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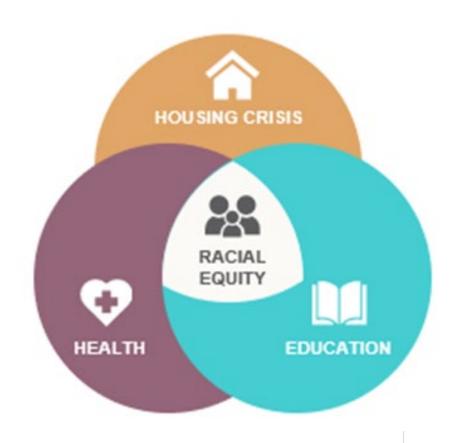


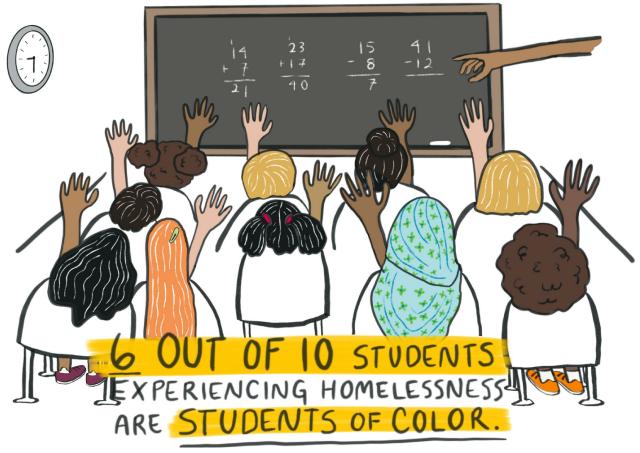
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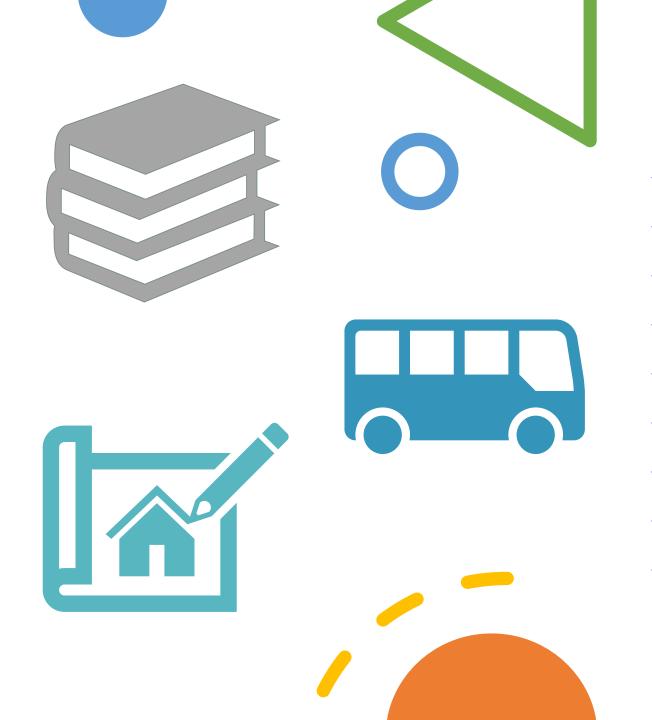


Building Changes explores how school and housing systems interact with one another to serve students experiencing homelessness through our Education Team's work. We show up for students, encourage cross systems partnerships, and influence policies that shape on the ground practice.

OPSI and Building Changes have partnered, with the help of ARP funds, to provide training for McKinney-Vento school staff and community-based organizations serving students experiencing homelessness. We intend to offer 7 trainings (each one will occur 4 times) through September 2023. This partnership will offer content, tools, and peer networking opportunities to help those supporting students experiencing homelessness across our state.







Our Agenda

Building Changes Data Resource Talk

Capturing Data - Tukwila

Data & the Bigger Picture - Clover Park

Break

Student & Community Voice- Spokane

Key Takeaways

Breakout Room – Strategy Sharing

Group Discussion

Closing



Objectives

- Participants will leave with understanding of publicly available student and education data resources.
- Attendees will learn what tools other districts are using to capture data for their McKinney-Vento program.
- Participants will gain understanding of the importance of capturing and utilizing data to identify gaps, improve supports, and effectively communicate their work.
- Attendees will have the opportunity to network and strategize with colleagues across the state.

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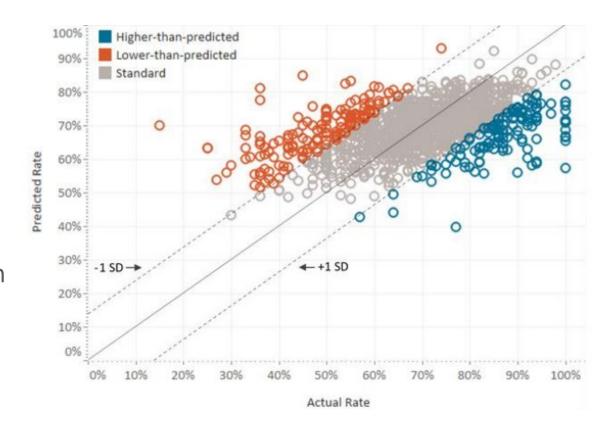




Setting the Context

Using data can support better outcomes for students experiencing homelessness

- In 2020, a Building Changes <u>report</u>* found that data-informed programs were associated with better academic outcomes
- While all schools use data in some way, the analysis found that those with better outcomes were more likely to use data in an embedded, frequent, and systematic way, with a focus on using data to drive decision making.

