



Homeless Coalition of Calhoun County 2019 Fact Sheet

What does it mean to be Literally Homeless?

HUD defines homelessness as individuals who are living in a place not meant for human habitation, in emergency shelter, in transitional housing, or are exiting an institution where they temporarily resided.

1105 Literally Homeless Persons in Calhoun County

Seniors

21%

(237 age 55+)

Veterans

19%

(207)

Children in Families

20%

(222)

Female Single-Parent

55%

(96 of 174)

How are **Domestic Violence (DV)** survivors more vulnerable to homelessness? HUD recognizes the intersection between survivors and their limited economic resources when leaving a domestic violence situation. In Calhoun County, between 2016 and 2019 there has been a **6.7%** increase in persons seeking Domestic Violence services.

Persons served by DV Programs

2177

Persons in DV Emergency shelter

544

Children served by DV Programs

264



What about our homeless children of Calhoun County?

Homeless children and youth refer to individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence. The McKinney Vento Homeless Education Assistance Improvements Act of 2001 allows homeless children to maintain stable educational access.



McKinney-Vento Homeless Students

978

Homeless Students Unaccompanied

11%
(108)