OAKLAND COUNTY VETERANS July 2019

Oakland County Veteran Taskforce

The Alliance for Housing, Oakland County Veteran Taskforce, is a group of partner agencies that work together to end veteran homelessness in Oakland County. Goals of the Taskforce include:

- 1. Successfully identify all veterans experiencing homelessness in Oakland County and list each veteran by name on the By-Name-List within 72 hours of identification.
- 2. Permanently house all identified homeless veterans seeking housing within 90 days of identification.

Partner Agencies

The Oakland County Veteran Taskforce is comprised of a variety partner agencies ranging from emergency shelter to permanent housing. A list of Core Partner Agencies are listed below:

- Alliance for Housing
- Bluewater Center for Independent Living (BWCIL)
- Community Housing Network (CHN)
- Disability Network Oakland & Macomb (DNOM)
- HOPE
- John D. Dingell VA Medical Center (VAMC)
- Oakland County Community Health Network (OCHN)
- Oakland County Veterans' Services
- Oakland Livingston Human Service AGency (OLHSA)
- South Oakland Shelter (SOS)
- Training and Treatment Innovations (TTI)

VASH and VHA Eligible

HUD-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH): combines rental assitance for homeless veterans with case management and clinical services provided by the VA.

Veteran Health Administration (VHA): is an integrated health care system serving enrolled Veterans throughout the United States.

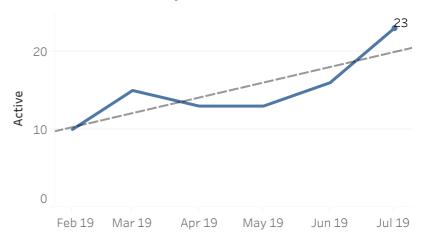
Both VHA and HUD-VASH eligibility is tracked in the BNL to determine additional programs available to veterans.



Veteran By-Name-List

The Veteran By-Name-List (BNL) is an active list of veterans that are currenlty experiencing homelessness in Oakland County. The BNL is updated on a weekly basis to track the status of clients that are looking for housing, moved into a unit, or are deactivated. Clients who are referred to the list are connected with agencies that provide housing assistance to veterans.

Homeless Veterans by Last 6 Months



Oakland County has a variety of Veteran-specific housing projects available to eligible participants. This includes Rapid Rehousing (RRH) and Prevention through Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) and Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA). Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) is also available through Veteran Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH) vouchers, CoC PSH and Housing Choice Vouchers (HCV). Each project has specific eligibility criteria that the Taskforce reviews when assigning placements during the BNL meetings.

Identified, Deactivated, and Housed by Last 6 Months

