

Continuum of Care (CoC) 2023:

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA RACIAL EQUITY ANALYSIS

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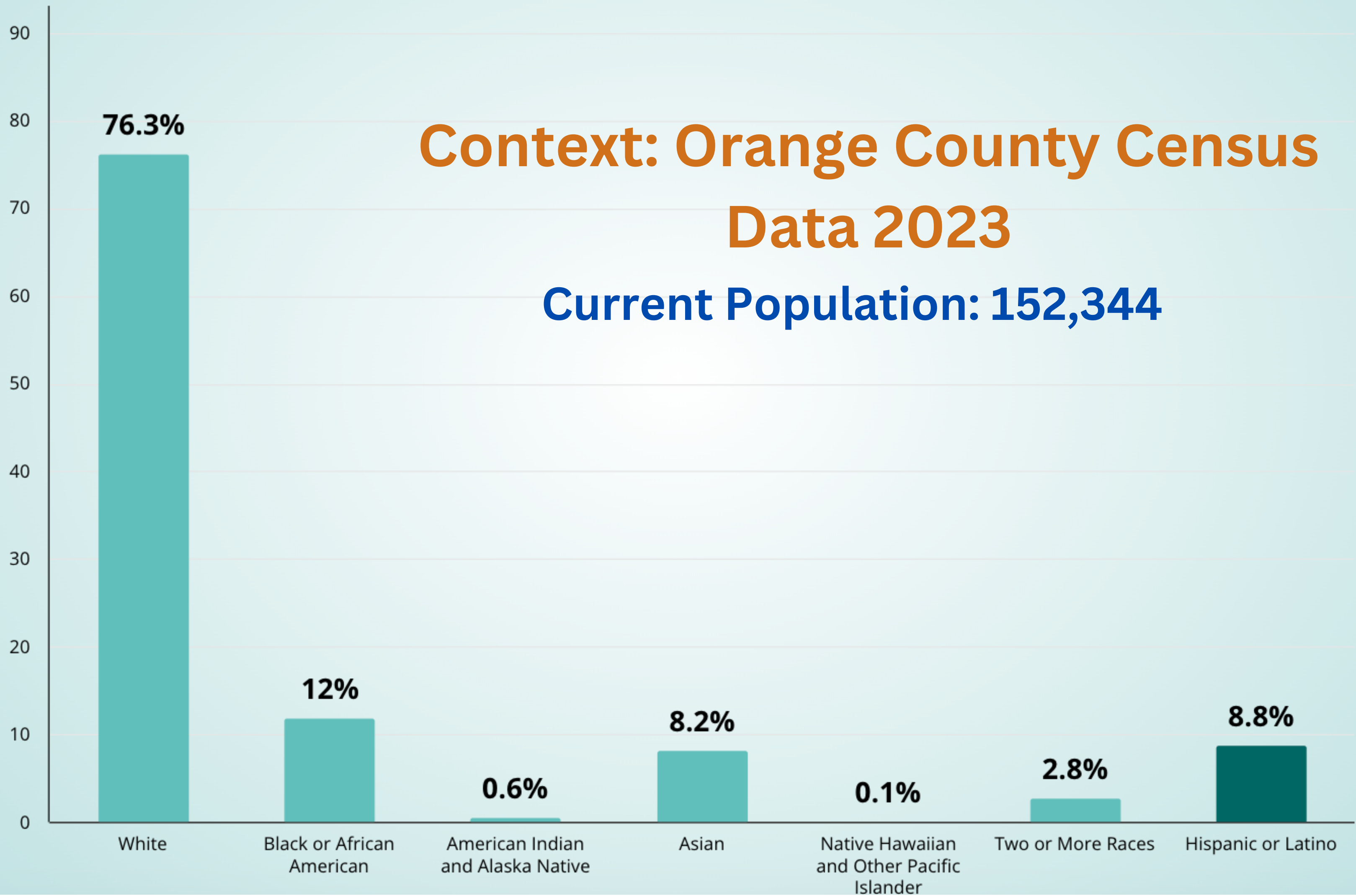
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AGENDA

- **Current context**
 - **Orange County Census Data**
 - **PIT data**
- **Stella-Performance (Stella-P)**
- **Exits**
 - **Permanent destinations**
 - **Temporary destinations**
- **Returns**

