



North Carolina Coalition

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to End Homelessness

NC SOAR: SSI/SSDI, Outreach, Access and Recovery

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NC SOAR Outcomes

Total usable outcomes reports received*	425
Total Approved	320
Total Pending	21
Total Denied	83
Total Death before Decision	1
Average time between completion of application and determination for initial applications	106 days
Percentage of caseworkers becoming the 1696	96%
Average length of time homeless	2 years, 1 month
Percentage of applications approved (not including those pending)	79%
Percentage that required CE	36%
Amount of income brought into state since June 2, 2010 (includes first year of annual income and back pay awarded to applicants)	\$3,335,721.10

*Outcome reports are cumulative and are based on data received since 2008. Some outcomes forms are received and do not have enough completed fields to be considered 'usable' for the purposes of data collection. Appropriate follow-up is done with submitting caseworkers, but when no further information is available we consider these submitted forms to be unusable. Outcomes include cases at three stages: Initial Applications, Reconsiderations, and Appeals.

NC SOAR Community Scan

County	# of Outcomes	Approval Rating	Dedicated staff?
Alamance	2	100% (2/2)	N
Buncombe	78	97% (76/78, 1 Denial and 1 case closed prior to decision due to client death)	Y: 1.5 FTE
Burke	2	100% (2/2)	N
Cabarrus	1	0% (0/1)	N
Catawba	1	100% (1/1)	N
Cumberland	6	100%(2/2, 4 pending cases)	Y: 1 FTE
Durham	59	86% (51/59)	Y: 4 FTE
Forsyth	69	81% (56/69)	Y: 2 FTE
Gaston	5	100% (5/5)	N
Guilford	16	69% (11/16)	N
Haywood	1	100% (1/1)	N
Iredell	2	50% (1/2)	Y: 1 FTE, started 1/2011
Jackson	1	0% (0/1)	N
Lenoir	1	100% (1/1)	N
Mecklenburg	19	91% (10/11); 1 Denial, 8 Pending	Y: 3 FTE, started 1/2011
New Hanover	72	63% (45/72)	Y: 1 FTE
Orange	23	83% (19/23)	N
Pitt	37	45% (13/29); 16 Denials, 8 Pending	Y: 1 FTE, 2 PTE
Rockingham	2	100% (2/2)	N
Surry	3	0% (0/3)	Y: 1FTE started 1/2011
Vance	1	100% (1/1)	
Wake	23	95% (20/23); 1 Denial, 2 Pending	Y: 1 FTE
Watauga	1	0% (0/1)	N