

# HR4Homelessness in a nutshell 1/3

**Main aim:** improve harm reduction services for people in a situation of homelessness

**Methodology:** bring together organizations from the homeless and drug sectors to learn from each other and use their shared expertise to produce outputs, notably HR Key Principles

**Period:** 1/09/2019 to 31/08/2021

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## How- activities

- HR4Homelessness provides hands-on tools and outputs to support homeless services to provide better HR support: **HR Key Principles, Resource Hub & Good Practice Collection**
- **Country Reports** describes and analyse the current provision of HR services, critically assess policies and strategies, identify innovative programmes / strategies
- **European report**
  - provides a comparative synthesis of the Country Reports, identifies common characteristics of service provision & common denominators of successful interventions
  - European-wide survey on HR service provision among homeless services
- **Training** for frontline staff working with homeless services (3 days), first ‘test’ of Key Principles
- **Multiplier events**
  - disseminate project in partner countries
  - establish HR Key Principles as best practice standard / tool

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## Expected results & impact

- **Staff**
  - develop thorough understanding of HR
  - better understanding of relationship between homelessness and drug use
  - implement HR services in their organization & provide better HR support
  - Realizes added value of collaboration with HR and drug/alcohol use related services
- **Positive results for people in situation of homelessness**
  - Reduction of drug-use related death
  - Less infections with Hepatitis C/HIV, general health situation improves
  - *Improved access to homeless, social and psychological support services, engage in social activities and experience more social inclusion.*
- ‘HR Key Principles’ and the Resource Hub are **well-known resources** among relevant services in partner countries & Europe
- **Local authorities & policy makers:** improved understanding of crucial importance of effective HR service provision, promote and support the establishment of HR services