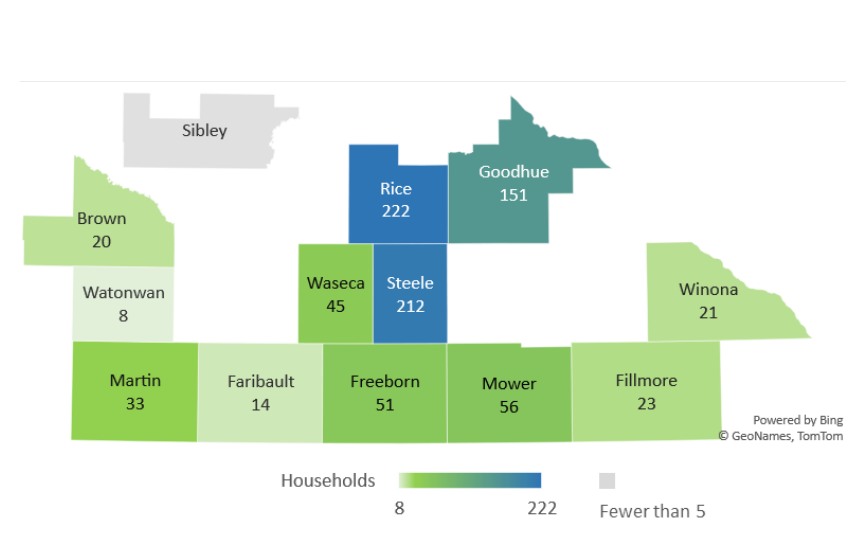
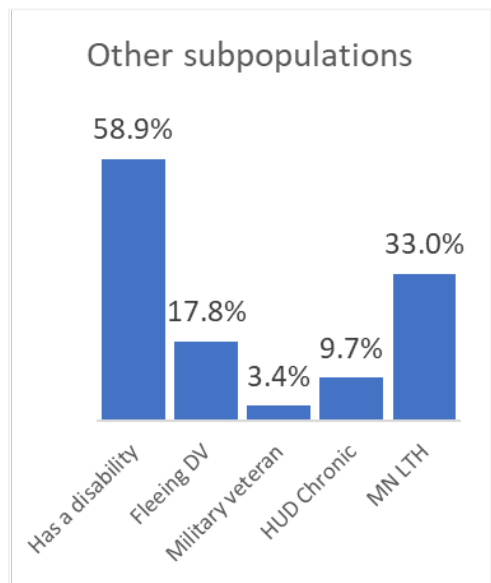
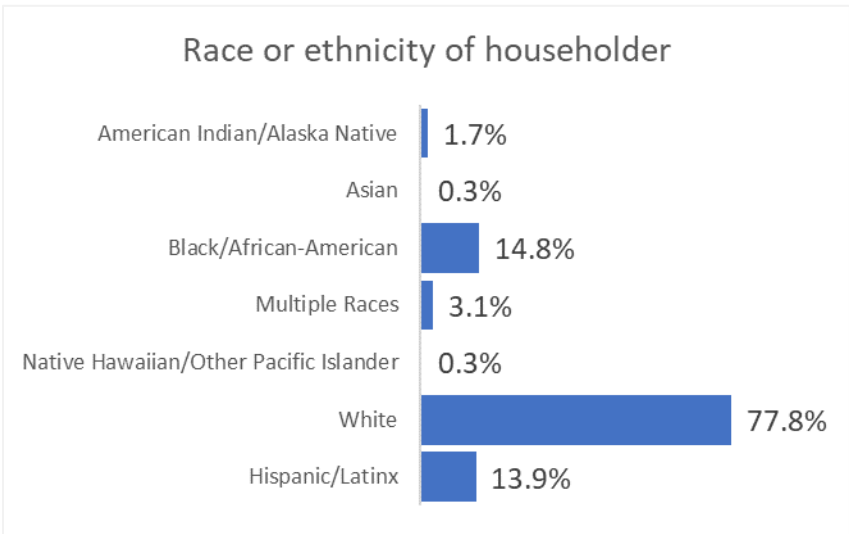
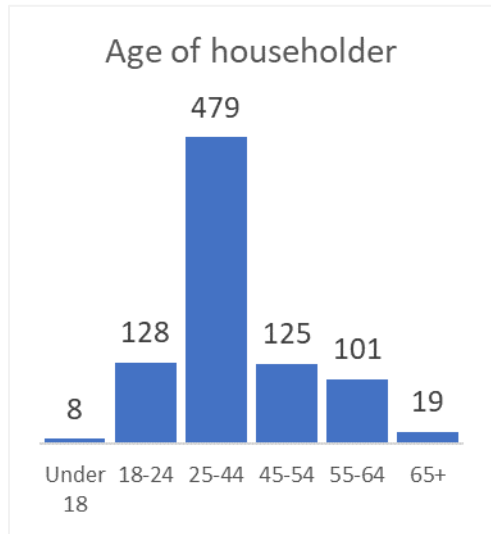


