

HOMELESS IN RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

Who are “the homeless”?

1,102 living in shelters or on the streets



79.7%
are unemployed



72.9%
have a history
of incarceration



59.0%
report a problem with
drugs/alcohol sometime
in their lifetime



48.1%
report having a
long-term disability



31.8%
report having a
mental health
problem sometime
in their lifetime



31.5%
have experienced
domestic violence
in their lifetime



17.6%
are veterans



14.9%
live on the streets,
under bridges,
or in encampments



14.4%
are children



9.0%
of adults have
children living
with them

**categories not mutually exclusive*



www.homewardva.org

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