

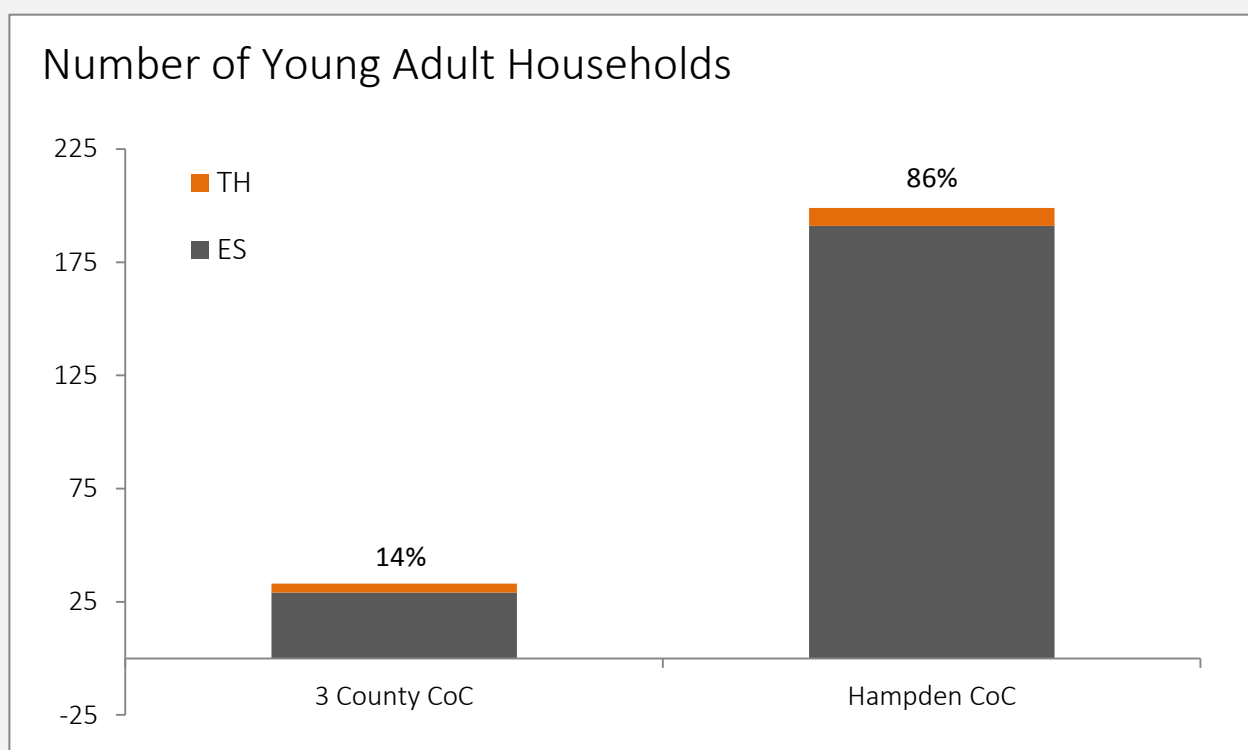


## 3 County CoC Data Report

Produced for	Dial/Self & the Western MA Network to End Homelessness
Topic	Young Adult Families in Western Massachusetts - 2015
Description	The number and composition of young adult families identified during the 2015 Point in Time Count is described. YA families are families in which all parents are between 18 - 24 years old.

**232**

young adult families were identified during the 2015 Point in Time Count, 95% of which were staying in Emergency Shelter or hotel/motel units.



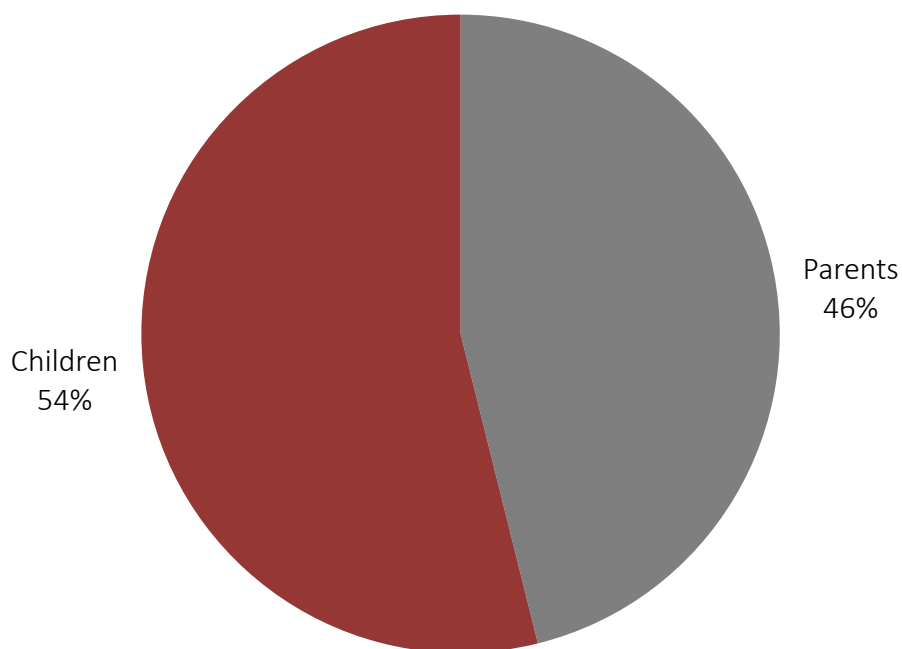
### Notes

- Young adult families comprised **26%** of all families identified during the Point in Time Count
- The majority of young adult families (**86%**) were living in Hampden County shelters or hotel/motel overflow units
- Hispanic families were over-represented among the young adult families.

# 325

children were members of the young adult households. On average, each family had 1.4 children, lower than the average among all families.

## Family Composition



### Underlying data

#### Number of families

	ES	TH
3 County CoC	29	4
Hampden CoC	191	8
Western MA	<b>220</b>	<b>12</b>

#### Composition

	Parents	Children
3 County CoC	35	33
Hampden CoC	243	292
Western MA	<b>278</b>	<b>325</b>

#### Data Sources:

- 2015 Point in Time Count Youth Population Report submitted by each CoC to HUD and available at the [PIT 2015](#) page of the Network's website