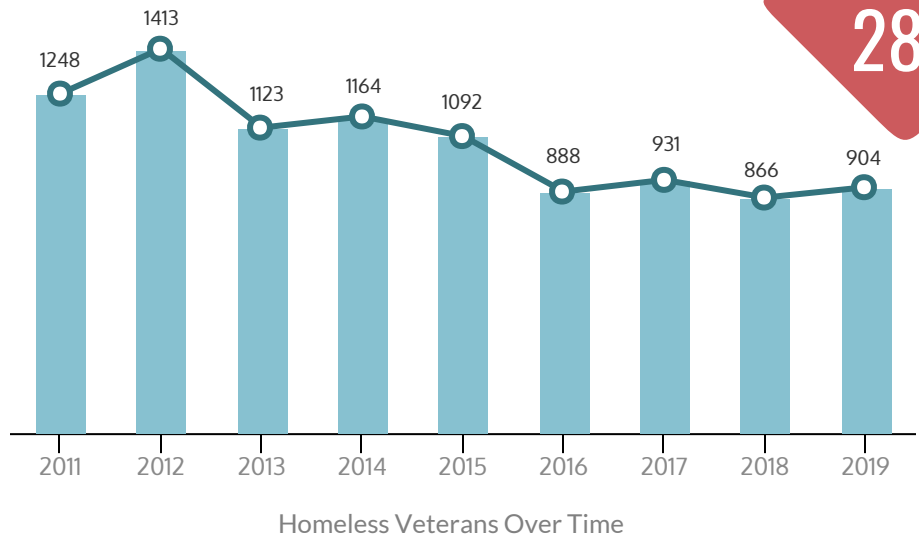


2019

Veteran Homelessness in North Carolina

Veteran Homelessness has decreased by 28% since 2011



904

904 veterans and 48 of their family members experienced homelessness in North Carolina on one night during the last week of January 2019.

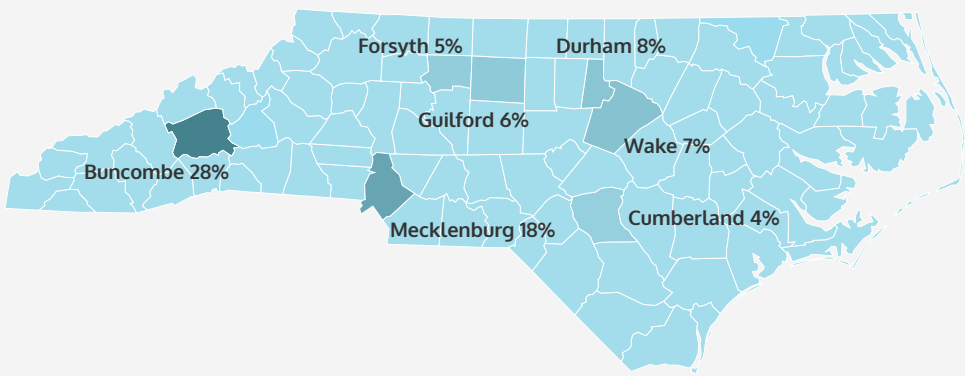
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Using this snapshot from January and data indicating the frequency of new episodes of homelessness, there will be an estimated 2,700 veterans who experience homelessness throughout 2019.

Veteran homelessness increased by 4% in one year

4% ↑

A large number of transitional housing beds for veterans in Buncombe county results in a disproportionate rate of veterans experiencing homelessness.



84% sleeping in sheltered locations



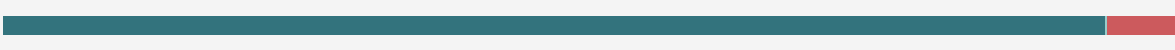
unsheltered homelessness decreased by 71% since 2011, but remained flat 2018 -2019.



16% sleeping in unsheltered locations



93%



1 individual identified as transgender



7%



90%



13 of the total 903 households were families with children average family size is 3 people



5%



5% chronically homeless

People who are chronically homeless have experienced homelessness for at least a year – or repeatedly – while struggling with a disabling condition such as a serious mental illness, substance use disorder, or physical disability.



52% of homeless vets were African-American

Among North Carolina's larger veteran population, African-Americans are only 22%. This indicates African-Americans experience homelessness at a disproportionate rate.

White: 42%, multiple races: 4%, all other races: 2%