



COUNTY LOCAL HOMELESSNESS PLAN TEMPLATE

HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS INCENTIVE PROGRAM

May 9, 2022

PURPOSE OF THIS LOCAL HOMELESSNESS PLAN TEMPLATE

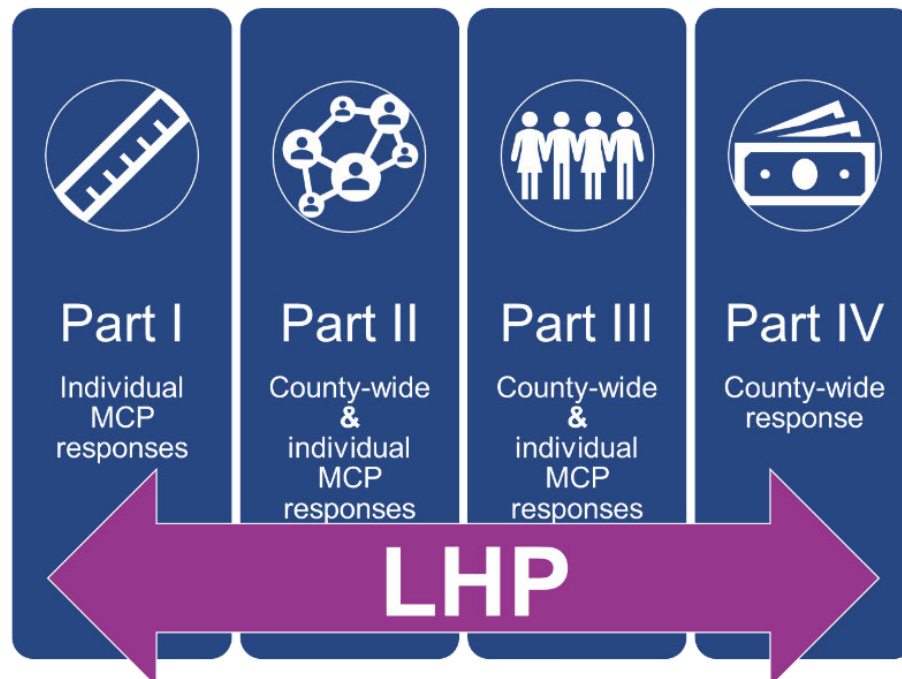
The Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program (HHIP) is a voluntary incentive program through which Medi-Cal Managed Care Plans (MCPs) may earn incentive funds for improving health outcomes and access to whole person care services by addressing homelessness and housing insecurity as social drivers of health and health disparities.

The California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is providing this Local Homelessness Plan (LHP) Template as a required submission component for MCPs seeking to participate in HHIP.

MCPs must collaborate with their local Continuums of Care (CoCs) and, if applicable, other MCPs operating in the same county to complete **one county Local Homelessness Plan (LHP)** (this Word file template). In addition, **each MCP** must complete a unique MCP LHP (see separate Excel template for this submission). For counties where multiple MCPs operate, the MCPs should select one organization to submit the county LHP to DHCS. Unique MPC LHP Excel files can be submitted separately to DHCS.

Completed county and unique MCP LHPs should be submitted to DHCS by June 30, 2022.

LHP Submission Components



Part I of the LHP Template is based on **unique MCP responses**. Parts II and III include **both** aggregate county-wide and MCP-specific responses; and Part IV is an **aggregate county-wide response**.

- **PART I: HHIP MEASURES**

This section includes the required measures each MCP must complete. As noted above, this section should be completed by **EACH MCP**, providing only MCP-specific information. MCPs must provide quantitative and narrative responses to these measures, which are intended to provide DHCS with information on current regional progress on and upcoming goals for each of the three HHIP priority areas:

- (i) **Partnerships and capacity** to support referrals for services;
- (ii) **Infrastructure** to coordinate and meet member housing needs; and
- (iii) **Delivery** of services and member engagement.

See excel template for this unique MCP LHP submission.

- **PART II: MCP STRATEGIES TO ADDRESS IDENTIFIED HOUSING AND SERVICE GAPS**

This section provides MCPs with a format to describe their specific strategies for addressing identified housing and service gaps in their service areas as well as how these strategies align with the aggregate county approach (as determined by all CoCs and MCPs collaborating in this county). The county approach should align with and aim to meet HHAP Outcome Goals. As noted above, this section includes *both* (1) an aggregate county-wide response and (2) MCP-specific responses, where *each MCP* must provide separate responses. See excel template for this unique MCP LHP submission.

