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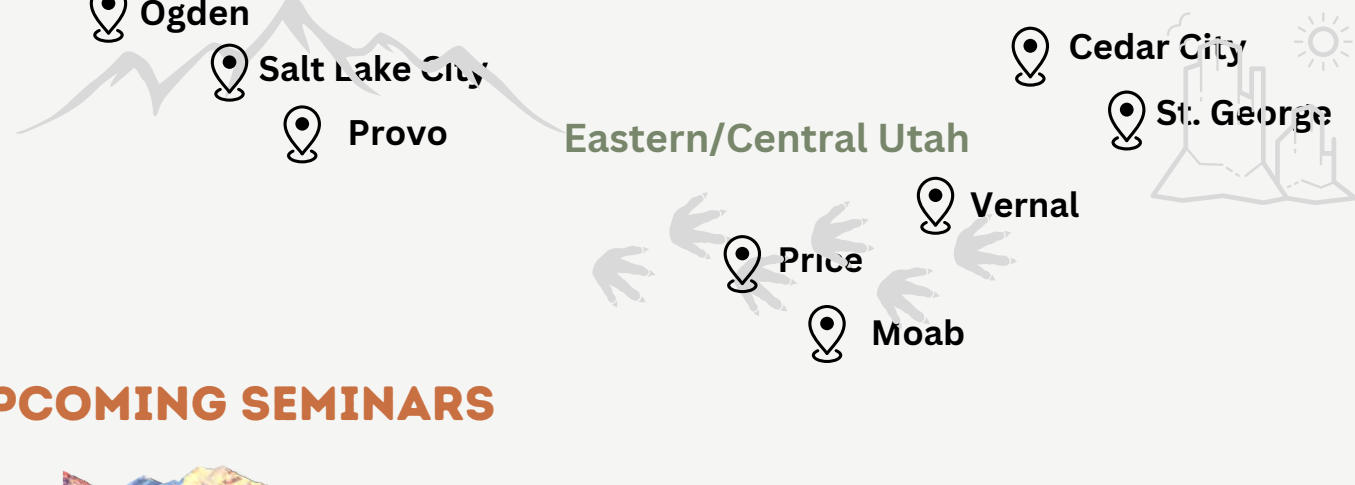
We are excited to welcome **Mike Haddon** to the TIU Team. Mike has 30 years of experience in administration & research with a passion for the trauma-informed approach.

[Mike's full bio...](#)



TRAUMA AWARENESS SEMINARS - CONTINUING TO SPREAD ACROSS UTAH

WHERE WE'VE BEEN

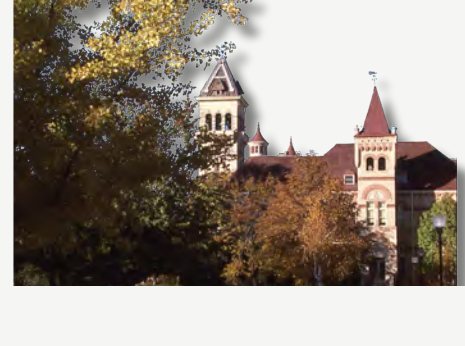


UPCOMING SEMINARS



Salt Lake City Seminar
Tuesday, June 4th - 8:30 AM
[Robert G. Sorenson Community Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing](#)

Logan Seminar
Wednesday, June 5th - 12:30 PM
[Logan Public Library](#)



the Latest



HOMELESSNESS & TRAUMA

As reported in the *Salt Lake Tribune*, continuing growth in Utah also has led to increases in our **homeless population**. In 2023, nearly **30,000** people accessed some form of homelessness services. And it is **often tied to trauma**.



"For those who have suffered trauma and the ongoing deprivation of human dignity, we cannot expect them to 'pull themselves up by their bootstraps' - first, they must be given boots before they are set along the path toward recovery."