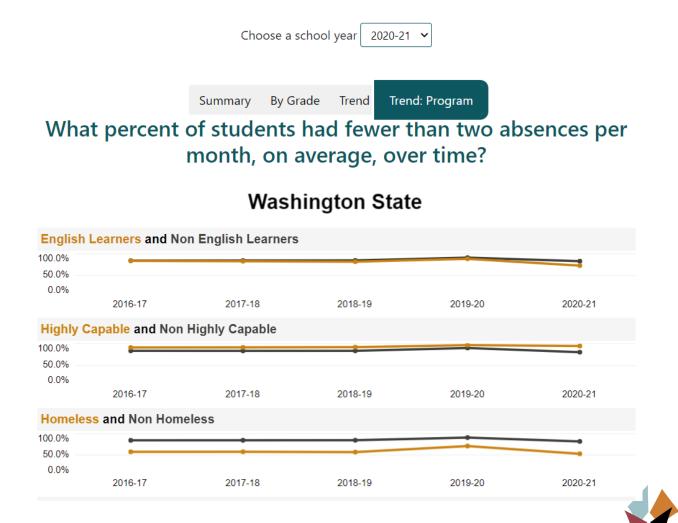


^{*}The report can be accessed at https://buildingchanges.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/SchoolhouseWA_BeatingtheOdds_2020.pdf. Note: Data analyzed in the report are from the 2014-15 to 2016-17 school years and were obtained from OSPI via a data sharing agreement in 2018. All analyses and interpretations are the authors and do not necessarily reflect the views of OSPI.



OSPI WA State Report Card

- Compare data for students experiencing homelessness vs. housed students over time
- View enrollment counts, academic outcomes (e.g., assessments, graduation), and non-academic outcomes (e.g., regular attendance, discipline)
- Available at the state-, district-, and school-level

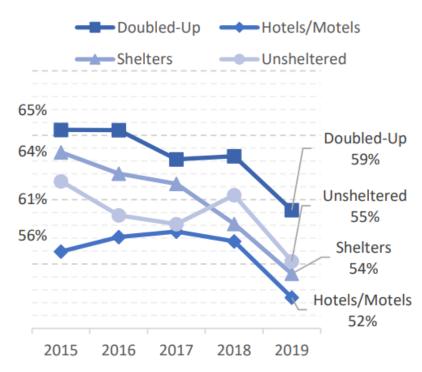


Link: https://washingtonstatereportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us/

BC K-12 Outcomes Report

- Statewide data with trends since 2015
- Data on academic and non-academic outcomes
- Shows outcomes by race/ethnicity, nighttime residence (e.g., doubledup), grade level, and location type (e.g., rural, city)
- Current version is through 2018-19 school year (new version expected Fall 2023)

Figure 27.
Regular Attendance Rates by Nighttime
Residence, 2015–2019.



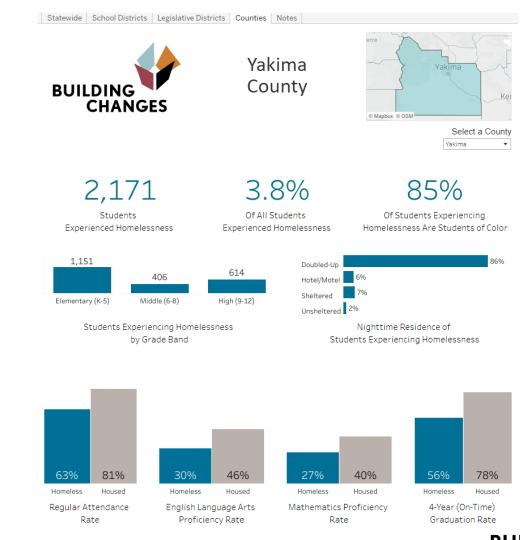
Note: Student counts were duplicated across schools in some cases and percentages may vary from other reported sources. See <u>Appendix Table A8</u> for more information.



Link: https://buildingchanges.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/2015-2019 K-12 OutcomesReport.pdf

BC Local Data Dashboard

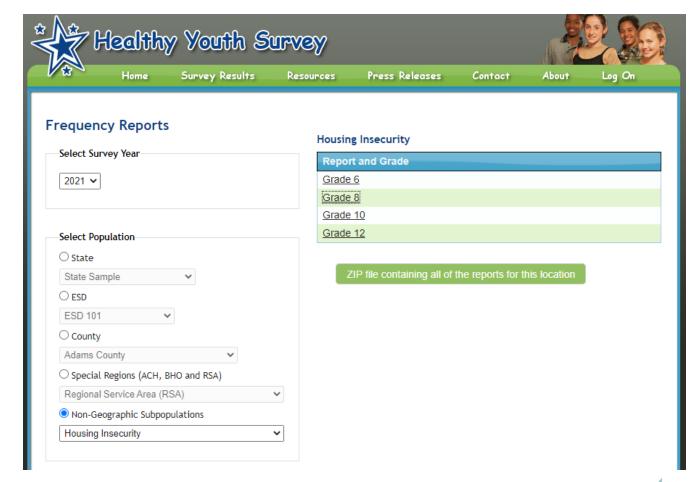
- Snapshot of summary data at different levels:
 - Statewide
 - School district
 - County
 - Legislative district
- Includes number/ percentage of students, percentage of students of color, grade levels, nighttime residence, and outcomes
- Current version is for 2018-19 school year (new version expected in 2023)



Link: https://buildingchanges.org/resources/local-data-and-outcomes/

Healthy Youth Survey

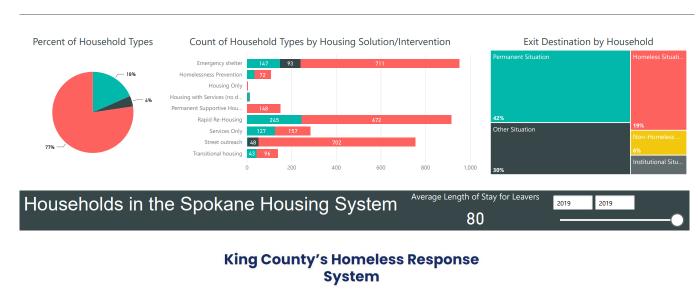
- Data on student health and well-being across several topics including school climate, community safety, anxiety and depression, substance use, nutrition, and physical activity
- Data for students experiencing housing insecurity (not directly aligned with McKinney-Vento definition of homelessness)
- Can get analytic reports for select grades or data on specific questions/topics

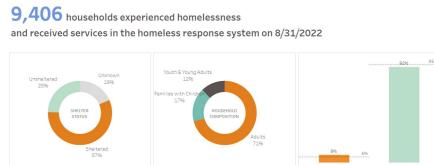




Local Homelessness Data

- Data on people experiencing homelessness using the HUD definition (does not include doubled-up)
- Data from Homeless
 Management Information
 System (HMIS) and/or
 Point in Time (PIT) counts
- Available data varies by location but may include counts by population type (e.g., families), types of supports (e.g., shelter), and outcomes





