

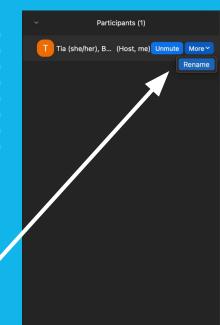


Welcome!

Mute your audio!

Please be logged into HMIS and BusinessObjects and have an export of each of thefour reports in Excel or Google Sheets

Change your zoom name to include your first name, pronouns (if you'd like), and your community.



























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- 1. Welcome!
- 2. Report and manual overview
- 3. Running the reports
- 4. Validating the reports
- 5. Individual report review
 - a. Case Conferencing

Quick Break!

- b. Inflow
- c. Outflow
- d. Housed Clients Exiting
- 6. Reporting BFZ metrics
- 7. Next steps

Today's Objectives

We want you to leave this training with...

- 1. The ability to navigate the **report manual** for individual troubleshooting and a deeper understanding of report components.
- 2. Foundational information for **building a reporting group and validating the report accuracy**.
- 3. An understanding of the set up and use of the **four reports included in the reporting suite**.
- 4. The ability to use the reports to **report BFZ metrics.**
- 5. Clarity on **next steps** and continued **support** from BFZ.

Before we get started.

- 1. Do you have the reports run and downloaded?
- 2. Is there data pulling into each report?



If not, that's okay, but please let us know in the chat, so we can connect with you later to help!

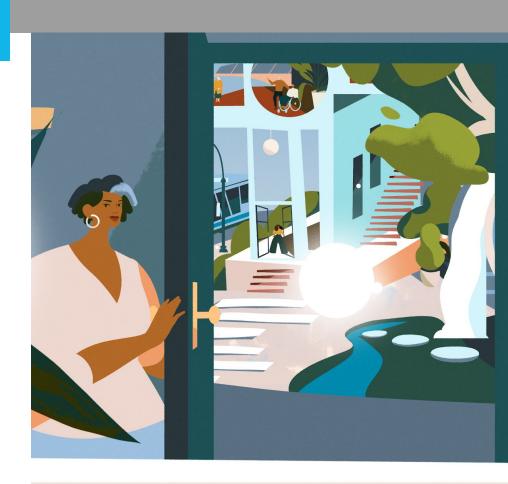
Feedback and questions

- Feel free to ask clarifying questions about the content today, via chat or verbally
- If you have a question **specific to your system**, we ask that you save those questions and submit them using the **feedback form**.
 - There will be opportunities to talk about how the content applies to your system during the training, but we won't have the space to answer additional questions. However, if you submit your questions via the feedback form, we will get back to you!

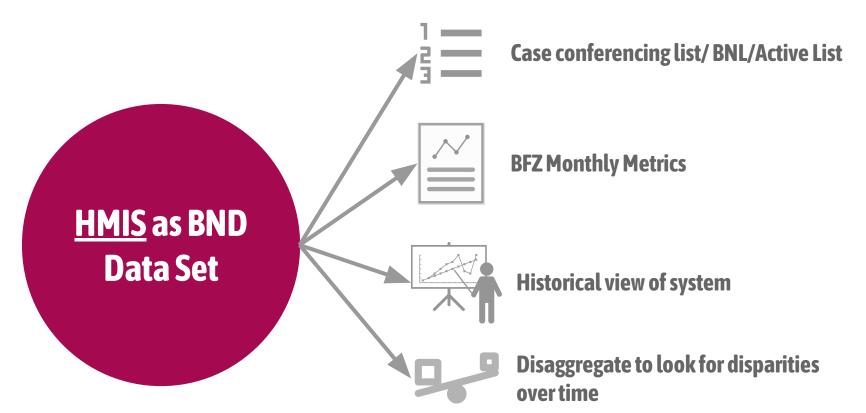
Report and Manual Overview

Finally! A BFZ report!

- Previous versions of the BFZ
 Inflow/Outflow report
- Current version v4.11
 - Collaborative development process
 - Mapping process with WellSky



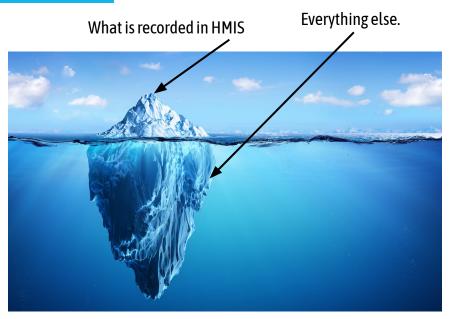
Purpose and use of the report suite





Limitations of the report suite

- It can only account for information in HMIS!
- Data out is only as good as data in.
- The reports rely on specific data elements to let it know when people are moving throughout the system.



The report manual

- Developed specifically for the v4.11 report
- To be used as a reference manual
- Stay tuned for updates!

Community Services BFZ Report Suite V4.11

Report Release Date: May, 2023

INTRODUCTION

This manual describes how to use the Community Services Built for Zero (BFZ) V4.11 suite of reports. The suite includes four reports:

- 1. Case Conferencing Report
- 2. Inflow Report
- Outflow Report
- 4. Housed Clients Exiting Report

Used together these reports aim to provide communities with sufficient person-level and aggregate data to understand each person's journey through your homeless response system. This information can be used for multiple purposes, including to aid case conferencing, create a by-name list, better understand inflow outflow, or flag potential data quality issues. These reports are compatible with Community Services and utilize HUD standard data elements.

PBFZ Tip: use the page references in the slides to follow along in the manual.

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Report set up

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Some important notes

Summary tabs	Person-level detail tabs	Additional information tabs
These tabs don't directly align with the BFZ reporting metrics. We will talk more about that later in the presentation.	 One row of data represents one person's project enrollment - one person may have multiple rows! The inflow, outflow, and case conferencing report all have a tab called the Active Clients tab. The number of rows/people in Active Clients tab should be the same across these reports. 	The viz tabs in the inflow, outflow, and case conferencing report are all de-identified and formatted so they can easily be used for data analysis and creating visualization in softwares like Excel, Tableau, and others!

Appendices

Appendix A

How exit destinations are mapped in the report.

Exit Destination	Regular Exit	Project Transfer Exit
Immediate Move to Housed		
Moved from one HOPWA funded project to HOPWA PH (HUD)		Х
Own house/apartment	×	
Owned by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	×	
Owned by client, with ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	×	
Permanent housing (other than RRH) for formerly homeless persons (HUD)	×	
Rental by client in a public housing unit (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with GPD TIP housing subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with GPD TIP subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with HCV voucher (tenant or project based) (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with RRH or equivalent subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with VASH housing subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental by client, with VASH subsidy (HUD)	×	
Rental room/house/apartment	×	
Staying or living with family, permanent tenure (HUD)	×	
Staying or living with friends, permanent tenure (HUD)	×	

Appendix B

Instructions on how to use pivot tables to report BFZ metrics

Creating a Pivot Table in Google Sheets:

- 1. Select the data range using the appropriate sheet
- 2. Set up the columns, rows, values and filters for the pivot table
- 3. See the results in the table created
- 4. Double click on the value to open a new tab with row level detail of all values included



Appendix C

What fields are in what report and where they are in each report.

CASE CONFERENCING REPORT	Tab Name			
Column Name	Active Client Details	Disabilities	First Last Entry Exit	Lookback Details
Client Uid	1	1	1	1
Alcohol Use Disorder (HUD)		2		
Client Unique Id	2		2	2
Both Alcohol and Drug Use Disorder (HUD)		3		
Entry Exit Uid	3			3
Chronic Health Condition (HUD)		4		
Last Entry			4	
Household Id	4			4
Entry Exit Group Id	5			5
Last Provider Enrolling			5	
Developmental (HUD)		5		
Drug Use Disorder (HUD)		6		
First Exit			6	
Household Identifier	6			6
Hearing Impaired		7		
Group/Single	7			
Last Exit			7	
HIV/AIDS (HUD)		8		
Days Since First Entry			8	
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The column references can be super handy for pivot tables!