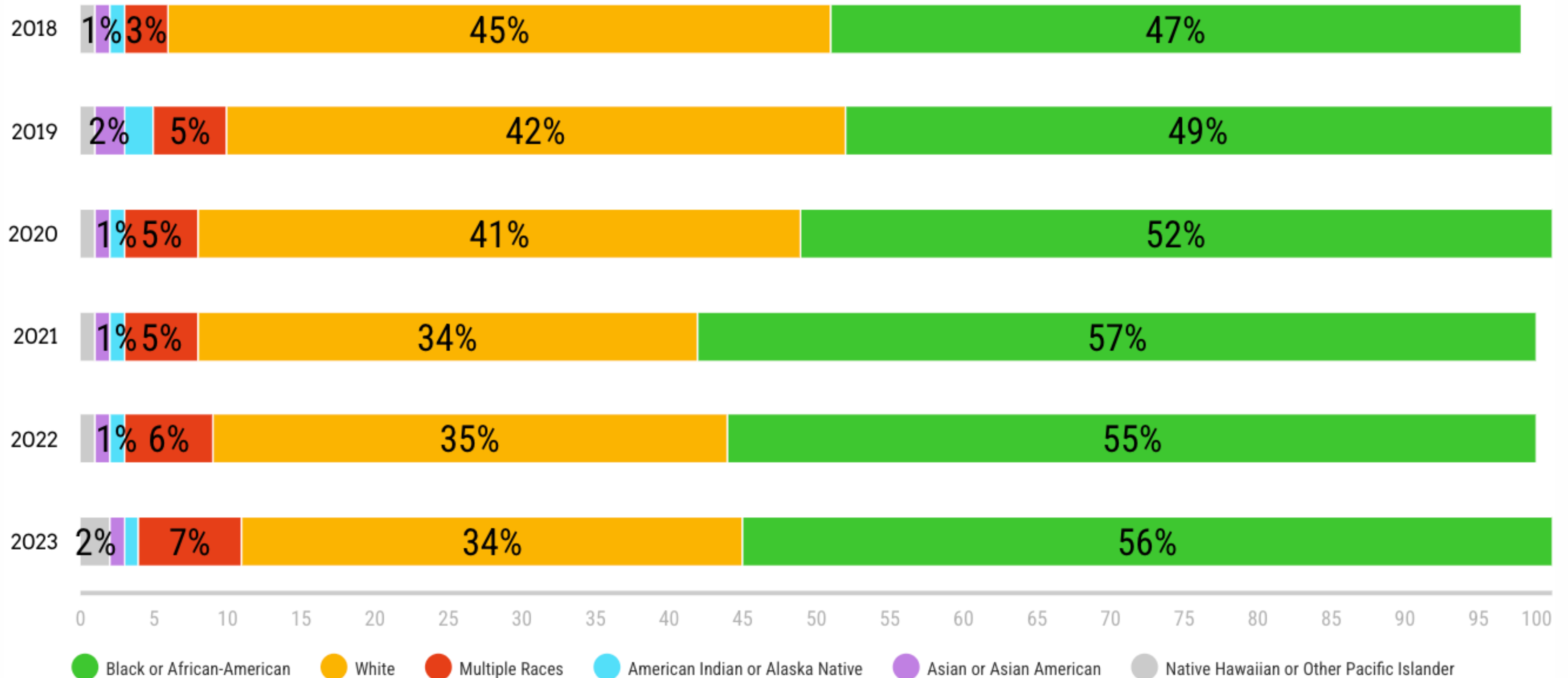
Context: Orange County Census Data 2023

Current Population: 152,344



Who's Experiencing Homelessness?

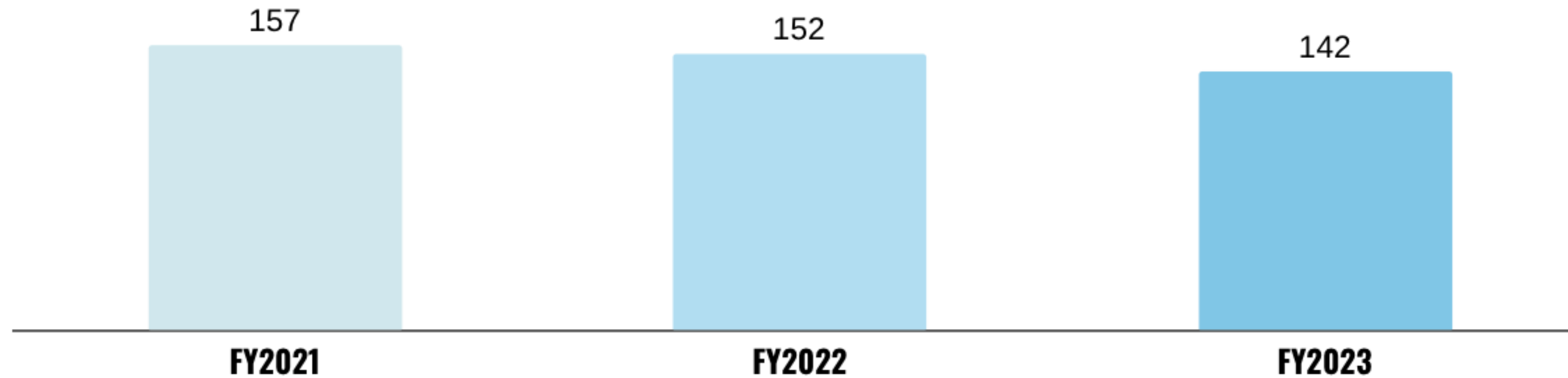
RACE



Average Days Homeless

(FY2021 - FY2023)

Between the fiscal years of 2021 - 2023 there is a **9.55%** decrease in the average days homeless in Orange County, NC



Let's Break it Down Further...

Average days homeless
Adults only: **147 days.**

Average days homeless
Adults and Children: **176 days**

Learn More:



