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Community Services Department

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Building an Inclusive Community



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Who we are

- Amanda Sherf:
 - Community Services Manager
- Kara Fritts:
 - Community Outreach Social Worker

What we do

Our goal is to help coordinate efforts related to homeless, mental health, and substance response within the City of Norman, the agencies who work closely with these populations, the business community, and the neighborhood communities. This department is funded with Opioid Settlement funds.



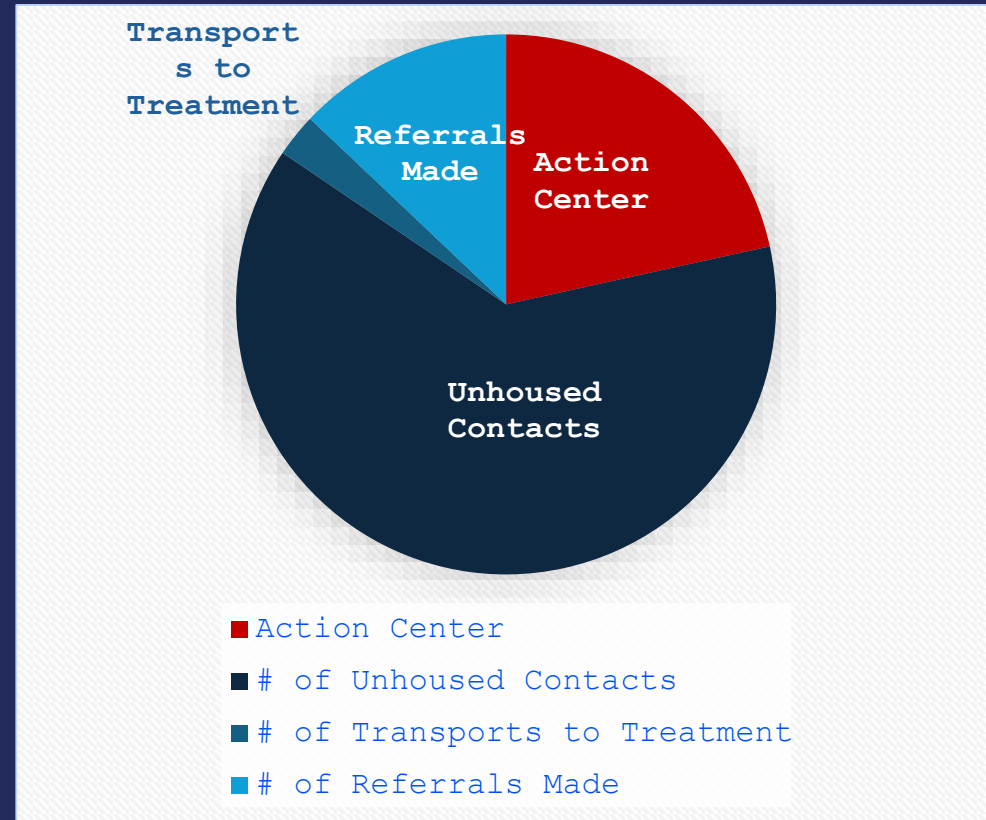
Encampment Updates

- Frances Cate Park
 - Early May- about 45-50 people total at the highest level.
- Operation SAFE
 - End of May- about 20 people total.
- River Encampment
 - End of May into early June- about 60 people.



Statistics for May

- Action Center inquiries: 25
- # of Unhoused Contacts (Unduplicated): 73
- # of Transports to Treatment (Mental Health or Substance Use): 3
- # of Referrals Made: 15





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Community Partnerships

May was a month of staff settling into this new program and making connections. Throughout the month of May we were able to connect with 6 agencies that are outside our regular contact. These contacts are the start to formulating new partnerships within the City of Norman.



Tentative Next Steps

- Document operating procedures
- Update City website
- Continue to establish partnerships with community partners
- Schedule meetings with community groups and the business community
- Modify Mobile Crisis Vehicle for Traveling Office
- Hire a bachelors or masters level intern



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QUESTIONS



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