Running the Reports

Navigating to the reports

System Admin license required to run the reports

Navigate to Business Objects, and then:

Folders > Public Folders > Universe Folder [cmtyname_live_folder] > Community Solutions Custom

Reports > Built for Zero v4.11

4 Reports - generate separately

- Built for Zero Case Conferencing v04.11
- Built for Zero Inflow Report v04.11
- Built for Zero Outflow Report v04.11
- Built for Zero Housing Clients Exiting v04.11



👉 All four reports should be generated on the same day to ensure consistency of information

Selecting reporting groups

System Admin considers local project set-up, to best reflect:

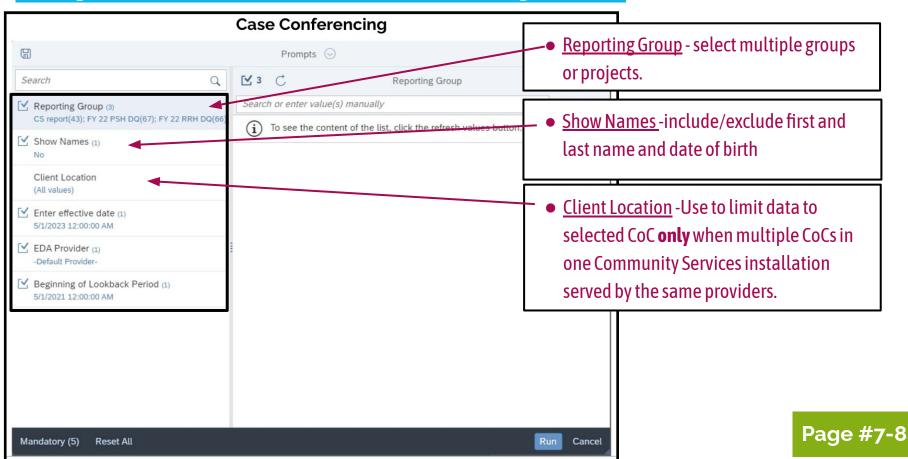
- Projects tracking individual enrollments of people who are literally homeless:
 - Street Outreach
 - Emergency Shelter
 - Safe Haven
 - Transitional Housing
 - Day Shelter
 - Coordinated Entry

- Housing projects that serve formerly homeless individuals:
 - Permanent Supportive Housing
 - Rapid Re-Housing
 - Other Permanent Housing Projects

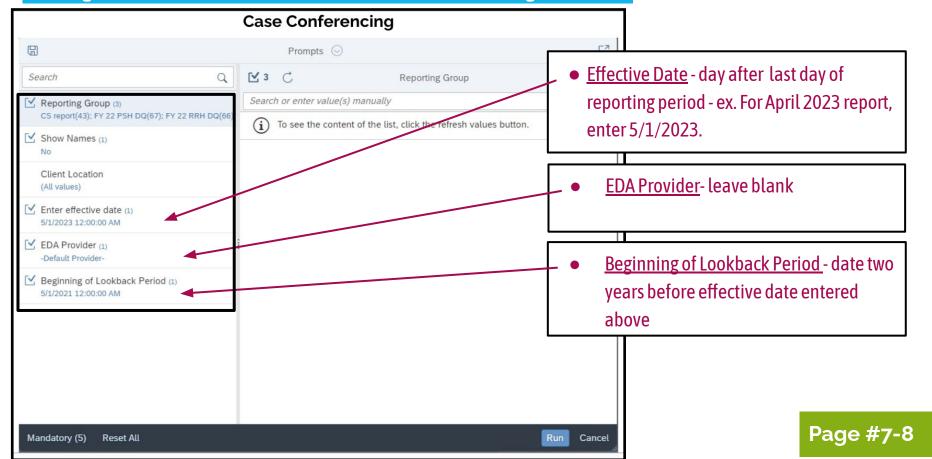
Do not include projects serving only people at risk of homelessness or those not defined by HUD as literally homeless

- Prevention
- Diversion
- Services Only

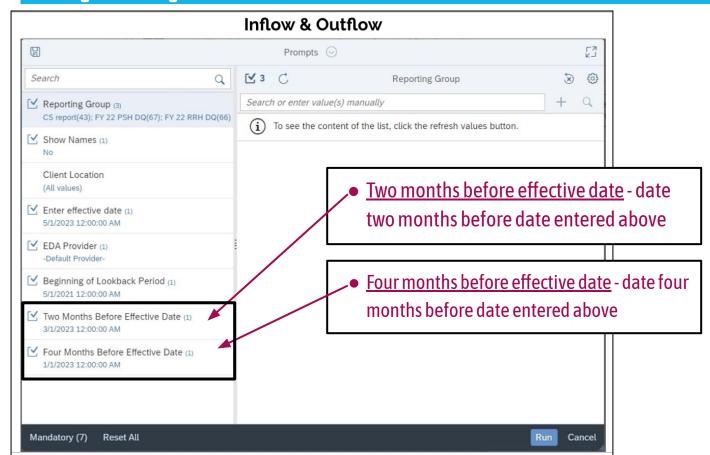
Report Parameters: All Reports



Report Parameters: All Reports



Report parameters: Inflow & Outflow



Scheduling the reports

All four reports should be generated on the same day to ensure consistency of information.

System administrators can schedule the reports and have them sent to specific HMIS users.

Scheduling reports can save you time, ensures that all reports are run on the same day, and ensures that the reports are shared with the right people!

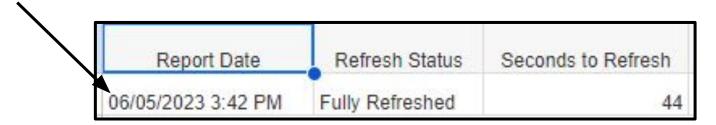
We are working on uploading a video that details how to schedule a report. Stay tuned!

Validating the reports

Yes, we are repeating ourselves!

All four reports should be generated on the same day to ensure consistency of information.

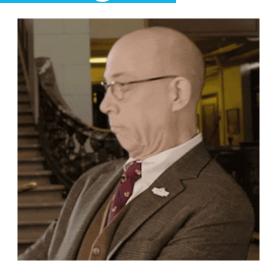
Make sure you pull the reports **on the same day** (ideally run them at the same time). If different people are pulling different reports, you can easily tell that they were run on the same day by checking the Report Date Tab on each report.



Report validation - how do you know if it looks right?

Gut Checks

- Take a look at the summary tabs on the inflow and outflow reports.
 - Get a general idea of if the reports numbers are in the ballpark of what you think is accurate.
 - Compare your inflow/outflow numbers to your BFZ metrics and/or other numbers/lists that you trust.
- Take a look at the Providers and Clients ▼ tab.
 - Does the report include your key providers? Is anyone missing?
 - Are the client counts by provider as expected?
 - Are programs that are offline listed?
 - Answering these questions can also help you validate and test your reporting group.



Report validation - how do you know if it looks right?

Finer points will often come up as you start to dig into row-level information.



Keep an eye out when you are reviewing row-level information for trends or unexpected results.

If you find something that seems to be an error let your data coach know or fill out our **feedback form**.

Feedback Form QR code.





Individual report review

Case Conferencing Report

The Case Conferencing report

The BFZ Case Conferencing Report reports information about all people who are actively experiencing homelessness during the reporting period. The aim of this report is to provide community teams detailed information about people and households for the purpose of case conferencing and other care coordination practices.

What can you do with this report?

