Report Date: 1/17/2023

CT BNL Weekly Status Report | Individuals

	BNL Activity	Statewide		Central		Eastern		Fairfield		Greater Hartford		Greater New Haven		MMW		Northwest	
a	# Active on BNL	2,532	clients	266	clients	233	clients	423	clients	632	clients	552	clients	130	clients	296	clients
b	# Added in past 7 days	42	clients	2	clients	2	clients	4	clients	6	clients	20	clients	2	clients	6	clients
c	Avg # days Active on BNL	293	days	322	days	203	days	261	days	327	days	354	days	196	days	240	days
d	Median # days Active on BNL	201	days	249	days	130	days	172	days	267	days	216	days	130	days	201	days
e	Max # days Active on BNL	2,850	days	2,688	days	1,665	days	2,520	days	2,674	days	2,850	days	1,316	days	2,083	days
f	**Unverified CH Statuses**	110	4%	8	3%	1	0%	1	0%	43	7%	31	6%	6	5%	20	7%
g	**Unknown/Blank**	84	3%	7	3%	1	0%	-	0%	28	4%	29	5%	3	2%	16	5%
	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**	26	1%	1	0%	-	0%	1	0%	15	2%	2	0%	3	2%	4	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	13	50%	-	0%	-	-	-	0%	11	73%	1	50%	1	33%	-	0%
j	*Might be Chronic Next 3 Months*	7	27%	-	0%	-	-	1	100%	2	13%	-	0%	1	33%	3	75%
*k	*Avg # days Unknown/Blank*	184	days	109	days	46	days	-	days	200	days	212	days	171	days	151	days
k	Avg # days Unverified CH Status	163	days	149	days	100	days	217	days	143	days	197	days	92	days	166	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	124	days	116	days	34	days	209	days	93	days	167	days	92	days	154	days
m	Max # days Unverified CH Status	2,678	days	1,161	days	539	days	446	days	2,661	days	2,678	days	356	days	1,050	days
n	**Verified CH Statuses**	1,710	68%	169	64%	218	94%	417	99%	412	65%	289	52%	86	66%	119	40%
o	**Chronic (Verified)**	96	4%	1	0%	14	6%	11	3%	17	3%	27	5%	6	5%	20	7%
p	Chronic (Verified) & Matched	77	80%	1	100%	14	100%	11	100%	14	82%	19	70%	2	33%	16	80%
q	Chronic (Verified) & Not Matched	19	20%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	3	18%	8	30%	4	67%	4	20%
r	Chronic (Verified) for 91+ days	58	60%	-	0%	10	71%	5	45%	5	29%	16	59%	5	83%	17	85%
s	Avg # days Chronic (Verified)	326	days	48	days	612	days	150	days	116	days	436	days	185	days	311	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)	181	days	48	days	467	days	140	days	69	days	357	days	195	days	223	days
u	Max # days Chronic (Verified)	2,420	days	48	days	2,420	days	477	days	664	days	2,149	days	272	days	1,248	days
v	**Not Chronic (Verified)**	1,614	64%	168	63%	204	88%	406	96%	395	63%	262	47%	80	62%	99	33%
w	Not Chronic (Verified) & Matched	331	21%	50	30%	55	27%	62	15%	69	17%	62	24%	19	24%	14	14%
x	*Might be Chronic Next 3 Months*	27	2%	1	1%	2	1%	2	0%	5	1%	4	2%	5	6%	8	8%
y	**Refuses CAN Assistance**	7	0%	-	0%	1	0%	2	0%	-	0%	4	1%	-	0%	-	0%
z	**Chronic (Verified) Refusers**	4	0%	-	0%	-	0%	2	0%	-	0%	2	0%	-	0%	-	0%
aa	Potentially Chronic Refusers	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
ab	Not Chronic (Verified) Refusers	3	0%	-	0%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%	2	0%	-	0%	-	0%
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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