# RURAL HOMELESSNESS

“Rural” for the purposes of HUD Supplemental NOFO to Address Unsheltered and Rural Homelessness includes Brown, Faribault, Fillmore, Freeborn, Goodhue, Martin, Mower, Rice, Steele, Waseca, Watonwan, and Winona Counties. Other counties (Blue Earth, Dodge, Houston, Le Sueur, Nicollet, Olmsted, or Wabasha) are not represented in this report.

## ALL RURAL SUMMARY

Households in rural counties, as identified in Coordinated Entry	Households	Persons
<b>TOTAL (January 1-December 31, 2021)</b>	<b>860</b>	<b>1,587</b>
Single adults and couples without children	475 (55%)	524 (33%)
Households with adults and children	250 (29%)	840 (53%)
Unaccompanied youth households	135 (16%)	223 (14%)



Data sources: River Valleys CoC Coordinated Entry Monitoring Report (HMIS) and non-HMIS priority list. Report period January 1-December 31, 2021.

## COMPARISON TO OVERALL HOMELESS POPULATION

### Persons and households experiencing homelessness in rural counties are



#### More likely to:

- Identify as Hispanic/Latinx (14% vs. 9%)
- Be in a household with adults and children (29% vs. 24%)

compared to the overall homeless population



#### About as likely to:

- Be in an adult only household (55% vs. 53%)
- Have a disability (59% vs. 57%)
- Qualify as HUD Homeless (35% vs. 36%)

compared to the overall homeless population



#### Less likely to:

- Identify as Black or African American (15% vs. 25%)
- Be in a youth-headed household (15% vs. 21%)

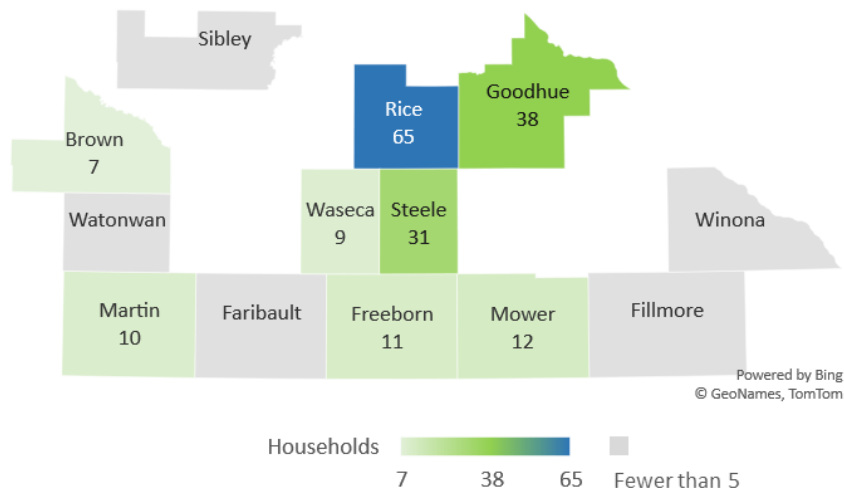
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## HUD PARAGRAPH 3 HOMELESS: SUMMARY FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

Households with children or youth-headed households (up to age 21) in rural counties who are experiencing homelessness under other federal statutes, and who do not qualify under paragraphs 1, 2, or 4 of the HUD Homeless definition.

**195**  
households  
577 persons

Household type	HHs	People
Adult with children	152 78%	514 89%
Youth with children	8 4%	22 4%
Unaccompanied youth	35 18%	41 7%



Over half (195 of 395, or 51%) of households with children and youth-headed households in rural areas fall into the category of experiencing homelessness under other federal statutes. Compared to the overall rural homeless population, families and youth in this category are



#### More likely to:

- Identify as Hispanic/Latinx (22% vs. 14%)
- Be in an adult-headed household (78% vs. 29%)

compared to the RURAL homeless population



#### About as likely to:

- Identify as Black or African American (16% vs. 15%)

compared to the RURAL homeless population



#### Less likely to:

- Have a disability (39% vs. 59%)
- Qualify as MN long-term homeless (20% vs. 33%)

compared to the RURAL homeless population