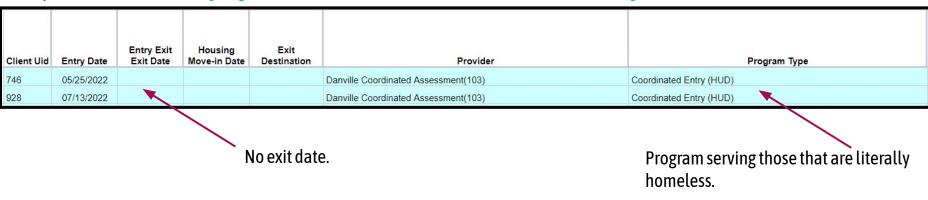
- Use it to help organize and structure your local care coordination meetings.
- Access a ready to go list of everyone who is active in your system.
- Assess and monitor your BNL data quality.
- Plus much more!

Generally speaking, the report determines if someone is "active" if any of the following criteria are true:

- 1. They are enrolled in a project that serves individuals who are literally homeless.
- They recently exited a project to an <u>inactive destination</u>.
 - Individuals will automatically drop off the active list once three months have passed after their exit with no other enrollments in a program serving those that are literally homeless.
- They are enrolled in a housing project, but do not have a housing move-in date recorded.

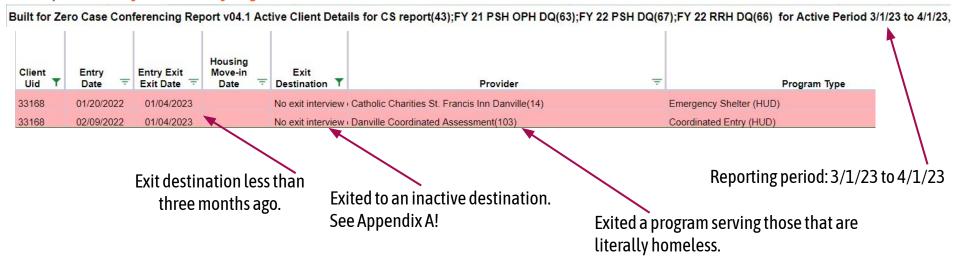


They are enrolled in a project that serves individuals who are literally homeless.



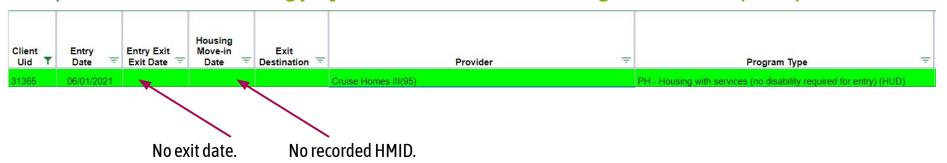
As long as someone is open in at least one program serving those that are literally homeless they will continue to show up as active!

They recently exited a project to an <u>inactive destination</u>.



Someone will only be moved to inactive after three months IF ALL of their program enrollments are exited to an inactive destination. Exits to institutional stays works slightly different - we will talk about that in the outflow section!

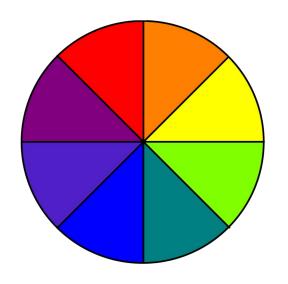
They are enrolled in a housing project, but do not have a housing move-in date (HMID) recorded.



As long as someone is enrolled in a housing program, but not moved-in then the report will continue to categorize that person as active.

Find and open your Case Conferencing report.

Color is your friend!



The **Active Clients Tabs** has been color coded to help you categorize folks based on their program history in the system.

This can be VERY handy for organizing your list, identifying trends, for assessing and monitoring your data quality, and much more!

Color coding for Active Clients Tab.

1,610 Clients on the Active List in 1,497 households.

Client in CE only

Client has enrollment in PH Project

Client in SO TH ES or SH

Client has no CE Enrollment

Possible Merge of client with more than one Client ID

Salmon = dual enrolled in CE & other programs

Aqua = only open in CE

Yellow= not enrolled in CE, but open in other programs

Green= active and in a housing project

Red text = potential duplicate

These filters are **descriptive** not **prescriptive**! They will mean different things for different systems.

Example.

Highlight Status	COUNTUNIQUE CO	UNTUNIQUE
CE Only - Blue	811	81.18%
No CE Enrollment - Yellow	121	12.11%
SOTHESSH and CE - Salmon	67	6.71%
Grand Total	999	100.00%

Type into the chat or come off mute!

Let's assume that you pull a pivot table based on the **Highlight Status field** in the **Active Clients tab for Viz** and these are the results.

Based on what you know about your community's programs, HMIS participation and how you set-up the report, what questions would you have if this was the output you saw?

Alternatively! Pull your own pivot table using your Case Conferencing Report - Active Clients Tab.

Other Report Features.

- 1. Lookback Details 🕶
 - > Lookback details tab includes all enrollments for each person on the active list across the lookback period.
- 2. First Last Entry Exit ▼
 - > First Last Entry Exit tab includes a whole other suite of color coding that you can use for more detailed investigation of individual records.
- 3. Additional Fields on the Active Clients Tab.



- This report's active client tab is expanded to include even more fields for filtering. For example, Project LOS Days, DV Survivor (y/n), and more.
- 4. Disabilities
 - Disabilities tab has a tally of all disabilities recorded for each person on the active list. If someone on the active list does not have a recorded disability, they will not be listed in this tab.

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It's time for a poll!

"Do you think you could use this report to create a case conferencing list for your community?"

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Unsure

Feel free to type in the chat additional comments or come off mute!



Break time! 5 Minutes



Inflow Report

The Inflow report

The **BFZ Inflow Report** identifies all people in your homeless response system that 1) meet the BFZ definition of actively homeless as of the last day of the reporting period and 2) those that entered your homeless response system in the reporting period.

This report enables you to report three BFZ inflow metrics

- Newly Identified (including those aging into chronicity)
- Returned from Housed
- Returned from Inactive

How does it work?



Newly identified vs. returned

Newly Identified

 Newly homeless → entering the homeless response system for the first time since the start of the lookback period

Returns

- Previously exited your community's homeless response system within the lookback period and became active again during the reporting period
 - From housed → Most recent exit was to a housed destination
 - From inactive → Most recent exit was to an inactive destination

Lookback period

- The lookback period is designated in the report parameters
- The lookback period is used to determine if someone is **returned** or **new** to active homelessness
- The lookback details tab on the Case Conferencing report will pull all project entries within the lookback period for all individuals that are active in the reporting period

Lookback details tab (CC Report)

Client Uid Y	Client Unique Id =	Entry Exit Uid =	Househ –	Entry Exit Group Id =	Househol d Identifier =	HoH Relate =	Entry Date	Exit Date =	Housing Move-in Date =	Provider =	Program Type =	Exit Destination =
34610	jloa09231999j5	63504	13406	63503	13,406	Self (head of h	06/29/2022	08/22/2022		Danville Coord	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	Hotel or motel paid for without emergency she
34610	jloa09231999j5	65366	13406	65364	13,406	Self (head of h	09/09/2022	10/01/2022		Danville Coord	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	Staying or living with family, temporary tenure
34610	jloa09231999j5	66894	13406	66894	13,406	Self (head of h	10/07/2022	10/08/2022		Catholic Charit	Emergency Shelter (HUD)	No exit interview completed (HUD)
34610	jloa09231999j5	69983	13406	69983	13,406	Self (head of h	04/11/2023	•		Danville Coord	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	

Return from inactive

What do we mean by "returned"?