See the following slide for links to specific resources
Dashboards from https://kcrha.org/data-overview/ and
https://static.spokanecity.org/documents/chhs/hmis/2019-q4-dashboard.pdf



Local Homeless Data Resources

Location	Organization and Link					
Clark County	Council for the Homeless https://www.councilforthehomeless.org/annual-system-data-2021/					
King County	King County Regional Homelessness Authority https://kcrha.org/data-overview/					
Pierce County	Pierce County Department of Human Services https://www.piercecountywa.gov/5978/Infographics-and-Dashboards					
Snohomish County	Snohomish County Office of Community & Homeless Services https://snohomishcountywa.gov/856/HMIS-Reports https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/snocohmis					
Spokane City/County	Spokane Department of Community, Housing, and Human Services https://my.spokanecity.org/chhs/cmis/reports/					
Balance of State (all other counties) and statewide data	Department of Commerce https://www.commerce.wa.gov/serving-communities/homelessness/homeless-system-performance/ https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/comhau#!/					

Note: The data links above are to specific resource pages. Additional data may be available from each site.

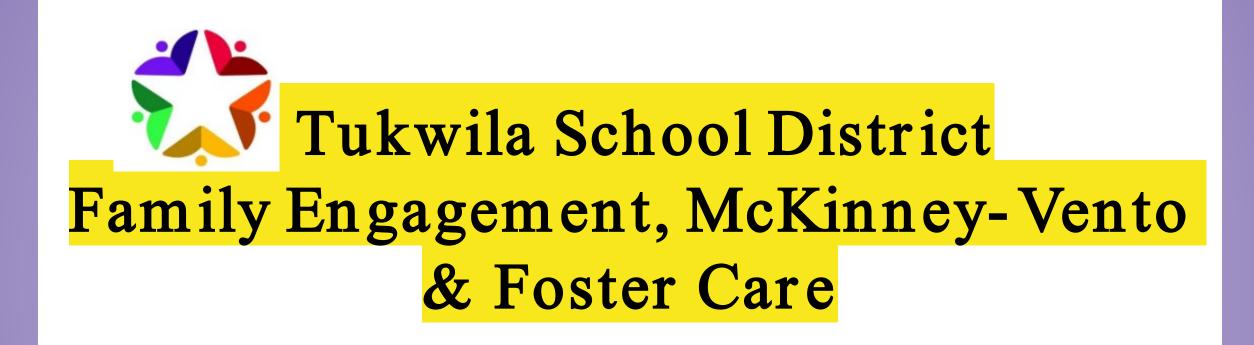


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QES = Quality Engagement Specialists

About Tukwila

- 2 Liaisons divided by Elementary and Secondary
- McKinney-Vento, Foster Care & Family Engagement
- District and Building point of contact

McKinney-Vento Statistics

192 students experiencing housing instability identified, so far, in 2022-2023

75% Doubled-up (staying with extended family or friends due to economic hardship)

8% Unaccompanied Youth

5% in Hotels/ Motels

12% in Shelters

1% Unsheltered (in car)

Cascade View - 38

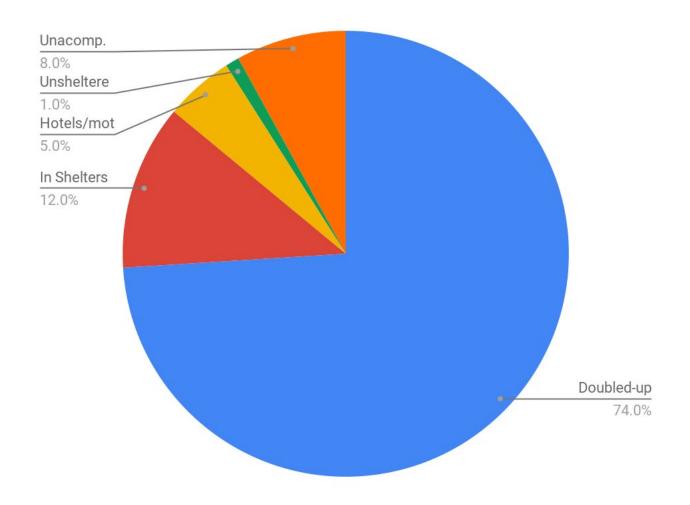
Thorndyke - 35

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Showalter - 29

Foster - 50

(258 students experiencing housing instability for 2021-2022 school year. That is 10% of our students)



Thank you!

Questions?

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How to Use Quantitative & Qualitative Data to Help Improve Systems for Students Experiencing Homelessness

Slides by **Jesus Villegas**, Student Services Support Specialist Clover Park School District

Feb. 15th, 2022

Why gather additional quantitative & qualitative data?

- ➤ Needs Assessments for
 - **✓** Grants **✓** Change in programs **✓** Capacity building
- > Find gaps in resources/services, as well as inequities
- >Advocacy through real life examples and stories
 - ✓ To help advocate for school district supports, additional resources, and partnerships.
 - ✓ Prior permission to use someone's story. Names kept anonymous.
- > Figure out what other holistic supports are needed
 - ✓ Gather information to see if more culturally-relevant or specific resources & supports are needed. (Ex: Connect to tribal community resources for Native American families, or on base resources for military families.)

Data Sources

- ➤ Student Information Management System
- ➤ OSPI EDS & Tableau
- ➤ Washington State Report Card
- ➤ Other local entities gathering homeless data:
 - State agencies
 - County
 - City
 - Other community organizations
- ➤ Other qualitative data/info from students/families

Data Sources Cont'd

Intake Form used by MKV Liaison as a tool to gather information for purposes of qualification, identifying needs, and see if additional supports/resources are needed.

