Report Date: 4/21/2020

CT BNL Weekly Status Report | Individuals

	BNL Activity	Statewide		Central		Eastern		Fairfield		Greater Hartford		Greater New Haven		MMW		Northwest	
a	# Active on BNL	1,624	clients	99	clients	244	clients	368	clients	390	clients	274	clients	111	clients	138	clients
b	# Added in past 7 days	55	clients	1	clients	6	clients	6	clients	6	clients	17	clients	5	clients	14	clients
c	Avg # days Active on BNL	197	days	181	days	134	days	199	days	250	days	208	days	131	days	197	days
d	Median # days Active on BNL	127	days	125	days	89	days	165	days	152	days	140	days	99	days	83	days
e	Max # days Active on BNL	1,884	days	1,884	days	1,148	days	851	days	1,870	days	1,751	days	644	days	1,841	days
f	Unverified CH Statuses	158	10%	2	2%	13	5%	3	1%	38	10%	31	11%	16	14%	55	40%
g	Unknown/Blank	116	7%	1	1%	11	5%	3	1%	7	2%	27	10%	13	12%	54	39%
	GOAL: Fewer than 10% or 20 individuals (whichever is greater), will have an Unknown/Blank CH Status. YELLOW = 11% to 20%. RED = 21%+																
h	Potentially Chronic	42	3%	1	1%	2	1%	-	0%	31	8%	4	1%	3	3%	1	1%
	GOAL: Fewer than 10% or 20 individuals (whichever is greater), will have a Potentially Chronic CH Status. YELLOW = 11% to 20%. RED = 21%+																
i	Potentially Chronic & Matched	5	12%	-	0%	-	0%	-	-	1	3%	-	0%	3	100%	1	100%
j	Might be Chronic Next 3 Months	14	33%	-	0%	2	100%	-	-	6	19%	2	50%	3	100%	1	100%
*k	Avg # days Unknown/Blank	77	days	420	days	10	days	10	days	305	days	75	days	22	days	73	days
k	Avg # days Unverified CH Status	142	days	302	days	11	days	10	days	348	days	105	days	63	days	76	days
	GOAL: Have a Verified CH status for all active clients within 30 days. YELLOW = 20 to 30 days. RED = 31+ days																
l	Median # days Unverified CH	39	days	302	days	12	days	5	days	359	days	7	days	24	days	45	days
m	Max # days Unverified CH Status	1,751	days	420	days	26	days	22	days	1,636	days	1,751	days	433	days	1,747	days
n	Verified CH Statuses	1,455	90%	95	96%	228	93%	365	99%	350	90%	242	88%	94	85%	81	59%
o	Chronic (Verified)	151	9%	2	2%	18	7%	28	8%	32	8%	56	20%	6	5%	9	7%
p	Chronic (Verified) & Matched	109	72%	2	100%	15	83%	28	100%	20	63%	37	66%	3	50%	4	44%
q	Chronic (Verified) & Not Matched	42	28%	-	0%	3	17%	-	0%	12	38%	19	34%	3	50%	5	56%
r	Chronic (Verified) for 91+ days	92	61%	2	100%	9	50%	15	54%	15	47%	41	73%	4	67%	6	67%
s	Avg # days Chronic (Verified)	174	days	133	days	144	days	73	days	266	days	179	days	214	days	178	days
	GOAL: Have all Chronic (Verified) clients housed within 90 days of verification. YELLOW = 61 to 90 days. RED = 91+ days																
t	Median # days Chronic (Verified)	111	days	133	days	106	days	96	days	84	days	165	days	98	days	97	days
u	Max # days Chronic (Verified)	1,852	days	166	days	507	days	172	days	1,852	days	614	days	733	days	830	days
v	Not Chronic (Verified)	1,304	80%	93	94%	210	86%	337	92%	318	82%	186	68%	88	79%	72	52%
w	Not Chronic (Verified) & Matched	157	12%	12	13%	43	20%	15	4%	41	13%	16	9%	18	20%	12	17%
x	Might be Chronic Next 3 Months	36	3%	1	1%	11	5%	1	0%	9	3%	8	4%	3	3%	3	4%
y	Refuses CAN Assistance	11	1%	2	2%	3	1%	-	0%	2	1%	1	0%	1	1%	2	1%
z	Chronic (Verified) Refusers	3	0%	-	0%	2	1%	-	0%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
aa	Potentially Chronic Refusers	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
ab	Not Chronic (Verified) Refusers	7	0%	2	2%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	1	0%	1	1%	2	1%
ac	Unknown/Blank Refusers	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%

Overview of the Connecticut BNL Weekly Status Report

This weekly status report is based on data that is recorded on the By Name List (BNL) in HMIS. In order for improvements and progress toward CAN and statewide goals to be recorded and appear in the report, client statuses must be updated on the HMIS BNL.

