Overview of Resident Demographic Information

Since 1989, HomeRise has used the platform of housing to help residents stabilize and access key services supporting self-sufficiency.

61% of HomeRise residents were chronically homeless at move-in, meaning they were continually homeless for 1+ year and have a disabling condition.

98% of HomeRise residents across the organization have retained housing since moving in with HomeRise, compared to the national PSH rate of 83%.

Our residents are likely to have been chronically homeless, but the vast majority have been able to retain their HomeRise housing.

HomeRise residents are diverse and represent the highest-need groups among San Francisco’s homeless and San Franciscans in general.

20% of our residents are seniors, compared to 14% of San Franciscans age 65+

14% of are families, and of those, 50% are single-parent or caregiver households

60% are persons of color, including 42% who are Black/African American versus 6% of SF

6% of our residents are veterans, compared to 4% of San Franciscans overall

HomeRise residents have an average income of about $800 per month. The average San Francisco one-bedroom rents for over $3,300 per month.

86% are underemployed, needing opportunities to rebuild skills and confidence after being out of the job market for extended periods.

Most residents are food insecure. The Tenderloin, where most of our residences are, is a food desert: just 1% of stores sell fresh produce.

Though HomeRise provides and links to key services, our residents still have many areas of need that impact their self-sufficiency.

Just 21% of residents have some college or a Bachelor’s degree or higher versus half of San Franciscans overall.