

Orange County Transitional Housing Goals & Outcomes

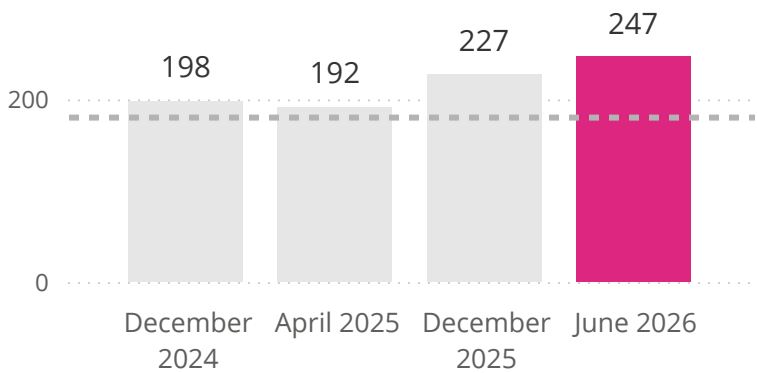
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Transitional Housing projects in the Orange County Continuum of Care (CoC) met **2 out of 7** thresholds as a project type.

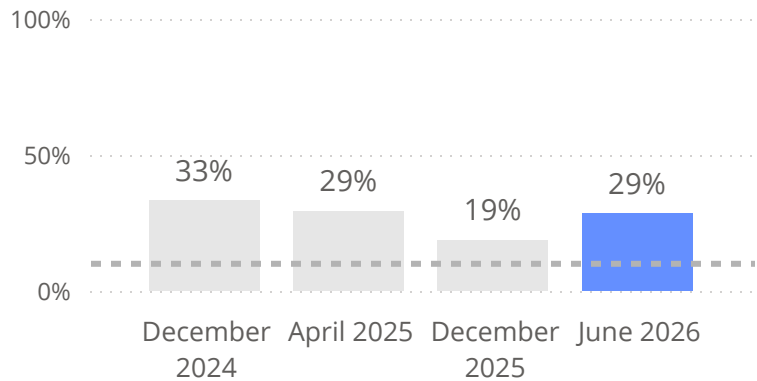
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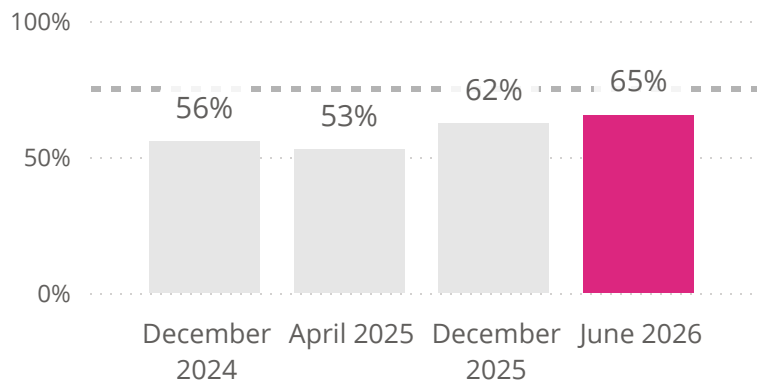
Goal 2 - Decrease Length of Stay in Temporary Shelter & Outreach (<=180 Days)



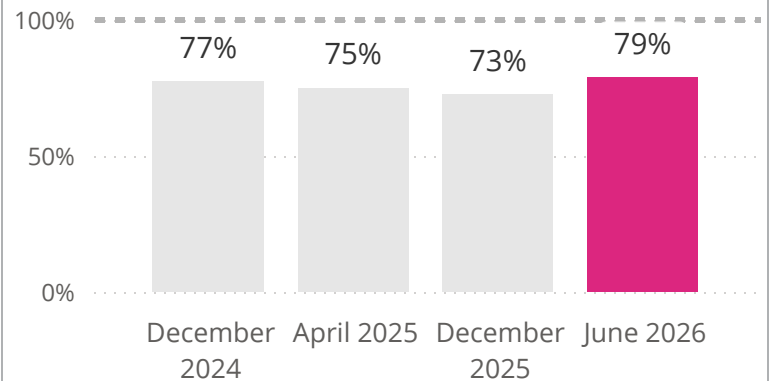
Goal 6 - Help Adults Increase Their Income while Enrolled in the Project (>=15%)



