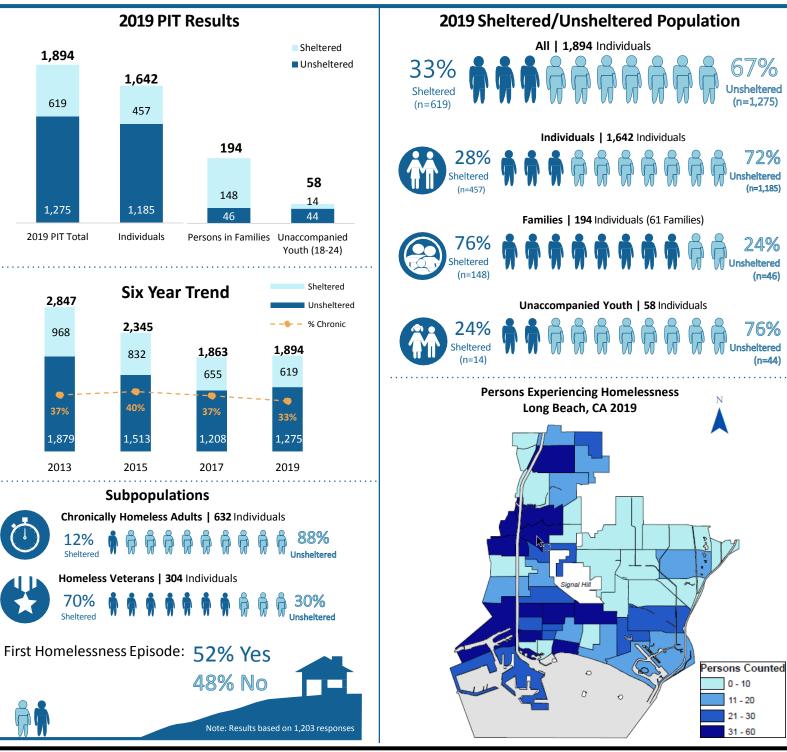
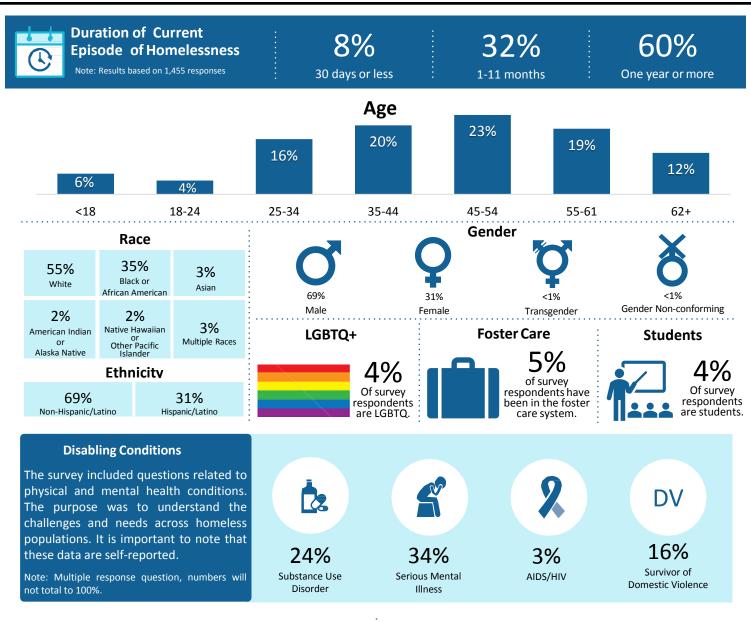
Long Beach

DOT Q HOMELESS POINT-IN-TIME COUNT

On January 24, 2019 the City conducted a Point-in-Time Count (PIT) that accounted for **1,894** people experiencing homelessness in Long Beach. As the lead agency for the Long Beach Continuum of Care (COC), the Department of Health and Human Services is responsible for conducting and reporting the findings of the PIT Count in the annual Continuum of Care funding application to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). These findings help communities and the federal government better understand the nature and extent of homelessness nationwide, and inform local strategic planning, capacity building, and advocacy campaigns to make homelessness a rare, brief, and one-time experience in Long Beach.



Note: Data collected during the PIT is solely based on self-report.



Outreached for Services

1,131

1,131 or **60%** of survey respondents said they have been outreached for services.

Accepted Services

593

593 or **31%** of survey respondents said they have previously accepted services from outreach.

Subpopulation Definitions

Chronically Homeless

An individual or a family with a head of household with a disabling condition who (1) has been continuously homeless for 1 year or more and/or (2) has experienced at least four separate episodes of homelessness in the past three years, where the combined episodes total a length of 12 months or more. Persons who have served active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States. This does not include inactive military reserves or the National Guard unless the person was called up to active duty.

Families

A household with at least one (1) adult member (persons 18 or older) and at least one (1) child member (persons under 18).

Unaccompanied Youth

Individuals between the ages of 18 and 24 years old who are homeless and living without a parent or legal guardian.

For more information about the Long Beach Department of Health and Human Services and efforts to address homelessness in Long Beach, please visit <u>http://www.longbeach.gov/health</u>



