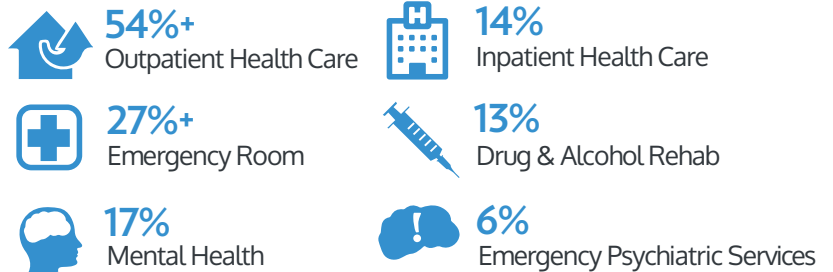
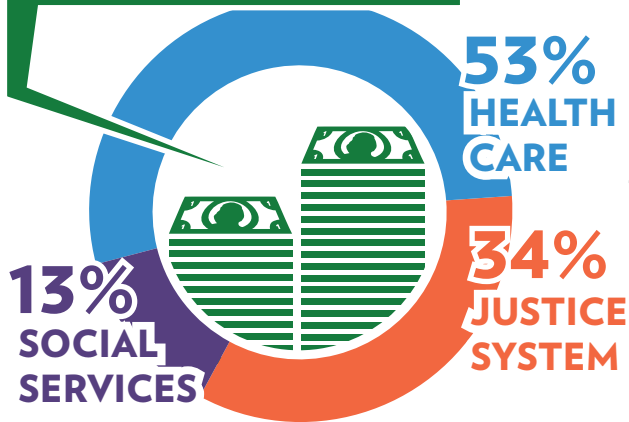


# THE LARGEST & MOST COMPREHENSIVE COST STUDY OF HOMELESSNESS IN THE USA

104,206 individuals in Santa Clara County over 6 years - between 2007 and 2012

**\$520 MILLION / YEAR**  
providing services for homeless residents over the six-year study



1/3 of study population was involved with the criminal justice system Among this group:



**TOP 5%** 2,290 individuals with costs in the TOP 5% accounted for **47%** of all costs and had average costs of over **\$100,000/YEAR**.

**TOP 10%** 4,582 individuals with costs in the TOP 10% accounted for **61%** of all costs and had average costs of **\$67,199/YEAR**.

**HOMELESS FOSTER YOUTH** **80%** Mental Disorder **63%** Involved in Justice System

**IMMIGRANTS** Immigrants only account for **9%** of the TOP 5%.

## HOUSING 1000



For the 103 homeless residents in the tenth cost decile who were housed through **Housing 1000** program, the estimated average annual pre-housing public cost was **\$62,473**. The estimated average post-housing cost was **\$19,767**, a reduction of **\$42,706** annually.

## GENDER



Santa Clara County shows equal numbers of homeless males and females & more females in persistent homelessness. National data, shows two or three times as many males homeless as females.

## SOLUTIONS

- Invest in Homelessness Prevention
- Expand Local Rapid Re-housing Programs
- Build Permanent Supportive Housing & Create New Housing Opportunities

Source:  
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