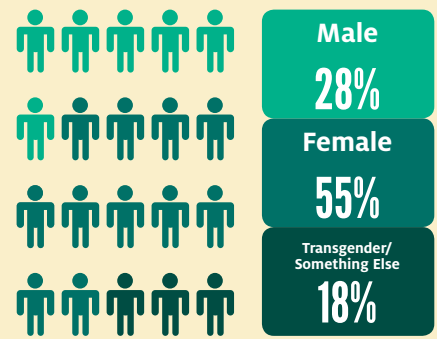
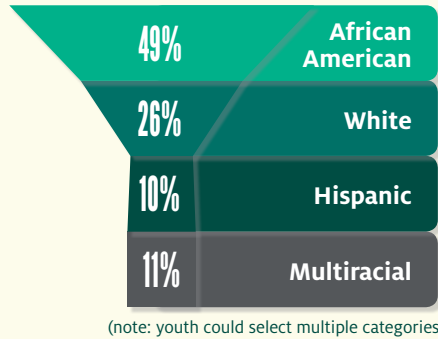
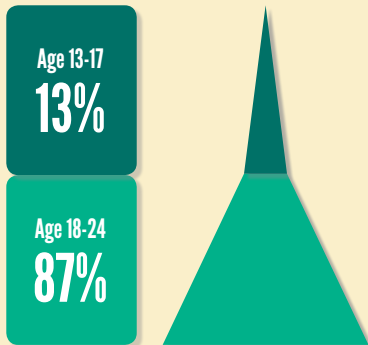


# Homeless Youth Who Identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender or Questioning

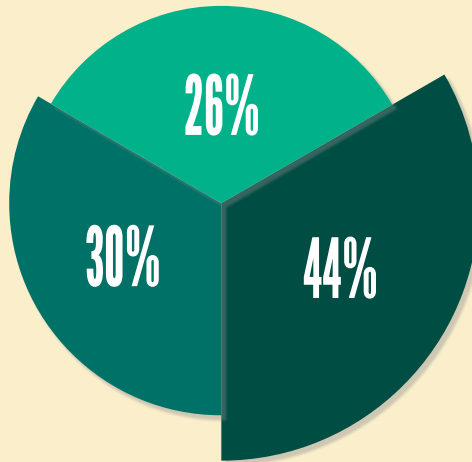
Findings from YouthCount 2.0!

**434**  
Youth Surveyed

**106** Reported that they were lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or questioning. (25%)  
The following statistics provide information on the characteristics, histories and risk behaviors for these youth.



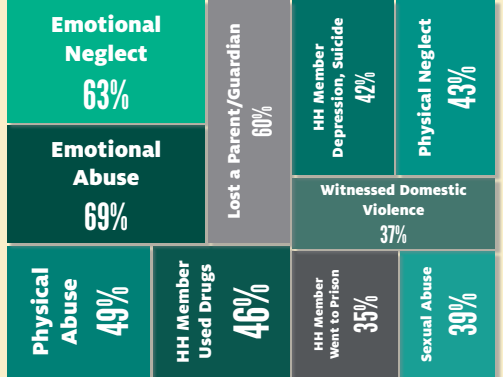
**25%** reported they had been **involved** with the juvenile probation system



**48%** reported they are **currently homeless** because they were **kicked out** of a family or relative home



**ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES:**

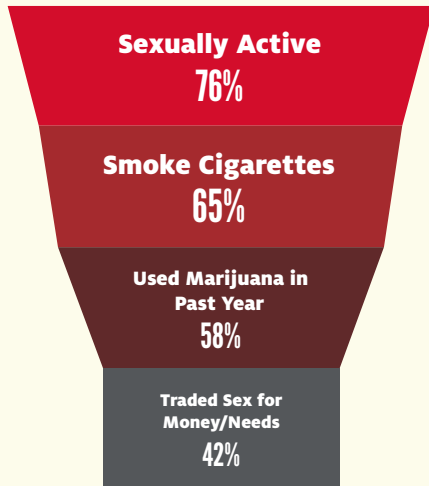


Reported a previous episode of homelessness

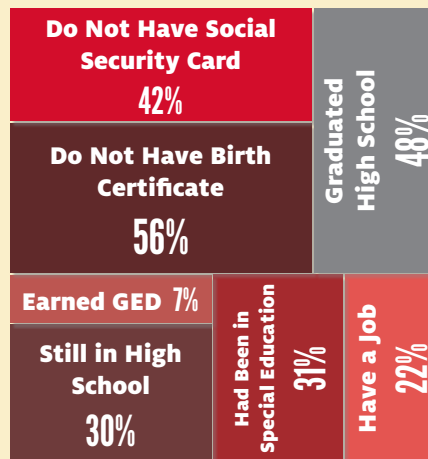
**ASSESS 10 TYPES OF TRAUMA**

Mean Score = 4.67 (significantly more than other homeless youth)

## RISK BEHAVIORS



## EMPLOYMENT & EDUCATION



## SOCIAL SUPPORT



Reported there is no adult in the community they can go to for job or school advice



Reported there is no adult they can go to for emotional support



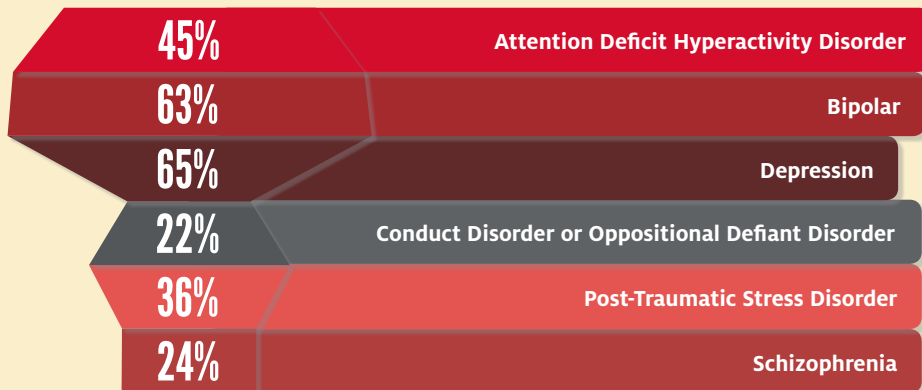
Say there is no adult in their life who cares about them

## MENTAL HEALTH

**63%** met screening criteria for serious mental distress based on last 30 days

**36%** Had attempted suicide

## LIFETIME HISTORY OF DIAGNOSES



## SERVICE USE



Had taken psychiatric medications



Had received outpatient therapy



Reported an unmet need for mental health treatment

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