



Homelessness Is Growing in Illinois

Supportive Housing Is the State's Best Tool to Combat Homelessness

Estimates of Illinois Homelessness: **2020**

6,995	Individuals
3,436	people in families with children
671	unaccompanied homeless youth
736	veterans
2,058	chronically homeless individuals



Estimates of Illinois Homelessness: **2019**

6,513	Individuals
3,686	people in families with children
609	unaccompanied homeless youth
690	veterans
1,533	chronically homeless individuals

Chronic Homelessness Defined:

Homelessness of a person with a disabling condition of 12 months of more (or multiple episodes of homelessness over three years equaling 12 months or more)

Please note: Data on this page reflect a snapshot of homelessness on any given night.

Largest Increases in Chronically Homeless Individuals

2019-2020

	Increase	
CALIFORNIA	9,537	24.3%
WASHINGTON	1,497	33.7%
COLORADO	728	34.6%
NEVADA	652	96%
ILLINOIS	525	34.2%

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