- Kept confidential except for basic info needed to provide services or to advocate for the family per their request. (i.e. address to route bus, basic MKV category, basic student needs that may require additional supports...)
- Families are not required to complete or sign form in order to qualify for or request services. MKV identification info can be provided by different individuals or entities, as well as through different modes of communication.
- Families do not have to give any information they
 do not want to share or feel might jeopardize their
 living situation. Additional questions or options to
 provide evidence are used if additional info is
 needed to verify qualification in accordance with
 the McKinney-Vento Act.



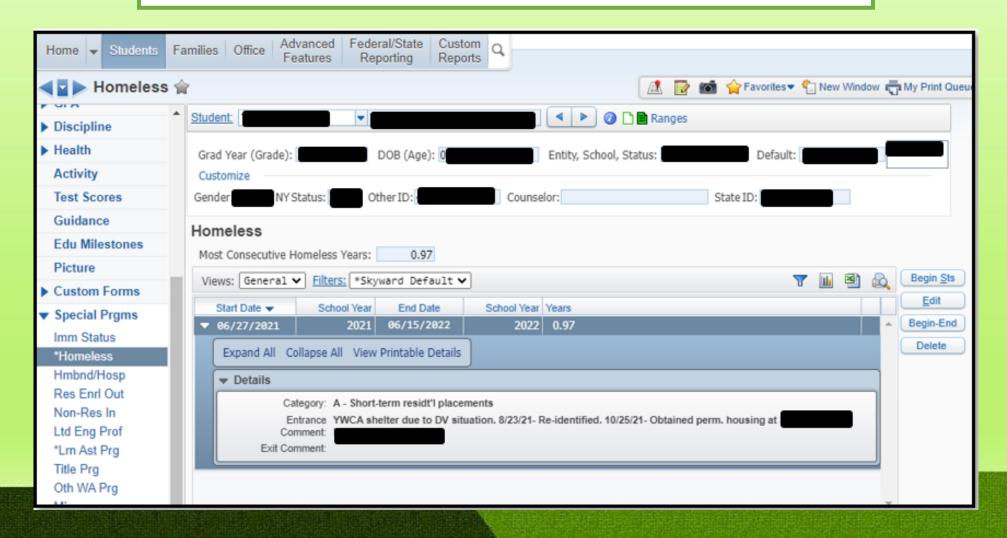
McKinney-Vento Program Intake Form

(For Liaison use upon Intake)

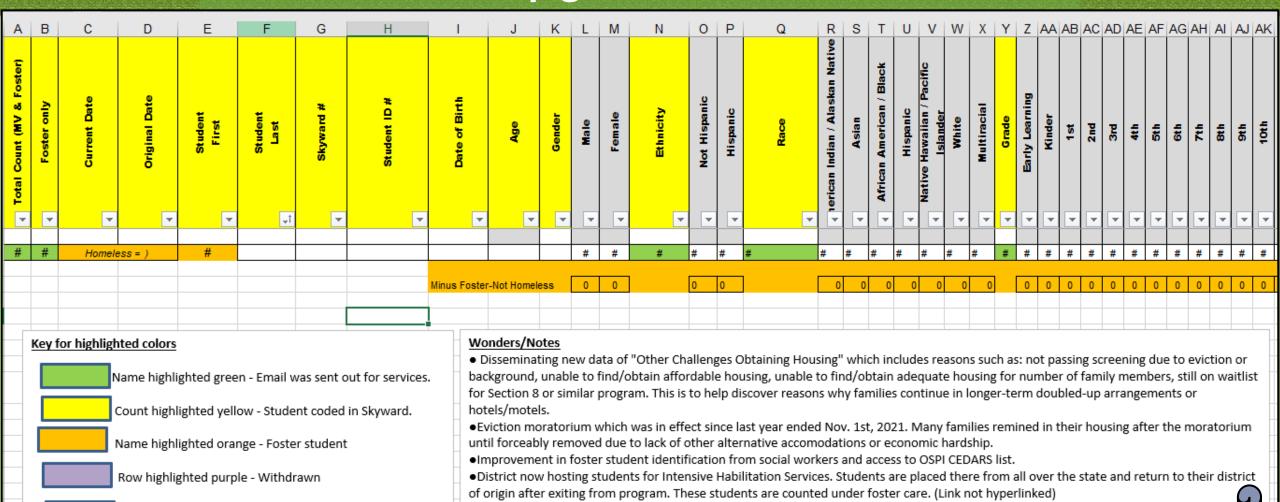
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Name	Student No. (SSID)	Student No. Grade Age Date of Cu		Current or Last Attended School (if not enrolled, please indicate)	
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Example of information entered in the Student Information Management System.

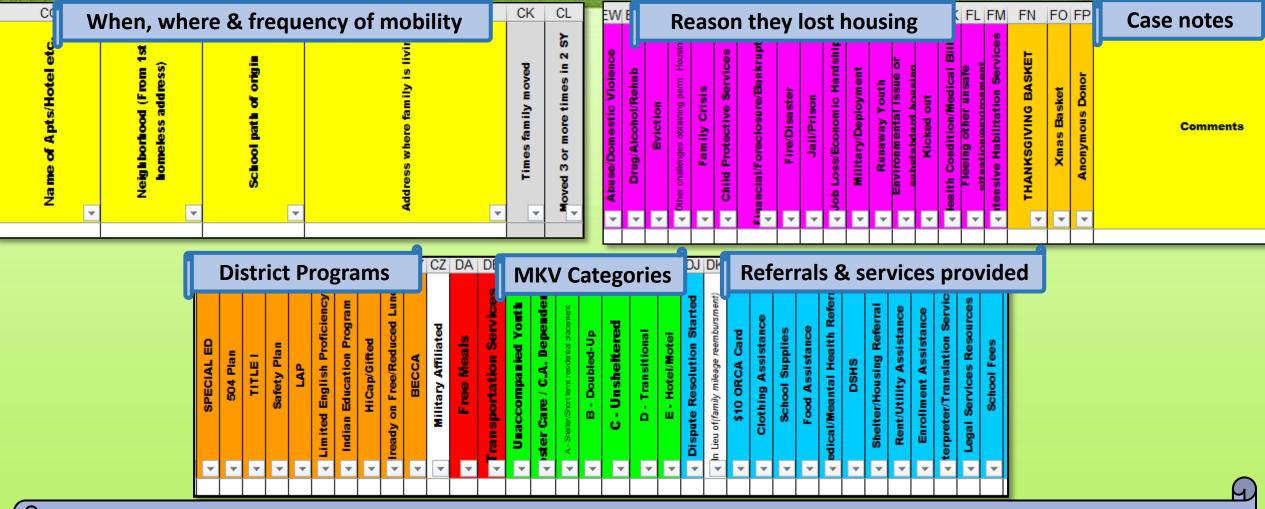


Excel to help gather additional data



- Gray columns use AutoSum to facilitate gathering totals of each category.
- > Demographic data comes from Student Management System.
- Wonders/Notes Additional information or wonders that may affect data or further explain different community factors.

