

# 100 HOMES PENTICTON REGISTRY WEEK HOMELESSNESS SURVEY RESULTS

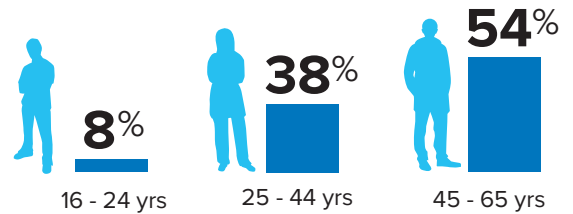
Working together, volunteers from 13 organizations canvassed Penticton's shelters, streets and parks to know every person experiencing homelessness by name. They also met with people who had a roof over their head, but were living in precarious living situations.

We met  
**203** people and helped them register for supportive housing.

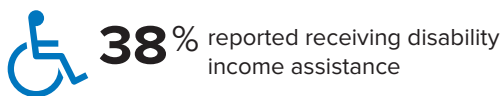
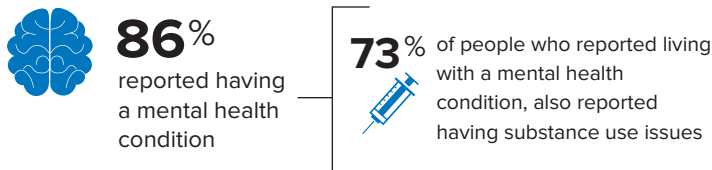
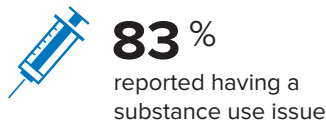


We interviewed  
**128** people who were homeless.

## WHAT WE LEARNED

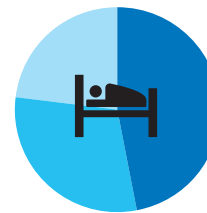


### VULNERABILITY



### LENGTH OF HOMELESSNESS

**23%** were recently homeless with less than a month without a home



**47%** were chronically homeless, meaning they were homeless for more than 1 year, OR homeless at least 4 times within the last 3 years

**30%** were homeless for 1 month to 1 year

## A PLACE TO CALL HOME



In December we connected **41 of these community members** with a home.

This was possible thanks to partnerships between **BC Housing, City of Penticton, Interior Health** and a collection of **community agencies** and **private sector property owners**.

**100 Homes Penticton is a local campaign to provide housing and supports to 100 people by July 2018.**

It is part of a national campaign led by the Canadian Alliance to End Homelessness to house 20,000 of Canada's most vulnerable people experiencing homelessness by July 2018.

Penticton is the 4th municipality in BC to join the campaign. We are the first BC community to complete the Housing Registry Week which took place November 7 to 11, 2016. This campaign is a partnership of the following organizations: BC Housing, City of Penticton, Lighthouse Penticton, Interior Health, Okanagan Friendship Centre, Pathways Addictions Resource Centre, Penticton & District Community Resources Society, Penticton and District Society for Community Living, RCMP, Salvation Army, Soupateria, South Okanagan Brain Injury Society, South Okanagan Women in Need Society, United Way CSO and individual volunteers.