Website: <https://www.orangecountync.gov/1101/Housing>



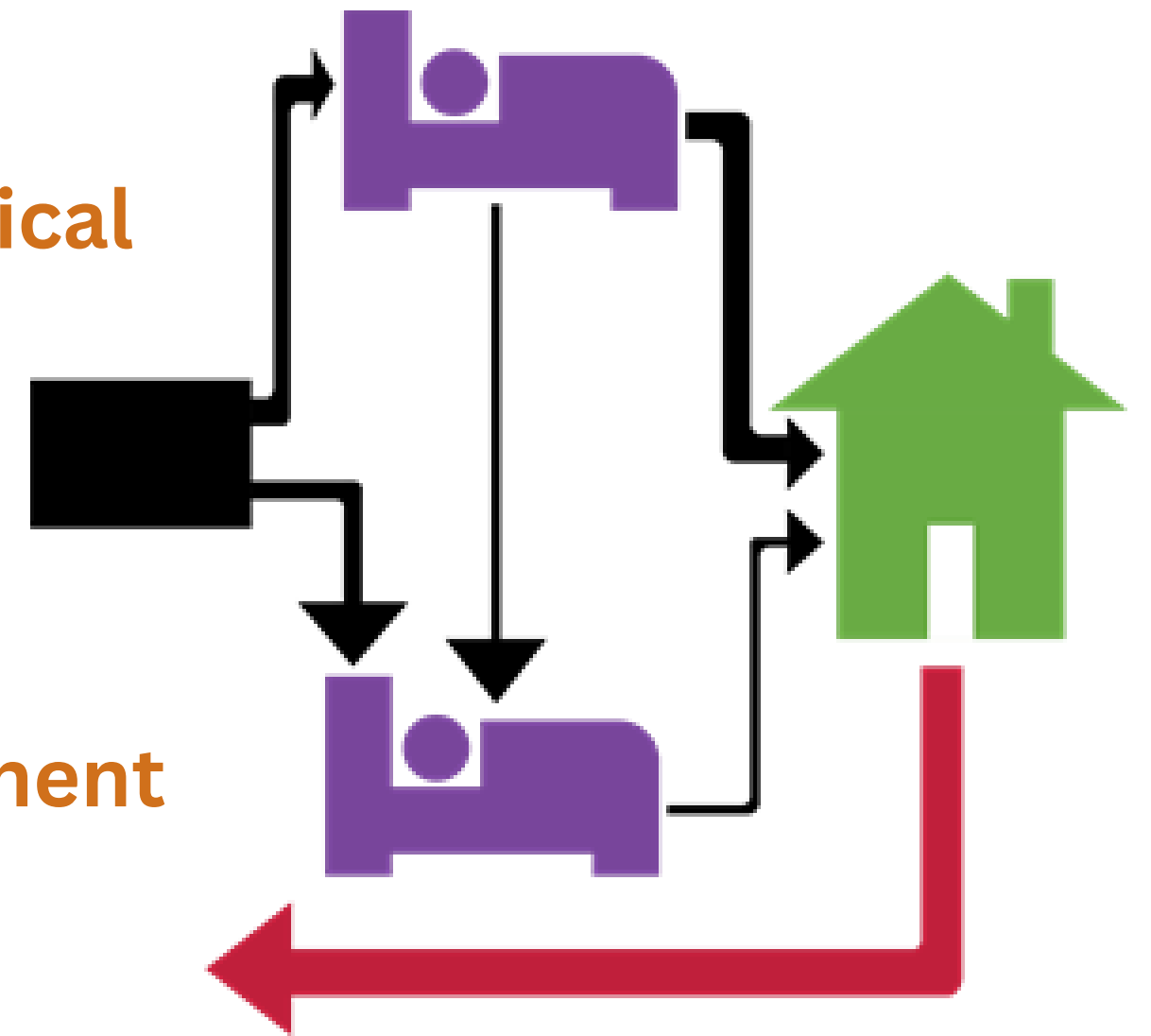
Website: <https://www.ocpehnc.com/>

Stella - Performance (Stella-P)



WHAT IS STELLA-P?

- HUD's Stella Performance Module: Stella P, captures visualizations of CoC's Longitudinal Systems Analysis (LSA) data to illustrate how households move through the homeless system and highlight outcome disparities
- Stella P looks at system-level performance for three critical performance measures:
 - Number of days homeless (Days Homeless)
 - Exits from the homeless system to permanent destinations (Exits)
 - Returns to the homeless system after exits to permanent destinations (Returns)



Why Do We Look at Race?

Why Look at Race?

Before delving into the data presented in the following slides, it's essential to understand why we look at race and recognize the persistent inequities across this country. Over the years, there has been notable progress, but there is still immense work to be done to ensure racial equity... WE can do that work!

