

# Peel Family Shelter

## COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT

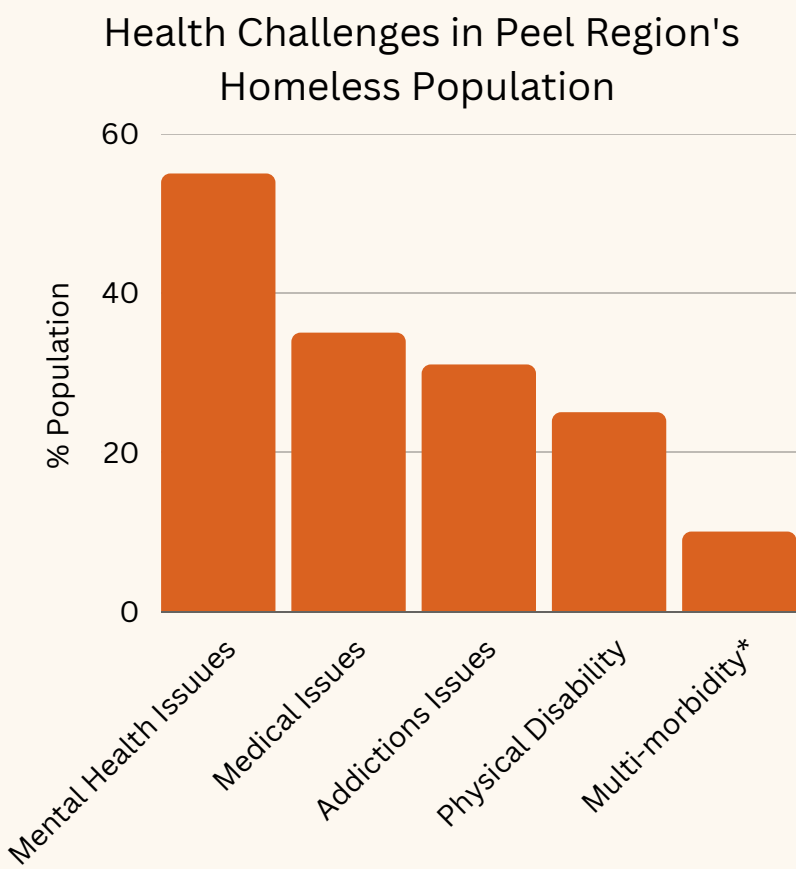


### The Area

Peel Family Shelter (PFS) is located in the neighbourhood of Meadowvale, in the northwest end of Mississauga. Although there are schools, parks, places of worship, and a community centre nearby, the gap between local supply and demand for housing continues to expand.

### The Clients

In 2023, PFS housed approximately **125** families, **40%** of whom are refugees or immigrants. Some are fleeing domestic violence, and an estimated **20%** of clients have active mental health challenges. Families are diverse in structure, including individuals, couples, children, and/or older adults.

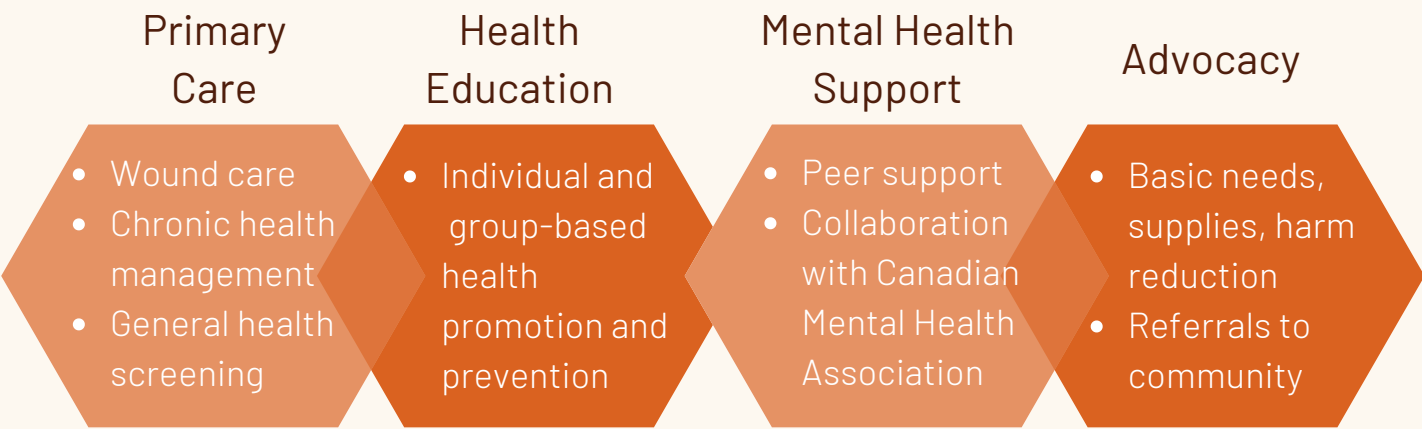


### Main Needs

- Basic health necessities
- Routine health assessment
- Addiction supports
- Mental health supports
- Comprehensive housing supports
- ID/health card acquisition assistance

\*Multi-morbidity in this context refers to the coexistence of a mental health issue, substance use, and chronic medical condition.

### What We Can Bring



### References

Region of Peel and Peel Alliance to End Homelessness. (2019). *Everyone counts Peel: 2018 joint point-in-time count and registry week results*. <https://www.homelesshub.ca/sites/default/files/attachments/Final%20Report.pdf>