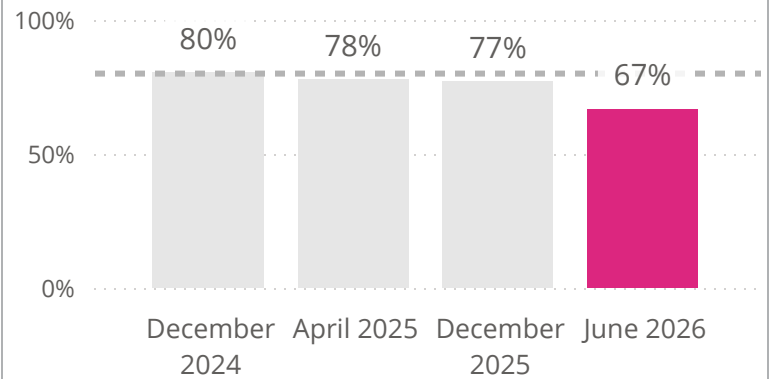
Goal 8 - Help Clients Exit to Successful Housing Situations (>=75%)



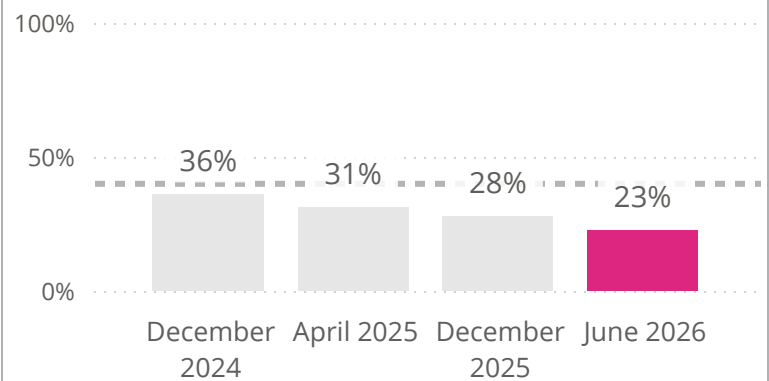
Goal 1 - Prioritize Clients Experiencing Literal Homelessness (=100%)



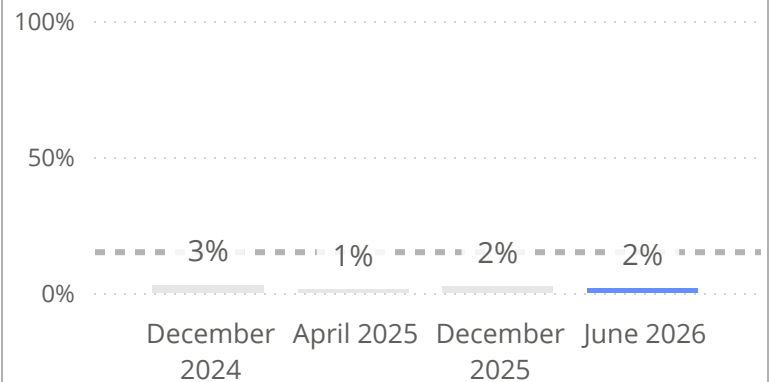
Goal 5 - Ensure Projects are being Fully Utilized (>=80%)



Goal 7 - Help Adults Increase Their Income as of Project Exit (>=40%)



Goal 10 - Ensure Clients Do Not Fall Back Into Homelessness after being Housed (<=10%)



Goal 1 - Prioritize Clients Experiencing Literal Homelessness

Goal 1 Scores

Threshold: 100%

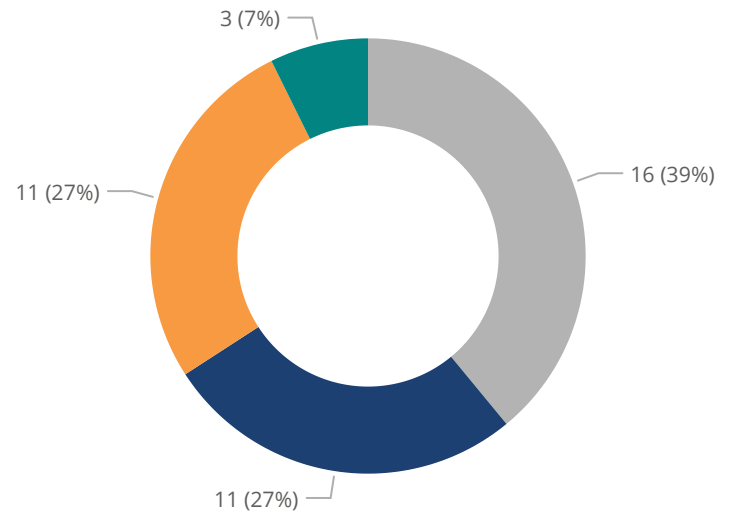
Project Type Score	Chronically Homeless	Veterans	Households with Children	Households without Children	Households with only Children
79%	100%	N/A	73%	87%	N/A
<i>n</i> = 194	<i>n</i> = 22	<i>n</i> = 0	<i>n</i> = 112	<i>n</i> = 82	<i>n</i> = 0

Orange County CoC Goal: 100% of head of household enroll in Transitional Housing projects from homeless situations.

