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Summary of COVID-19 Cases Among Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH)

	San Diego County Residents	
Total Cases Among PEH	1,052	
Hospitalizations	216	20.5%
Deaths	19	1.8%
Selected Characteristics	Count	% of Cases with Known Demographics
Age Groups (median age = 47 years)		
0-9 years	19	1.8%
10-19 years	35	3.3%
20-29 years	148	14.1%
30-39 years	199	18.9%
40-49 years	196	18.6%
50-59 years	263	25.0%
60-69 years	149	14.2%
70-79 years	35	3.3%
80+ years	8	0.8%
Age Unknown	0	
Gender		
Female	342	32.7%
Male	703	67.3%
Gender Unknown	7	
Race/Ethnicity*		
Hispanic or Latino	406	41.4%
White	337	34.4%
Black or African American	133	13.6%
Asian	34	3.5%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	7	0.7%
American Indian/Alaska Native	3	0.3%
Multiple Race	18	1.8%
Other Race	43	4.4%
Race/Ethnicity Unknown	71	

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Selected Characteristics	Count	% of Cases with Known Demographics
HHS Service Region		
Central	370	43.1%
East	96	11.2%
North Central	168	19.6%
North Coastal	66	7.7%
North Inland	47	5.5%
South	111	12.9%
HHS Service Region Unknown	194	
Type of Usual Lodging**		
Shelter	253	
In car/vehicle	140	
Unsheltered (e.g., on streets, riverbed)	86	
Couch surfing	79	
Other***	211	
Usual Lodging Unknown	359	

* Persons of Hispanic/Latino ethnicity may belong to any race group. All categories except Hispanic/Latino include persons for whom race is known but ethnicity is non-Hispanic or unknown.

**Cases may indicate multiple types of usual lodging; counts may add up to greater than the total cases among PEH.

***Other types of lodging include hostels, hotels, etc.

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Source: San Diego County Communicable Disease Registry

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