

On the Map: Community Snapshots

Family Homelessness in Your Community

East New York

Brooklyn Community District 5



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Homelessness and Poverty

Families Entering Shelter

Number of Families, FY 2014

564

Percent Change from
FY 2013 to FY 2014

-5%

Borough Rank (Out of 18 CDs
in Brooklyn)

1

Citywide Rank (Out of 59 CDs
in New York City)

1

Top Reasons for
Family Shelter Entry



Domestic Violence	24%
Eviction	37%
Overcrowding	15%
Immediate Return	12%
Other	12%
FY 2012 to Dec. 2014 N=1,981	

All Homeless Students, SY 2013-14

Number of Students

2,825

Percent Change from SY 2010-11

16%

Borough Rank (Out of 18 CDs
in Brooklyn)

1

Citywide Rank (Out of 59 CDs
in New York City)

7

Homeless Students That Are Doubled Up

Percent of Students

45%

Percent Change from SY 2010-11

77%

Homeless Students in Shelter

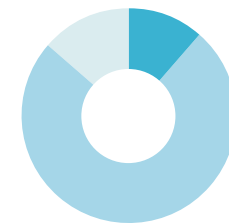
Percent of Students

47%

Percent Change from SY 2010-11

-7%

Homelessness and Poverty Among All Students, SY 2013-14



Homeless	11%
Housed, Low Income	75%
Housed, Not Low Income	14%

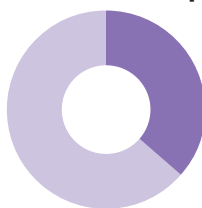
Stability Indicators

Affordability (Spent 50% or More on Rent)

Rental Units Needed (■) vs. Rental Units Available (■)

Rent Category	Units Needed (%)	Units Available (%)
Very High Rent \$2,000 or More per Month	34%	3%
High Rent \$1,500-\$1,999 per Month	14%	19%
Medium Rent \$1,000-\$1,499 per Month	11%	33%
Low Rent \$600-\$999 per Month	12%	20%
Very Low Rent Less than \$600 per Month	28%	26%

Median Monthly Household Spending



Spent on Rent	\$857	37%
Left Over	\$1,485	63%

	CD	Brooklyn	NYC
Unemployment	8%	9%	8%
Adults with Less than a High School Degree	14%	20%	20%
People Living Below 150% of Federal Poverty Level	43%	35%	32%
Food Insecure	24%	20%	17%
Median Household Income	\$32,996	\$47,966	\$52,996
Severely Rent Burdened	33%	32%	29%
Overcrowded	15%	13%	11%