

ENDING HOMELESSNESS IN ILLINOIS

SHPA Supportive Housing Summit

Plenary Session

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'HOME ILLINOIS: ILLINOIS'

PLAN TO PREVENT AND END HOMELESSNESS

July 2022-June 2024

Illinois Interagency Task Force on Homelessness

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June 2022



A photograph of Sherman, a man with a beard and glasses, wearing a dark jacket and a cap, sitting in a wheelchair. He is smiling and looking towards the camera. The background is a solid dark blue color.

MEET SHERMAN

Last winter, Sherman was staying in a house without heat. He thought his electric space heater was sufficient until a bitter cold spell hit. He started to have shooting pain in both feet. When the pain became unbearable, he went to Stroger Hospital where he was diagnosed with severe frostbite and an acute infection. The only treatment was a double, below-the-knee, amputation. This surgery was life changing.

After a month of recuperation, Sherman was well enough to be discharged. The hospital connected him to our Medical Respite Center. Over the course of his stay at the Medical Respite Center, Sherman and his case manager found an affordable apartment in Sherman's home community. Once he is situated, prosthetic legs are next on Sherman's list. Knowing it won't be easy, Sherman remains undaunted. "I want to go back to work. Learning how to walk is the first step!"

INTERAGENCY
TASK FORCE
ON
HOMELESSNESS

WHO WE ARE

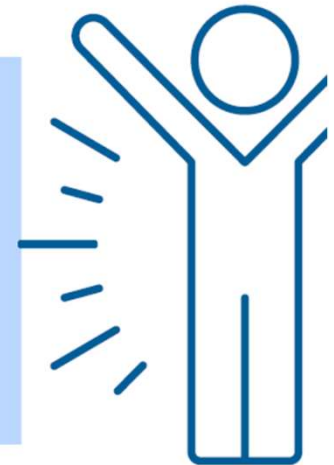
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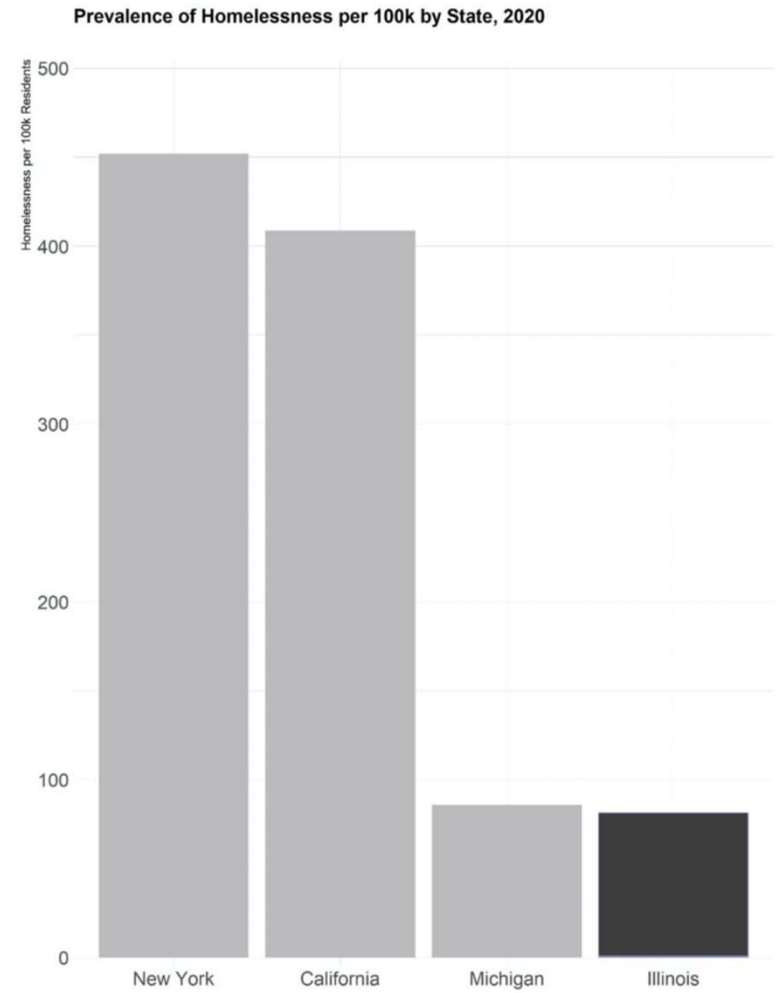
No resident in the State of Illinois lives on the street, in a shelter or in overcrowded housing. Illinoisians earn a living wage that allows them to afford housing in their community, without fear of eviction. When a housing crisis occurs, safety nets supports allow quick resolution to stabilize housing.

MISSION

Coordinating State of Illinois agency strategies and investments and partnering with the community to build a strong safety net and permanent housing for Illinoisans facing homelessness and housing insecurity.



