



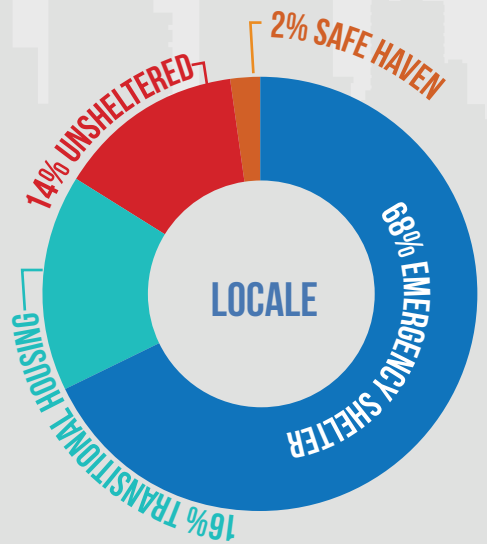
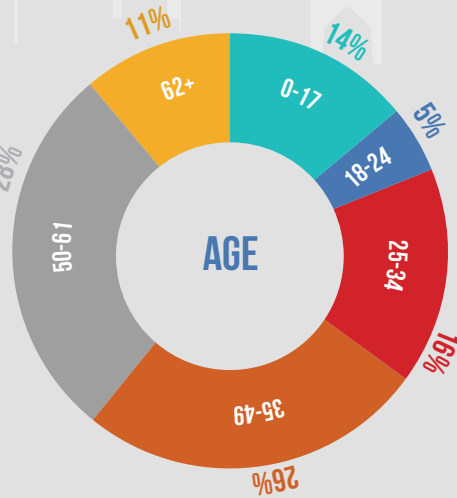
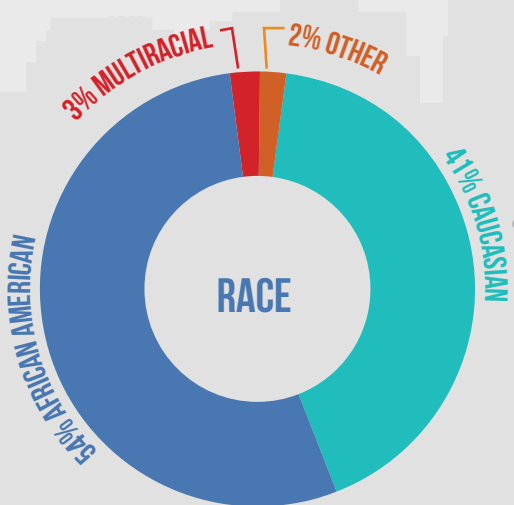
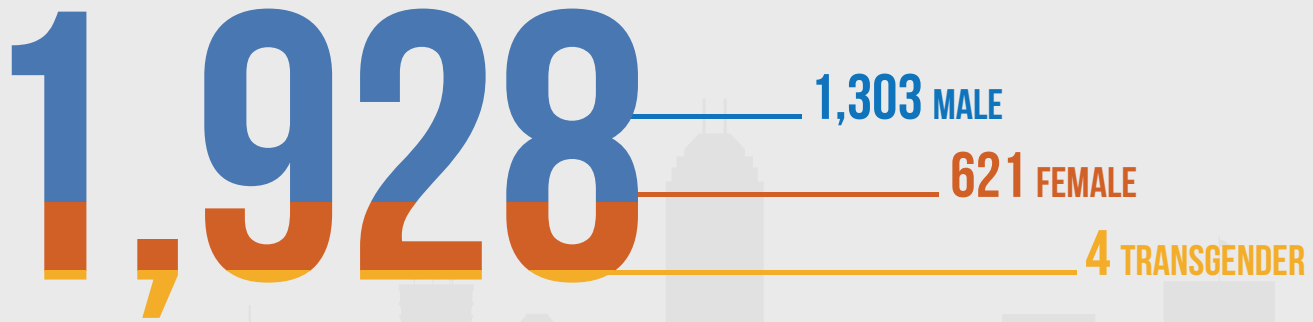
COALITION FOR HOMELESSNESS INTERVENTION & PREVENTION

POINT-IN-TIME

# COUNT 2021

## WHO IS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS IN INDIANAPOLIS A GLIMPSE AT A SINGLE JANUARY NIGHT

INDIVIDUALS HOMELESS ON JANUARY 18, 2021



### METHODOLOGY

#### BETWEEN THE 2020 AND 2021 PIT COUNTS



**21%** INCREASE IN TOTAL ONE NIGHT COUNT

The 2021 Point-in-Time (PIT) Count had significant methodology changes, approved by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, to protect outreach workers and individuals experiencing homelessness from COVID-19. The PIT Count was extended from a single-night count to a multi-day count, utilizing professionally-trained street outreach teams and a shortened survey to identify individuals experiencing homelessness. Information on individuals experiencing sheltered homelessness was collected through the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS), directly from shelters not participating in HMIS, and at the temporary non-congregate hotel shelter sites established in response to COVID-19. Data on the length of time experiencing homelessness and whether individuals had a disabling condition could not be reported. As a result, some of our typical key indicators, including chronic homelessness, are not available this year.