The Data in the Report

The report is divided into four main sections: (1) BNL Activity, (2) Unverified CH Statuses, (3) Verified CH Statuses, and (4) Refuses CAN Assistance. Data in all sections is calculated by CAN and statewide.

(1) *BNL Activity [blue section – rows a,b,c,d,e]*

A snapshot summary of the number of active records on the BNL as of the report date (shown at the top of the report). # Active on BNL (row a) is a count of clients who are marked as Active on the HMIS BNL, including refusers. # Added in past 7 days (row b) is the raw count of clients who were added to the BNL as active in the 7 days preceding the report date, based on the active date entered on the BNL. Avg, Median, and Max (rows c,d,e) days Active on BNL are based on the number of days that all active clients have been active.

(2) *Unverified CH Statuses [orange section – rows f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m]*

This section is a summary of all active records (excluding refusers) on the BNL that have an unverified CH status (row f), which includes the number of clients whose CH status is unknown/blank (row g) and the number of clients whose CH status is potentially chronic (row h). A subset of clients who are potentially chronic and matched to housing resources is also included (row i). Data is also included to count the number of clients who are marked as "might be chronic in the next 3 months" (row j). Avg, Median, and Max (rows k,l,m) days in an unverified CH status are based on the number of days that all active unverified clients clients have been active.

(3) *Verified CH Statuses [green section – rows n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x]*

This section is a summary of all active records on the BNL (excluding refusers) that have a verified CH status (row n), which includes the number of clients whose CH status is Chronic (Verified) (row o) and the number of clients whose CH status is Not Chronic (Verified) (row v). Subsets of clients included for those who are matched (rows p and w), as well as for the Chronic (Verified) clients who are not matched (row q). Data is also included for the number of clients who have been Chronic (Verified) for 91+ days (row r). For clients who are Not Chronic (Verified), data is also included to count the number of clients who are marked as "might be chronic in the next 3 months" (row x). For clients who are Chronic (Verified), the Avg, Median, and Max (rows s,t,u) days Chronic (Verified) are based on the number of days since the verification date listed for these clients on the BNL.

(4) *Refuses CAN Assistance [red section – rows y,z,aa,ab,ac]*

This section is a summary of all active records on the BNL who are marked as refusing CAN assistance (row y), with a breakdown by chronic status (rows z,aa,ab,ac).

The Goals in the Report

The report tracks progress statewide and by CAN toward goals in the following areas:

Unknown/Blank CH Status - Fewer than 10% (or 20 individuals, whichever is greater) of the active BNL will have an Unknown/Blank CH status

Potentially Chronic CH Status -Fewer than 10% (or 20 individuals, whichever is greater) of the active BNL will have a Potentially Chronic CH status

Active Clients will have a verified CH Status within an average of 30 days from their BNL Active date – When clients are added to the BNL or made Active on the BNL, their CH status will be determined within 30 days on average.

Chronic (Verified) Clients will be Housed within an average of 90 days from their verification date – Our goal for functional zero is to have clients housed within 90 days of the date on which they are verified to meet the HUD criteria for chronicity

Recording Progress Toward Goals and Improving Data Quality

All data in this report is tabulated from the HMIS BNL export and represents a snapshot in time as of the report date shown at the top of the report. The following are some ways that the BNL can be proactively managed to show progress toward these goals and improve data quality.

Goals 1, 2, and 3 - Verify the CH status of people on the Active BNL who are marked as "Potentially Chronic" or who have an Unknown/Blank CH Status

 * Mark clients as "Not Chronic (Verified)" if they do not currently meet the HUD criteria for chronic homelessness

* Mark clients as "Chronic (Verified)" when they do meet the HUD criteria for chronic homelessness

* Mark clients as Inactive if they are not currently active

Goal 4 – House Chronic (Verified) clients within an average of 90 days

* Accurately record the date on which the client's chronic status was verified

* Mark Chronic (Verified) clients as Inactive and Housed as soon as they are housed

Clean up outliers on the BNL - Webinar recording with instructions https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/7221450912807421699

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