- **PART III: LANDSCAPE ANALYSIS OF DEMOGRAPHICS, NEEDS, AND GAPS**

This section establishes a format for MCPs to provide the following required information:

- (i) A **local landscape analysis** that assesses the current number of people experiencing homelessness and existing resources which address homelessness. This landscape analysis is intended to align with the *Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention Program Round 3 (HHAP-3)* application landscape analysis, which utilizes data from the Homeless Management Integration System (HMIS), point-in-time (PIT) counts, and other local needs assessments.
- (ii) **Identification of the number of individuals and families served.** This response should include information on the demographics of those served, types of intervention services provided, and demographics of subpopulations that are underserved, relative to the proportion of individuals in that subpopulation experiencing homelessness.

- **PART IV: IDENTIFICATION OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY**

This section requests the following required information be attached as an appendix:

- (i) **Identification of available funding currently being used, and budgeted to be used, to provide housing and homelessness-related services** to persons experiencing homelessness or at imminent risk of homelessness, as described in the HHAP-3 assessment of state, federal, and local funds available.

LHP SUBMISSION STRUCTURE

The following LHP Template for HHIP funding must be submitted in in full, including the following four parts:

- **PART I: HHIP Measures** completed by each MCP in the unique MCP LHP submission. See excel template for this unique MCP LHP submission.
- **PART II: MCP Strategies**, which includes both aggregate and unique MCP components, with county-wide strategies submitted as a part of this county LHP and MCP-specific components included in the unique MCP LHP submission
- **PART III: Landscape Analysis**, which includes both aggregate and unique MCP components, with the county-wide analysis submitted as a part of this county LHP and MCP-specific analyses included in the unique MCP LHP submission
- **PART IV: Funding Availability Assessment** included as an appendix to this county LHP submission

MCP INFORMATION

Provide the name of the county for this county LHP submission and list the MCP(s) participating in the submission (each MCP is also required to submit a unique MCP LHP using the Excel template provided by DHCS).

County Name		
Los Angeles		
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PART I: HHIP MEASURES

Each MCP participating in HHIP must complete the HHIP Measures via the MCP LHP submission. See MCP LHP excel template provided by DHCS.

Part I scoring: 190 points available

PART II: MCP STRATEGIES TO ADDRESS IDENTIFIED HOUSING AND SERVICE GAPS

MCPs are required to work together, and with local partners, to identify key components of the county strategy in preventing and reducing homelessness over the two-year program period of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023. The strategy should be informed by, and align with, the findings from the local landscape analysis (Part III of this LHP).

In preparing this narrative response, MCPs are strongly encouraged to use and/or adapt content from: (1) local strategic plans or action plans for preventing and ending homelessness; (2) prior HHAP applications and reporting; (3) the CoC's most recent applications under the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)'s Continuum of Care program; (4) and/or other relevant local policy documents or plans.

All MCPs in the county should collaborate to provide one narrative response in the space provided below detailing the overall county approach in the space below. MCPs will also submit their own strategy (in the MCP Excel submission), which should align with the county strategy detailed below. See excel template for this unique MCP Part II submission.

Part II scoring: 100 points available (inclusive of both the county submission and unique MCP submission).

STRATEGIES TO ADDRESS IDENTIFIED HOUSING AND SERVICE GAPS IN THE COUNTY

County Narrative Description (200-word limit)

Managed Care Plans (MCPs) will align with the New County Homeless Initiative Framework, Continuum of Cares (CoCs), and HHAP-3 applications on strategies to prevent and reduce homelessness. MCPs will create a **coordinated data exchange process** to share bidirectionally between HMIS and MCPs, and support data connectivity within the local homeless services system (such as between HMIS and local health departments or Public Housing Authorities). MCPs will also support **workforce development** for homeless services staff. MCPs will **prevent homelessness** through prevention programs, early intervention efforts, and case management. MCPs will **connect people experiencing homelessness to an exit pathway** through street medicine that extends beyond PCP services, in addition to scaling housing navigation, recuperative care, and short-term post hospitalization housing community supports (CS). MCPs will **house members** through master leasing buildings, scaling housing deposit CS, covering long term costs of "slots" to unlock financing for new development, investing in the local flexible housing subsidy pool, and programs to incentivize and engage landlords. Lastly, MCPs will **stabilize housing** through scaling tenancy services CS and by providing ongoing services funding for congregate living (directly or through CS). MCPs will align HHIP with IPP investments and will incorporate feedback from provider and consumer stakeholders when planning the investment strategy.

PART III: LANDSCAPE ANALYSIS OF COUNTY DEMOGRAPHICS, NEEDS, AND GAPS

A. Landscape Analysis of County Needs and Demographics

All MCPs in the county should collaborate to provide a county-wide landscape analysis, using the table below, of current county needs and demographics, in alignment with the HHAP-3¹ landscape analysis utilizing relevant data from the Homeless Management Integration System (HMIS), 2019 PIT count data,² and other local needs assessments. See excel template for this unique MCP Part III submission.