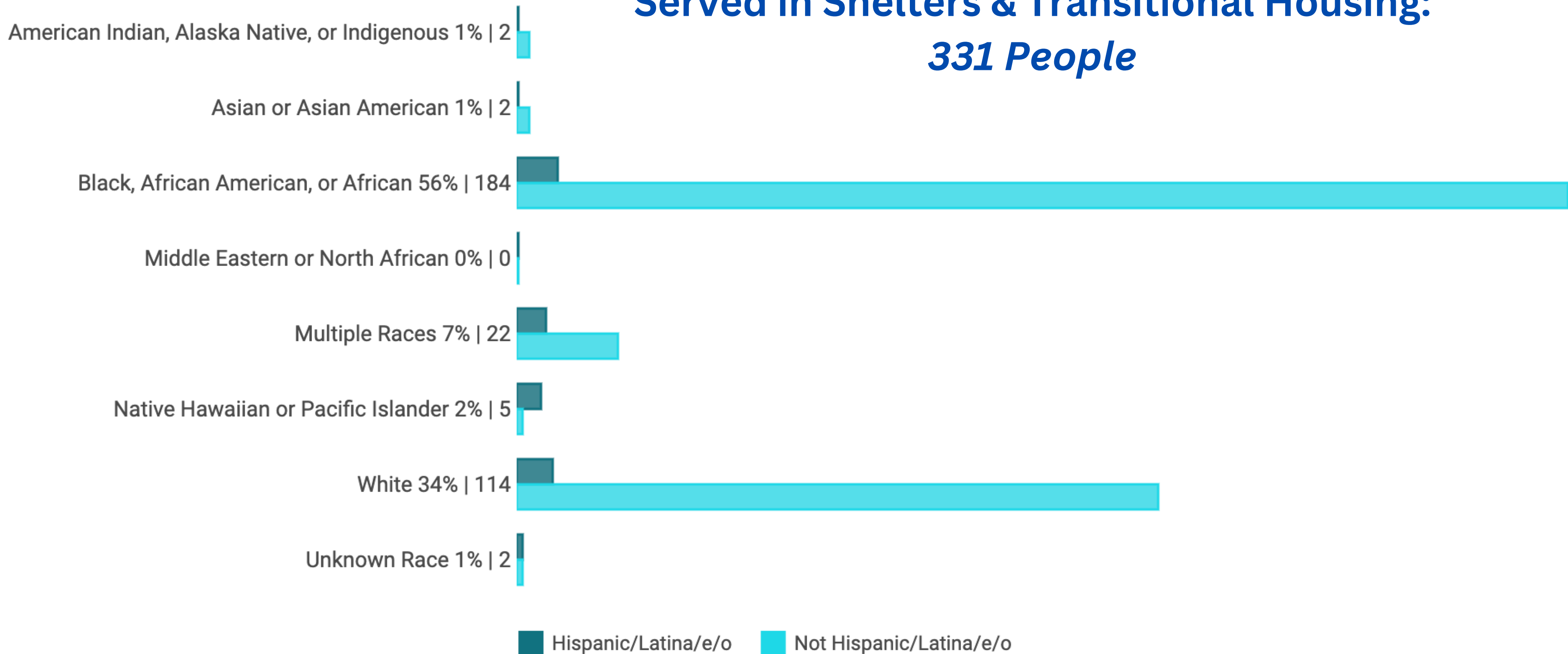


Program Entry



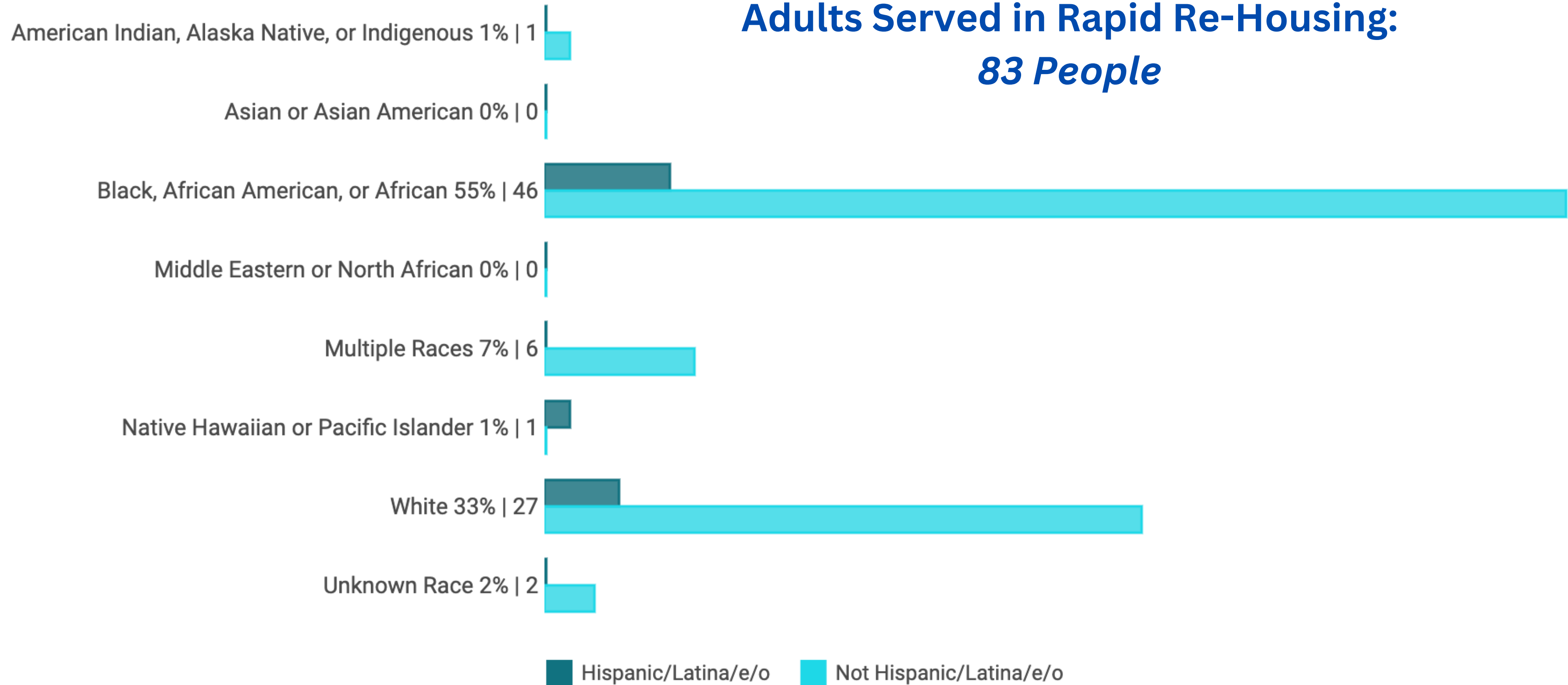
Shelters & Transitional Housing

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults Served in Shelters & Transitional Housing: *331 People*



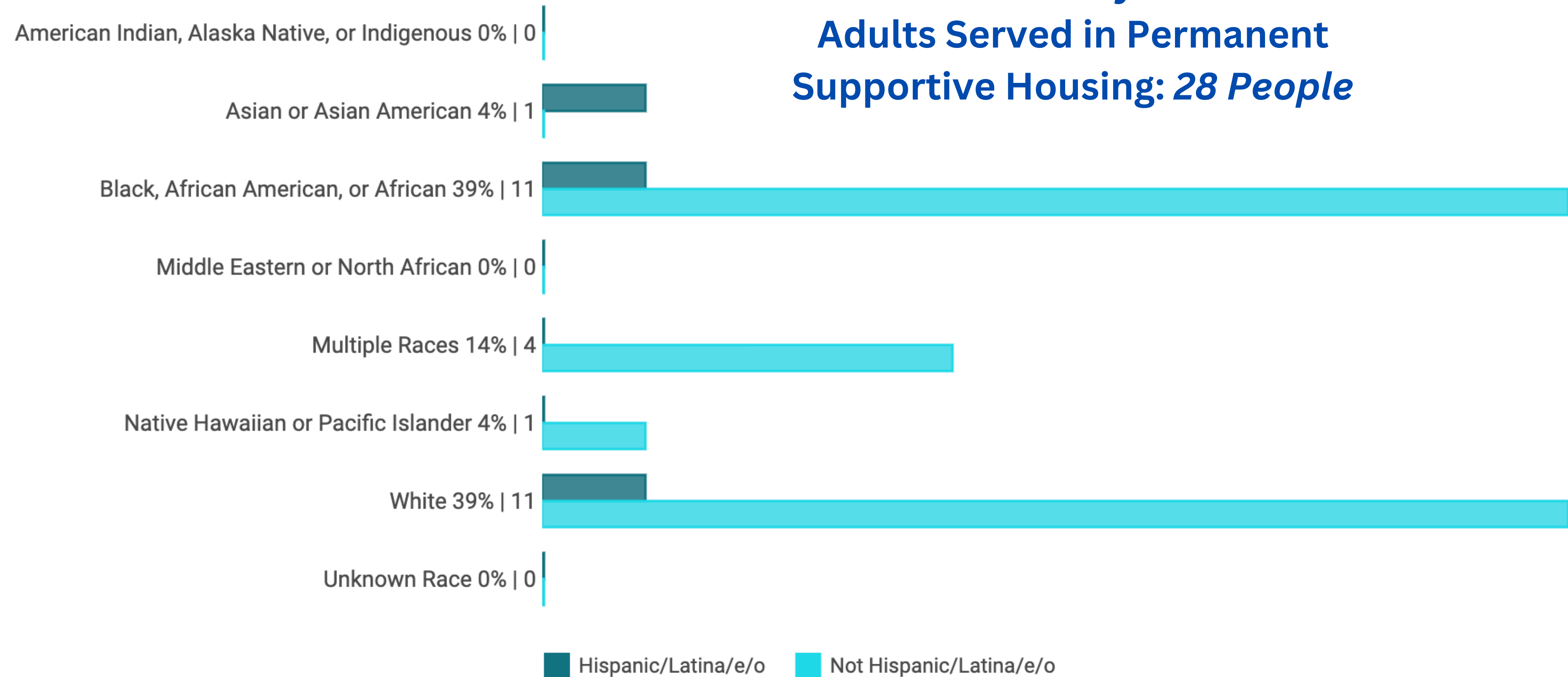
Rapid Re-Housing

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults Served in Rapid Re-Housing: *83 People*



Permanent Supportive Housing

Race and Ethnicity of HoH and Adults Served in Permanent Supportive Housing: *28 People*



Program Exits:

