

# COALITION OF HOUSING AND HOMELESS ORGANIZATIONS

## COHHO HYPOTHERMIA REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2012 WINTER 2012-2013

To assist the ICH Operations & Logistics Committee in monitoring implementation of the Winter Plan in real time, COHHO will issue reports during the winter season. In the past, the report has been done weekly, but will be done monthly for November and December 2012 before resuming on a weekly basis.

In preparing this report, we have reviewed daily official weather-related information, the daily shelter Census forms, and the Family Shelter System Monthly Report.

Eighteen **Alerts** were called during this period on December 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.

On these nights, the hypothermia shelters were open, except for December 14, when the Census form indicates that the Alert was called at 11:40 PM.

On December 1 and 18 the reported Wind Chill data show that the Wind Chill was at or below 32° but no Alert was called

System-wide capacity for the **men's** system was not exceeded on any night during the period. The seasonal beds for men at CCNV, the Alert night beds at First Rising Baptist Church, and the overflow beds at D.C. General which were represented on the Capacity Table of the 2012-2013 Winter Plan were not shown on the daily census for any date during the month of December..

At least three individual men's shelters exceeded their respective capacities on Alert nights during the period. 801-E was over capacity on 1 night, St. Luke's was over on 8 nights, and Sacred Heart was over on 6 nights.

System-wide capacity for **women's** system was not exceeded on any night during the period..

The Hermano Pedro women's shelter exceeded capacity on 14 nights during the period.

There were 7 **families** in Motels at the beginning of the period, and 7 families in Motels at the end of the period.

Respectfully Submitted,

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COHHO Executive Board