Housing Instability Insights

Skagit County - October 2026

What is Coordinated Entry?

Coordinated Entry is a system used in Skagit County and other communities to ensure that all people experiencing homelessness are quickly and fairly connected to limited housing resources based on their level of need.

How many people sought and qualified for housing support?

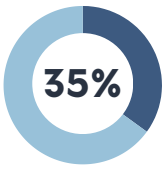
Individuals	133
Households	71

How does this compare to other months in 2026?

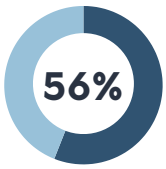
13% Higher than average

3.9% Higher than average

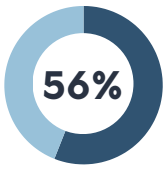
Who sought housing support?



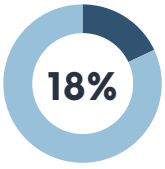
chronically homeless



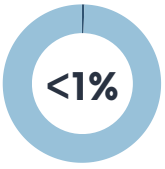
individuals with a disabling condition



households with children



individuals 55 years and older



young adult households

Referrals and Enrollments

	Referrals	Enrolled
Emergency Shelter	193	70
Rapid Rehousing	54	8
Prevention & Rental Assistance	76	15
Permanent Supportive Housing	104	1

Exit Destinations

When someone leaves housing or services part of the homeless response system, the next place they go is called an exit destination. Tracking this helps us understand how our response system is working.

36 exits to permanent housing

Individuals or households that secured stable, long-term housing

112 exits to other destinations

Individuals or households with continued instability, temporary arrangements, or in institutions

Need help? Call 360-VOA-HELP

Call **VOA Connect** to talk with a trained professional who can connect you to the local services you need - including food, housing, treatment, and more!

Questions about this report?

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