

El Dorado County Navigation Center Update



It is a Team Effort



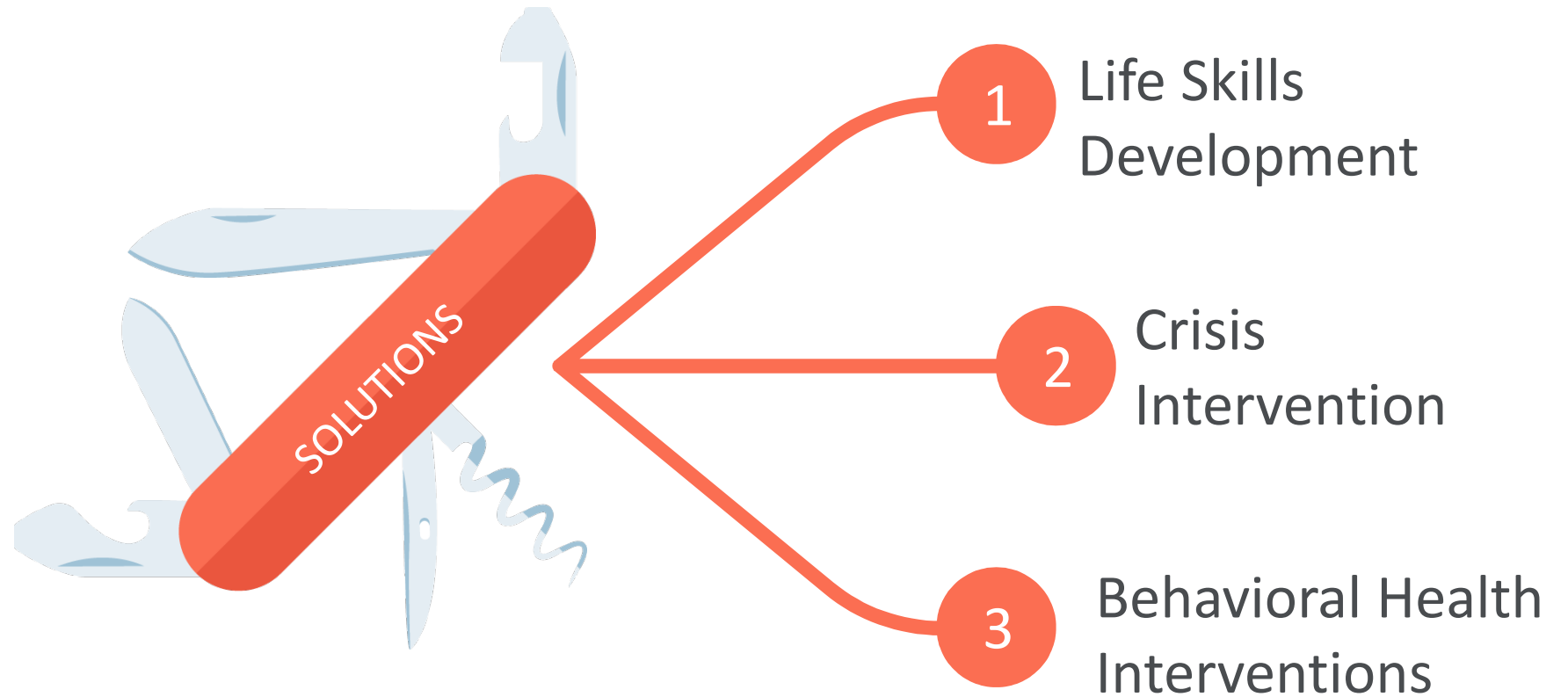
- Health and Human Services Agency
- El Dorado Opportunity Knocks CoC
- EDSO – Homeless Outreach Team
- Placerville Police Department
- Volunteers of America
- Upper Room
- Community Partners

80 people entered the
Navigation Center

33 People Exited the
Navigation Center
before finding alternate
housing



How do we keep people from exiting before finding alternate housing?



If they leave
anyway,
what do we
do?



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Educate about
alternate options

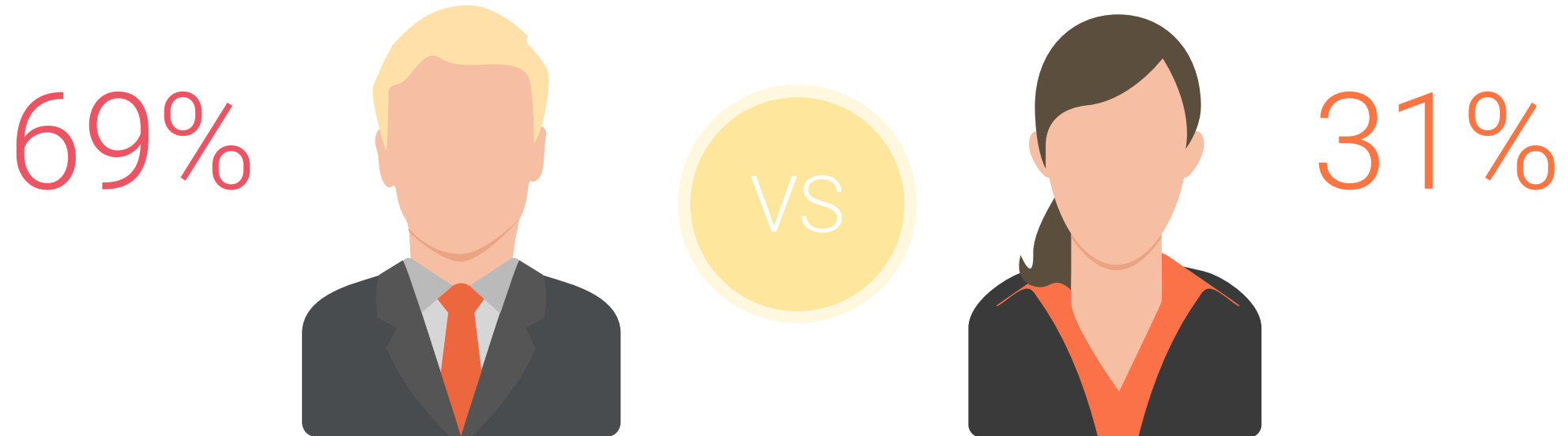
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Stabilize by
referring to
services, then
return to shelter

