



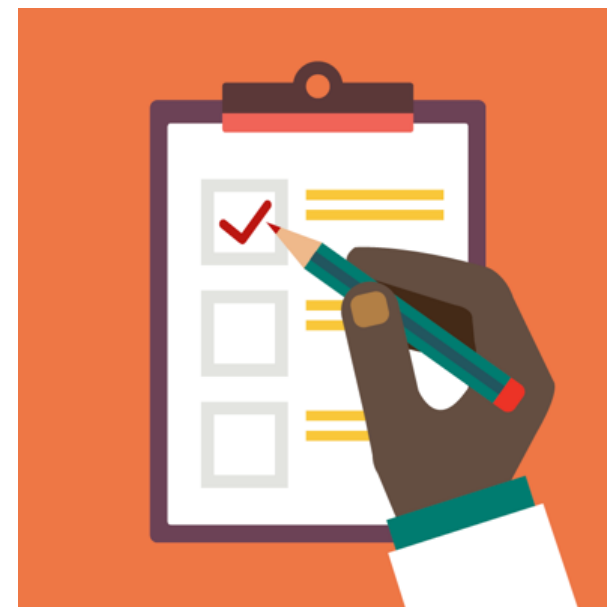
# Rough Sleeping Responses to COVID-19:

updates from the Sector



## Agenda

1. Homes Beyond COVID and Advance to Zero Campaign's
2. Latest Data Update
3. State and Territory Updates
4. Q&A
5. Wrap Up



## About Us

Community, Government & Business Ending Homelessness Together

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**Breaking Social Isolation  
Building Community**

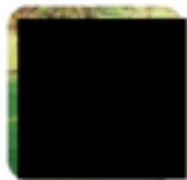
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# Ending Homelessness is Possible!

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Tell another one Walt Disney. Good story. I really liked the bit the magical unicorn came down and waved its magic wand and made the impossible possible.



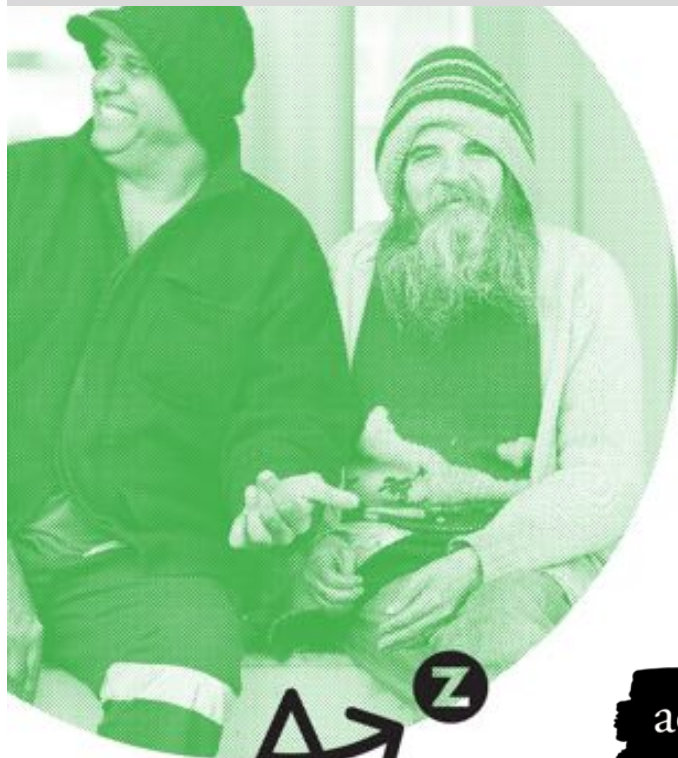
## Bergen County first in nation to end chronic homelessness

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Bergen County Executive Jim Tedesco announced that the county had become the first place in the nation to eradicate chronic homelessness. (Fausto Giovanny Pinto | NJ Advance Media for NJ.com)

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TO END HOMELESSNESS**



A campaign to house  
and support Perth's  
most vulnerable  
homeless people



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*Together we can end homelessness*

**#EndHomelessnessWA**



**advance to zero**

local communities  
ending homelessness

**act to end Street Sleeping**  
in New South Wales



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# Communications and Framing

From	To
Intractable	Solvable
Individual Choice	System Change
Crisis	Opportunity





## #HomesBeyondCovid

- Policy Plan
- Petition
- Social Media Resources
- Local Media Resources
- Engage MPs
- Open Letter



### Homes beyond COVID Campaign Toolkit

Collaborating to advocate for change

<https://aaeh.org.au/homes-beyond-covid>



## Lates Data Update

Professor Paul Flatau, Centre for Social Impact, University of Western Australia.

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## Updates on Rough Sleeping Responses to COVID-19

1. Katherine McKernan - CEO, Homelessness (NSW)  
& Kelly Hansen - CEO Nova for Women and Children (Newcastle/Regional Perspective, NSW)
2. Bevan Warner - CEO, Launch Housing (VIC)
3. Dr Jed Donoghue - State Housing Manager, Salvation Army (TAS)
4. Travis Gilbert - CEO, ACT Shelter (ACT)
5. Kim Homes - State Manager, Neami (SA)
6. John Berger - Executive Officer, WA Alliance to End Homelessness (WA)
7. Karyn Walsh - CEO, Micah Projects (QLD)



Questions?





- VI-SPDAT Training
- Action Planning Training and Implementation support
- Quality By-Name List Training
- Organisational Training – Zero Homelessness Methodology
- Others TBC

Sign up on our website to hear



- Quality By-Name List Coaching
- Reduction Coaching

Get In touch about joining the  
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#### Potential Networks

- Business
- Supportive Housing
- Local Government
- Faith Groups



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## OUR VISION

A Health-Informed End to Homelessness in Australia

## OUR MISSION

- 1.To promote collaboration amongst the healthcare, homeless and housing sectors to drive innovative responses to the health and housing needs of the homeless.
- 2.To provide a national forum for the sharing of experiences and models of care and support amongst health and housing providers and organizations.
- 3.To support and develop strategic national initiatives to address the health and housing needs of people experiencing homelessness in Australia.
- 4.To collaborate with local and national partners to advocate to end homelessness in Australia.



**#HomesBeyondCovid**



<https://aaeh.org.au/homes-beyond-covid>



<https://australiaathome.com.au/upcoming-conversations/homelessness-week>

- Jenny Smith, Chair, Homelessness Australia
- The Assistant Minister for Community Housing, Homelessness and Community Services, the Hon Luke Howarth
- Jason Clare MP, the Opposition Housing and Homelessness spokesperson
- Cassandra Goldie, CEO, ACOSS
- Kate Colvin Everybody's Home national spokesperson
- David Noonan, Secretary, CFMEU
- Christine Thirkell, Graduate Member, Peer Education Support Program, Council to Homeless Person



Thanks

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**Opportunities are usually  
disguised as hard work, so most  
people don't recognize them.**

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