

Westminster Social Policy Forum
Keynote Seminar 26 February 2019
Next Steps for Reducing Homelessness: Policy, Priorities,
Housing First and Homeless Reduction Act.



Key Themes Presentation
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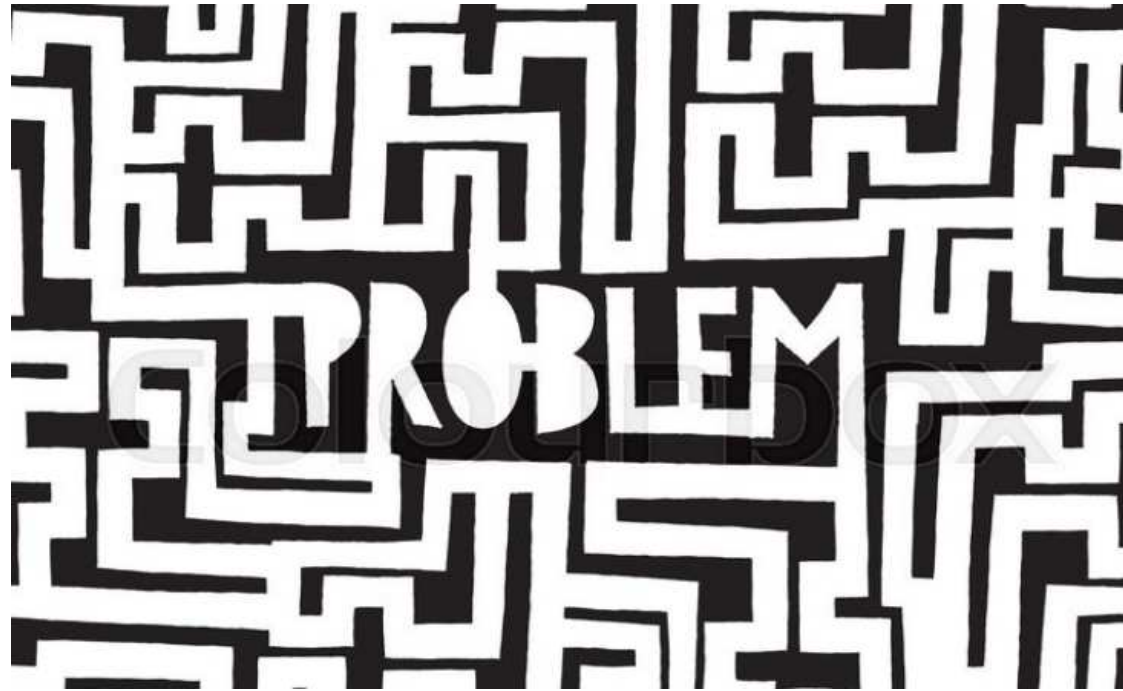
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1	People living rough
2	People living in emergency accommodation
3	People living in accommodation for the homeless
4	People living in institutions (due to be released but no home to go to)
5	People living in non-conventional dwellings due to lack of housing
6	Homeless people living temporarily in conventional housing with family and friends (due to lack of housing)

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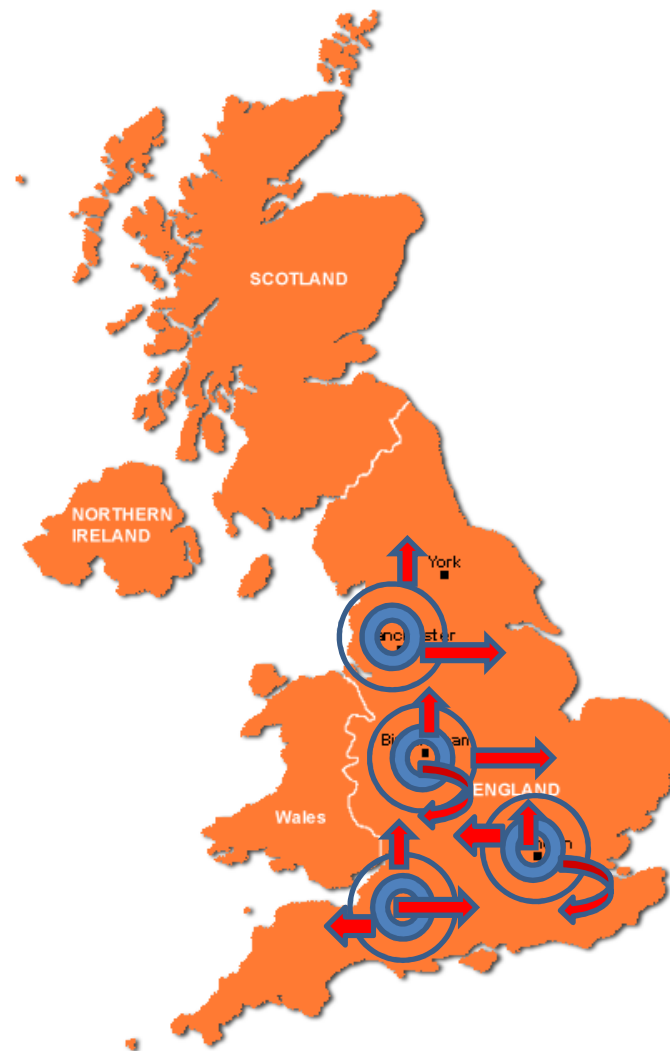
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- Women are hidden from the stats
- Link to modern slavery