Why? Enrolling clients from literal homeless situations is important because clients experiencing literal homelessness are among the most vulnerable of all Orange County residents experiencing homelessness.

Enrollments by Non-Homeless Entry Category

- Missing
- Permanent Housing Situation
- Temporary Situation
- Institutional Setting



Goal 2 - Decrease Length of Stay in Temporary Shelter & Outreach

Goal 2 Scores

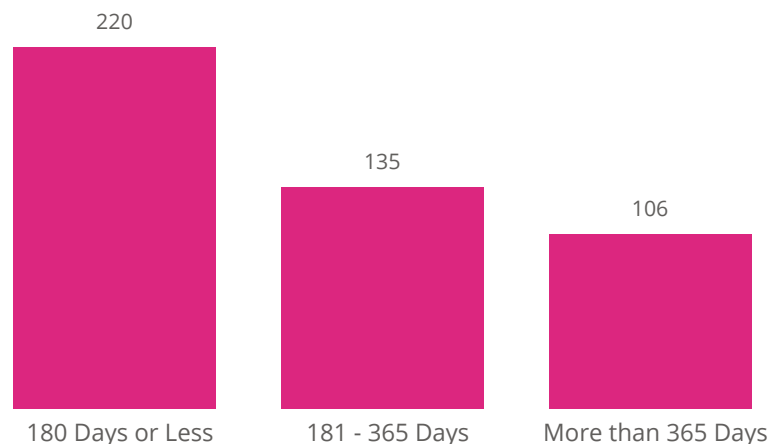
Threshold: ≤ 180 Days

Project Type Score	Chronically Homeless	Veterans	Households with Children	Households without Children	Households with Only Children
247	192	7	263	180	N/A
<i>n</i> = 461	<i>n</i> = 35	<i>n</i> = 1	<i>n</i> = 373	<i>n</i> = 88	<i>n</i> = 0

Orange County CoC Goal: Transitional Housing project enrollments are no longer than 180 days from project entry to project exit.

Why? Clients in Transitional Housing projects are experiencing literal, unsheltered homelessness, which makes this population particularly vulnerable. The ultimate goal of Transitional Housing projects is to move people to sheltered or permanent housing situations.

Length of Days to Permanent Housing Placement



Goal 5 - Ensure Projects Are Being Fully Utilized

Goal 5 Scores

Threshold: $\geq 80\%$

Project Type Score

67%

$n = 461$

Households with Children

74%

$n = 370$

Households without Children

54%

$n = 91$

Households with only Children

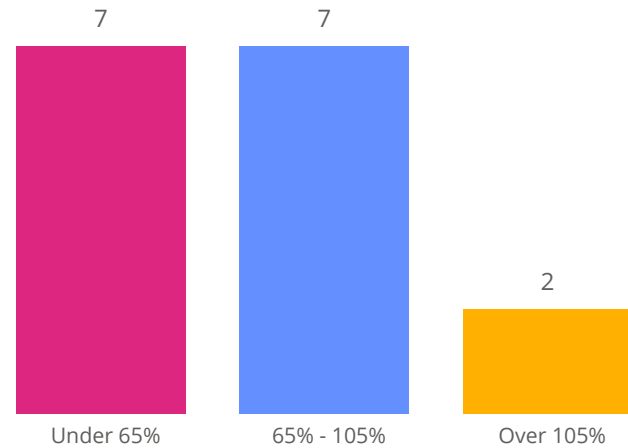
N/A

$n = 0$

Orange County CoC Goal: Transitional Housing projects have a unit utilization score of at least 80%.

Why? Projects should be close to full occupancy to ensure as many clients as possible are stabilized in housing situation.

Projects by Utilization Category



Goal 6 - Help Adults Increase Their Income while Enrolled in the Project

Goal 6 Scores

Threshold: $\geq 15\%$

Project Type Score

29%

$n = 14$

Chronically Homeless

0%

$n = 1$

Veterans

N/A

$n = 0$

Households with Children

36%

$n = 11$

Households without Children

0%

$n = 3$

Households with only Children

N/A

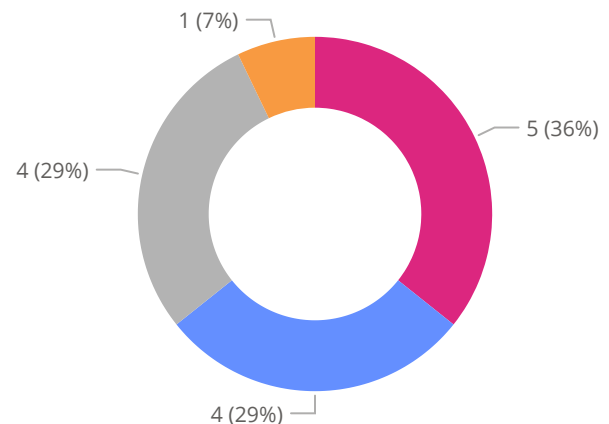
$n = 0$

Orange County CoC Goal: At least 15% of adults who were active during the reporting period in Transitional Housing projects with a length of stay of at least 365 days have increased their income during their project enrollment.

