

#### Central Waterfront Navigation Center: Street Vacation Ordinance Extension

Land Use & Transportation Committee May 18, 2020



## Central Waterfront Navigation Center: Background

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There are currently over 8,000 people experiencing homelessness in San Francisco, with over 5,000 people living unsheltered.

HSH has opened 8 Navigation Centers with 6 currently in operation. HSH opened the CWNC in 2017.





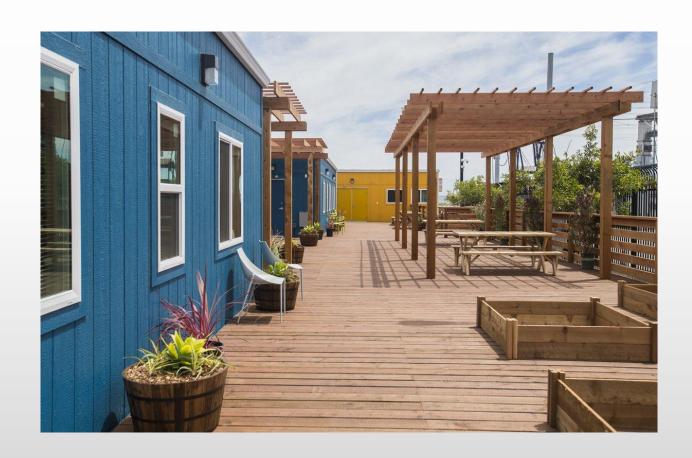
### Central Waterfront Navigation Center: Current Operation

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HSH contracts with Episcopal Community Services and Providence Foundation to operate the program

#### Onsite services include:

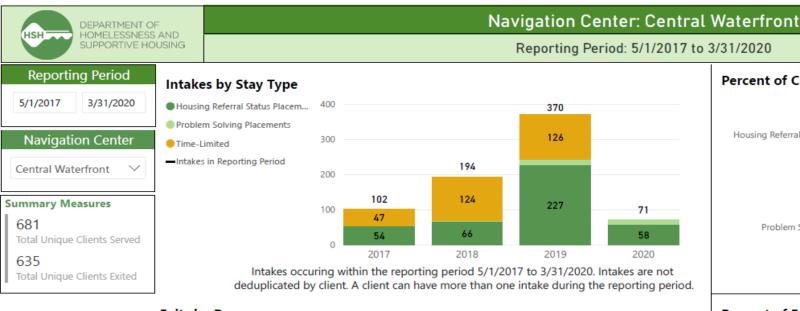
- Case management
- Medical care
- Housing assistance
- Benefits enrollment





#### Central Waterfront Navigation Center: Stats

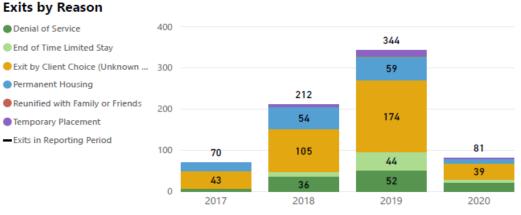
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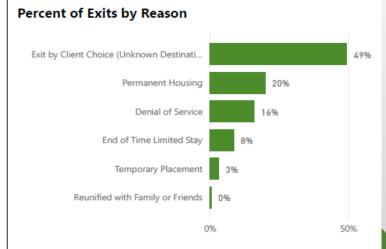
# Percent of Clients by Stay Type Housing Referral Status Placements 57% Time-Limited 38%

50%

Problem Solving Placements



Exits occurring within the reporting period 5/1/2017 to 3/31/2020. Exits are not deduplicated by client. A client can have more than one exit during the reporting period.



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# Central Waterfront Navigation Center: Community Outreach

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- → Prior to the opening in 2017, HSH & the Port led a significant community outreach process that resulted in an interagency community agreement.
- → Prior to the extension HSH, Port, SFPD and Public Works updated that agreement in partnership with the Dogpatch Neighborhood Association (DNA).
- ► Both Supervisor Walton and the DNA support the 5-year extension of the CWNC.
- April 28, 2020 the Port Commission approved the MOU to extend operations at the CWNC

#### Terms of Extension

- The original street vacation ordinance was limited to 3.5 years.
- This ordinance extends the vacation for 5 years, in alignment with the new MOU between HSH and the Port of San Francisco.