

# Huron Housing and Homelessness Monthly Share-Out

April 2024

Huron's Housing and Homelessness Serving System is a group of agencies and programs that coordinate to provide housing and support to people experiencing housing insecurity and homelessness.

At least **109** people were experiencing homelessness in Huron County in April.

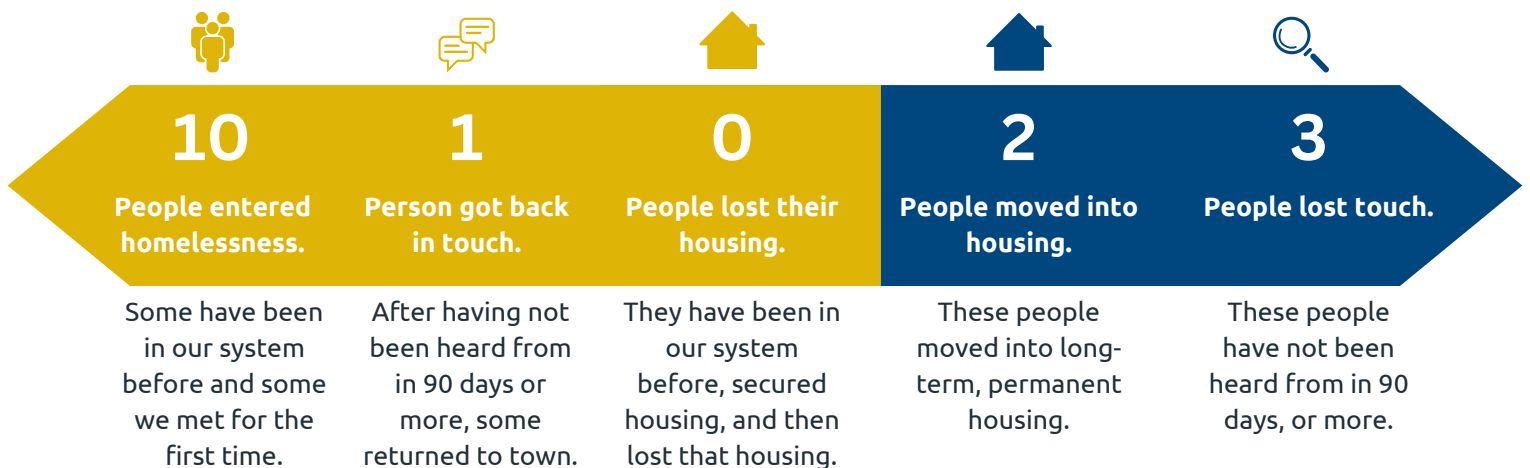
In March 2024: 103 People  
In February 2024: 96 People

Of those, **92** people had been chronically homeless for six months or more in the last year.

In April, there was **1 more person experiencing chronic homelessness than in March.**

**Inflow:** People entering homelessness.

**Outflow:** People exiting homelessness.



## Population Specific Data

**6**

Youth (16-25) experiencing homelessness.

**13**

Families experiencing homelessness.

**23**

People with Indigenous identity experiencing homelessness.

## Monthly Myth Buster:



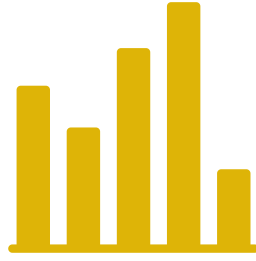
**Myth: People experiencing homelessness are lazy.**

Fact: In order to survive, many people who experience homelessness are constantly in search for the necessities of life, such as food, shelter and a source of income. Therefore, due to the barriers that they face, many people experiencing homelessness do not have the option of being stagnant or lazy.

# Understanding Homelessness

Each month, Huron's Housing and Homelessness Serving System will share details about the number of people experiencing homelessness in our community. By taking a close look at the data each month, we can start to:

- Focus on the facts (what we know), rather than the narrative (what we think).
- Adjust our services based on current events.
- See what needs to be done to end homelessness.
- Improve the lives of people experiencing homelessness.



## Shifts from Homelessness to Housing

In April, **2** people moved from homelessness into housing.



**100%** of them had experienced chronic homelessness.

## Emergency Shelter Statistics for April 2024

Average Shelter System Occupancy:

**100%**

Unique Individuals Sheltered This Month:

**10 Individuals**

Average People Sheltered Per Night:

**10 Individuals**

**When everyone has a safe and affordable place to call home, our whole community benefits.**

**Be Part of the Solution.**

Say YES to supportive and affordable housing in your neighbourhood!

