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### BACKGROUND

- There's a high rate of homelessness in the US, and Sexual and Gender Minorities (SGM) are disproportionately affected.

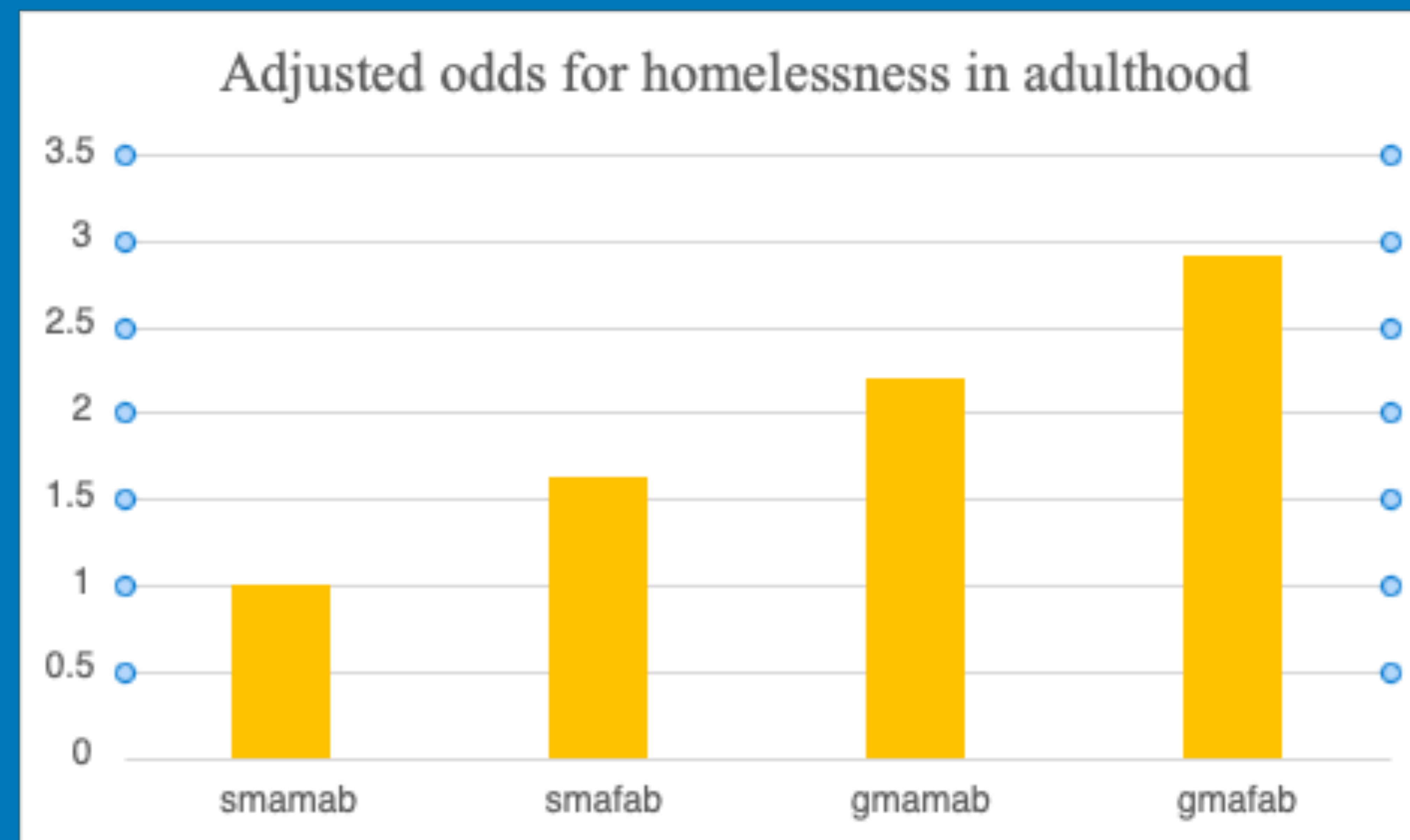
### METHODS

- Digital survey through reddit
- Distributed to SGM subreddits
- Collected from February to March 2022

### RESULTS

- 18.4% of participants have experienced homeless
- 4.2% have been in the foster care system
- People who are gender minority assigned female at birth have higher odds of experiencing homelessness as adults

# SGMs who go through the foster care system are more likely to become homeless in adulthood.



### DISCUSSION

- After comparing different variables using a Chi-Square Test, the Adjusted Odds Ratio (AOR) predicted that GMAFAB had almost three times higher odds of experiencing homelessness compared to Sexual Minorities Assigned Male at Birth (SMAMAB)
- Among the variables, we tested for income, age, foster care, race, homelessness