
<b>Divorce/Separation</b>	6	5.8	7.1
<b>Domestic Violence</b>	61	58.7	72.6
<b>Incarceration</b>	21	20.2	25.0
<b>Physical/Mental Disabilities</b>	1	1.0	1.2
<b>Evicted</b>	2	1.9	2.4
<b>Other</b>	1	1.0	1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>123.8</b>

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## 23. Education

	Frequency	Percent
1st-8th Grade	3	3.7
Some high school	15	18.5
High school diploma/GED	42	51.9
Some college	19	23.5
College graduate	2	2.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 24. Able to work

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	80	94.1
No	5	5.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 25. Job Status

	Frequency	Percent
Regular Full Time	11	13.6
Regular Part Time	15	18.5
Unemployed	55	67.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 26. Length of Unemployment

	Months
Median	3

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## 27. Needed Medical Care in the Past Year

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	34	40.0
No	51	60.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 28. Received Medical Care

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	25	39.1
No	39	60.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 29. Medical Care Received From

	Frequency	Percent	Percent of Cases
ER	4	15.4	16.7
Private Doctor	2	7.7	8.3
Community Clinic	17	65.4	70.8
Social Service Agency	1	3.8	4.2
Other	2	7.7	8.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>108.3</b>

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## 30. Needed Dental Care in the Past Year

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	13	15.3
No	72	84.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 31. Received Dental Care

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	5	10.6
No	42	89.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 32. Dental Care Received From

	Frequency	Percent	Percent of Cases
ER	1	20.0	20.0
Private Doctor	2	40.0	40.0
Social Service Agency	1	20.0	20.0
Other	1	20.0	20.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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## 33. Needed Mental Health Care in the Past Year

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	4	4.7
No	81	95.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 34. Received Mental Health Care

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	3	7.1
No	39	92.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 35. Mental Health Care Received From

	Frequency	Percent	Percent of Cases
MHMR	3	100.0	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

\*3 Confirmed Cases

## 36. Needed Substance Abuse Treatment in the Past year

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	2	2.4
No	83	97.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 37. Received Substance Abuse Treatment

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	1	2.5
No	39	97.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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### 38. Substance Abuse Treatment Received From

	Frequency	Percent	Percent of Cases
<b>Social Service Agency</b>	1	100.0	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

\*1 Confirmed Cases

### 39. Services Needed

	Frequency	Percent of Responses	Percent of Cases
<b>Basic Needs (clothing/food)</b>	30	191	44.8
<b>Job Training/Placement</b>	42	26.8	62.7
<b>Food Stamps</b>	9	5.7	13.4
<b>Transportation Assistance</b>	13	8.3	19.4
<b>Case Management</b>	63	40.1	94.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>234.3</b>

\*167 Confirmed Cases