[Recommended Script] *"Hello! I'm [name] volunteering for the HUD homeless point-in-time count. It's a census of all people experiencing homelessness on a single night in January, which happens to be tonight. I would like to ask you a few questions and these questions are being asked to everyone in order get a sense of what people in our community are experiencing, how frequently, and how best to respond. Your responses will inform the development of future programs.*

You can choose not to answer any question that you are not comfortable with. You answers will be confidential and will not change any of the services that you were going to receive here. Do you have any questions?"

Client Name_____

Question 1:

Have you had any of the following experiences?

Incident(s) of assault since becoming homeless:	yes	no	Choose not to answer
Domestic violence:	yes	no	Choose not to answer
If yes, was the episode from an intimate partner?	yes	no	Choose not to answer
If yes, was the episode from a family member?	yes	no	Choose not to answer
If yes, did the episode contribute to your current homelessness?	Yes	no	Choose not to answer
Interaction with the police in the past six months:	yes	no	Choose not to answer
If yes, how many times?			_____
Arrest(s) in the past year	yes	no	Choose not to answer
If yes, how many times?			_____

Question 2:

Which of the following best represents how you think of yourself?

□ Straight □ Gay or Lesbian

□ Bisexual □ Something else

□ Choose not to answer □ I don't know/questioning

[Recommended Script]Thank you for taking the time to provide this helpful information. We aim to provide the best and most comprehensive services to meet your needs.