The episode of homelessness is:

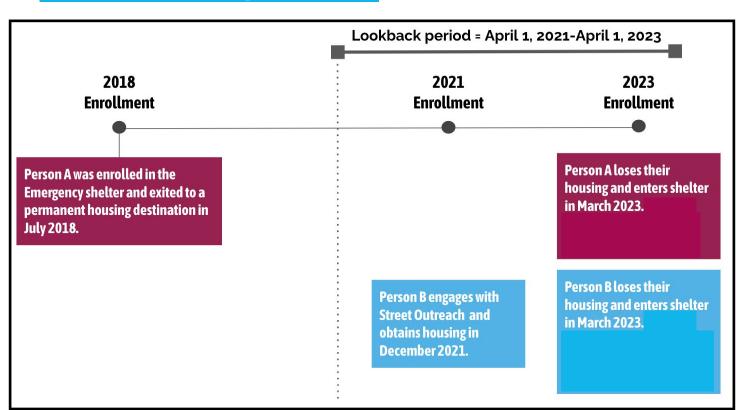
- Recorded in your system's HMIS
- Within the **lookback period**

Someone with a previous episode of homelessness will NOT be counted as a return if...

- The previous episode ended over two years ago
- The previous episode was recorded in a different geographic region/CoC
- The previous episode was not recorded in HMIS



Lookback period



Person A:Returned **OR**newly identified?

Newly identified

Person B:Returned **OR**Newly Identified?

Returned

From housed **OR** from inactive?

From housed

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Newly Identified - Chronic age-in

Chronic age-in is included in the **newly identified category** for the **chronic population only**

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Can your by-name list track individuals who become chronically homeless after they are added to your all singles list?

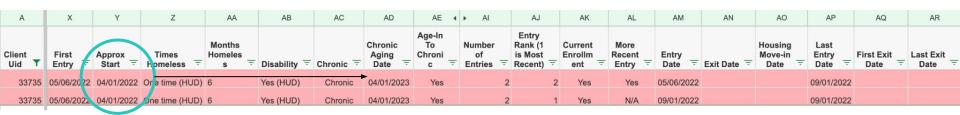
On the **Inflow** and **Case Conferencing** reports:

- The "Chronic Aging Date" column identifies the date a client who is 18+ with a disability has aged into chronicity.
- The "Age-In to Chronic" column identifies if they aged in during the **current reporting period**.

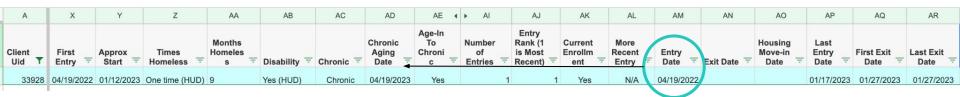


Newly Identified - Chronic age-in

A. The date 1 year from the client's most recently entered approximate start date



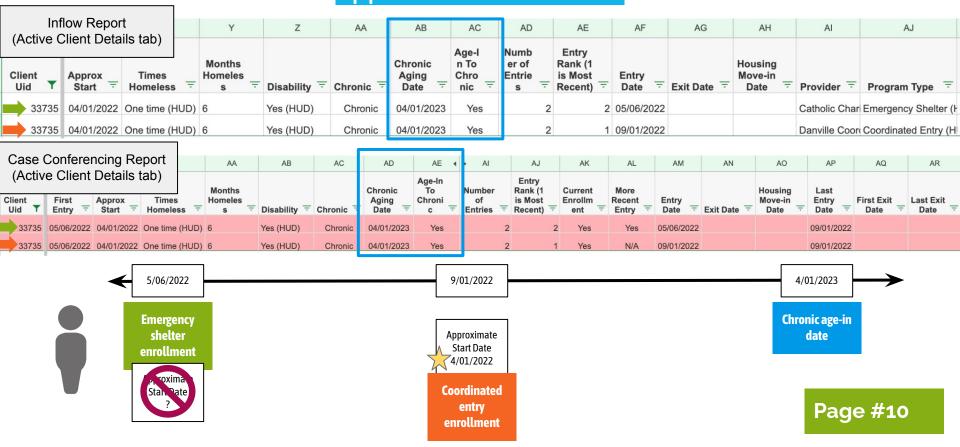
B. The date 1 year from the **earliest project entry date** (if the project entry date is prior to the approximate start date)



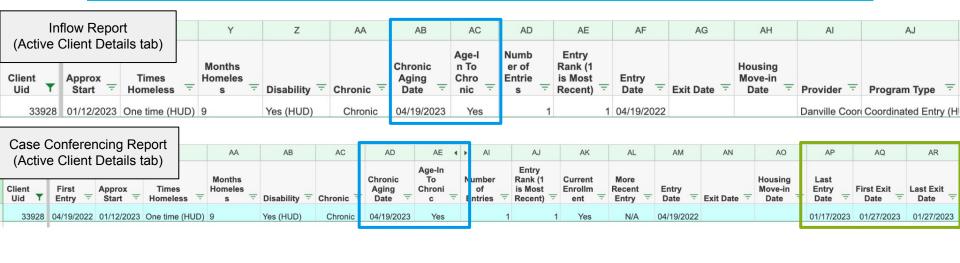
Method B helps identify chronic individuals when there are data entry errors related to approximate date homelessness started

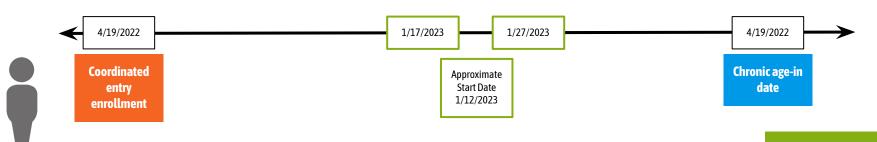
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METHOD A: The date 1 year from the client's most recently entered approximate start date



METHOD B: The date 1 year from the earliest project entry date (if the project entry date is prior to the most recently entered approximate start date)

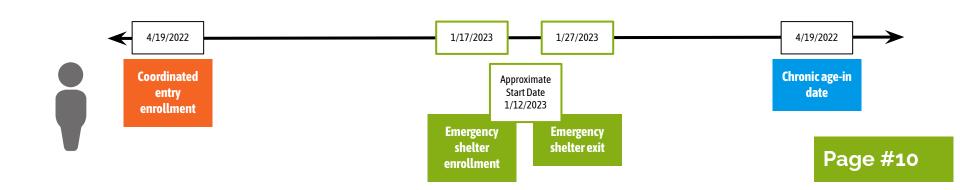




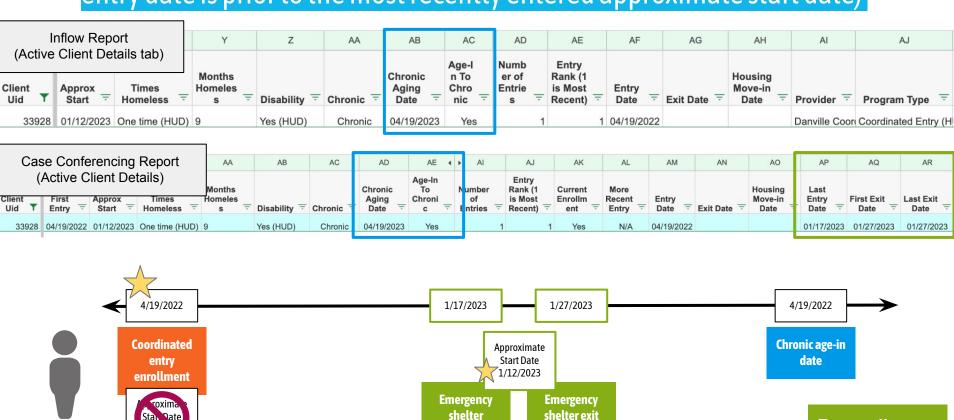
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METHOD B: The date 1 year from the earliest project entry date (if the project entry date is prior to the most recently entered approximate start date)

	se Conferencing Report (Lookback Details tab)		1	J	К	L	М
Client Uid	HoH Relate =	Entry Date =	Exit Date =	Housing Move-in Date =	Provid er =	Program Type =	Exit Destinatio n
33928	Self (head o	04/19/2022			Danville Co	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	
33928	Self (head o	01/17/2023	01/27/2023		Catholic Ch	Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Emergency shelf



METHOD B: The date 1 year from the earliest project entry date (if the project entry date is prior to the most recently entered approximate start date)



enrollment

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Chronic Age-in

₩ Monitoring chronic age-in

- The report polls only the most recently entered values related to Prior Living Situation across all enrollments in HMIS
- Overlapping enrollments with different approximate start dates or disability information will affect how chronicity shows up in this report
- Use the fields below to investigate and monitor your data:





Chronic Age-in

It is not expected that you will dig into the details of chronic age-in every month.

