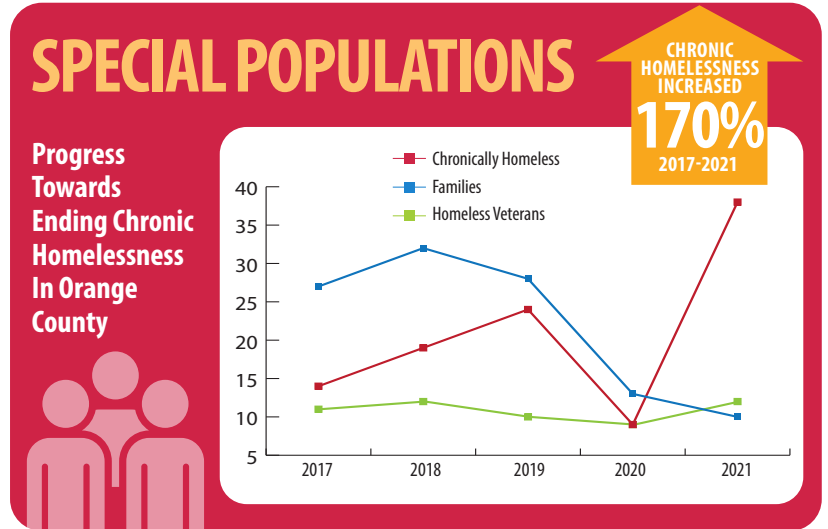
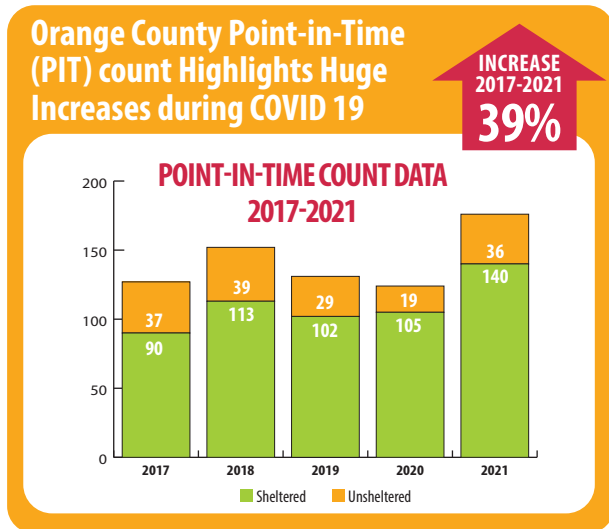
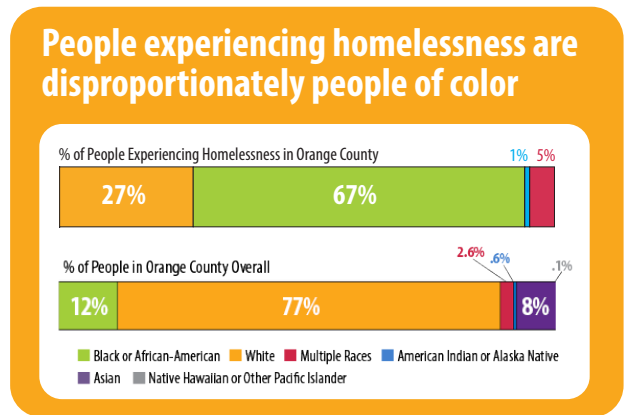


Homelessness Increasing in Orange County



176 PEOPLE IN ORANGE COUNTY EXPERIENCED HOMELESSNESS ON ONE NIGHT



We can end homelessness by closing the 15 current system gaps.

GAPS

	HOUSING	Income-Based Rental Units Housing Locator Furniture and Household goods Rapid Re-Housing Landlord Incentives Youth Housing Permanent Supportive Housing
	SERVICES – TEMP. HOUSING	Accessible, housing-focused shelter Medical Respite Beds Bridge Housing
	SERVICES – CONNECTIONS	Housing Helpline staffing Integrated Service Center Crisis/Diversion Facility
	SERVICES – DIGNITY	24 hour bathrooms Memorial Service Funding

