Report Date: 8/13/2019

CT BNL Weekly Status Report | Individuals

	BNL Activity	Statewide		Central		Eastern		Fairfield		Greater Hartford		Greater New Haven		MMW		Waterbury/ Litchfield	
a	# Active on BNL	1,807	clients	101	clients	245	clients	396	clients	454	clients	283	clients	89	clients	239	clients
b	# Added in past 7 days	35	clients	4	clients	7	clients	13	clients	5	clients	4	clients	1	clients	1	clients
c	Avg # days Active on BNL	189	days	220	days	116	days	176	days	223	days	169	days	152	days	243	days
d	Median # days Active on BNL	140	days	123	days	91	days	141	days	167	days	148	days	112	days	180	days
e	Max # days Active on BNL	1,622	days	1,581	days	896	days	1,110	days	1,622	days	874	days	537	days	1,610	days
f	Unverified CH Statuses	144	8%	11	11%	14	6%	22	6%	66	15%	13	5%	1	1%	17	7%
g	Unknown/Blank	94	5%	11	11%	11	4%	22	6%	29	6%	6	2%	1	1%	14	6%
	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	50	3%	-	0%	3	1%	-	0%	37	8%	7	2%	-	0%	3	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	2	4%	-	-	1	33%	-	-	1	3%	-	0%	-	-	-	0%
j	Might be Chronic Next 3 Months	16	32%	-	-	3	100%	-	-	4	11%	6	86%	-	-	3	100%
*k	Avg # days Unknown/Blank	62	days	23	days	13	days	18	days	123	days	8	days	7	days	102	days
k	Avg # days Unverified CH Status	156	days	23	days	54	days	18	days	269	days	138	days	7		91	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	25	days	22	days	16	days	10	days	200	days	111	days	7	days	14	days
m	Max # days Unverified CH Status	1,622	days	67	days	281	days	101	days	1,622	days	407	days	7	days	1,222	days
n	Verified CH Statuses	1,650	91%	88	87%	229	93%	374	94%	385	85%	268	95%	87	98%	219	92%
o	Chronic (Verified)	174	10%	1	1%	12	5%	49	12%	48	11%	51	18%	3	3%	10	4%
p	Chronic (Verified) & Matched	118	68%	1	100%	7	58%	49	100%	39	81%	15	29%	2	67%	5	50%
q	Chronic (Verified) & Not Matched	56	32%	-	0%	5	42%	-	0%	9	19%	36	71%	1	33%	5	50%
r	Chronic (Verified) for 91+ days	84	48%	-	0%	6	50%	15	31%	35	73%	19	37%	-	0%	9	90%
s	Avg # days Chronic (Verified)	106	days	41	days	112	days	65	days	149	days	89	days	45	days	203	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)	89	days	41	days	89	days	46	days	154	days	70	days	32	days	151	days
u	Max # days Chronic (Verified)	475	days	41	days	285	days	445	days	379	days	354	days	82	days	475	days
v	Not Chronic (Verified)	1,476	82%	87	86%	217	89%	325	82%	337	74%	217	77%	84	94%	209	87%
w	Not Chronic (Verified) & Matched	139	9%	21	24%	36	17%	13	4%	31	9%	18	8%	6	7%	14	7%
x	Might be Chronic Next 3 Months	41	3%	3	3%	11	5%	-	0%	8	2%	11	5%	-	0%	8	4%
y	Refuses CAN Assistance	13	1%	2	2%	2	1%	-	0%	3	1%	2	1%	1	1%	3	1%
z	Chronic (Verified) Refusers	2	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	1	0%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%
aa	Potentially Chronic Refusers	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
ab	Not Chronic (Verified) Refusers	10	1%	2	2%	2	1%	-	0%	1	0%	1	0%	1	1%	3	1%
ac	Unknown/Blank Refusers	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%

Data source: CTHMIS BNL, as of the report date.

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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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