Permanent & Temporary



Exits From the Homeless System

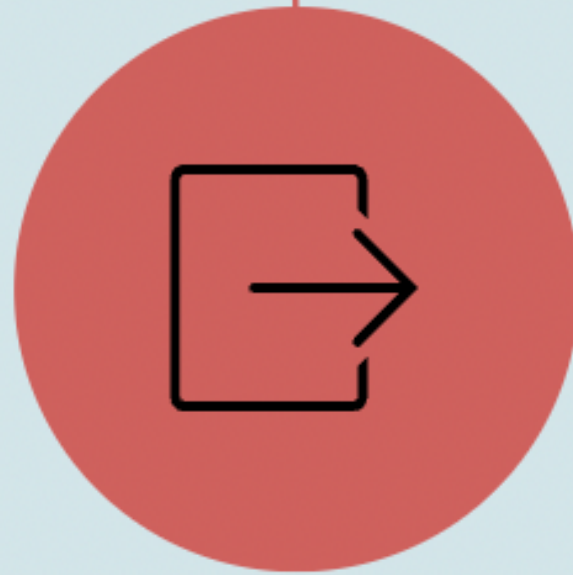
(FY2021 - FY2023)

Between the fiscal years of 2021-2023 the average percentage of households that exited to permanent destinations include:

