



Cooperation agreements between prisons and local authorities to reduce homelessness i Norway

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- A third do not have their own home
- Large debt burden
- Drug abuse
- Mental health problems
- Crime

- *”I believe that everyone should have somewhere to live. Everyone must have their own place and feel that it is their own, everyone who is discharged from an institution needs some form of follow-up. We are suddenly out there, feeling very alone.”*



”The prinsip”

- Prisoners in Norway have the same right to services and facilities as the rest of the population.

The Norwegian State Housing Bank

- Established after the last world war
- Loans and grants to relevant municipalities
- Loans and grants to low-income households



The social housing agreement

- The target group = prisoners
- Commit to implement the agreement
- Describe who does what in the settlement efforts
- Establish liability groups
- Follow-up the prisoners - municipality



Thanks for your attention.