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NETWORK



2023 SNAPSHOT SURVEY

33RD ANNUAL POINT-IN-TIME COUNT | OFFICIAL COUNT OF CITYGATE NETWORK

		2018 North America	2023 North America
Total Number of Individuals Surveyed		19,512	11,842
Gender	Male	73%	72%
	Female	27%	28%
Age	Under 18	3%	8%
	18-25	8%	7%
	26-35	20%	17%
	36-45	21%	21%
	46-65	44%	42%
	65+	5%	7%
Racial Categories	White/Caucasian	49%	50%
	Black or African American	33%	34%
	Hispanic, Latin, or Spanish origin	10%	9%
	Asian	1%	1%
	American Indian or Alaskan Native	3%	3%
	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0%	0%
	Other or 2+ races	4%	3%
Referrals	Self-referred	44%	43%
	Family member or friend	25%	23%
	Social Services or other agency	15%	16%
	Law enforcement	7%	7%
	Other	9%	10%
Education	No schooling completed	2%	2%
	Nursery to 8th grade	5%	8%
	Some high school (no diploma)	22%	20%
	High school graduate (diploma or equivalent)	41%	44%
	Some college credit (no diploma)	20%	18%
	Associate degree	5%	5%
	Bachelor's degree	4%	4%
Master's degree	1%	1%	

	Doctorate degree	0%	0%
		2018 North America	2023 North America
Veteran Status	Veteran (male)	9%	8%
	Veteran (female)	1%	0%
	Served in: Korea	2%	1%
	Vietnam	15%	7%
	1st or 2nd Persian Gulf War Iraq or Afghanistan War	14% 9%	9% 10%
Individuals and Families	Single individuals	86%	91%
	Couples	4%	1%
	Women with children	7%	6%
	Men with children	1%	1%
	Intact families	1%	1%
Ages of children served by mission	0-5	47%	47%
	6-12	37%	36%
	13-17	13%	15%
	18+	3%	3%
Homeless Status	Not currently homeless	13%	8%
	Currently homeless	87%	92%
	Duration: Less than 3 months	29%	30%
	3 to 6 months	20%	19%
	6 months to 1 year More than 1 year	20% 32%	19% 31%
How many times homeless	Never before homeless	29%	28%
	Homeless once before	26%	27%
	Homeless twice before	18%	19%
	Homeless three or more times before	27%	26%
Area Resident	More than 6 months	71%	67%
	Less than 6 months	29%	33%
Physical Violence	Experienced physical violence in last year	21%	19%
	No physical violence in last year	79%	81%
Mental Illness	Struggle with mental illness	34%	47%
	Do not struggle with mental illness	66%	53%
Mission Visits	Daily	87%	92%
	At least once a week	7%	4%
	At least once a month	6%	4%
Homeless Benefits	Currently have benefits	45%	56%
	Lost benefits in the last year	8%	11%
	Do not currently have or never had benefits	47%	33%
Spiritual Emphasis	Prefer spiritual emphasis at a rescue mission	80%	81%
	Do not prefer spiritual emphasis	20%	19%