Excel to help gather additional data Cont'd



Additional data & info gathered includes:

- When, where & frequency of family mobility
- Reasons families lost housing (i.e. eviction...)
- District programs student is in (i.e. SPED, MLL...)

- Military Affiliation if any.
- Initial MKV qualification category (i.e. doubled-up)
- Referrals & services provided by the district liaison.
- Brief notes of the individual cases.

Example of data obtained by the county

1 in 10 = Number of affordable rental units compared to the number of people who need them.

49% = Increase of median rent for 1 bedroom apartment.

4.4% = Increase in median household income.

78 = Hours an individual earning min wage (\$11.50) needs to work to spend 30% of their income on a 1 bedroom apt.

County data also shows that people of color are over-represented.



FACT SHEET: HOMELESSNESS IN PIERCE COUNTY

Homelessness

is a story of housing, income, and behavioral health.

Hover over the data below to learn what the numbers represent.

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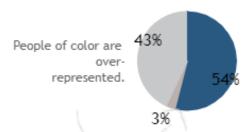


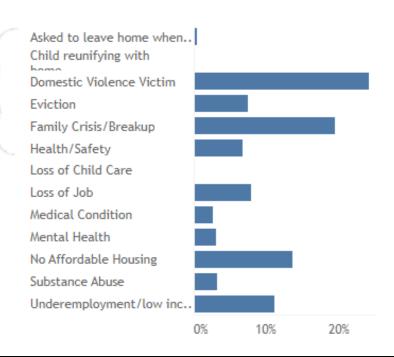


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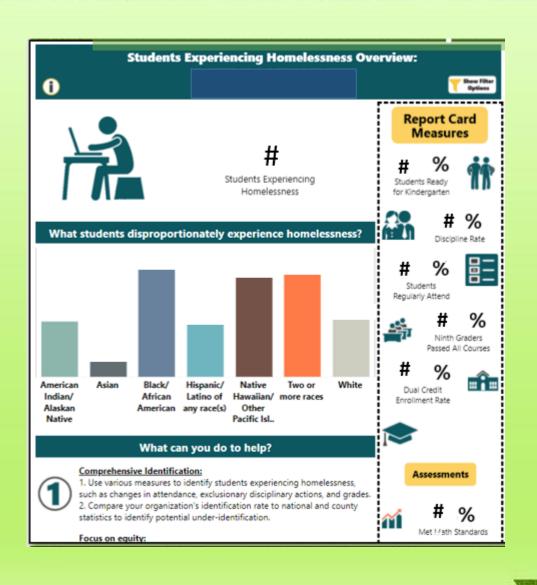
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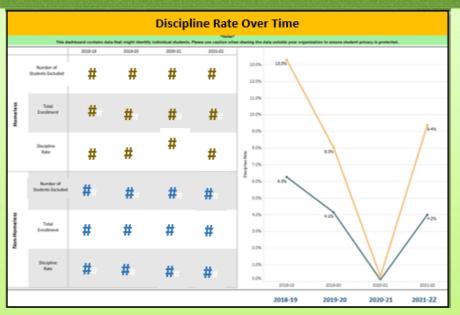
People experiencing homelessness identify economic, housing, and healthand safety-related factors as the primary reason for their lack of shelter.

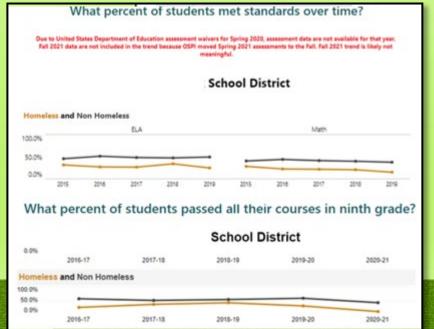




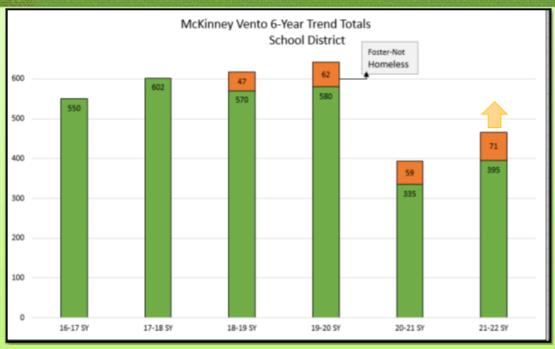
Example of OSPI Tableau & WA State Report Card Data