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Homelessness vision:

Everyone has a home that meets their needs
Homelessness is ended



National Performance Framework: Our Values

'We are a society which treats all our people with kindness, dignity and compassion..'

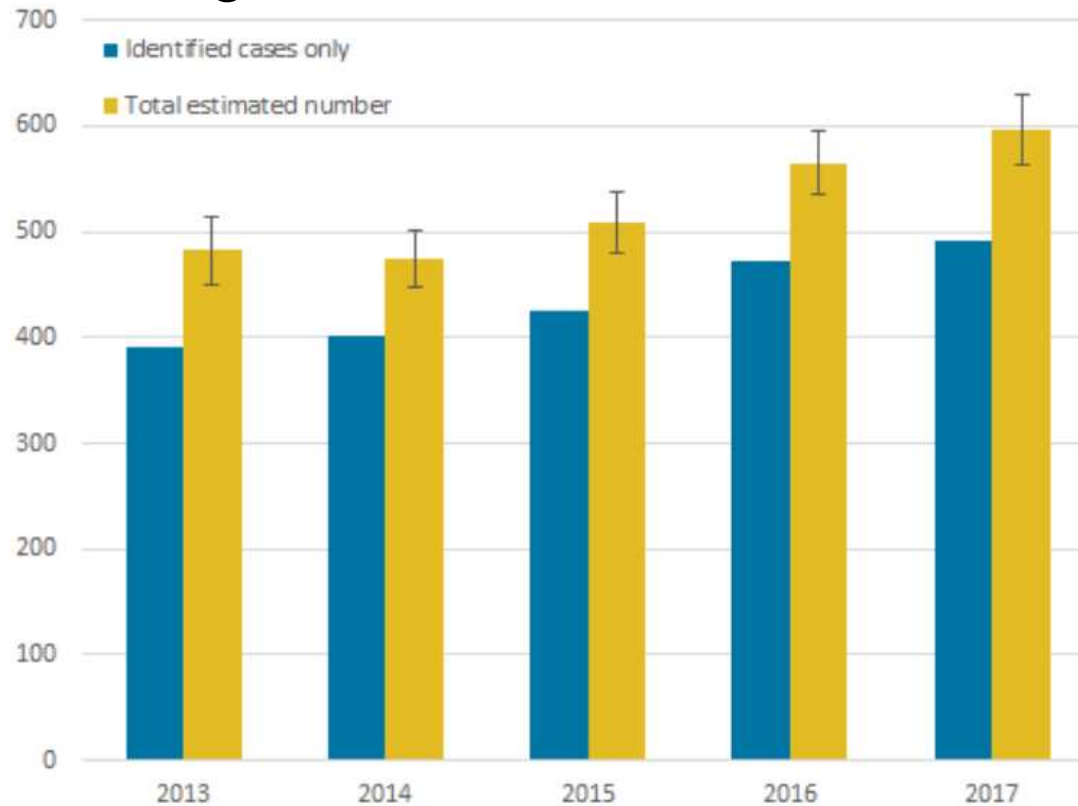
To end homelessness we will:

The infographic is divided into five vertical panels, each with a different background color and a title. Each panel contains several quotes from people, accompanied by simple illustrations of individuals or groups. The panels are:

