



TREASURE COAST HOMELESS SERVICES COUNCIL, INC.

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HOMELESSNESS FACT SHEET FOR INDIAN RIVER COUNTY

This count includes only individuals who are literally homeless according to HUD.
130 additional individuals could not be counted because they were couch surfers.

JANUARY 27, 2017

2016 PIT (For Comparison)

Total Homeless in County	592	Total Homeless in County	756
Adults	387	Adults	491
Children	205	Children	265

Numbers based on those who answered

Disabled Adults	102	Disabled Adults	55
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Reasons for Homelessness:

(Nonexclusive Percentages based on those who answered)

Employment	80 (49.98%)	Employment	65 (53.72%)
Eviction	15 (8.62%)	Housing	21 (17.36%)
Disability	49 (28.16%)	Disability	26 (21.49%)
Domestic Violence	5 (2.87%)	Family Problems	57 (47.11%)
Substance Abuse	26 (14.94%)	Substance Abuse	18 (14.88%)

Other Subset Data

Past Foster Care	8	Past Foster Care	10
Persons 18-24	12	Persons 18-24	45
Veterans	29	Veterans	16

Reporting Agencies

Unsheltered

New Horizons, The Source, Project Response, Indian River County Veteran Council, Indian River County School District, Angels of Hope

Sheltered

Hope for Families Center, Samaritan Center, Children's Home Society, Safespace, Camp Haven



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HOMELESSNESS FACT SHEET FOR ST LUCIE COUNTY

This count includes only individuals who are literally homeless according to HUD.
572 additional individuals could not be counted because they were couch surfers.

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2016 PIT (For Comparison)

Total Homeless in County	642	Total Homeless in County	1016
Adults	435	Adults	712
Children	207	Children	304

Numbers based on those who answered

Disabled Adults	93	Disabled Adults	164
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Reasons for Homelessness:

(Nonexclusive Percentages based on those who answered)

Employment	149 (60.81%)	Employment	92 (51.11%)
Eviction	13 (5.30%)	Housing	45 (25.00%)
Disability	42 (17.14%)	Disability	38 (21.11%)
Domestic Violence	16 (6.53%)	Family Problems	45 (25.00%)
Substance Abuse	23 (9.39%)	Substance Abuse	35 (19.44%)

Other Subset Data

Past Foster Care	15	Past Foster Care	9
Persons 18-24	27	Persons 18-24	46
Veterans	27	Veterans	21

Reporting Agencies

Unsheltered

St. Lucie County Community Services, Mustard Seed, New Horizons, Sarah's Kitchen, In the Image of Christ, St. Lucie County School District, SLC VA, Health Department, United Against Poverty

Sheltered

Wave Crest, New Horizons Short Term Residential



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HOMELESSNESS FACT SHEET FOR MARTIN COUNTY

This count includes only individuals who are literally homeless according to HUD.
372 additional individuals could not be counted because they were couch surfers.

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2016 PIT (For Comparison)

Total Homeless in County	498	Total Homeless in County	610
Adults	333	Adults	429
Children	165	Children	181

Numbers based on those who answered

Disabled Adults	116	Disabled Adults	105
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Reasons for Homelessness:

(Nonexclusive percentages based on those who answered)

Employment	144 (69.23%)	Employment	140 (75.54%)
Eviction	7 (3.36%)	Housing	38 (19.69%)
Disability	73 (21.49%)	Disability	31 (16.40%)
Domestic Violence	9 (4.32%)	Family Problems	42 (21.76%)
Substance Abuse	66 (31.73%)	Substance Abuse	27 (13.99%)

Other Subset Data

Past Foster Care	3	Past Foster Care	0
Persons 18-24	13	Persons 18-24	25
Veterans	16	Veterans	13

Reporting Agencies

Unsheltered

House of Hope, Love and Hope in Action, Martin County Health and Human Services, Salvation Army of Martin County, New Horizons, Martin County School District, First United Methodist Church, Angels of Hope

Sheltered

Martin County Salvation Army (Compassion House), SafeSpace, Mary's Shelter