The systemic factors driving homelessness are stronger than ever, and forcing more of our community members onto the streets and into shelters every day. The 2020-2025 Community Plan to End Homelessness guides our community’s collective work to reverse the current growth in homelessness and bring us closer to our goal of ending homelessness in Santa Clara County. We are forging new partnerships, changing systems, and investing strategically to accomplish meaningful progress, however, we must continue to scale up these effective solutions to reduce overall homelessness in our community. To learn more visit destinationhomesv.org/community-plan

**OUR GUIDING STRATEGIES:**

**STRATEGY 1**
Address the root causes of homelessness through system and policy change

**STRATEGY 2**
Expand homelessness prevention and housing programs to meet the need

**STRATEGY 3**
Improve quality of life for unsheltered individuals and create healthy neighborhoods for all

**OUR PROGRESS TO DATE**

- **9,645** People Housed
  - 48% to 2025 goal (20,000)

- **27% Reduction in New Households Becoming Homeless**
  - On track to hit 2025 goal (30%)

**SYSTEM PERFORMANCE**

- **9,645** People
  - Connected to Stable Housing
- **15,124** People
  - Placed in Temporary Housing & Shelter
- **23,970**
  - People Received Homelessness Prevention Assistance

*includes people served via Covid-related Financial Assistance

**BUILDING MORE PERMANENTLY AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

Our community is aligning public resources — like the Measure A housing bond, Housing Authority vouchers and San Jose’s Measure E transfer tax — and private funds from partners such as Cisco and Apple, to spur 47 deeply affordable and supportive housing developments.

**PREVENTING HOMELESSNESS**

Launched as a pilot five years ago, a broad public-private partnership has expanded the countywide Homelessness Prevention System to serve more than 2,100 households a year, by providing at-risk households with relatively small amounts of money and key support services.

**DEPLOYING NEW SHELTER MODELS**

Local jurisdictions are embracing new emergency and interim shelter models - like modular developments, tiny homes and hotel conversions - to quickly provide dignified shelter for people on their path to permanent housing. Hundreds of additional units are in development.

**ENDING FAMILY HOMELESSNESS**

In 2021, partners launched the HEADING HOME campaign to end family homelessness. Leveraging federal emergency housing vouchers and other resources, the campaign has enrolled all eligible families with children in a housing program.

Data reflects progress from Jan. 1, 2020 - Dec. 31, 2022
9,645 People Housed
48% to 2025 goal (20,000)

Reflects progress from Jan. 1, 2020 - Dec. 31, 2022

27% Reduction in New Households Becoming Homeless
On track to hit 2025 goal (30%)

Who is seeking help?

- 25% Families with Children
- 15% Transition-Age Youth
- 6% Seniors (65+)
- 3% Veterans

NEW HOUSEHOLDS ENTERING HOMELESSNESS BY YEAR

2019 Baseline 2020 2021 2022

3,330 3,429 3,165 3,449

2025 Goal 4,757

KEY SUB-POPULATIONS

- 23% Families w/ Children
- 14% Veterans
- 11% Transition-Age Youth
- 8% Seniors (65+)

*Based on number of households housed

84% have a San José affiliation
**SYSTEM PERFORMANCE**

**Permanent Housing**

**PEOPLE ASSISTED**

**9,645 People Connected to Stable Housing**

- **Rental Unit w/out Subsidy**: 1,345
- **Rental Unit w/ Subsidy**: 1,654
- **Living with Friends/Family**: 1,144
- **Long-Term Care Facility**: 95
- **Rapid Rehousing**: 3,310
  - 73% Remained Housed
- **Permanent Supportive Housing**: 2,097
  - 96% Remained Housed

**EXPANDING OUR SYSTEM**

**Supportive Housing Capacity***

- **5,643 units/subsidies**
- *15% since Jan. 1 2020
- **1,334 units in the pipeline**

*Includes Rapid Rehousing & Permanent Supportive Housing

Reflects progress from Jan. 1, 2020 - Dec. 31, 2022
15,124 People Placed in Temporary Housing & Shelter

Temporary Housing & Shelter Capacity
- 2,158 units
- ↑ 15% since Jan. 1 2020
- 384 units in the pipeline

Breakdown by Type
- Shelter: 1,093
- Interim Housing: 513
- Safe Parking: 204
- Other: 348

Utilization Rates
- 91%
- 79%
- 82%
- 91%

Reflects progress from Jan. 1, 2020 - Dec. 31, 2022
SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

Homelessness Prevention

PEOPLE ASSISTED

23,970 People Received
Homelessness Prevention Assistance

97% of families
remained stably
housed while
receiving services.

ONE YEAR LATER

Only 3% of households
became homeless.

EXPANDING OUR SYSTEM

Homelessness Prevention Capacity

2,161 households
↑ 40% since Jan. 1 2020

Plans to reach 2,500 households

*Total people assisted includes those
served via temporary COVID-related
financial assistance; outcome stats are
for ongoing Homelessness Prevention
programs only

Reflects progress from Jan. 1, 2020 - Dec. 31, 2022
NARROWING THE GAP TO ‘FUNCTIONAL ZERO’

Households Connected to Housing VS New Households Becoming Homeless

For every 1 household housed, another 2.5 became homeless

For every 1 household housed, another 1.7 became homeless