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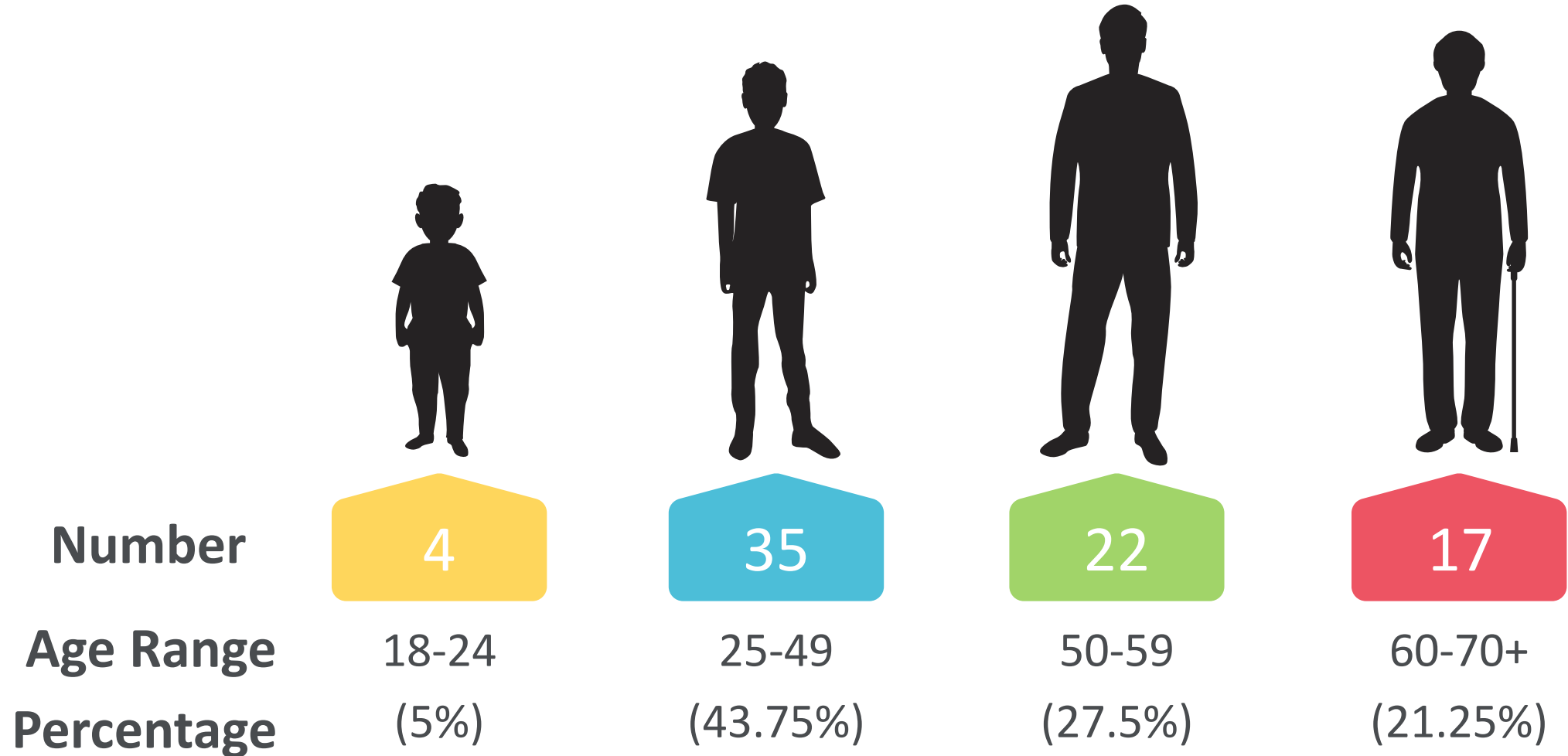
Intensive services

Men vs Women



Age Range

(2.5% people declined to state)



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- 100% of individuals were experiencing homelessness in EDC prior to entering the Navigation Center
 - Over 70% of the individuals have confirmed residency in El Dorado County for 5 years or longer



Services Offered



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Employment and Rehousing Stabilization

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Service Referrals (Health (Mental and Primary Care), SUDS, Transportation)

2

Benefit Assistance (Medi-Cal, Social Security, Unemployment, etc.)

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Document Readiness (Birth Certificates, State Identification, Marriage License, etc.)

Guest Achievements

They are doing it!



HUD- VASH



There are Leaders
Everywhere



The Impossible is
Possible



30 Day Rehabilitation



Stable Housing is the Icing on the Cake

But our cake isn't fully baked yet.....



SHORT TERM GOALS

LONG TERM GOALS

Permanent Navigation Center

Preventive Services

Maximize Resources


Expanded Behavioral Health Services

Housing Vouchers

Transitional Housing

Affordable Housing

Teamwork Makes the Dreamwork



Healthy Communities Strategic Goal: Implement solutions to address and reduce homelessness in El Dorado County

● Permanent Housing

● Transitional Housing

● Navigation Center/Emergency Shelter

Questions?

HOW DO YOU EAT
AN ELEPHANT?
ONE BITE
AT A TIME!