Adults Only: 20.33%

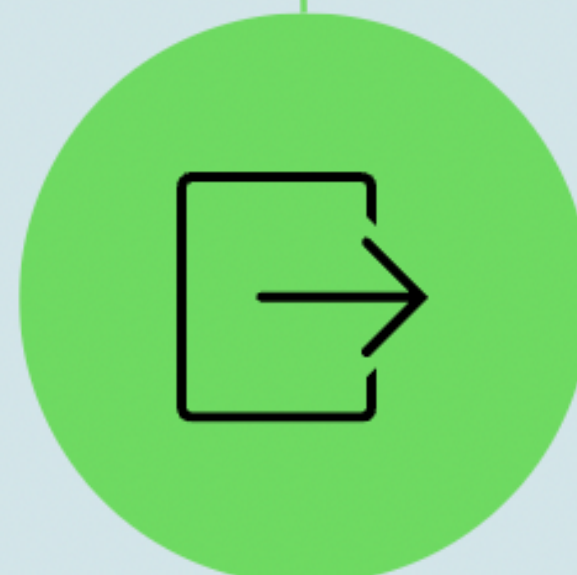
Adults and Children: 69%

30%
of 474 people



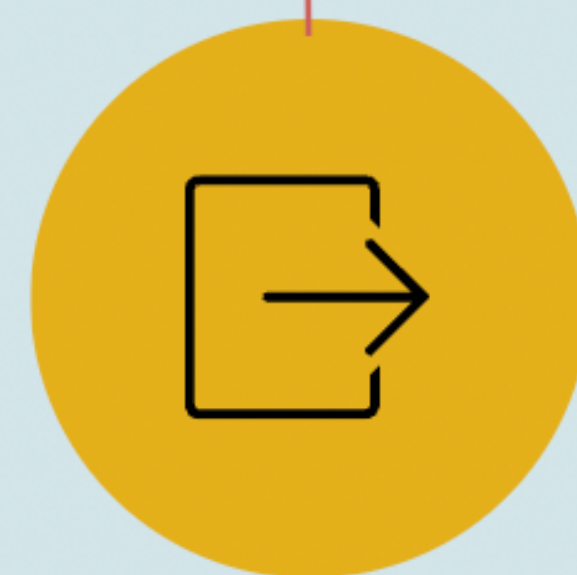
FY 2021

20%
of 402 people



FY 2022

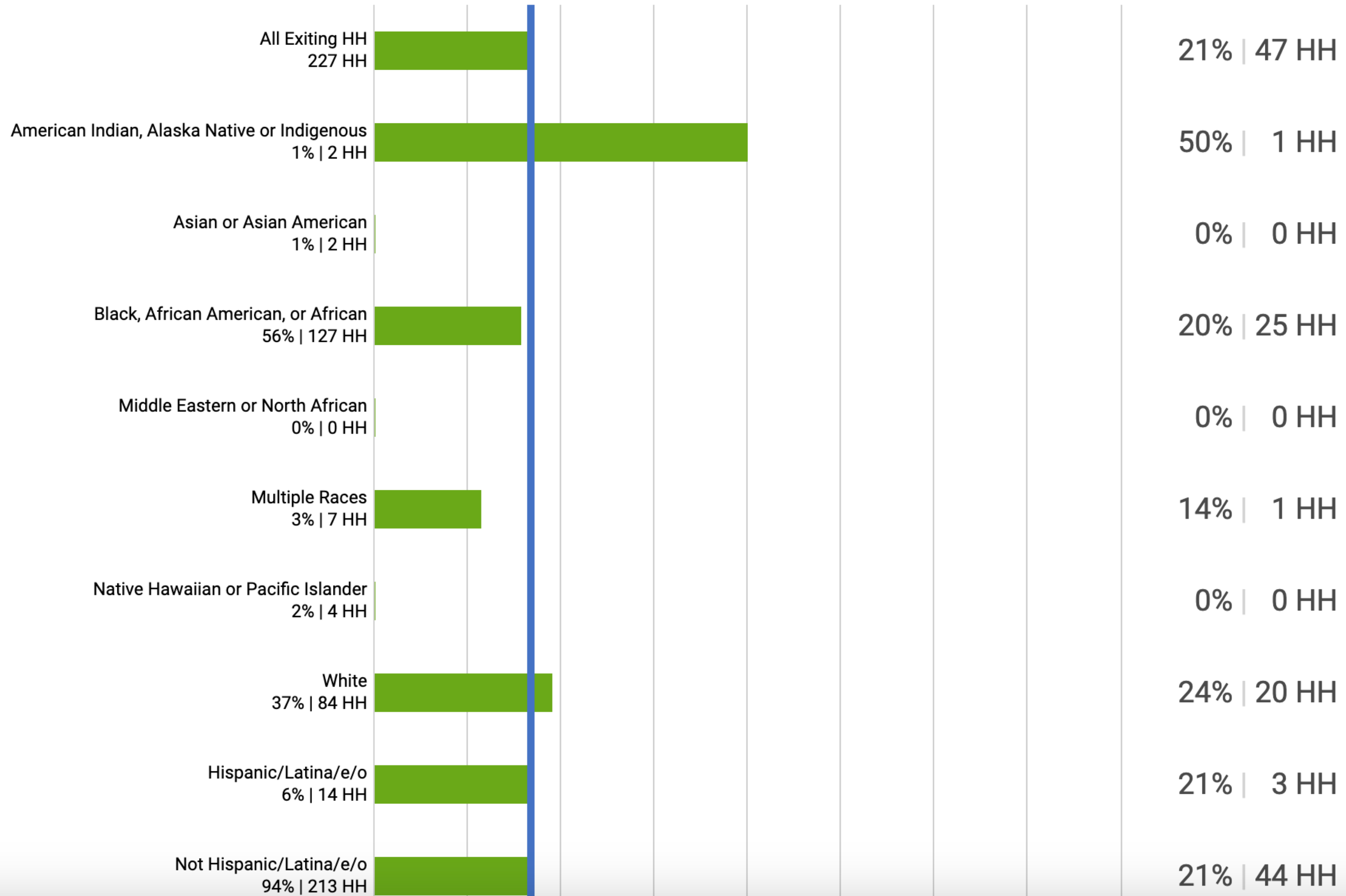
21%
of 407 people



FY 2023

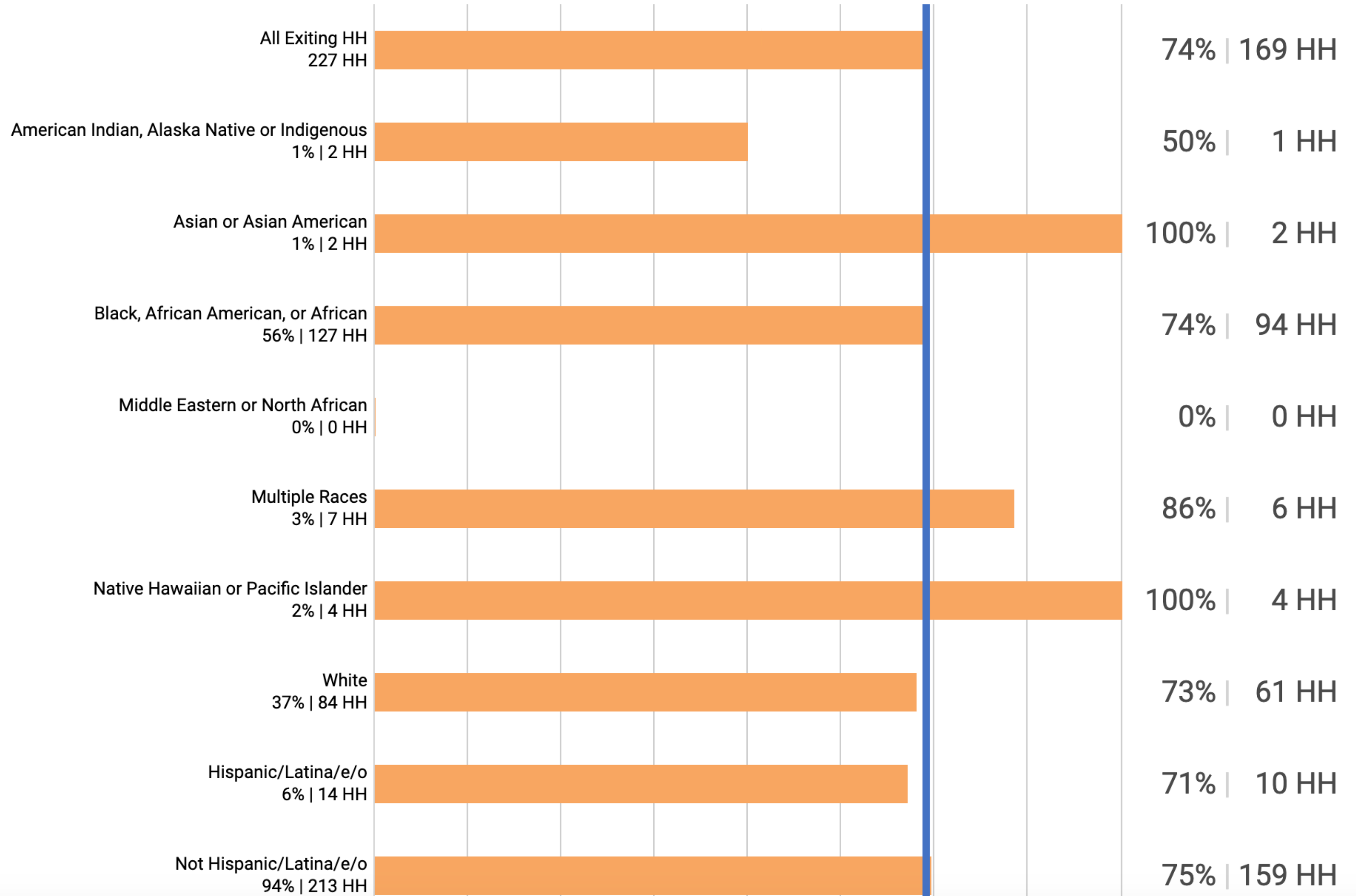
21% Exited to Permanent Destinations (blue line)

Exited to Permanent Destinations



74% Exited to Temporary Destinations (blue line)

Exited to Temporary Destinations



Returns to the Homeless System



Returns to the Homeless System

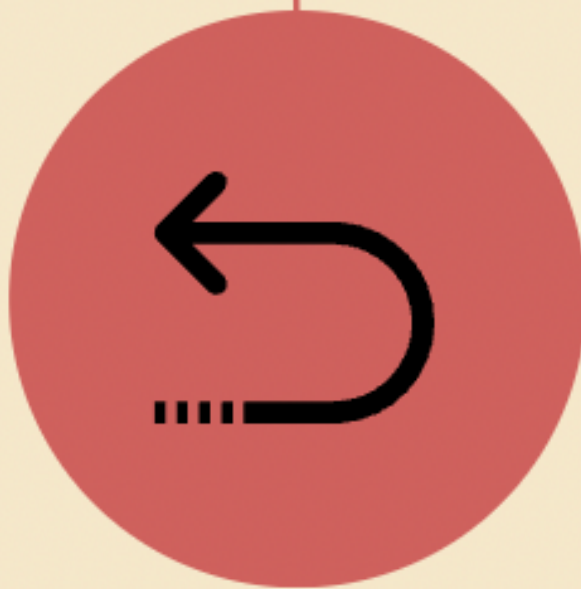
(FY2021 - FY2023)

Between the fiscal years of 2021-2023 the average percentage of households that returned to the homeless system after exiting between 12 and 24 months prior to the Current Report Period is listed below:

