

FACTSHEET

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HOMELESS OUTREACH SERVICES

Homeless outreach workers directly engage the street homeless, providing immediate and long-term assistance by offering not only food, clothing and shelter but access to transition services such as life-skills training and health and social programs.

More than 1,600 street homeless have been provided stable housing options in approximately 30 communities across the province since the outreach services were introduced in 2006. The following is a breakdown of the most recent statistics of people housed through the outreach services in most of the outreach communities:

Vancouver and the Fraser Valley: 909 people housed

City	People Housed
Vancouver	488
Burnaby	101
North Shore	18
New Westminster/Pitt Meadows/Maple Ridge	73
Port Coquitlam/Coquitlam/Port Moody	48
Surrey	35
Langley	22
Abbotsford/Mission	55
Chilliwack/Hope	69

Vancouver Island: 276 people housed

City	People Housed
Victoria	182
Cowichan	52
Nanaimo	42

Interior: 272 people housed

City	People Housed
Kamloops	178
Kelowna	94

North: 185 people housed

City	People Housed
Prince George	160
Vanderhoof	25