But now you have the tools if you need them!

AD	AE					
Chronic Aging Date =	Age-In To Chronic					
04/01/2023	Yes					
05/01/2023	Yes					
04/04/2023	Yes					



Outflow Report

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- Housing Placements
- Newly Inactive/Moved to Inactive
- Length of time to housing

How does it work?

What if someone inflows and outflows in the same month?

They will only show up as outflow and could throw off your data reliability!

Active list from previous period

Compared to

Active list from current period



Those that are not on the current period's list are counted as outflow for the current month.

What triggers a move to the inactive list? Newly Inactive Details

- Project exit (with no other open enrollments) to an "inactive exit destination"
- The exit destination used in a project exit will determine if someone will:

Become inactive after 3 months (exit date 3 months prior to the report effective date)

Client Uid =	Exit Date Y	Housing Move-in Date	Provider =	Program Type =	Veteran =	Exit Destination	T
5563	01/13/2023		Danville Coord	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	No (HUD)	Hotel or motel paid for without emergency shelter voucher (HUD)	

Become inactive immediately

Client Uid =	Exit Date T	Housing Move-in Date	Provider =	Program Type =	Veteran =	Exit Destination	T
36816	04/17/2023		Catholic Chari	Emergency Shelter (HUD)	No (HUD)	Psychiatric hospital or other psychiatric facility (HUI	D)

Someone will NOT move to inactive if:

• They have a **new program enrollment** within the three month period

Client Uid T	Entry Date =	Exit Date =	Housing Move-in Date	Provider =	Program Type	÷	Veteran	÷	Exit Destination
5522	02/08/2023	02/09/2023		Danville Coor	Coordinated Entry (HUD)		No (HUD)		Hotel or motel paid for without emergency shelter voucher (HUD)
5522	03/29/2023			Danville Coor	Coordinated Entry (HUD)		No (HUD)		

• They have a **remaining open enrollment** in a project included in the reporting group

Client Uid	Entry Date =	Exit Date =	Housing Move-in Date	Provider =	Program Type	=	Veteran =	Exit Destination
34676	07/01/2022	02/27/2023		Catholic Char	Emergency Shelter (HUD)		Yes (HUD)	No exit interview completed (HUD)
34676	07/21/2022			Danville Coor	Coordinated Entry (HUD)		Yes (HUD)	

Exit Destinations: Immediate move to Inactive

			Project
Exit Destination		Regular Exit	Transfer Exit
Immediate Move to Inactive			i
Deceased (HUD)		×	
Foster care home or foster care group home (HUD)	•	X	
Hospital or other residential non-psychiatric medical facility (HUD)	4	×	
Jail, prison or juvenile detention facility (HUD)	•	X	
Long-term care facility or nursing home (HUD)	4		
Moved from one HOPWA funded project to HOPWA TH (HUD)			X
Psychiatric hospital or other psychiatric facility (HUD)	~	X	
Residential project or halfway house with no homeless criteria (HUD)		/ x	
Substance abuse treatment facility or detox center (HUD)	×	X	

Institutional Stays as indicated by these exit destinations will trigger an immediate move to inactive status.

BFZ Tip: If it is known that someone is going to be in an institutional setting for fewer than 90 days it is recommended to leave that person open in a program enrollment - ideally coordinated entry - so that they will continue to be categorized as actively homeless in the report.

Exit Destinations: Inactive after 3 months

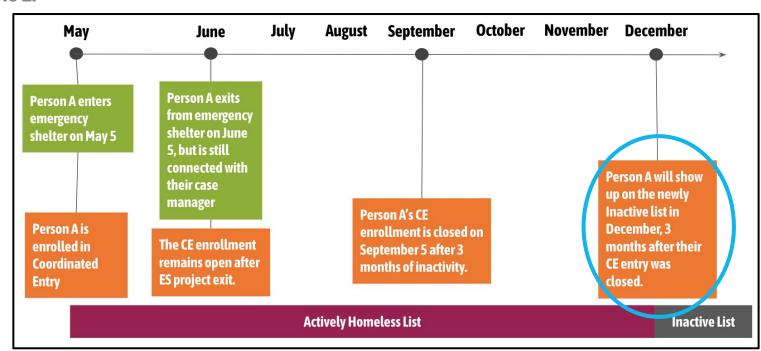
Project Enrollment Exit Destinations by BFZ Exit Category and Time Frame of Effect									
Exit Destination	Regular Exit	Project Transfer Exit							
Move to Inactive After Three Months									
Client doesn't know (HUD)	X								
Client refused (HUD)	X								
Data not collected (HUD)	X								
Emergency shelter, incl. hotel/motel paid for w/ ES voucher, or RHY-funded Host Home shelter (HUD)		X							
Host Home (non-crisis) (HUD)		X							
Hotel or motel paid for without emergency shelter voucher (HUD)	X								
No exit interview completed (HUD)	X								
Other (HUD)	X								
Place not meant for habitation (HUD)	X								
Safe Haven (HUD)	X								
Staying or living with family, temporary tenure (HUD)	X								
Staying or living with friends, temporary tenure (HUD)	X								
Transitional housing for homeless persons (including homeless youth) (HUD)		×							

Project transfer exit indicates that the individual with this exit destination should have a corresponding project enrollment in another project and they would remain on the actively homeless list as long as they have open enrollments

Scenario 1:

Emergency shelter enrollment

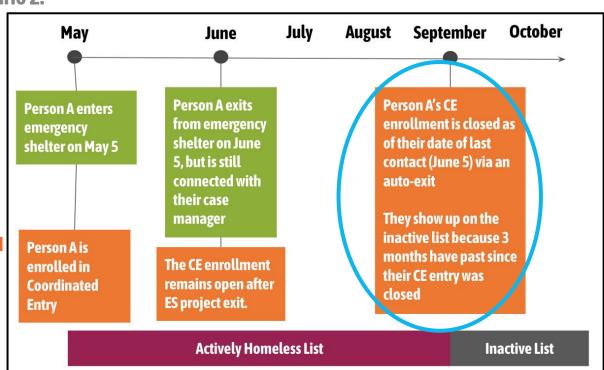
Coordinated entry enrollment



Scenario 2:

Emergency shelter enrollment

Coordinated entry enrollment





The report only looks at project exits & exit destinations to determine inactivity

Not periods of no contact

Any open enrollments will supersede a project exit

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How does this align with how your community tracks inactivity?

POLL: What needs to be adjusted to fit your community?

- This aligns with our community's practices and policies
- Our inactive timeline is not 3 months
- We close enrollments AFTER a period of no contact
- I don't understand how this report will work with my inactive policy.
- Other?



Housing Placements

What triggers a housing placement?

Project exit to a housed destination

Client Uid	Entry Date	Exit Date	Housing Move-in Date	Provider	Program Type	Veteran	Exit Destination
37153	03/13/2023	04/09/2023		Danville Coord	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	No (HUD)	Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)

• **OR,** a housing move-in date recorded in a housing project

Client Uid	Entry Date	Exit Date	Housing Move-in Date	Provider	Program Type	Veteran	Exit Destination
37243	04/12/2023		04/15/2023	Catholic Charif	t PH - Rapid Re-Housing (HUD)	No (HUD)	

• AND, no other open enrollments in the reporting group projects

What if the HMID and exit to housing aren't recorded in the same month?

