

2011 Homeless Street Count

Municipal Summary Data

*All counts were conducted on Tuesday, January 25, 2011.



Continuum of Care
Regional Committee
on Homelessness

MAG Region Totals	Non-Chronically Homeless Male	Non-Chronically Homeless Female	Non-Chronically Homeless Male Veteran	Non-Chronically Homeless Female Veteran	Chronically Homeless Male	Chronically Homeless Female	Chronically Homeless Male Veteran	Chronically Homeless Female Veteran	Person in Families Adult Women**	Persons in Families Adult Men	Families Adult Male Veteran	Families Adult Female Veteran	Persons in Families Children	Male Youth On Own	Female Youth on Own	2011 Municipal Total	2010 Municipal Total	Percent Change, NC=No Change
Avondale	0	0	0	0	7	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	20	-45%
Buckeye	11	3	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	15	27%
Carefree	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Cave Creek	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	200%
Chandler	14	1	0	0	42	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	65	12	442%
El Mirage	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	-33%
Fountain Hills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Gila Bend	2	1	0	0	8	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	12	17%
Gilbert	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	-100%
Glendale	9	5	1	0	16	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	28	50%
Goodyear	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	17	-76%
Guadalupe	52	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	80	-28%
Litchfield Park	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Mesa	9	2	1	0	60	18	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	461	-78%
Paradise Valley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Peoria	4	0	2	0	7	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	20	-10%
Phoenix	424	118	83	22	302	60	58	24	1	3	0	0	2	42	20	1159	1750	-34%
Queen Creek	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	8	38%
Scottsdale	57	7	1	0	38	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	119	126	-6%
Sun City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Surprise	4	0	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	18	-39%
Tempe	23	9	2	0	50	13	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112	155	-28%
Tolleson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	-100%
Wickenburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Youngtown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC
Municipal Total	622	148	96	23	542	119	103	25	2	3	0	0	3	43	20	1749	2729	-36%

*These numbers reflect a point-in-time count of homeless people on the streets on January 25, 2011, and do not include people staying in shelters, doubled up, or not seen that day. Historically, volunteers would determine a person was homeless through observation or knowledge of the individual's history. This year for the first time, homelessness was determined using a survey. This more intensive method produces more accurate results, but also makes it more difficult to compare results with previous years.

**There were a total of three families counted on the streets during the point-in-time count. Families are often doubled-up or hidden and are difficult to find on the streets. The street count does not reflect homeless families in those situations. Preliminary data from the Arizona Department of Education indicates there were nearly 6,000 homeless children in families who were doubled-up on the night of the count.

Chronically Homeless: An individual with a disabling condition who has been continually homeless for a year or more or has had four episodes of homelessness over a three year period.