If data is unavailable for the MCPs in the county, the MCPs must detail their approach to improving data connectivity and identification for future submissions, including timing for implementing the approach. Please submit this as a written attachment using no more than 1000 characters.

NOTE from LA County Plans: Based on DHCS' instructions above to include info on the "current county needs and demographics, in alignment with the HHAP-3 landscape analysis", we are submitting the below Part III tables 1 and 2 for the full estimated population of people experiencing homelessness (PEH) in L.A. County. We would note that this includes **both** PEH enrolled in Medi-Cal Managed Care and those who are not (i.e. those in FFS, Medicare only, commercial insurance, and/or uninsured). A rough and anecdotal estimate is that up to 80% of PEH in LA are currently enrolled in Medi-Cal, which will continue to be assessed over time by LA County MCPs.

We consulted with our COC partners to obtain the most recent available PIT count and/or HMIS information for each question, which was generally the 2020 PIT count for LAHSA but the 2022 count for the other three COCs in our region.

Please use TABLE 1 below to provide one county-wide response outlining key data regarding people experiencing homelessness in the county.

Part III scoring: 80 points available (inclusive of both the county submission and unique MCP submission).

TABLE 1 (EXAMPLE ONLY — San Francisco County):

	County	
	People Experiencing Homelessness	Source and Date Timeframe of Data

¹ MCPs may also reference HHAP Round 2 (HHAP-2) applications if additional context is helpful for them, or if Round 3 applications are not yet available

² DHCS recommends using 2019 PIT count as it is the most recent count that includes unsheltered individuals, or the 2022 PIT count if it's locally available as it will be the most recent information

Population and Living Situations

**TOTAL # OF PEOPLE
EXPERIENCING
HOMELESSNESS**

8,035

HUD PIT Count, 2019

Table 1. Landscape Analysis of County Needs and Demographics

	Number of People Experiencing Homelessness	Source and Date Timeframe of Data
Population and Living Situations		
TOTAL # OF PEOPLE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS	67,739	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Sheltered (Emergency Shelter (ES), Transitional Housing (TH), Supportive Housing (SH))	18,979	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Unsheltered	48,760	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
Household Composition		
# of Households without Children	54,809	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Households with At Least 1 Adult & 1 Child	4,041	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Households with Only Children	591	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
Sub-Populations and Other Characteristics		
# of Adults Who are Experiencing Chronic Homelessness	26,043	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts; not available for Glendale
# of Adults Who are Experiencing Serious Mental Illness	15,523	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts; not available for Glendale
# of Adults Who are Experiencing Substance Use Disorders	16,281	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Adults Who are Veterans	4,167	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts

# of Adults with HIV/AIDS	1,305	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Adults Who are Survivors of Domestic Violence	19,283	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Unaccompanied Youth (under 25)	3,244	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Parenting Youth (under 25)	603	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Children of Parenting Youth	968	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
Gender Demographics		
# of Women/Girls	21,821	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of Men/Boys	45,600	2021 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Transgender	895	2022 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Gender Non-Conforming	266	2023 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
Ethnicity and Race Demographics		
# of People Who are Hispanic/Latino	24,245	2020 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino	43,494	2021 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Black or African American	22,840	2022 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Asian	861	2023 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts

# of People Who are American Indian or Alaska Native	308	2024 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	260	2025 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are White	18,405	2026 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who are Multiple Races	1,536	2027 LAHSA PIT Count + 2022 Glendale, Pasadena, & Long Beach PIT Counts
# of People Who did Not Disclose	-	Not available

B. Landscape Analysis of People Receiving Services

Please use **TABLE 2** to report the total number of individuals served county-wide. The data provided within Table 2 should represent **the most current and accurate way of estimating the annual number and demographics** of people participating in or being served by the different intervention types, including subpopulations that are underserved relative to their proportion of individuals experiencing homelessness in the jurisdiction. It is important to note that intervention types are not mutually exclusive, and individuals and households may be counted in multiple categories.

MCP(s) must cite their data sources. If data is unavailable for the MCP county submission, the MCP(s) must detail the approach to improving data connectivity and identification for future submissions, including timing for implementing the approach. Please submit this as a written attachment using no more than 500 words.