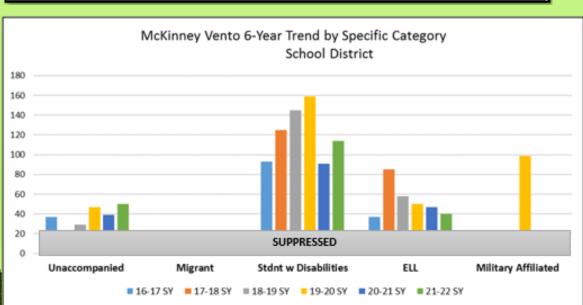


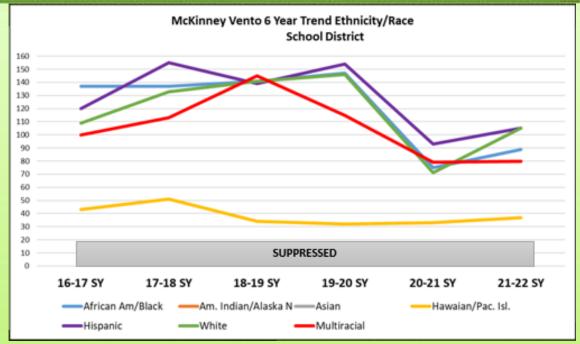


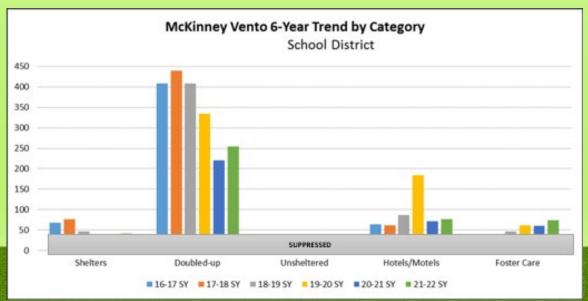


Custom Excel graphs using data from different sources



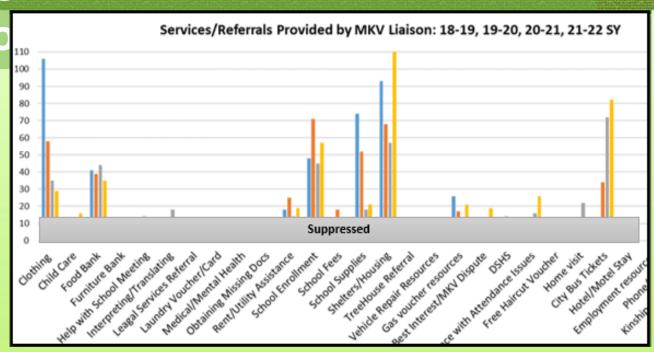






Custom Excel graphs using data from different sources





English Lang. Learners	Ні Сар	SPED	504 Plan	Safety Plan	Foster Care	Unaccompanied				
Average Attendance Rate 21-22 SY		Average # of Discipline Offenses 21-22 SY		Average # of Failed/Needs Improvement Courses 21-22 SY		How mobile were the students				
Total <u>Avg</u>	% of Students below 50% Attendance	Total Avg	# of student with more than 5	1 st Semester	2 nd Semester	Average # of times moved				
			with 10 or more with 20 or more	. with 4+	with 4+					

Example of presentation for Community Partnerships

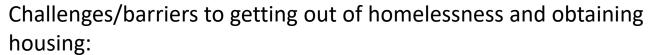












- a) Overwhelmed homeless assistance services & shelters
- Large number of people needing extensive services
- Lack of affordable housing & continued increases in rent
- Move-in costs
- Lack of comprehensive resources (Ex: a family may need help in several areas... i.e. finding & keeping employment, transportation, mental health services, etc.
- Transportation & high mobility
- Difficulty navigating resources...
- For foster students lack of foster homes, overwhelmed system

That is why community partnerships are an essential part to help students experiencing homelessness and in foster care better succeed in school.















Possible challenges with gathering data

- Staff capacity
- No system of collaboration
- Lack of knowledge/training of data systems

Best Practices

- Prioritize funding to help improve capacity
- Create process of regular collaboration with other depts. (IT, Assessment) & agencies/orgs.
- Seek professional development or work with other professionals that can help facilitate process.
- Use other existing data sources.
- Research & advocate for other existing data programs or systems that may streamline or facilitate the process. (Ex: Cayen HIMSS Software, Social Solutions/Apricot)





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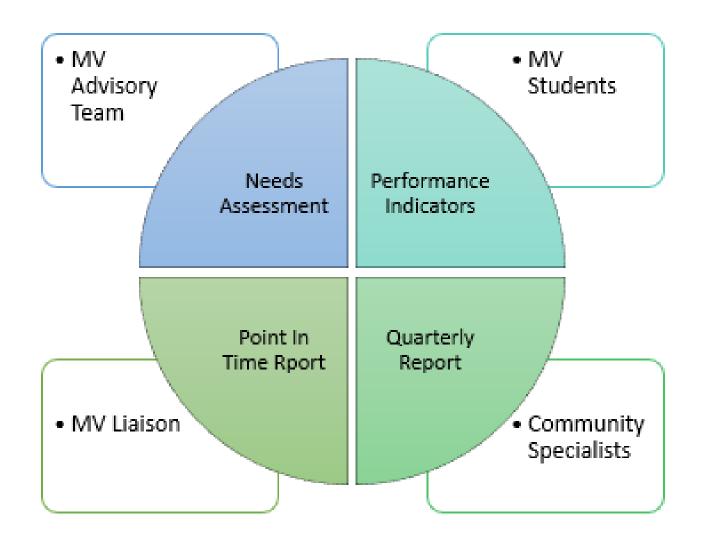


Spokane Public Schools

- Serve about 30,000 students a year
- On Average 4% of student population is McKinney-Vento identified
- 57% of student population is free and/or reduced priced meal eligible
- Employ 5,200 staff
- District area of 98 square miles covering 54 different schools
- Our program name is HEART (sorry if I use this interchangeably)



How Does SPS MV Program Use Data??



MV Students

School Data Tools

Allows team to view a "High Risk Report" which rank orders students based on attendance, discipline, and class performance

Outcome Form

Completed at the end of each semester for each MV secondary student

Completed Weekly for each MV student that is in Tier III intervention – Check & Connect

Classroom:	All				School:	ABC High School			
Student Name	Student Number	Grade Level	Class	Credits Earned	Current F's	Periods Absent Last Week	Discipline incidents last week	Math Percentile	Reading Percentile
Student 5	1234571	12	2019	24	5	11	1	68.07%	40.76%
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Student 7	1234573	10	2019	18	5	15	1	66.15%	64.82%
Student 8	1234574	11	2020	9.5	. 5	3	0	45.55%	30.32%
Student 13	1234579	11	2021	21	5	16	0	14.05%	18.35%
Student 9	1234575	12	2022	6	4	7	0	15.83%	13.77%
Student 12	1234578	10	2021	21.5	4	21	1	29.60%	23.03%
Student 15	1234581	12	2022	23	4	8	1	19.36%	30.14%
Student 11	1234577	10	2018	23	3	7	1	19.97%	29.66%
Student 1	1234567	12	2020	17	2	23	1	34.35%	64.23%
Student 6	1234572	9	2018	24.5	2	14	0	42.20%	49.38%
Student 10	1234576	9	2019	7.5	2	8	0	14.80%	17.07%
Student 14	1234580	12	2022	16	2	23	1	16.14%	29.17%
Student 2	1234568	10	2022	16.5	1	17	1	80.59%	65.60%
Student 3	1234569	9	2020	6.5	1	2	0	47.73%	57.07%
Student 4	1234570	11	2021	19	1	1	1	10.13%	33.75%

(Data on this slide is example data.)

