



HOMELESSNESS IN WATERLOO

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WATERLOO

Federally Funded Beds

1 4 8

Beds: Residents

DUBUQUE

Federally Funded Beds

1:292

Beds:Residents

CEDAR RAPIDS

505

Federally Funded Beds

1:263

Beds:Residents

FEDERALLY FUNDED RESOURCES

Black Hawk County

SALVATION ARMY

50 beds

Emergency Shelter

AMERICANS FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING

3 beds

Transitional Housing

COMMUNITY HOUSING INITIATIVES

13 beds

Permanent Supportive Housing Waterloo

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Transitional Housing beds

FRIENDS OF THE FAMILY

15 beds

Rapid Rehousing

WATERLOO HOUSING AUTHORITY

Permanent Supportive beds Housing

CATHOLIC WORKER HOUSE

Emergency Shelter beds

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STAKEHOLDERS



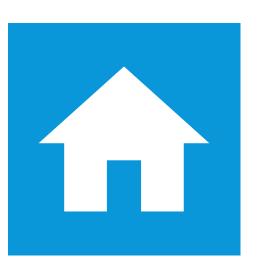
IOWA BALANCE OF STATE COC

Continuum of Care coordinates homelessness programs statewide



CITY COUNCIL + MAYOR HART

City leadership has interest in improving the state of homelessness and obtaining federal and state funding

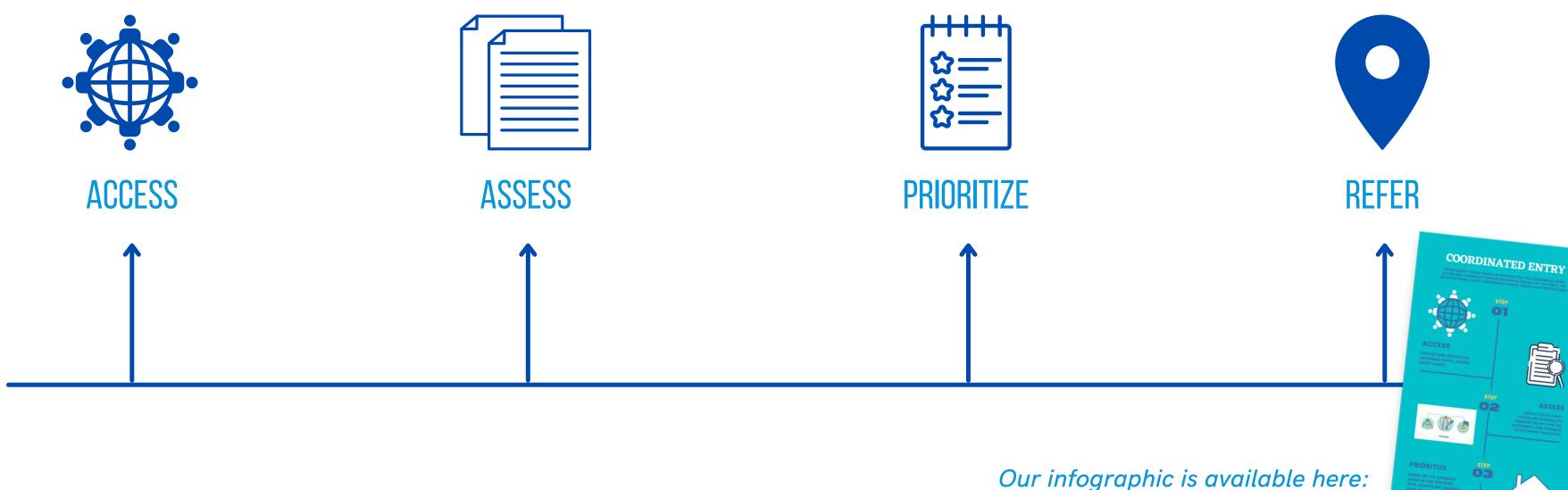


LOCAL SHLETERS + PROGRAMS

Coordinated entry requires acceptance of "undesirable" clients

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COORDINATED ENTRY



Our infographic is available here:

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BEST PRACTICES



DETROIT



IOWA CITY



SEATTLE

Coordinated Entry

CAM Detroit

Permanent Supportive Housing

- Cross Park Place
- Fairweather Lodge

Resource Accessibility

Washington 2-1-1 website

RECOMMENDATIONS

Revitalize and expand the Homeless Coordinating Board

Increase <u>accessibility of</u>
<u>information</u> for those needing assistance



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NEXT STEPS



Compile list of possible Homelessness Coordinating Board members



Research and apply for grants--Whose responsibility is this?



Compile information on resources to include on the Homelessness portal

Thank you!

Contact us if there are any questions.

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