- Embed a person-centred approach** (teal background):
 - MY SUPPORT IS FLEXIBLE AND BUILDS ON MY STRENGTHS AND SUCCESSSES
 - I ALWAYS HAVE CHOICE AND CONTROL
 - I AM LISTENED TO, VALUED AND TREATED WITH DIGNITY AND RESPECT
- Prevent homelessness from happening in the first place** (light green background):
 - I CAN FIND SUPPORT QUICKLY IF I NEED IT, BEFORE REACHING CRISIS POINT
 - I AM HELPED TO KEEP MY HOME, WHICH HELPS ME FOCUS ON OTHER GOALS
 - MY HOUSING OPTIONS ARE CONSIDERED WHEN MY OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE
- Join up planning and resources to tackle homelessness** (purple background):
 - I KNOW WHERE TO GET HELP
 - I EXPECT SERVICES TO WORK TOGETHER, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH ME
 - I TRUST THAT THE RIGHT PEOPLE ARE INFORMED ABOUT MY NEEDS AND EXPERIENCES
- Respond quickly and effectively whenever homelessness happens** (orange background):
 - I EXPECT MY HOUSING CRISIS TO BE RESPONDED TO WITH URGENCY
 - THE HELP I GET IS RIGHT FOR ME, AND REDUCES THE RISK OF HOMELESSNESS HAPPENING AGAIN
- Prioritise settled homes for all** (red background):
 - I CAN EXERCISE MY RIGHT TO ACCESS AND MAINTAIN A SAFE AND SECURE HOME
 - I BUILD AND MAINTAIN POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS AND AM PART OF THE COMMUNITY

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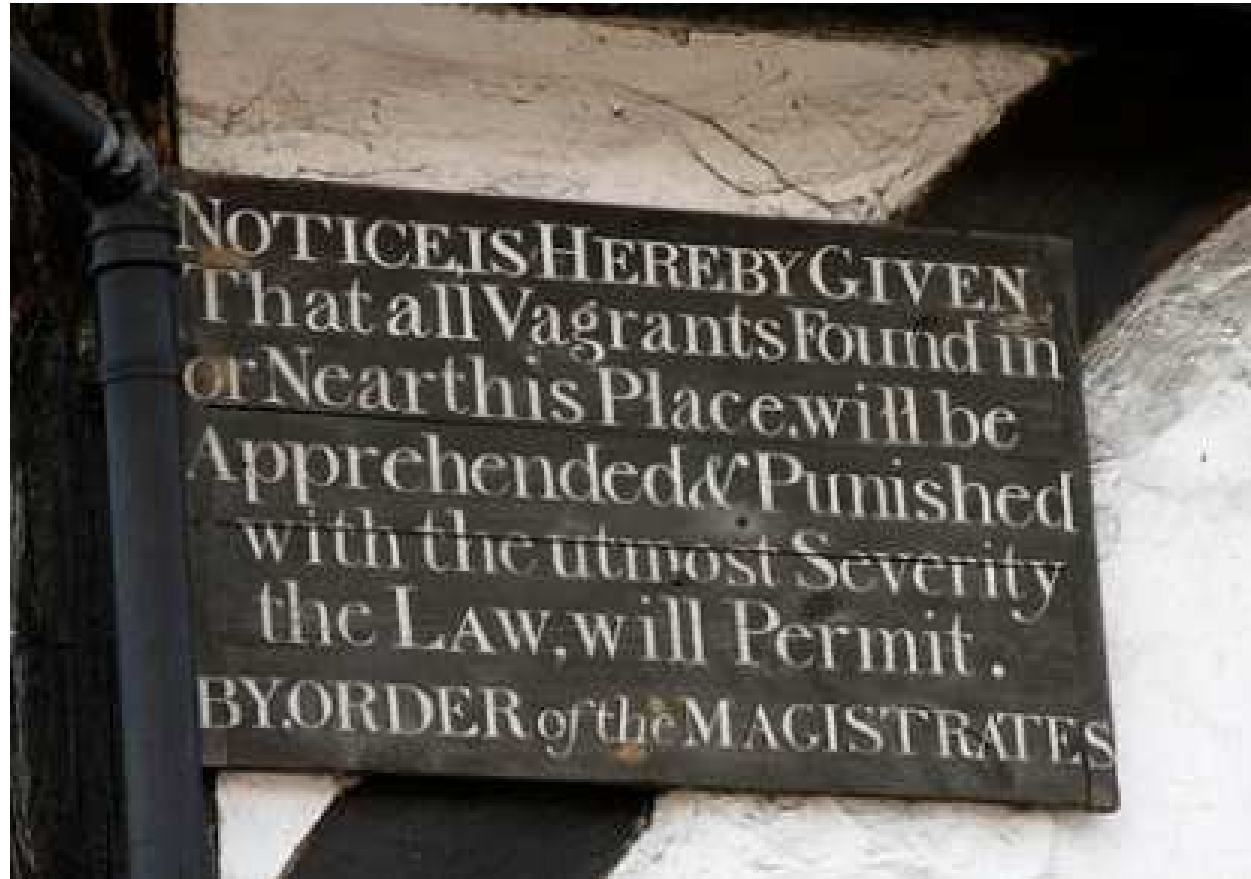
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- ONS Data
- Blue = actual rough sleeping and hostels for homeless only
- Yellow = corrective estimate
- 50% of all deaths from identified cases are suicide