MV Student Outcome Form

HEART Outcome Form

Student Name	Student ID	Grade	School	UY?	HEART Start Date	Check & Connect Start Date

Initial Check	BECCA Involved?	Periods Absent	Discipline Incidents (#)	Current F's (#)	Credits Earned (total)						
Date:											
	Outcome Checks										
Semester 1:											
Semester 2:											

CHECK codes	Attendance (number of absences and codes)	B. Behavior (number of discipline incidents)	C. Course Completion (number of failing grades)
	D. College/Career Readiness (FAFSA, HS & Beyond)	E. Housing	F. Community Resources
CONNECT codes	G. Medical/Dental/Health	H. Employment	I. Family
	J. School Barriers	K. Crisis Intervention	L. Food (outside of school)

HEART Outcome Form

SPS HEART Program

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HEART Outcome Form

Student Name	Student ID	Grade	School	UY?	HEART Start Date	Check & Connect Start Date

Check & Connect Log (D-College/Career E-Housing F-Community Resources G-Medical/Dental/Health H-Employment I-Family J-School Barriers K-Crisis Intervention L-Food)									
Date	CHECK data	CONNECT codes	Notes						
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Community Specialist

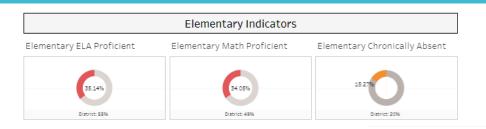
Key Performance Indicators

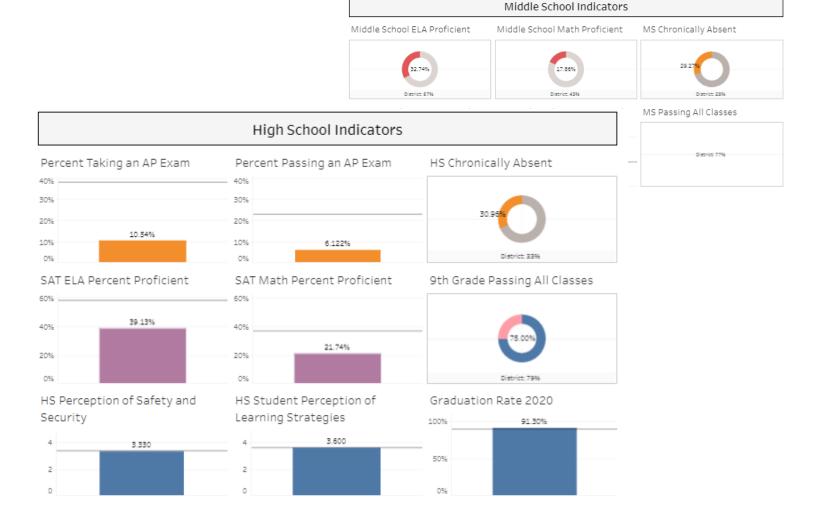
Able to look at program whole Able to look at specific schools

Quarterly Report

Completed the week following the end of each school quarter

Designed for HCS's to evaluated individual school performance





HCS Quarterly Report

(Data on this slide is example data.)

HEART Program				
Quarterly Report 2020-202	21			
Homeless Community Specia	alist: Danielle		Quarter 1	
The goal of this report is to sur	mmarize the work of the Homele	ess Community Specialist. Infor	mation will be provided about	student service data, student
demographic data, school site	'ABC' data, professional develo	pment and outreach services.		
Student Service Data				
	Check and Connect -	General HEART Support -	Dropped -	Transferred Out -
School Name	Number of Students	Number of Students	Number of Students	Number of Students
NCHS	6		2	
Shadle	2	19	0	0
Student Demographic Data (to	tal all schools)			
Primary Nighttime Residence o	of all active students:			
(A) Sheltered	(B) Doubled	(C) Unsheltered	(D) Hotel/Motel	
3	47	4	2	
	19		2	
Current Nighttime Residence of	f all active students:			
(A) Sheltered	(B) Doubled	(C) Unsheltered	(D) Hotel/Motel	(N) Housed
5	45	2	2	2
2	15	0	0	4
Accomanied Status of all active	e students:			
AY) Accomanied Youth	(UY) Unaccompaned Youth			
24	32			
12	9			
School Site 'ABC' Data				
		Percent Chronically Absent -	Exclusionary Consequences -	Percent Passing All Classes -
School Name	Total Student Population	All Students	All Students	All Students
NC	1594		20	
Shadle	1224	49	31	61
School Name	HEART Population (active)	Percent Chronically Absent - HEART Students	Exclusionary Consequences - HEART Students	Percent Passing All Classes - HEART Students
NC	56		32	
			27	
Shadle	21	,3	27	33
Shadle Professional Development and		7.5	2,	33

MV Liaison

Program Quarterly Report

Completed second week following end of school quarter

Also completed is a file audit to ensure data reported to OSPI through CEDARS is accurate

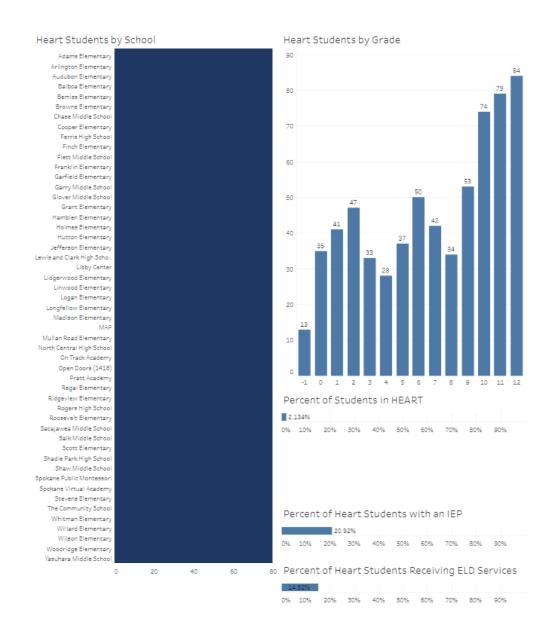
Designed for the program to evaluate effectiveness.