Exit Destinations: Immediate move to Housed

Project Enrollment Exit Destinations by BFZ Exit Category and Time Frame of Effect									
Exit Destination	Regular Exit	Project Transfer Exit							
Immediate Move to Housed									
Moved from one HOPWA funded project to HOPWA PH (HUD)		X							
Own house/apartment	X								
Owned by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	X								
Owned by client, with ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	X								
Permanent housing (other than RRH) for formerly homeless persons (HUD)	×								
Rental by client in a public housing unit (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	×								
Rental by client, with GPD TIP housing subsidy (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, with GPD TIP subsidy (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, with HCV voucher (tenant or project based) (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, with RRH or equivalent subsidy (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, with VASH housing subsidy (HUD)	X								
Rental by client, with VASH subsidy (HUD)	X								
Rental room/house/apartment	×								
Staying or living with family, permanent tenure (HUD)	×								
Staying or living with friends, permanent tenure (HUD)	×								

LOT Homeless calculations

Two calculations

- Length of time from approximate start date to housing:
 - The difference in days between the person's self reported **Approximate Start Date of Homelessness** and the Housing Move-In Date or Project Exit Date when the Exit Destination is a permanent housing situation.
- Length of time from earliest entry to housing:
 - The difference in days between the earliest **Project Start Date** found in the lookback period and the Housing Move-In Date or Project Exit Date when the Destination is a permanent housing situation.

We will come back to this when we talk about reporting BFZ metrics!

LOT Homeless calculations

LOT to Housing Details tab

Client Uid =	Client Unique =	Househol d Identifier =	Group/Si	HoH Relate -	Gender =	Age	Age Grou	u _	With/With =	BFZ Househol d Type =	HH Type Based on Enrollme nt =	Exit Destina tion =	Approx Start =	First Entry	Exit Date	Housing Move-in Date =	Housing =	LOT Move-in (Approx Start) =	LOT Move-in (First Entry) =
37243	3 ddvb08011995d25	ddvb08011995	Single	Self (head of househ	n Male		27 25	-54	HH without Kid	d Single Adults	Single Adult		12/02/2022	03/13/2023		04/15/2023	04/15/2023	134	33
	3 hgga03131940h45			Self (head of househ	h Female		83 55 ar	nd up	HH without Kid	I Single Adults	Single Adult	ongoing hou	03/07/2023	03/13/2023	04/09/2023		04/09/2023	33	27
23269	9 aoaa06031996a12	9,528	Group	Head of household's	Female		26 25	-54	HH with Kids	No HoH or DO	No HoH or DO	ongoing hou	06/01/2022	11/09/2022	04/05/2023		04/05/2023	308	147
	dlzb01112017d524		Group	Head of household's	Male		6 0-	17	HH with Kids	No HoH or DO	No HoH or DO	ongoing hou	06/02/2022	11/09/2022	04/05/2023		04/05/2023	307	147
	8 ngra02081977n60		Group	Self (head of househ	n Female		46 25	-54	HH with Kids	Families	Single Adult Pa	ther ongoing I	11/18/2022	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		04/03/2023	136	111
	9 jstb06042007j620s		Group	Head of household's	Male		15 0-	-17	HH with Kids	Families	Single Adult Pa	ther ongoing I	11/18/2022	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		04/03/2023	136	111

Summary tables (average)

Average LOT to Housing for heads of households based on their Approximate Start Date of Homelessness as All Clients.	Non-Chronic	All HoHs
Non-Veteran	117.00	117.00
All HoHs	117.00	117.00
Average LOT to Housing for heads of households based on their first enrollment as All Clients.	Non-Chronic	All HoHs
Non-Veteran	67.80	67.80
All HoHs	67.80	67.80

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Housed Clients Exiting Report

The Housed Clients Exiting report

This report identifies individuals who have **exited to permanent housing** during the reporting period and **continue to have open enrollments** in other projects serving those that are literally homeless.

Use this report as a data monitoring tool to ensure all housing placements are counted!

Find and open your Housing Clients Exiting Report.

Report Structure

Newly Housed Details Tab

Clients with at least one enrollment that shows they moved-into housing during the reporting period <u>OR</u> exited to a housing destination*.

**this also includes those that exit to housing from a housing project.

Open Enrollments Details Tab

For the <u>same group</u> of people, any **open enrollments** in literally homeless projects.

Report Structure

Open Enrollment Details ▼

Built for Zero Housed Clients Exiting Report v04.11 Open Enrollment Details for CS report(43);FY 22 PSH DQ(67);FY 22 RRH DQ(66) All Locations

4 Clients who have exited to housing with open enrollments in other projects in 4 Households.

Client Uid	Entry Date	Exit Date	Housing Move-in Date	Program Type	Exit Destination
	Citity Date	EXIL Date	Move-III Date	Program Type	Destination
35093	10/20/2022			Coordinated Entry (HUD)	
37243	03/20/2023		04/15/2023	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	
37243	3/16/2023		04/15/2023	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	
37243	03/13/2023		04/15/2023	Coordinated Entry (HUD)	
23268	10/14/2022			Coordinated Entry (HUD)	
33671	04/29/2022			Coordinated Entry (HUD)	

How many people in this community are potentially housed but not being counted as housed in the outflow report?

Newly Housed Details ▼

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17 Clients who have exited to housing in 10 Households.

Client Uid	Entry Date	Exit Date	Housing Move-in Date	Program Type	Exit Destination
35738	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
35739	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
35740	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
34631	01/02/2023	04/28/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Staying or living with family, permanent tenure (HUD)
36791	01/02/2023	04/28/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Staying or living with family, permanent tenure (HUD)
37502	03/20/2023	04/10/2023	04/01/2023	PH - Rapid Re-Housing (HUD)	Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
37503	03/20/2023	04/10/2023		PH - Rapid Re-Housing (HUD)	Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
23268	02/03/2023	04/05/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
23269	02/03/2023	04/05/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
23270	02/03/2023	04/05/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
11867	02/08/2019	04/01/2023	04/26/2019	PH - Permanent Supportive Housing (Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
11869	02/08/2019	04/01/2023	04/26/2019	PH - Permanent Supportive Housing (Rental by client, with other ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
35093	09/26/2022	04/10/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, with HCV voucher (tenant or project based) (HUD
37243	04/12/2023		04/15/2023	PH - Rapid Re-Housing (HUD)	
37153	03/13/2023	04/09/2023		Coordinated Entry (HUD)	Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy (HUD)
33671	05/03/2022	04/02/2023		Emergency Shelter (HUD)	Rental by client, with HCV voucher (tenant or project based) (HUD
22865	03/04/2018	04/18/2023	03/04/2018	PH - Permanent Supportive Housing (Staying or living with friends, permanent tenure (HUD)

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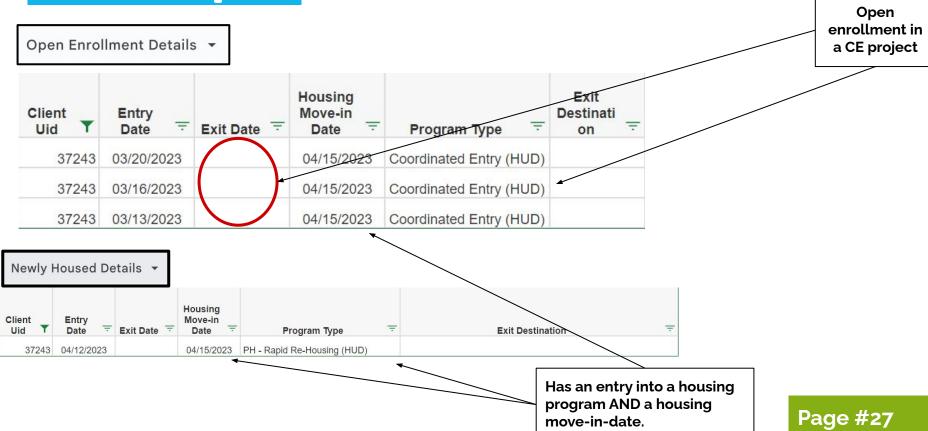


Exit to a PH Exit Destination

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Open

For example:



Using the report.