Why? Income is critical to maintaining most permanent housing situations. Clients receiving intensive service from Transitional Housing projects that necessitate lengths of stay of 365 or more days should receive services that help to increase their income.

Enrollments by Stayer Income Status

- Decreased Income
- Increased Income
- No Income
- Maintained Income



Goal 7 - Help Adults Increase Their Income as of Project Exit

Goal 7 Scores

Threshold: >=40%

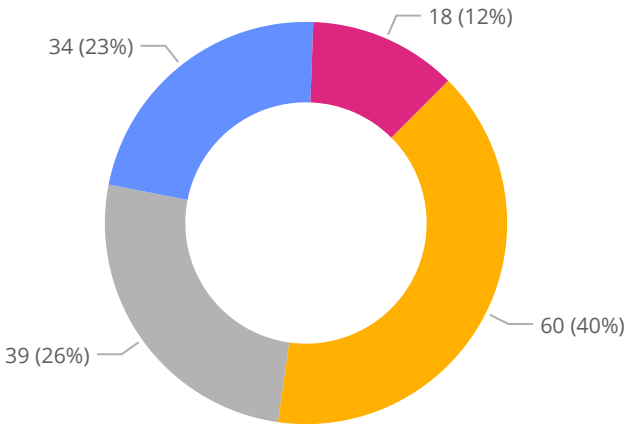
Project Type Score	Chronically Homeless	Veterans	Households with Children	Households without Children	Households with only Children
23%	13%	N/A	24%	20%	N/A
<i>n</i> = 151	<i>n</i> = 15	<i>n</i> = 0	<i>n</i> = 87	<i>n</i> = 64	<i>n</i> = 0

Orange County CoC Goal: At least 40% of adult clients who exited from a Transitional Housing project during the reporting period have increased their income between project entry and project exit.

Why? Income is critical to maintaining most permanent housing situations.

Enrollments by Leaver Income Status

- Maintain
- No Income
- Increase
- Decrease



Goal 8 - Help Clients Exit to Successful Housing Situations

Goal 8 Scores

Threshold: >=75%

Project Type Score	Chronically Homeless	Veterans	Households with Children	Households without Children	Households with only Children
65%	65%	N/A	67%	59%	N/A
<i>n</i> = 286	<i>n</i> = 26	<i>n</i> = 0	<i>n</i> = 222	<i>n</i> = 66	<i>n</i> = 0

Orange County CoC Goal: 75% of Transitional Housing enrollments exit to a permanent housing situation.

Why? The goal of Transitional Housing projects is to prevent clients from falling into Homelessness and place them into permanent housing.

Enrollments by Non-Permanent Exit Category



Goal 10 - Ensure Clients Do Not Fall Back Into Homelessness after being Housed

Goal 10 Scores
Threshold: <=10%

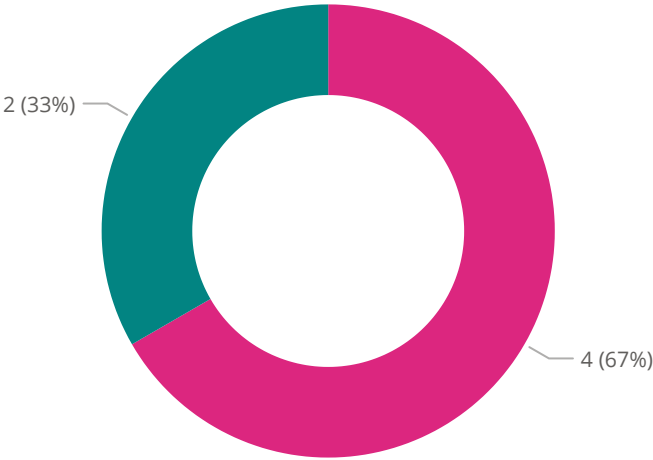
Project Type Score	Chronically Homeless	Veterans	Households with Children	Households without Children	Households with only Children
2%	0%	N/A	0%	8%	N/A
n = 373	n = 22	n = 0	n = 310	n = 63	n = 0

Orange County CoC Goal: No more than 10% of clients who exit from a Transitional Housing project to a permanent housing destination subsequently return to the system.

Efforts should be made to ensure that clients who receive homelessness prevention services are stabilized in their housing and can successfully maintain the housing at the end of the period of service provision. Repeat interventions are time consuming for both clients and service providers and can be mentally taxing for clients.

Enrollments by Project Type Returned to

- Street Outreach
- Transitional Housing



Timeline of Returns to Homeless System

One to Two Years