Adults Only: 8%

Adults and Children: 4.67%

8%
of 474 people



FY 2021

7%
of 402 people



FY 2022

6%
of 407 people



FY 2023

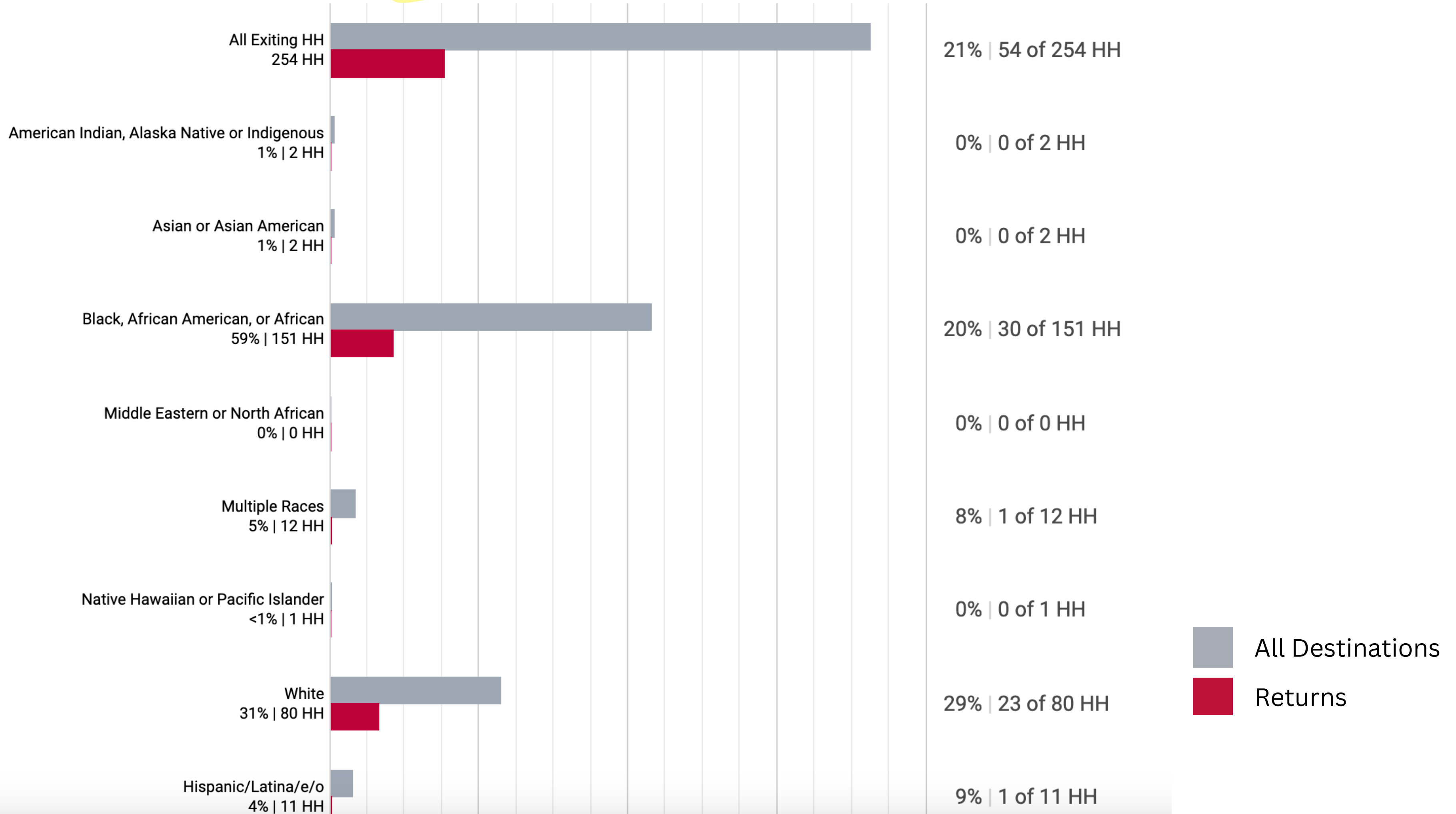
Returns by Race and Ethnicity

Percent and number of households in each race and ethnicity group that exited the homeless system, and percent and number of exiting households in each group who returned within six months.

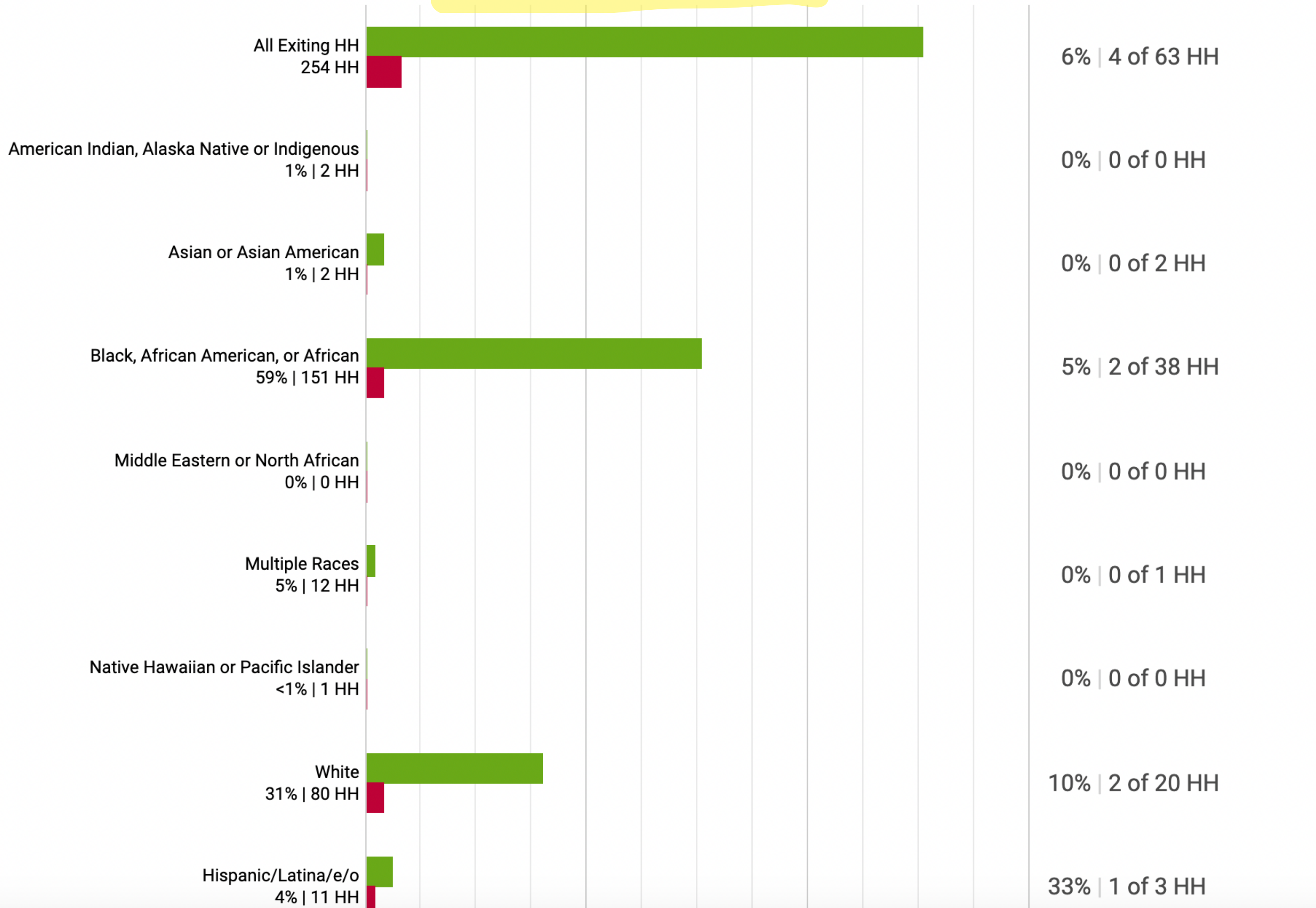
- Today, we are looking at the HH that exited between 12 and 24 months prior to the Current Report Period

