Charlotte-Mecklenburg Continuum of Care
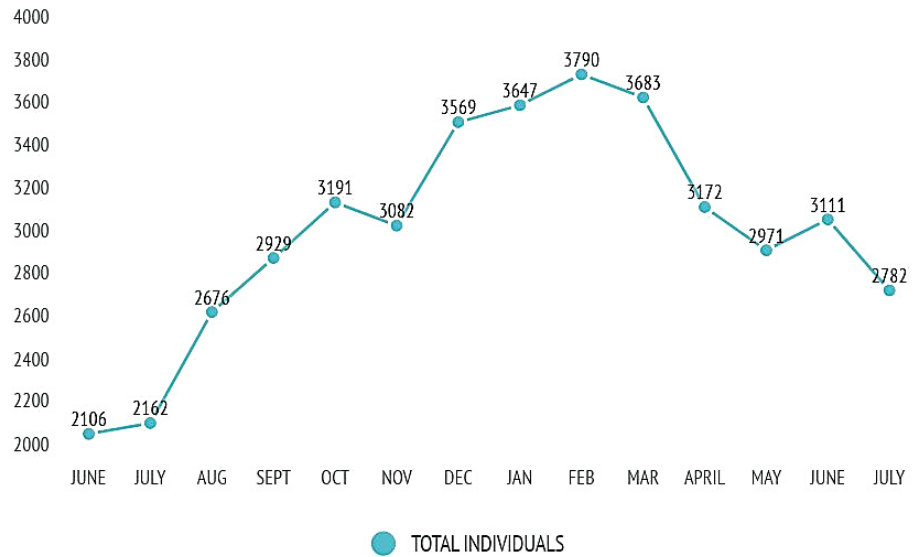
Housing & Homelessness System Performance

August 2020 Report

One Number

The One Number is a count of the total number of individuals and households within one list generated from HMIS who are experiencing homelessness and in need of housing in Charlotte-Mecklenburg. The One number includes single adults, youth, veterans, chronic homelessness and individuals in families with children.

Click here to access historical One Number Data, including inflow and outflow and household breakdowns.

Chart data (TOTAL INDIVIDUALS):

Month	Total Individuals
JUNE	2106
JULY	2162
AUG	2676
SEPT	2929
OCT	3191
NOV	3082
DEC	3569
JAN	3647
FEB	3790
MAR	3683
APRIL	3172
MAY	2971
JUNE	3111
JULY	2782

Length of Time Homeless

This measure provides the average and median length of stay that people experience homelessness in emergency shelter in Charlotte-Mecklenburg. This data is generated from HMIS and reported annually.

Click here to view all data related to this measure.

KEY DATA: FY 2018

Average 105 Days
Median 44 Days

28 day increase (FY17 - FY18)
39 day increase (FY15 - FY18)

First Time Homelessness

This measure provides the number of people who experience homelessness for the first time compared to all people who experience sheltered homelessness during a year. This data is generated from HMIS and reported annually.

Click here to view all data related to this measure.

KEY DATA: FY 2018

65% of people experienced first episode of homelessness. This measure helps the community to understand the characteristics of people experiencing homelessness as well as the need for interventions targeting homeless prevention.

Exits to Permanent Housing

This measure provides the number of people who exit successfully to permanent housing across the federal fiscal year. The first part of the measure looks at combined exits from emergency shelter, transitional housing and rapid re-housing. The second part looks at permanent supportive housing; it includes retention of existing permanent supportive housing as well as exits to new permanent housing from permanent supportive housing.This data is generated from HMIS and reported annually.

Click here to view all data related to this measure.

MEASURE 1: COMBINED EXITS (NOT PSH)

KEY DATA: FY 2018

70% Exited to Permanent Housing (2,112 Total People)

11% Rate Increase (FY17 - FY18)
33% Rate Increase (FY15 - FY18)

MEASURE 2: PSH RETENTION & EXITS

KEY DATA: FY 2018

94% Retained or Exited to Permanent Housing (1,011 Total People)

No Change in Rate (FY17 - FY18)
2% Rate Decrease (FY15 - FY18)

Returns to Homeless

This measure provides the percentage of people who exited into permanent housing and returned to homelessness during the period that occurred within 2 years after exit. This data is generated from HMIS and reported annually.

Click here to view all data related to this measure.

KEY DATA: FY 2018

24% of people returned to homelessness

82% of returns were from emergency shelter

Access to and Availability of Affordable Housing in Mecklenburg County

This measure is not yet available. It is intended to provide the number of available and affordable rental units in Charlotte-Mecklenburg by Area Median Income; it also intended to provide the annual funding available for rental assistance to subsidize market-rate units in Charlotte-Mecklenburg.