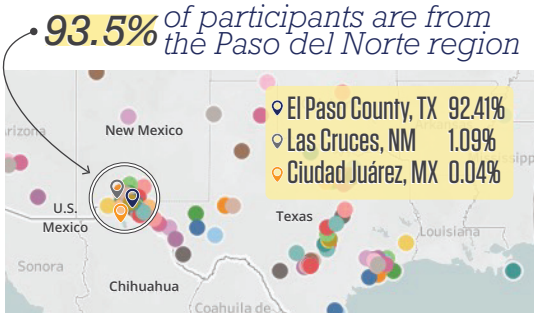
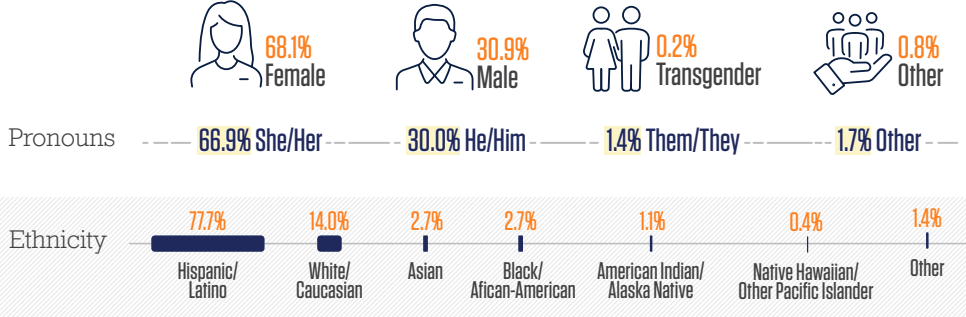


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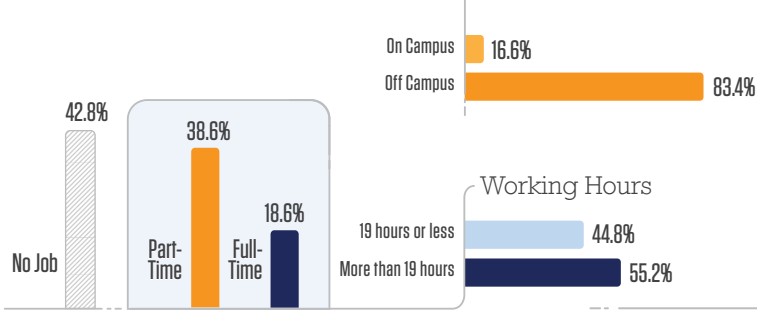
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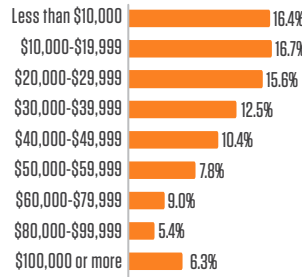
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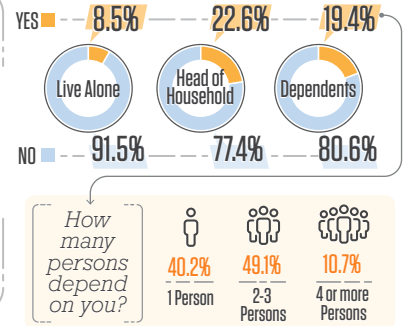
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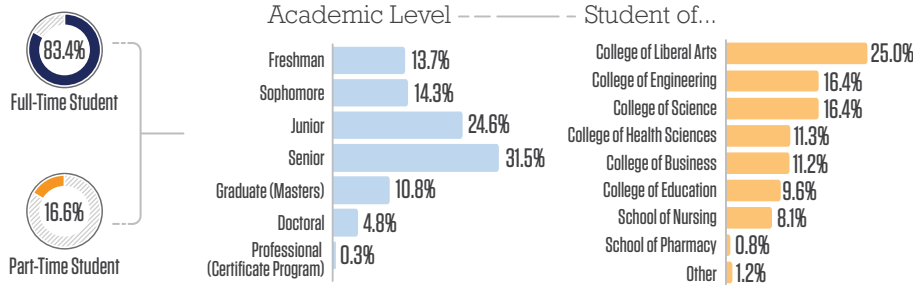
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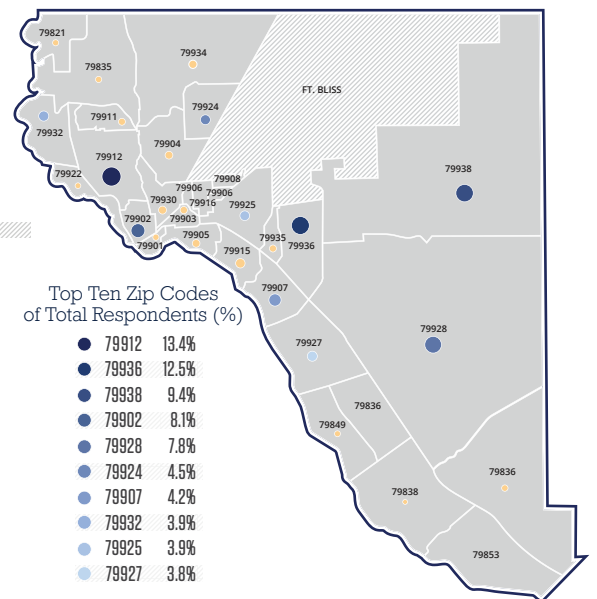
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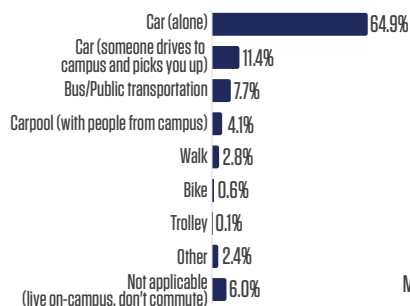
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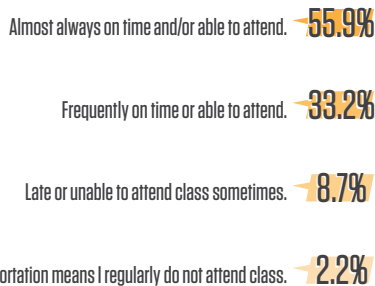
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## Mode of Transportation to and from college:



## Reliability of mode of transportation to and from college:

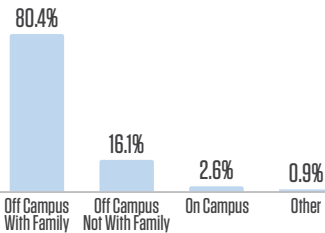


\*: Information reported by The University of Texas at El Paso (UTEP) survey respondents, not UTEP's overall student body. Source: UTEP's Border Biomedical Research Center survey, 2020.

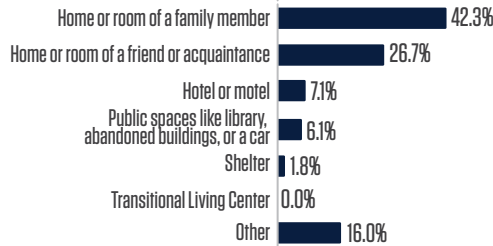
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## Student Participant Address

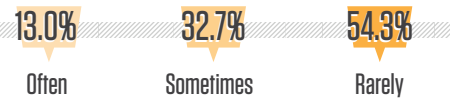
Where do you live?



Options to Spend a Night without a Permanent Address:



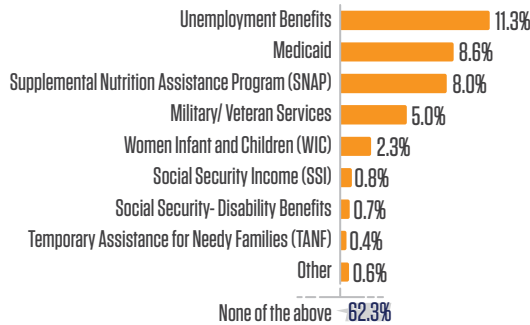
Frequently spent the night elsewhere in the past six months without permanent housing options:



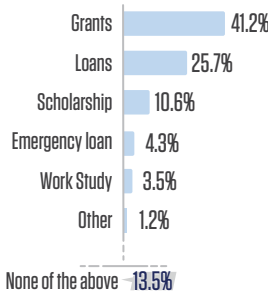
19.1% of UTEP student participants have experienced homelessness.

## Public Assistance

Receiving Benefits in the Past Six Months:



Receiving Federal Student Aid in the Past Ten Months:



## Food Security

In the last 12 months, did you ever cut the size of your meals or skip meals because there was not enough money for food?



In the last 12 months "The food that I bought just didn't last, and I didn't have money to get more."za"



In the last 12 months "I couldn't afford to eat balanced meals."

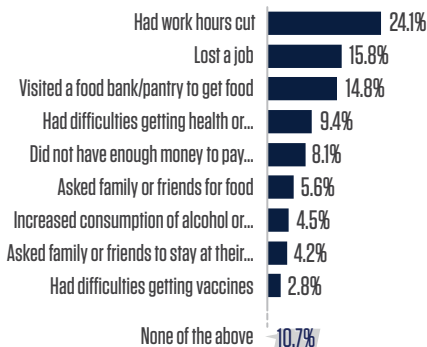


33.5% of student participants ate less because they did not have enough money for food.

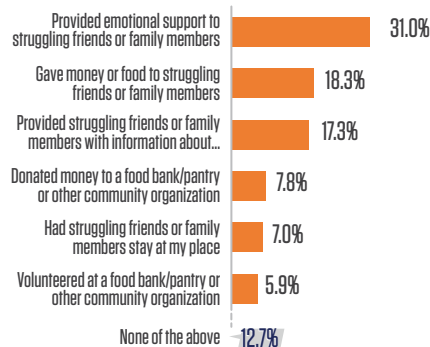
25.4% of student participants didn't eat because they did not have enough money for food.

## COVID-19 Impacts

Since COVID-19 in March 2020, have you or another household member:



Since COVID-19 in March 2020, have you or any other household member:



Personal or household expenditures change since COVID-19 in March 2020



Personal or household financial income change since COVID-19 in March 2020



Personal or Household Financial Aid Change Since COVID-19 in March 2020



Personal or Household Debt Change Since COVID-19 in March 2020



Since COVID-19 in March 2020, how often have you found it difficult to concentrate on your schoolwork because you are worried about paying for food, rent, or other basic necessities?