21% Returned within 6 months

Returned after exit to
All Destination Types



6% Returned within 6 months



Returned after exit to Permanent Destinations

6% | 4 of 63 HH

0% | 0 of 0 HH

0% | 0 of 2 HH

5% | 2 of 38 HH

0% | 0 of 0 HH

0% | 0 of 1 HH

0% | 0 of 0 HH

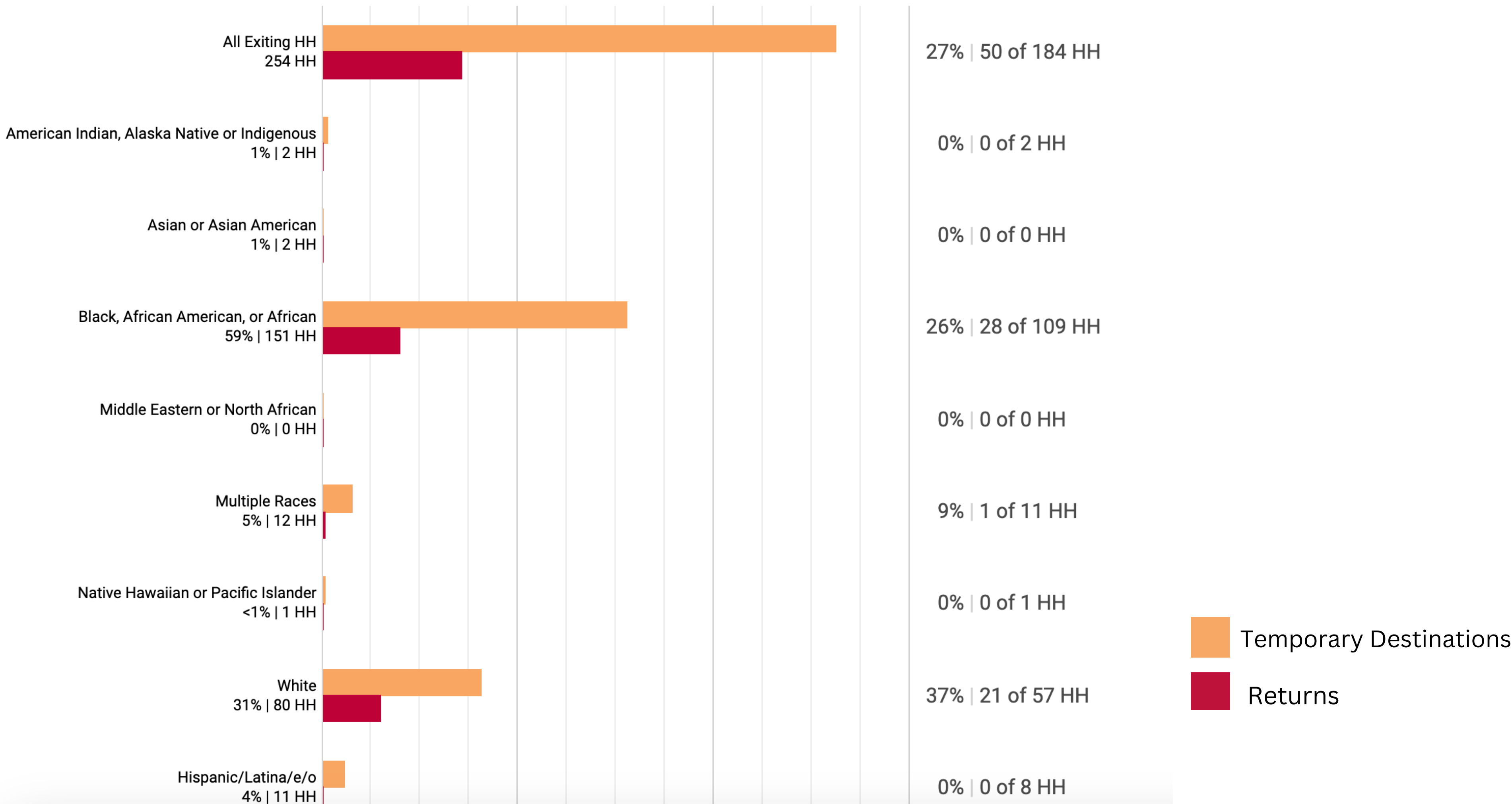
10% | 2 of 20 HH

33% | 1 of 3 HH

Permanent Destinations
Returns

27% Returned within 6 months

Returned after exit to Temporary Destinations



Gaps

- **Race and Ethnicity only includes the head of household (HoH) and adults**
- **Stella-P does not account for**
 - **Individuals who have not accessed services**
 - **Individuals who are being helped by projects not affiliated with the Orange County/Chapel Hill CoC**
 - **Stella-P does not include ALL pathways for exiting homelessness.**
- **In some areas on Stella-P, the number of people is too small to be meaningfully represented statistically.**

Questions to Ponder On:

- **What stands out most to you?**
- **What are some possible explanations for what stands out?**
- **With these disparities, what targeted interventions could we think of that could poetically close these disparities?**
- **How might the data for 2023 provide further insight into the effectiveness of racial equity efforts in Orange County?**

Any Questions?





THANK YOU!