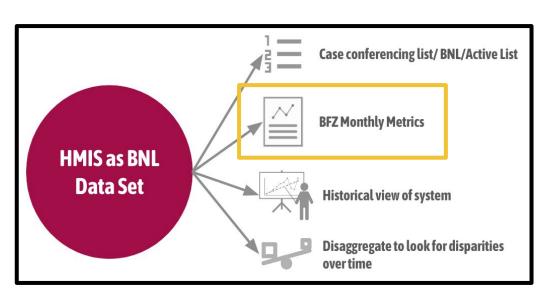
It is recommended to always review row-level data for all individuals that show up on the <u>Open Enrollment Details</u> tab.

Taking this extra step to confirm and correct the information in this report will help to accurately identify who is actively homeless and who has exited to housing.

Reporting BFZ metrics

Using the report suite for BFZ metrics

The report suite provides the tools and information to report BFZ monthly metrics based on the data in HMIS



A few considerations

- Data not in HMIS will not be included
- Data out is only as good as data in
- Additional analysis is needed to align HMIS data with BFZ population and subpopulation definitions

Open up your Inflow and Outflow reports & navigate to the first tab of each report

All Clients-Inflow

All Clients Actively Homeic	ess as of 5/1/23		
Active Clients by All Clients enrolled and not yet housed on 5/1/23 and those exited to an inactive destination on or after 2/1/23.	Non-Chronic	Chronic	All Deduplicated
Non-Veteran	794	181	97
Veteran	22	6	
All Deduplicated	816	187	99
All Clients Inflow (clients entered) between 4/1/23 and 5/1/2	23 who were not p	art of the active list	t on 4/1/23
Count of active clients aging into chronic status as All Clients between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23	Chronic	All Deduplicated	
Non-Veteran	23	23	
Veteran	2	2	
All Deduplicated	25	25	
Newly identified clients as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23 who have not been enrolled in a project between 5/1/21 and 4/1/23. Non-Veteran Veteran	Non-Chronic	Chronic 3	All Deduplicated
Veteran			
	1	0	
All Deduplicated	1 115	3	1
All Deduplicated Clients returning from housing as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23 who previously were housed in a permanent housing destination.	925		1
Clients returning from housing as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and	115	3	1
Clients returning from housing as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23 who previously were housed in a permanent housing destination.	115 Non-Chronic	3	1
Clients returning from housing as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23 who previously were housed in a permanent housing destination. Non-Veteran	Non-Chronic	3	1:
Clients returning from housing as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23 who previously were housed in a permanent housing destination. Non-Veteran All Deduplicated Clients returning from inactivity as All Clients entered between 4/1/23 and	Non-Chronic	All Deduplicated	All Deduplicated

All Clients-Outflow

All Clients Actively Homeless as of 5/1/23				
Active Clients as All Clients enrolled and not yet housed on 5/1/23 and those exited to an inactive destination on or after 2/1/23.	Non-Chronic	Chronic	All Deduplicated	
Non-Veteran	794	181	971	
Veteran	22	6	28	
All Deduplicated	816	187	999	
All Clients Outflow (clients leaving) between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23 w with enrollment aft		active list before	or housed quicky	
Housed Clients as All Clients who were active before 5/1/23 and housed between 4/1/23 and 5/1/23.	Non-Chronic	All Deduplicated		
Non-Veteran	11	11		
All Deduplicated	11	11		
Average LOT to Housing for heads of households based on their Approximate Start Date of Homelessness as All Clients.	Non-Chronic	All HoHs		
Non-Veteran Non-Veteran	117.00	117.00		
All HoHs	117.00	117.00		
Average LOT to Housing for heads of households based on their first enrollment as All Clients.	Non-Chronic	All HoHs		
Non-Veteran	67.80	67.80		
All HoHs	67.80	67.80		
Inactive Clients as All Clients who were part of the active list before 4/1/23 and are not part of the active list as of 5/1/23 and were not housed between 4/1/23 and 6/1/23.	Non-Chronic	Chronic	All Deduplicated	
Non-Veteran	22	5	25	
All Deduplicated	22	5	25	

Inflow & Outflow

All Clients Actively Homeless as of 5/1/23				
Active Clients by All Clients enrolled and not yet housed on 5/1/23 and those exited to an inactive destination on or after 2/1/23.	Non-Chronic	Chronic	All Deduplicated	
Non-Veteran	794	181	971	
Veteran	22	6	28	
All Deduplicated	816	187	999	

Summary tables include clients enrolled in the reporting group

projects across all BFZ populations







Veterans

Veterans Actively Homeless as of 5/1/23				
Active Clients by Veterans enrolled and not yet housed on 5/1/23 and those exited to an inactive destination on or after 2/1/23.	нон	Other	All Deduplicated	
Non-Chronic	18	4	22	
Chronic	5	1	6	
All Deduplicated	23	5	28	

Summary tables include veterans that are members of a household with minor children and veterans ages 18-24 Matches BFZ definition

Chronic

Chronic Actively Homeless as of 5/1/23				
Active Clients by Chronic enrolled and not yet housed on 5/1/23 and those exited to an inactive destination on or after 2/1/23.	нон	Other	All Deduplicated	
Non-Veteran	171	10	181	
Veteran	5	1	6	
All Deduplicated	176	11	187	

Summary tables include chronic individuals that are members of a household with minor children and chronic individuals ages 18-24

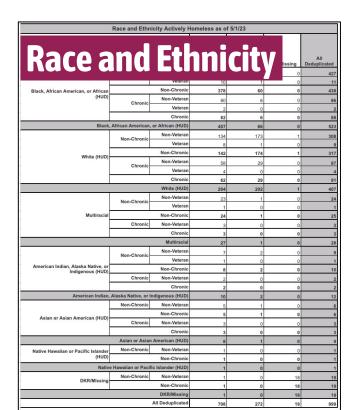
Does not match BFZ definition

Chronic individuals in households with minor children

→ Family reporting

Chronic individuals aged 18-24 with no household member over 24

Youth reporting



Best used for System wide review Single Adult - Veteran review Single Adult - Chronic review* Single Adult - Chronic review* Female Non-Veteran 2 2 4 4 Female 385 87 469 Transgender Non-Veteran 4 2 6 Transgender 4 2 6

Age Groups Actively Homeless as of 5/1/23					
Age G	23 and	Non-Chronic	Chronic	All Deduplicated	
III AZE UI	on-Veteran	231	0	231	
	0-17	231	0	231	
18-24	Non-Veteran	74	7	81	
10-24	Veteran	1	0	1	
	18-24			82	
25-54	Non-Veteran	369	110	477	
25-54	Veteran	9	3	12	
	25-54	378	113	489	
55 and up	Non-Veteran	106	64	168	
35 and up	Veteran	12	3	15	
	55 and up			183	
Null	Null Non-Veteran		0	14	
	Null	14	0	14	
	All Deduplicated	816	187	999	

Non-Veteran

Non-Veteran

No Gender Recorded

Client refused

No Gender Recorded

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Reporting BFZ Metrics

We can make our own summary tables using pivot tables and the person level detail tabs!