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- ~~£76m invested to help rough sleepers to help
400 rough sleepers~~

- NHS discharge Agreements



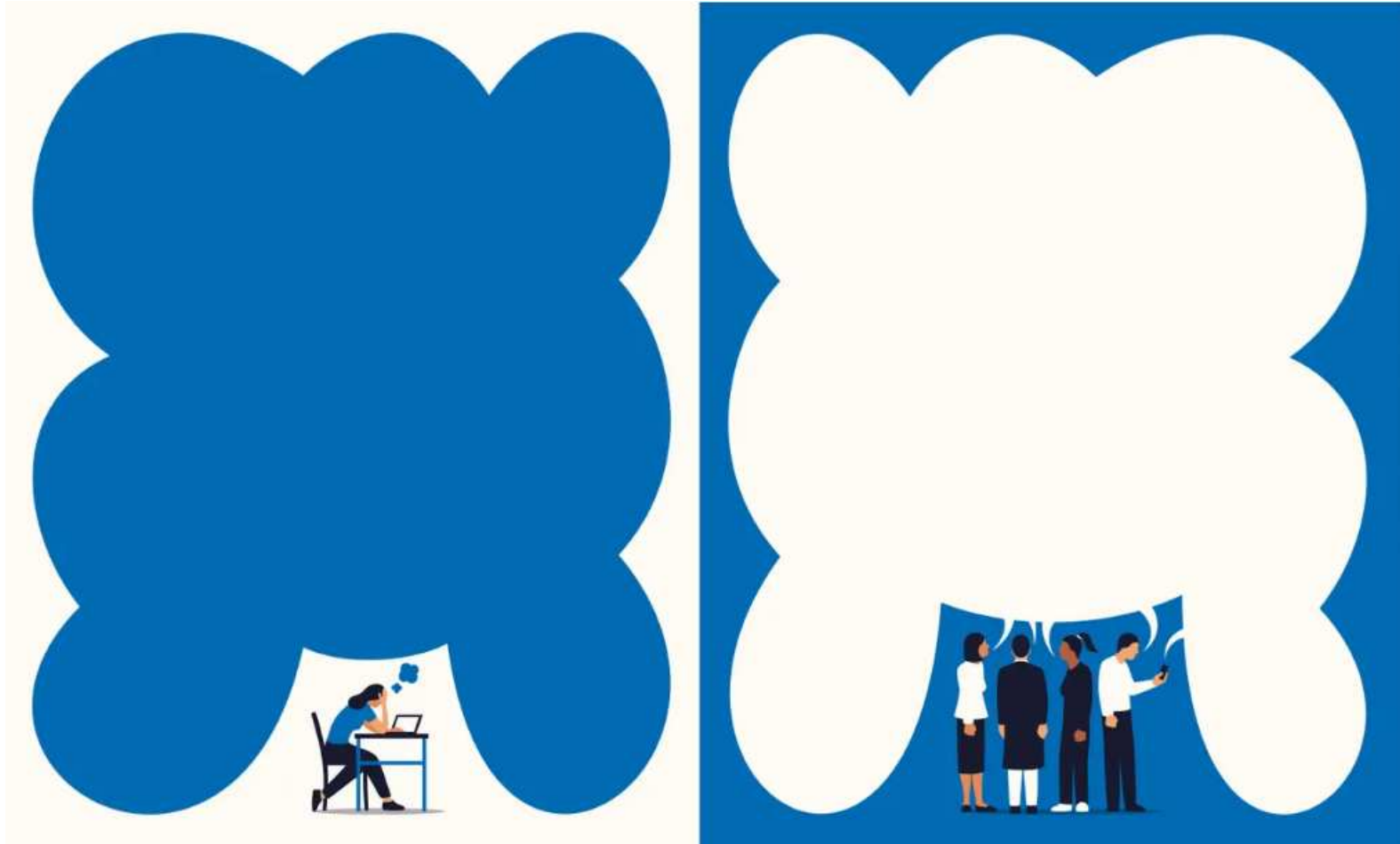
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CONCLUSION

- Going forwards we will need to consider how the issues raised affect Bracknell Forest residents
- We may need to seek a permanent solution to a cyclical problem