# Nipissing Counts 2021



A provincially coordinated point-in-time enumeration of homelessness in the District of Nipissing, Ontario

On Wednesday October 13th at 8:00AM, to Thursday October 14th at 7:59AM a count and survey of homelessness was conducted in the District of Nipissing within the communities of North Bay, West Nipissing, Mattawa, Temagami, East Ferris, Chisholm, and South Algonquin.



**62**Emergency
Sheltered

12 Unsheltered 31
Hidden
Homeless

**18** Transitionally Housed

43
in Public
Institutions

21
in Locations
not Indicated
on Survey

**26**Unsure



## **By-Name List**

4 out of 5

Individuals surveyed consented to the By-Name List

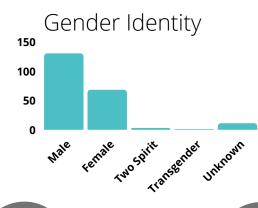


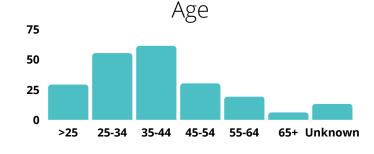
Chronically
Homeless
(homeless for
180 or more
days per year)



Episodically
Homeless
(homeless 3
or more
times per
year)

## **Demographics**







47% Experienced homelessness for the first time before 25

25% Identified as having been in the child welfare system



Recipients of social assistance (OW/ODSP)



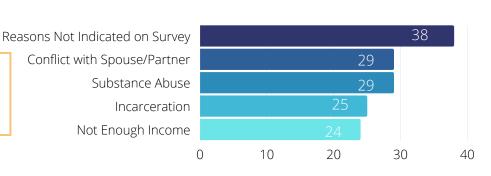
Single adults



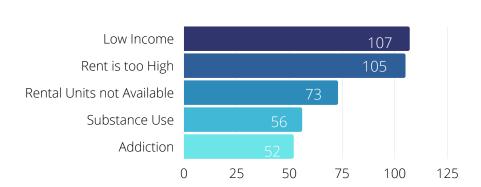
Identified as students

### **Causes of Homelessness**

Top 5 Reasons for Homelessness



Top 5 Barriers to Housing



#### **COVID-19 Pandemic**



Respondents who stated their most recent housing loss was related to COVID-19