## RESOURCES FOR EXAMINING RACIAL EQUITY HOMELESSNESS DATA

Please read resources at the end and understand what the tool you're looking at is using. There are nuances in metrics between tools; for example, Stella-P and the MN Dash are similar, but will give different numbers based on reporting differences. When Stella-P looks at returns to homelessness it will count the exact household configuration, whereas the MN Dash will look at all clients.

This document is specifically targeting racial and ethnic disparities, some of these tools go beyond this, so while there are other useful views, this will point you towards those that show racial and ethnic disparities.

### RESOURCES FOR ILLUSTRATING DISPARITIES

| Resources | Data Sources | Who does this look at | Data Points | Last updated | What region | Timeframe | Who can access this | Export functions |
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| Minnesota Dash to End Homelessness | HMIS data only | • Singles<br>• Families<br>• All people<br>• All project types | • Counts overall and by project type<br>• Entering<br>• Exiting<br>• Newly homeless<br>• Returns to homelessness*<br>• Exits to permanent housing<br>• System movement (not broken down by race and ethnicity) | 2-month lag | Statewide and CoC | Rolling two years | Everyone | PowerPoint, Image, PDF (but lose rollover text) |
| Stella-P | HMIS data only | • Households in<br>• Emergency Shelter<br>• Safe Haven<br>• Transitional Housing<br>• Rapid Rehousing<br>• Permanent Supportive Housing | • Race and ethnicity of heads of household and adults by project type and household type, veteran, and young adults<br>• Returns to homelessness* trend by race and by population group (within a CoC)<br>• Exits to permanent housing by population group and household type and destination<br>• Length of time homeless by population type by race, and household type<br>• Pathways through the system (not broken down by race and ethnicity) | 2021 | CoC | Federal Fiscal Year (2018, 2019, 2020) but can "Stellavise" with ICA's help a more recent data set | Only those with HDX 2.0 Access (CoC granted) | PNG or JPG Image or image of table<br><br>Print Chart or Print All |

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| ICA Coordinated Entry Dashboard | HMIS data only | • Singles<br>• Families | • Counts of clients entering and leaving the priority list, referrals, and leaving with or without a housing move-in date by race and ethnicity<br>• Average time to: referral, project entry, and to housing move-in; as well as average time on list for stayers by race and ethnicity | 2-month lag | Statewide and CoCs | 3/23/2020-present with a 2-month lag | Everyone | PowerPoint, Image, PDF (but lose rollover text) |
| ICA Racial Disparities in Homelessness Dashboard | Census and PIT data (HMIS and non-HMIS) | • All people<br>• Emergency Shelter<br>• Transitional Housing<br>• Unsheltered | • Percentage distribution in general population and in homeless population by race and ethnicity<br>• Rates per 10,000 residents by race and comparison to the rate for white residents (in rollover text) | 2018 PIT night | Statewide and CoCs | 1 night (PIT night) | Everyone | PowerPoint, Image, PDF (note: PDFs will lose rollover text) |
| HUD CoC Analysis Tool: Race and Ethnicity | Census and PIT data (HMIS and non-HMIS) | • All People<br>• Households with children<br>• Sub-populations (Veterans and Youth)<br>• Emergency Shelter<br>• Transitional Housing<br>• Unsheltered | • Percentage distribution of those experiencing poverty and the homeless population and unsheltered homeless population by race and ethnicity<br>• Counts and percentage distributions in table format for all above | 2019 PIT night | CoC (can compare nationwide) | 1 night (PIT night) | Everyone | Excel file or screenshots |

*Stella-P returns to homelessness depends on the same household configuration; the MN-Dash is based the first return to homelessness.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND RESOURCES:
- MN Dash to End Homelessness Facilitation Guide
- Stella-P Guides:
  - Stella-P Race and Ethnicity Analysis Guide
  - General Stella Resources
- ICA Coordinated Entry Dashboard Facilitation Guide
- HMIS Racial Equity Analysis Resources
  - See something missing? Add it here.

DISCUSSION RESOURCES
- National Alliance to End Homelessness Action Steps
- MN Dash to End Homelessness Facilitation Guide