

USICH's 19 Encampment Strategies: A Conversation With Communities





Agenda

1. Opening Remarks From USICH Director (5 minutes)
2. Overview of 19 Strategies (10 minutes)
3. Community Conversation (20 minutes)
4. Open-Ended Q&A (20 minutes)
5. Next Steps/Closing (2 minutes)



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Opening Remarks From USICH Director



Overview of 19 Strategies



ALL IN: THE FEDERAL STRATEGIC PLAN

END HOMELESSNESS



SOLUTIONS

HOUSING AND SUPPORTS

CRISIS RESPONSE

PREVENTION

EQUITY

DATA AND
EVIDENCE

COLLABORATION

FOUNDATIONS

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Community Conversation

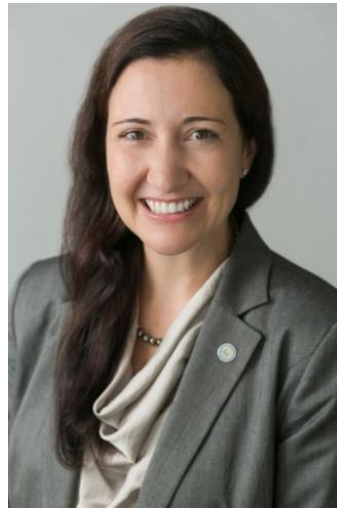




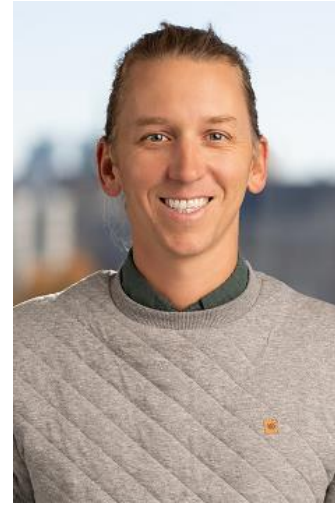
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Question #1

What do people **misunderstand** about unsheltered homelessness, and how does your community **engage** people living in encampments in the development of solutions?



Question #2

What role do **law enforcement and public health** play in encampment response in your communities?



Question #3

How does your community engage people to **build trust** and encourage them to access **housing and services**?



Question #4

What's **working well** in your community's response, what are you **struggling** with, and what makes you feel **hopeful**?



Questions?



Next Steps

1. Visit **usich.gov/encampments** to read the full 19 Strategies
2. Contact your **USICH Senior Regional Advisor**
3. Subscribe to the **USICH Newsletter**
4. Follow USICH on **LinkedIn/Facebook/Twitter**

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