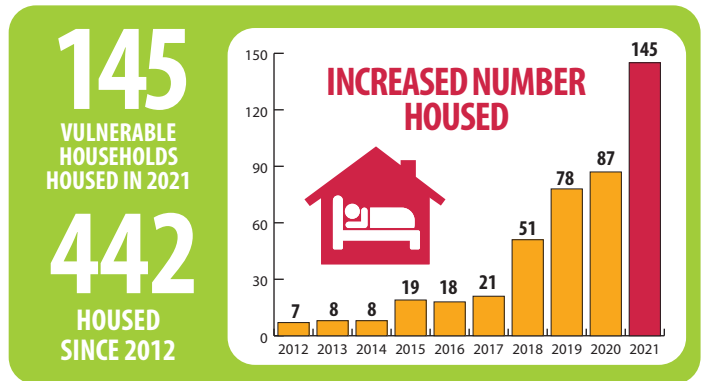
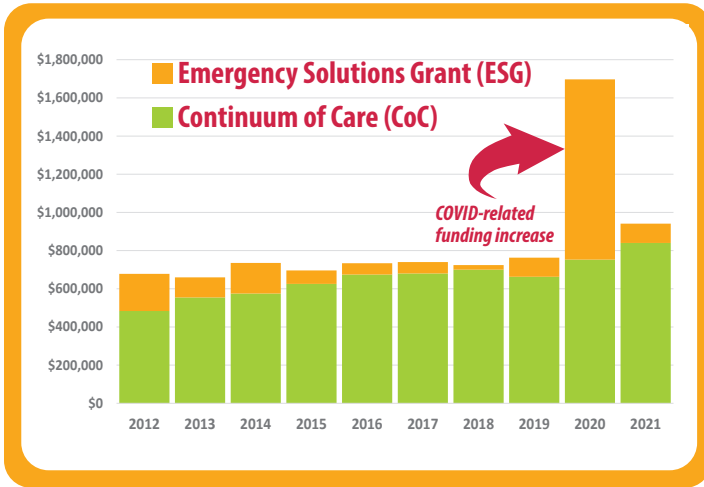
An additional \$2.7 million needed annually for gap funding

Less expensive to fill gaps than to continue homelessness

Filling gaps results in taxpayer savings

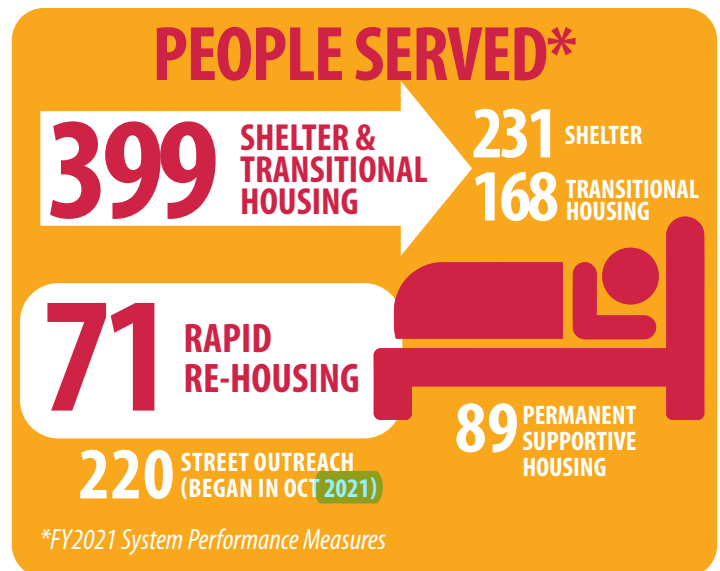
\$3.5 Million Estimated taxpayer cost of homelessness in Orange County	\$800,000 Estimated annual cost savings (\$8 million savings over 10 years)
\$2.7 Million Cost to fund homelessness service gap	

2021 REPORT



\$941,362
FEDERAL FUNDING PREVIEWED IN 2021

\$12.9 MILLION
SINCE 2005



DIRECT SERVICE PROGRAMS	DESCRIPTION
 Housing Helpline	Coordinated entry point for people seeking housing and homeless services
 Housing Access Coordinator	Working with landlords to make units available for people at very low incomes
 Rapid Re-housing	Short-term rental assistance and services
 Homelessness Prevention/Housing Stabilization	Supportive service to prevent homelessness and bring housing stabilization
 Street Outreach, Harm Reduction & Deflection <i>Partnership with OC Criminal Justice Resource Department</i>	Connections to housing and services for people living unsheltered

Launched in 2020, Housing Helpline Contacts Remained High in 2021

YEAR	HOUSEHOLDS	CALLS	EMAILS	WALK-INS
2021 TOTAL	6,572	20,698	14,262	125*
2020 TOTAL	4,179	9,914	7,065	N/A

*Started in June 2021

NEED HELP?

Contact the **Housing Helpline** at **919-245-2655** or **housinghelp@orangecountync.gov** or visit the online resource database: **www.occonnect.info**