Housing & Health: The Backbone of Strong Communities

The NHP Foundation 2018 Annual Symposium
Washington DC
Advancing Solutions That

Improve lives of vulnerable people
Maximize public resources
Build strong, healthy communities

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Supportive housing combines affordable housing with services that help people who face the most complex challenges to live with stability, autonomy and dignity.
Supportive Housing Need in Washington DC

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4,000 people on a given day
Individual and Community Need

Household Income for Children of Middle Income Parents

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Household Income for White Children of Middle Income Parents

Thinking About Infrastructure

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NHP Assets

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Redefining Who Supportive Housing Is For

Health/BH/EMT Data

**44% of jail inmates have MH disorder; 24% have multiple chronic conditions**

HMIS Data

**Rates of homelessness among people exiting correctional institutions are 10-25%**

Jail Data

**A national needs assessment performed by CSH found that nationally more than 139,000 people in custody on a given day need supportive housing.**
Successes

Data and Evaluations to Demonstrate Impact

NYC FUSE
- 40% Reduction in jail days
- 91% Fewer shelter days
- 50% Reduction in psychiatric inpatient days
- 86% Housed after 2 years

San Diego Project 25
- 67% Reduction in total public costs after 2 years
- 60-80% Reduction in ambulance, ER, hospitalizations, arrests, jail days
- 200% Net savings of over paying for housing and services

MeckFUSE (Charlotte)
- 50% Fewer arrests
- 87% Fewer shelter days
- 24% Less ambulance service charges
- 43% Less hospital charges
Housing as a Social Determinant of Health

A View from the Bottom
But So Much More
Housing as a Foundational Social Determinant

Health
- Decreased ER Visits and EMS
- Decreased Hospitalizations
- Decreased Detox Services
- Reduced Crisis Services Costs
- Reduces HIV Conversion
- Reduced Hard Drug Use
- Increased Connection to Mental Health
- Increased Connection to Primary Care
- Increased Use of Preventative Services

Family Well Being
- Family Reunification
- Fewer Days in Foster Care
- Reduction in Abuse and Neglect Cases
- Increased School Attendance
- Fewer Adverse Childhood Experiences

Young Development
- GED and Higher Education
- Connection to Caring Adults
- Increased Employment
- Reduced Rates of Homelessness and Criminal Justice Involvement

Seniors Care
- Avoidance of Falls and ER Visits
- Better Management of Chronic Conditions
- Nursing Home Avoidance

Safety
- Less Time Incarcerated
- Reduced Victimization
- Reduced Collateral Consequences for Children
- Reduction of Trauma

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The Reboot
Embracing New Opportunity for Affordable Housing

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Harnessing Data to Demonstrate Impact
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Investing in Service Partnerships and Delivery
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