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RESEARCHING TO END HOMELESSNESS IN EUROPE:

A MULTIPURPOSE STUDY FOCUSED ON HOUSING AND SUPPORTS FOR COMMUNITY INTEGRATION



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The presentation is focused on results of the Horizon 2020 Project HOME_EU: Reversing Homelessness in Europe (GA/726997). The Housing First is an evidence-based practice to respond to persistent homelessness situations, promoting access to individualized, scattered and permanent housing in community contexts. The European Commission recently endorsed the implementation of national strategies including Housing First programs (EC, 2013).

Within the population who experience homelessness there is a significant incidence of people with mental illness or addictions, or other health conditions. In the European Union, there is an increasing number of programs that have reconfigured their services towards Housing First programs.

The Home_EU overall aim is to use evidence-based research to influence homelessness policies and practice, through the promotion of a broad-base understanding about how European citizens, policymakers, and stakeholders address homelessness as an extreme form of social inequality and injustice. Data (qualitative and quantitative) have been compiled on service users' experiences of homelessness and housing, the experiences of Service Providers, the citizens' attitudes towards homelessness, and the EU social policies.

Findings: The overall results focus the recovery and capabilities of service users, how the services characteristics impact the perspectives of Service Providers, and the citizens' attitudes and how we will use our findings to influence European homeless policies.

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