Homelessness in Kitsap County

South Kitsap

536

South Kitsap households **needed housing assistance** in 2017

(Housing Solutions Center)

250

Homeless children counted by South Kitsap School District in school year '16-'17

36

People without a home counted in a 24-hour period in South Kitsap during the 2018 Point-in-Time Count[1,2]

120 literally homeless households

164 were households with children (328 children total)

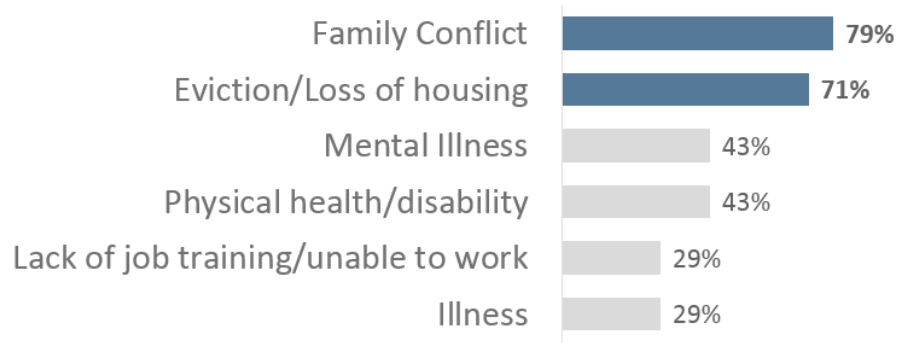
66 households reported they were homeless without permanent housing for 1 year or longer

74% of households were below Federal Poverty Level

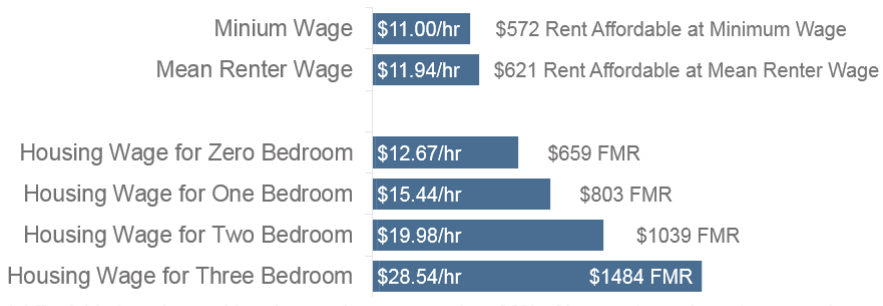
$854 average monthly income for households seeking housing assistance at the HSC

Causes of Homelessness

2018 Point-in-Time Count - South Kitsap



Kitsap Rents Outpacing Wages



* Affordable here is considered as paying no more than 30% of income towards rent per month
FMR - Fair Market Rate

Source: Office of Policy Development and Research (PD&R), U.S. Dept. of HUD (2017)
Source: 2017 Out of Reach Report

Rents Rising Each Year

$1,323

Average rent per unit in Kitsap County Q4 2017. Increased **11%** from 2016, and **47%** since 2014.

Source: https://www.kitsapgov.com/hs/Pages/HH-Reports-and-Data.aspx

1 Includes Sheltered, Unsheltered, and Doubled-up individuals | 2 Does not include people staying at Building 9 Retsil Veterans Center

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