Homelessness Is a Problem in West Virginia
BUT WE’RE MAKING PROGRESS.

NO ONE SHOULD HAVE TO BE HOMELESS.
Here’s who experiences homelessness in West Virginia.

1,149 INDIVIDUAL ADULTS
↓ 23% SINCE 2014

248 PEOPLE IN FAMILIES
↓ 53%

89 INDIVIDUAL YOUTH*
↓ 39%

161 CHRONICALLY HOMELESS
↓ 67%

137 VETERANS
↓ 59%

82% SHELTERED IN 2019
18% UNSHELTERED IN 2019

83% WHITE
3% HISPANIC/LATINO
14% AFRICAN AMERICAN
1% ASIAN
0% NATIVE AMERICAN
0% PACIFIC ISLANDER

Categories are not mutually exclusive. Statistics drawn from 2014 - 2019 HUD Point in Time Counts to reflect the most recent four-year trends.
*HUD did not begin gathering youth statistics until 2017.

West Virginia’s efforts to end homelessness are working.
Support $3.4 billion in overall funding for the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development’s Homeless Assistance Grants account to make more progress.