

Human Services Survey

Background Information



definition



"Human services are organized efforts to advance human wellbeing. Supportive services and meaningful opportunities are provided to meet needs in times of crisis, prevent risk behaviors, promote economic security and self-sufficiency, provide meaningful opportunities for personal and community growth, and promote social equity."

City of Tempe Human Social Services Audit December 2013

Agency Review



Council-initiated community-driven process since 1985

 Recommends funding for coordinated human services system



Review and score proposals, interview agencies and make recommendations

services provided FY 15/16





YOUTH



- Foster care & adoption
- Retaining relationship w/vouth & incarcerated parent
- Leadership development
- Mentorina
- Child care for teen parents
- Resource centers
- · Emergency shelter for child abuse victims
- Suicide survivor support
- Financial literacy

HOMELESS



- Shelter
- Case management
- Workforce development
- Family empowerment
- · Family services
- Transitional housing
- Emergency housing
- Substance abuse treatments
- Local night lodging
- · Drop in center for youth

WORKING POOR



- Workforce development
- Information & referral
- Legal advocacy
- · Community land trust
- Community garden
- · Financial education & free tax preparation
- Case management
- Rental assistance
- Utility assistance

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



- Food
- Shelter
- Case management
- Workforce development
- Family empowerment
- · Family services
- Transitional housing
- Counseling
- · Assault kits

DISABILITIES



- · Restorative therapy and day care
- · Caregiver training/respite
- · Home accessibility support
- · Recreation & life skills
- Job training
- Financial education and & tax preparation

SENIORS



- Benefits assistance
- In-home services
- Transportation
- Keeping seniors safe while they age in place
- Volunteer opportunities
- Financial education & free tax preparation
- Home delivered meals
- Congregate meals

Tempe demographics







Population 172,816*

Poverty Rate

23.3%*

Poverty Income Threshold

Individual

\$11,770

Family of 4

\$24,250

populations served

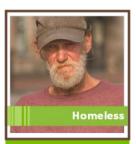




29,033

28% **V** Poverty Level

45%
Free/Reduced
Lunch
Eligible



86 On Street 35 IHELP (Nightly)

765
Tempe Clients
Funded
Shelters

189 Homeless Students (TUHSD only)





8,441
Clients (in County)

49%
Involved Children

627
Tempe Clients
Funded Agencies

1,594
Assists by
CARE 7
Victim Advocates



17,627 Non-Institutionalized

4,622 Seniors (65+) w/disability



14,516 (65+)

9.2% **♦** Poverty Level

> 3,604 Live Alone

↑ 9.2%-12.5% 2000-2010

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