Table 2 uses the following service terms:

Interim Housing	Any program whose primary purpose is to provide temporary shelter for people experiencing homelessness, in general or for specific populations, and which does not require occupants to sign leases or occupancy agreements. Interim housing can include congregate shelter, bridge housing, temporary scattered-site arrangements, and transitional housing programs, among others.
Rental Assistance	Rental assistance programs provide subsidies that help people experiencing homelessness rent housing in the marketplace. Rental assistance typically pays a portion of the total rent and can be temporary or permanent and offered in a variety of program types.
Supportive Housing	Supportive housing is permanent housing for a specific target population—generally people with disabilities/special needs and long histories of homelessness—that is linked to onsite or offsite services that assist the resident to retain the housing, improve their health status, and maximize their ability to live and, when possible, work in the community.
Outreach	Programs that identify and engage people living in unsheltered locations, such as in cars, parks, abandoned buildings, encampments, and on the streets, reaching people who might not otherwise seek assistance or come to the attention of the homelessness service system. Outreach and engagement programs help to ensure that people’s basic needs are met while also supporting people to access and navigate pathways toward housing stability.
Prevention/Diversion	Programs that seek to prevent people from losing current housing or to prevent the need for services from the homelessness response system through a rapid return to housing, usually without expectation of ongoing support.

Table 2. Landscape Analysis of County Services

	Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)	Rapid Rehousing (RRH)	Transitional Housing (TH)	Interim Housing or Emergency Shelter (IH / ES)	Diversion Services and Assistance (DIV)	Homelessness Prevention Services & Assistance (HP)	Outreach and Engagement Services (O/R)	Other: [Identify]	Source(s) and Time-frame of Data
Household Composition									
# of Households without Children	2132	2462	650	4597	2611	527	5344	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q8a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Households with At Least 1 Adult & 1 Child	1488	4567	305	2738	854	927	526	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q8a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Households with Only Children	13	79	* █	58	0	20	91	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q8a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022;

*Data has been suppressed per Data De-Identification guidelines.

									Pasadena: Not Available
Sub-Populations and Other Characteristics									
# of Adults Who are Experiencing Chronic Homelessness	6724	5514	445	12269	Unavailable	392	13950	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q5a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Adults Who are Experiencing Serious Mental Illness	11229	6535	1528	13046	Unavailable	955	18031	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q13a1: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Adults Who are Experiencing Substance Use Disorders	3517	1968	847	6912	Unavailable	241	12611	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q13a1: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Adults Who are Veterans	3133	2784	1527	1156	189	539	2367	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 -

									9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q5a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Adults with HIV/AIDS	1066	293	92	765	Unavailable	43	896	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q13a1: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Adults Who are Survivors of Domestic Violence	2998	4589	657	7087	Unavailable	518	6907	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q14a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Un- accompanied Youth (under 25)	677	1039	1066	2215	Unavailable	128	8447	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q5a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available

# of Parenting Youth (under 25)	264	1096	129	639	Unavailable	219	149	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q27b: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Children of Parenting Youth	187	718	144	418	Unavailable	54	86	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q27b: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
Gender Demographics									
# of Women/Girls	8503	13604	1408	14823	7189	2802	22679	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q10a-c: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of Men/Boys	12463	14393	2858	20013	4565	2722	44358	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach:

Table 2. Landscape Analysis of County Services

									APR Q10a-c: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Transgender	209	200	58	375	73	81	737	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q10a-c: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Gender Non- Conforming	19	22	27	83	37	*	121	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q10a-c: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
Ethnicity and Race Demographics									
# of People Who are Hispanic/ Latino	5926	10726	1289	12316	3997	2450	23426	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12b: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available

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# of People Who are Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino	15021	16729	2892	22008	6776	2837	41024	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12b: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Black or African American	9774	12278	1947	14119	4535	2027	22926	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Asian	470	393	75	653	136	177	1042	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are American Indian or Alaska Native	384	473	89	754	184	79	1406	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12a: March 1, 2021-

									February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	140	194	51	259	80	22	525	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are White	9553	12366	1780	16096	4570	2498	34245	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
# of People Who are Multiple Races	596	733	141	828	210	88	1103	N/A	LAHSA: HMIS, 1/1/21 to 12/31/21; Glendale: HDIS; 1/1/2021 - 9/30/2021; Long Beach: APR Q12a: March 1, 2021- February 28, 2022; Pasadena: Not Available
					Note: Diversion is tracked differently in				

					the HMIS systems so many demographics are not available for this group.				
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PART IV: IDENTIFICATION OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

Please submit the HHAP-3 assessment of funding availability for your county (or the HHAP-2 assessment, if the HHAP-3 assessment is unavailable) as an appendix to this LHP Template.

Materials for each round of HHAP can be accessed on the [HHAP website](#).

Part IV scoring: 10 points available