For Reference: See the updated BFZ Reporting Reference Guide



Section C: Reporting BFZ Metrics

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Recommendations for the report/tab to use for each metric

Recommended tab by metric to calculate BFZ metrics

BFZ Metric	Report	Tab
Actively Homeless	Case Conferencing	Active Client Details Active Client Details for Viz
Newly Identified	Inflow	New Client Details New Clients for Viz
Newly Identified (Chronic Age-In ONLY)	Case Conferencing	Active Client Details Active Client Details for Viz
Returned to Active from Housed	Inflow	Housed Return Details Housed Returns for Viz
Returned to Active from Inactive	Inflow	Inactive Return Details Inactive Return Details for Viz
Housing Placements	Outflow	Exit to Housing Details Exit to Housing for Viz
Move to Inactive	Outflow	Newly Inactive Details Newly Inactive for Viz
No Longer Meets Population Criteria	N/A	N/A
LOT from ID to Housed	Outflow	LOT to Housing Details LOT to Housing Details for Viz

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Guidance on how to filter for Household Type/Population detail

BF	Z Household Type	
Single Adults	Single Adult	Household with only Adults >24 (Including multiple adult households)
Families	Families	Household with members <18 and members >18
Single Adults	Other Household Type	Household with members 18-24 and members >24
Youth	Unaccompanied Youth	Household with only members ages 18-24
Youth	Unaccompanied Minor	Household with only members <18
Potential data error	No HoH or DOB Missing	Missing necessary data to designate a household type. Should be reviewed for data quality errors.

HH

Type I	Based on Enrollme	nt]
	Single Adult	No Entry Exit Group ID (Enrolled by themselves) and over 24 years.
	Multiple Adult HH	There are no members <18 in the household and more than 1 person in the group enrollment.
	Single Adult Parent	Household has members <18, the Self/HoH is over 24, and there is only one person over 18 in the household.
	Adult Parenting with Partner	Household has members <18 and the Self/HoH and partner are both over 24.
	Multiple Adults with Kids	Household has members <18 and the Self/HoH is over 24 and there are other household members over 18 in the household.
	Parenting Youth	Household has members <18 and the Self/HoH is between 18 and 24 regardless of age of other adults in household Example: a 23 year old mom, 25 year old partner with kids would be parenting youth when the mom is Self/HoH
	Youth Only	Household has no members <18 and Self/HoH is between 18 and 24
	No HoH or DOB Missing	HoH Age column is null, happens either when there is no Self/HoH or the Self/HoH has no birth date entered. Should be reviewed for data quality errors.

for data quality errors.

Anything not categorized explicitly above. Should be reviewed

Other Household Type

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Population detail



	BFZ Household Type				
Single Adults	Single Adult	Household with only Adults >24 (Including multiple adult households)			
Families	Families	Household with members <18 and members >18			
Single Adults	Other Household Type	Household with members 18-24 and members >24			
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Potential data error	No HoH or DOB Missing	Missing necessary data to designate a household type. Should be reviewed for data quality errors.			

Section C: Reporting BFZ Metrics

Veteran Status

Pulls the data field from HMIS



Chronic Status

Same logic to designate chronicity that is used by HUD in the APR and CAPER reports:

- Individual is 18 or over
- Presence of the Disability AND
- More than 4 times homeless & 12+ months homeless in the past three years, OR
- Approximate start date is more than one year ago



Chronic Aging Date =	Age-In To —
01/01/2023	No
05/01/2023	N/A
08/27/2019	N/A
04/01/2023	Yes
07/15/2023	N/A

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Using Pivot Tables - Example

OUTFLOW: Moved to Inactive Single Adults - Veteran and Chronic subpopulations

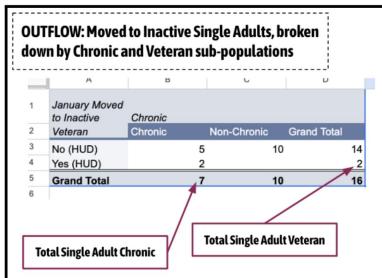
Pivot Table set up:

Rows: Veteran field

Columns: Chronic field

Filters: BFZ Household Type field (filtered for Single Adults)

Values: Client Unique Id (Unique Count)





LOT Homeless calculations

BFZ Definition of Date of Identification (from the updated Reporting Reference Guide):

The 'Date of Identification' is defined as the day that an individual or household first appears on the By Name List. This occurs when they have indicated they are experiencing homelessness, or it is apparent that they are homeless even if they were unable or unwilling to disclose their status. This date may not coincide with the day they were evaluated with a common assessment tool.

Once again... Two calculations in the report:

- 1. Approximate start date of homelessness
- 2. Date of first enrollment of current episode of homelessness

Which one should we use for BFZ reporting?

Likely date of first entry, but, it depends!

- → Which one more accurately represents the **date of identification in your** community?
- → Which one more accurately represents the date of identification for each individual being housed?

LOT Homeless calculations

Summary Table calculation (All Clients tab-Outflow report)

Average LOT to Housing for heads of households based on their Approximate Start Date of Homelessness as All Clients.	Non-Chronic	All HoHs
Non-Veteran	117.00	117.00
All HoHs	117.00	117.00
Average LOT to Housing for heads of households based on their first enrollment as All Clients.	Non-Chronic	All HoHs
Non-Veteran	67.80	67.80
All HoHs	67.80	67.80

Average of LOT for those who have been housed (LOT to Housing Details tab-Outflow report)

Client Uid =	BFZ Househol d Type =	HH Type Based on Enrollment	Exit Destinatio n	Approx Start =	First Entry =	Exit Date =	Housing Move-in Date =	Housing -	LOT Move-in (Approx Start) =	LOT Move-in (First Entry)
37243	Single Adults	Single Adult		12/02/2022	03/13/2023		04/15/2023	04/15/2023	134	33
37153	Single Adults	Single Adult	o ongoing housi	03/07/2023	03/13/2023	04/09/2023		04/09/2023	33	27
35738	Families	Single Adult Parent	other ongoing ho	11/18/2022	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		04/03/2023	136	111
35739	Families	Single Adult Parent	other ongoing ho	11/18/2022	12/13/2022	04/03/2023		04/03/2023	136	111

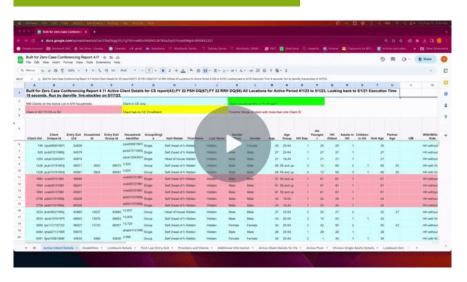
Let's try it out in Google Sheets!

Explainer Videos

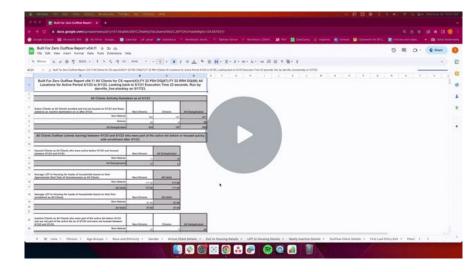


We recommend using **Client Unique ID** in place of **Client ID** as the *Value* in building a pivot table to account for potential duplicates as noted in the Case Conferencing report

Chronic - Actively Homeless



Chronic - Moved to Inactive





We have a website!



You can find documents, presentations, recordings, and all other things BFZ report suite on our website.



Virtual Trainings

BNL Data Quality Workshop

Learn how to use your reports to improve your BNL data quality!

Tuesday, August 22nd, 10-11:30am PT/

12-1:30pm CT / 1-2:30pm ET (Registration Link)

FYI - this training will be very hands-on. You will want to have your reports downloaded and ready to work with for the training.



Feedback Form

A place for you to **continuously** provide feedback, ask questions, and request support from a BFZ Data Coach.

The link to this form is available on the website!



Training Survey

With our remaining time, we are going to ask you to take a survey!

Not only do we want to hear your feedback, we want to hear about what other materials and trainings that **you need to successfully implement these reports** in your community.