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ACE SCORE AND RELATION TO ADULT HOMELESSNESS

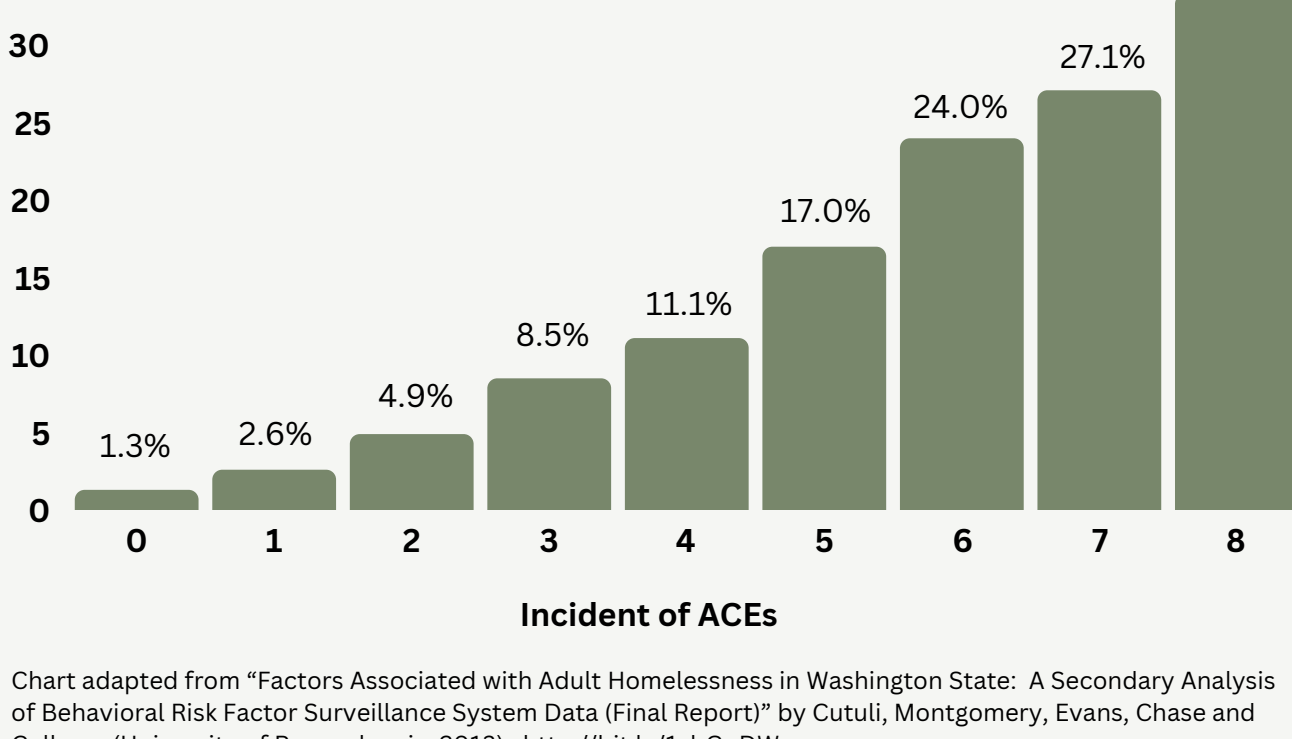


Chart adapted from "Factors Associated with Adult Homelessness in Washington State: A Secondary Analysis of Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data (Final Report)" by Cutuli, Montgomery, Evans, Chase and Culhane (University of Pennsylvania, 2013). <http://bit.ly/1xbGqDW>

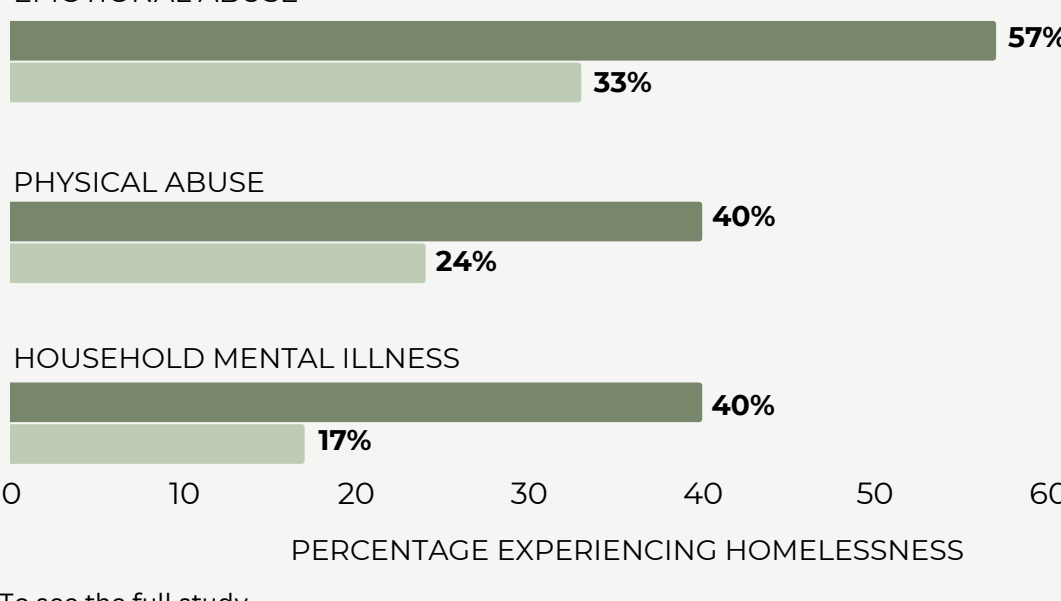
JUNE IS LGBTQIA+ PRIDE MONTH

Evaluating ACEs among **LGBTQIA+ adults**, **83%** reported **one or more** adverse childhood experiences, or **ACEs**, compared to **heterosexual adults** where **64%** reported one or more ACE.



Similarly, **52%** - over half - of **LGBTQIA+ adults** reported **three or more ACEs** versus **26%** for heterosexual adults.

Department of Health Quality, Vanderbilt University



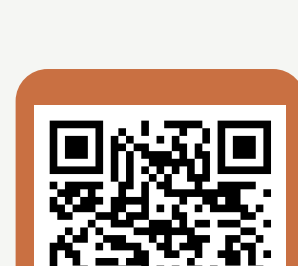
[To see the full study...](#)

"28% of LGBTQIA+ youth reported experiencing **homelessness** or **housing instability** at some point in their lives — and those who did had **two to four times** the odds of reporting **depression, anxiety, self-harm**, considering **suicide**, and attempting suicide compared to those with stable housing."

[To see the full article...](#)

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Are you interested in helping Utah become a trauma-informed state? We are looking for skills to support our efforts! Learn how you can help.



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