Report Date: 11/16/2021 — CT BNL Weekly Status Report | Individuals

	BNL Activity	Statewide		Central		Eastern		Fairfield		Greater Hartford		Greater New Haven		MMW		Northwest	
a	# Active on BNL	1,861	clients	211	clients	168	clients	325	clients	457	clients	431	clients	135	clients	134	clients
b	# Added in past 7 days	63	clients	11	clients	15	clients	8	clients	8	clients	8	clients	4	clients	9	clients
c	Avg # days Active on BNL	229	days	237	days	174	days	190	days	284	days	275	days	178	days	88	days
d	Median # days Active on BNL	148	days	144	days	86	days	126	days	214	days	187	days	144	days	68	days
e	Max # days Active on BNL	2,595	days	2,294	days	1,994	days	1,869	days	2,595	days	2,496	days	889	days	930	days
f	**Unverified CH Statuses**	178	10%	27	13%	17	10%	5	2%	45	10%	52	12%	24	18%	8	6%
g	**Unknown/Blank**	156	8%	26	12%	14	8%	5	2%	28	6%	52	12%	23	17%	8	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**	22	1%	1	0%	3	2%	-	0%	17	4%	-	0%	1	1%	-	0%
	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	15	68%	1	100%	3	100%	-	-	10	59%	-	-	1	100%	-	-
j	*Might be Chronic Next 3 Months*	6	27%	-	0%	3	100%	-	-	2	12%	-	-	1	100%	-	-
*k	*Avg # days Unknown/Blank*	245	days	177	days	7	days	3	days	778	days	198	days	58	days	4	days
k	Avg # days Unverified CH Status	260	days	220	days	122	days	64	days	516	days	190	days	105	days	4	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	52	days	19	days	6	days	5	days	274	days	48	days	63	days	4	days
m	Max # days Unverified CH Status	2,595	days	2,294	days	1,994	days	206	days	2,595	days	2,496	days	466	days	7	days
n	**Verified CH Statuses**	1,638	88%	177	84%	146	87%	317	98%	393	86%	374	87%	105	78%	126	94%
o	**Chronic (Verified)**	114	6%	-	0%	13	8%	15	5%	21	5%	51	12%	6	4%	8	6%
p	Chronic (Verified) & Matched	96	84%	-	-	12	92%	13	87%	17	81%	42	82%	6	100%	6	75%
q	Chronic (Verified) & Not Matched	18	16%	-	-	1	8%	2	13%	4	19%	9	18%	-	0%	2	25%
r	Chronic (Verified) for 91+ days	79	69%	-	-	10	77%	3	20%	20	95%	36	71%	5	83%	5	63%
s	Avg # days Chronic (Verified)	266	days	-	days	355	days	75	days	288	days	296	days	275	days	225	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)	197	days	-	days	343	days	26	days	230	days	174	days	188	days	115	days
u	Max # days Chronic (Verified)	2,042	days	-	days	991	days	377	days	987	days	2,042	days	858	days	980	days
v	**Not Chronic (Verified)**	1,524	82%	177	84%	133	79%	302	93%	372	81%	323	75%	99	73%	118	88%
w	Not Chronic (Verified) & Matched	454	30%	45	25%	61	46%	76	25%	134	36%	81	25%	39	39%	18	15%
x	*Might be Chronic Next 3 Months*	19	1%	1	1%	2	2%	10	3%	-	0%	2	1%	2	2%	2	2%
y	**Refuses CAN Assistance**	3	0%	-	0%	2	1%	-	0%	-	0%	1	0%	-	0%	-	0%
z	**Chronic (Verified) Refusers**	1	0%	-	0%	1	1%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
aa	Potentially Chronic Refusers	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
ab	Not Chronic (Verified) Refusers	2	0%	-	0%	1	1%	-	0%	-	0%	1	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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