Report has 8 sheets of information including student count and percentage, types of transportation, KPI data, MTSS Support levels, etc.

(School count data redacted.)

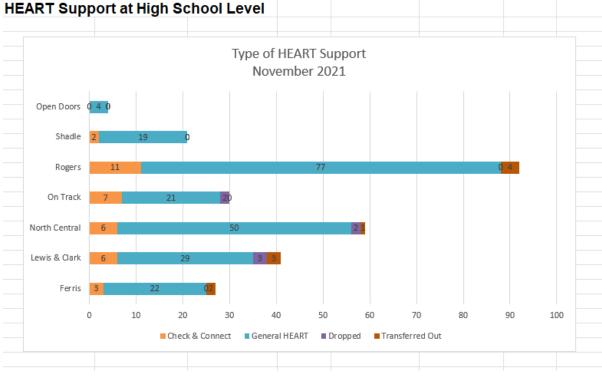
Count of Homeless Students

													650	
0	50	100	150	200	250	300	350	400	450	500	550	600	650	700
						Distinct	count of Stude	nt Number						



Point In Time Report





(Data on this slide is sample data.)

Needs Assessment Surveys

- For the last two years we have sent out surveys using Microsoft Forms.
- The first year, just to district staff
- Last year we did two different surveys:
 - Students and Families
 - District Staff

- Goals are to ensure our data and narratives align and to further define gaps in services that need to be addressed.
- Biggest limitation is the low response rate!



Survey Results

Students and Families

Key Findings

2. What grade level do you think the HEART program should focus their supports?

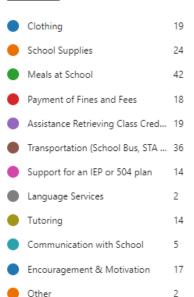
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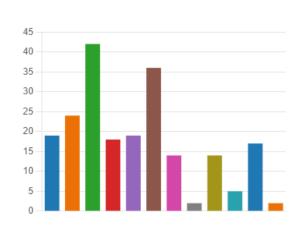
Elementary (Pre K to 6th)
 Secondary (7th - 12th)
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3. Please indicate the top three (3) supports students need AT SCHOOL to be successful.

More Details

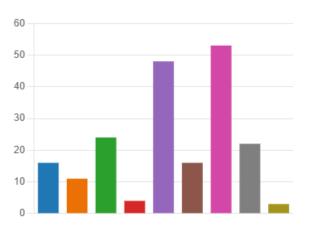




4. Please indicate the top three (3) supports that students need OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL to be successful.

More Details

Medical Care 16
 Dental Care 11
 Mental Health Services / Couns... 24
 Alcohol and Drug Treatment Ser... 4
 Housing 48
 Utility Assistance 16
 Food & Basic Needs 53
 Clothing 22
 Other 3



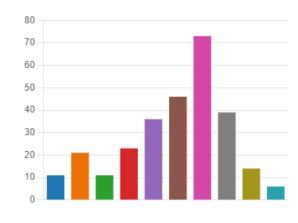
Survey Results Cont'd District Staff

Key Findings

4. Please select the top three (3) barriers that students face at school.

More Details





5. Please select the top three (3) barriers students face away from school:

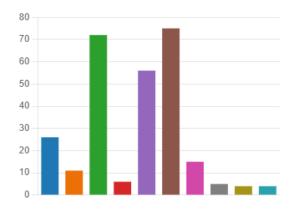
3. What grade level do you feel the HEART program should focus their support to students/families?





More Details

Medical Care	26
Dental Care	11
Mental Health Services	72
Alcohol and Drug Treatment Ser	6
Lack of Housing	56
Family Issues	75
Childcare (for student/siblings)	15
Legal Services	5
Utility Assistance	4
Other	4



MV Advisory Team

Needs Assessment

Data from Point In Time Report

Data from Survey Information

Matches gaps in service with available staffing with shifting as appropriate



Key Takeaways

- Small steps in looking at your data make a difference and can help make change happen!
 - Look at it, start using it, and share it.
 - Sharing data can help get buy in from stakeholders at all levels.
- It takes time! You can tailor how you use data to your district.
 - It may be one person or a whole team.
 - You have a whole data team at your district that you can partner with.
- Tracking your own data is a way to know what is current.
 - o Often data it a point in time representation.
 - Reports may not match each other depending on timing.
- Look at data from different angles (education, county, state, local, HYS) get a well-rounded picture.





Breakout Rooms!

Guiding Questions:

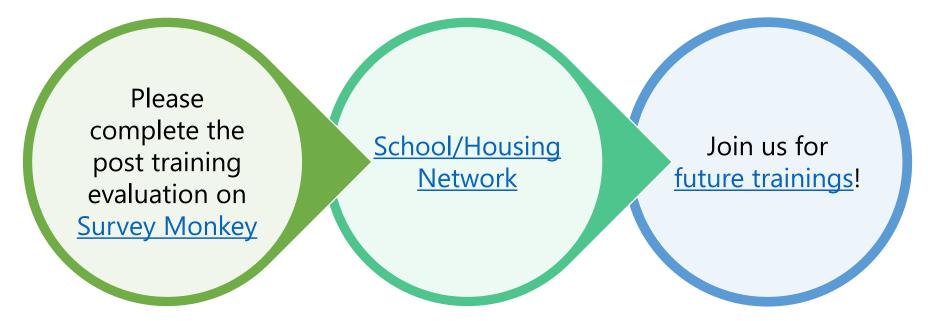
- What are your district's data capturing practices?
- Do you have a system that works well? Or maybe isn't working for you?
- After seeing examples from other districts, what changes to your data collection practices are you interested in making?





Reflections & Questions

In Closing...



 For Clock Hours, please complete the survey through pdEnroller





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