Kitsap Homeless Response System Performance: 2018 Annual Report

August 2019

Kitsap County
Human Services

MAKING HOMELESSNESS RARE –

Goal: *Reduce the number of people who are newly homeless through targeted eviction prevention and short-term rental assistance.*

Prevented from Homelessness

2019 2nd Quarter
218 Households

New to Homelessness[1]

2019 2nd Quarter	
559 Households	**69%**

MAKING HOMELESSNESS ONE-TIME –

Goal: *Decrease the number of returns to homelessness and increase the number of exits to stable housing through placements into Permanent Housing and Permanent Supportive Housing, and connection with employment and education.*

Successfully Retained Housing[2]

Successfully exited to stable housing 2 years prior without returning to homelessness	
283 Households	**84%**

Regained Stable Housing[3]/ Increased Income

2018 Annual			
	Total Households Exited	**Exited to Stable Housing**	**Exited w/ Increased Income**
Emergency Shelter	**396**	**135** (34%)	**48** (12%)
Transitional Housing	**61**	**54** (89%)	**10** (16%)
Rapid Rehousing	**97**	**85** (88%)	**27** (28%)

[1]% of households entering shelter or transitional housing with no homeless housing services within last 2 years
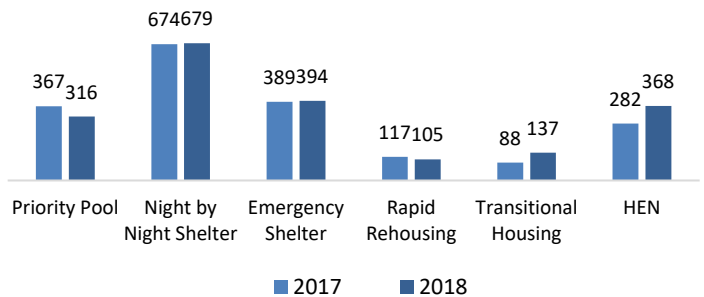
[2]Households that received homeless housing services and exited to permanent housing 2 years prior with no returns to homelessness

[3]Housing & Essential Needs program not included in Rapid Rehousing exits or enrollments.
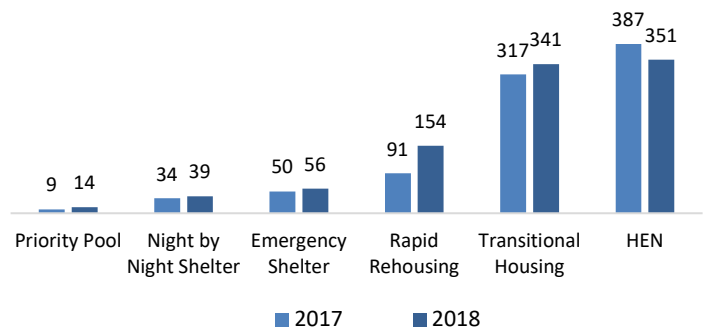
MAKING HOMELESSNESS BRIEF –

Goal: *Get people sheltered as quickly as possible and reduce the number of days spent in emergency shelter, transitional housing, rapid rehousing, or on a wait list.*
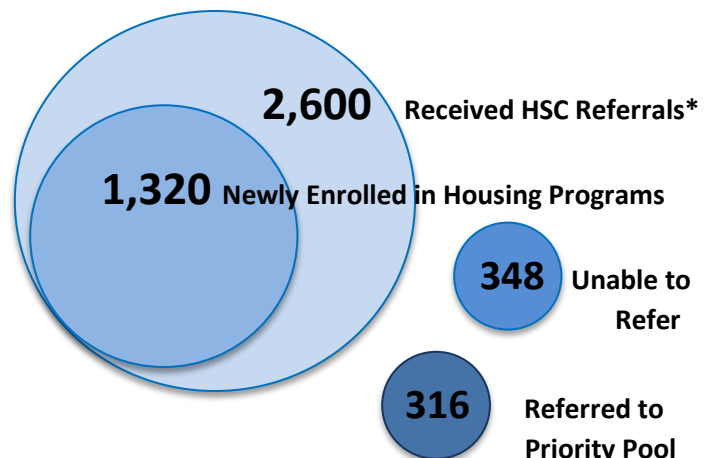
Number of Households Housed

Priority Pool: 367 (2017), 316 (2018)
Night by Night Shelter: 674 (2017), 679 (2018)
Emergency Shelter: 389 (2017), 394 (2018)
Rapid Rehousing: 117 (2017), 105 (2018)
Transitional Housing: 88 (2017), 137 (2018)
HEN: 282 (2017), 368 (2018)

Average Length of Stay[3] – Days Enrolled

Priority Pool: 9 (2017), 14 (2018)
Night by Night Shelter: 34 (2017), 39 (2018)
Emergency Shelter: 50 (2017), 56 (2018)
Rapid Rehousing: 91 (2017), 154 (2018)
Transitional Housing: 317 (2017), 341 (2018)
HEN: 387 (2017), 351 (2018)

System Capacity

2,600 Received HSC Referrals*

1,320 Newly Enrolled in Housing Programs

348 Unable to Refer

316 Referred to Priority Pool

*Includes all households who are literally homeless or at risk of losing housing as defined by HUD guidelines.