PER CAPITA HOMELESSNESS STATE ANALYSIS



INTERAGENCY TASK FORCE ON HOMELESSNESS DIRECTORS

Housing
Development
Authority

Human Services

Public Health

Healthcare and
Family Services

Children & Family
Services

Veterans Affairs

Corrections

State Police

Juvenile Justice

Criminal Justice
Information
Authority

Aging

Commerce &
Economic
Opportunity

Economic Security

State Board of
Education

Board of Higher
Education

Community
College Board

Governor's Office
of Management &
Budget

State
Homelessness
Chief (Chair)

INFORMING THE PLAN: COMMUNITY LISTENING SESSIONS

Week of December 6th		Week of December 13th	
Monday December 6th		Monday, December 13 th	Suburban Cook – Persons Lived Experience
	Rock Island		Chicago – Persons Lived Experience
Tuesday, December 7th		Tuesday, December 14 th	Aurora
	St Clair County		Rockford
Wednesday, December 8th	Mount Vernon	Wednesday, December 15 th	Chicago – West Side
	Greenup		Suburban Cook
Thursday, December 9th	Champaign	Thursday, December 16 th	Chicago – South Side
	Springfield		
Friday, December 10th	Peoria	Friday, December 17 th	State Employees
	Peoria – Persons with Lived Experience of Homelessness & Housing Insecurity		

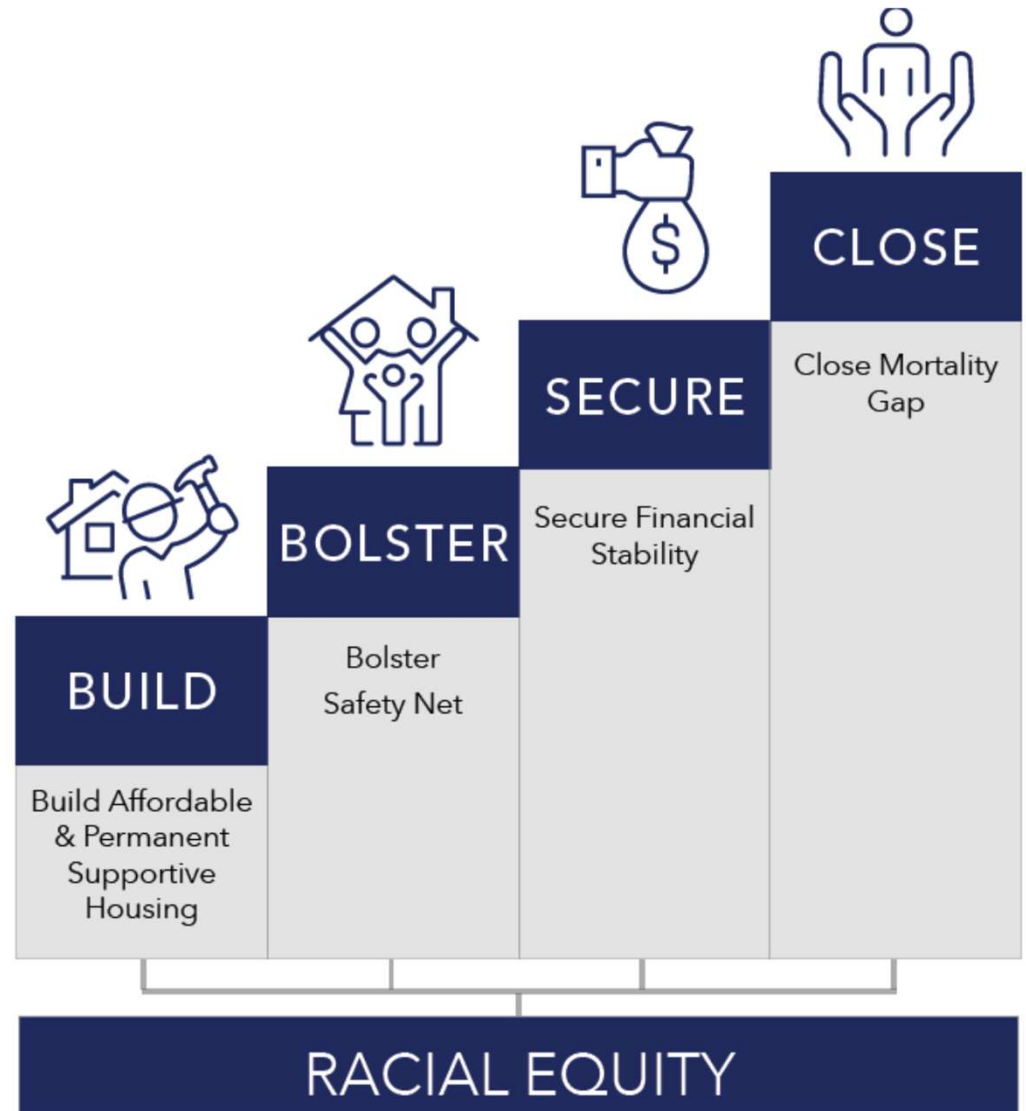
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PLAN FRAMEWORK



**EMERGENCY INCREASE FOR
WINTER SHELTER NEEDS**

**ILLINOIS HOMELESSNESS
CAPACITY BUILDING &
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CENTER**

CENTER PROJECTS

Confronting
NIMBY

Mainstream
Benefits

Access to
Housing Map

State Funding
Sustainability
Examples

PHA Work
Group

Public Transit
Work Group

Medicaid
Billing

Low Barrier
Services

Police
Response to
Encampments

Peer
Leadership

Rural Institute

Rural 100 Day
Challenge

Evicted
Exhibit

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Statewide
Summit