



# Study of Homelessness

A LOOK AT HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING INSTABILITY IN THE CITY OF RED WING



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**Lesson #1: We do not have a consistent way to measure how many people are experiencing or at-risk of homelessness in Red Wing at any one time.**

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**Lesson #2: Racial discrimination and disparities must be addressed if we want to end homelessness.**

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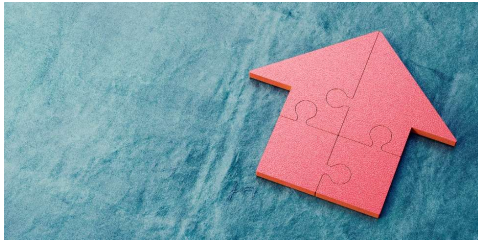


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**Lesson #3: Affordable housing is the key to addressing the homelessness crisis.**

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**Lesson #4: There is no one-size fits all approach to ending homelessness.**

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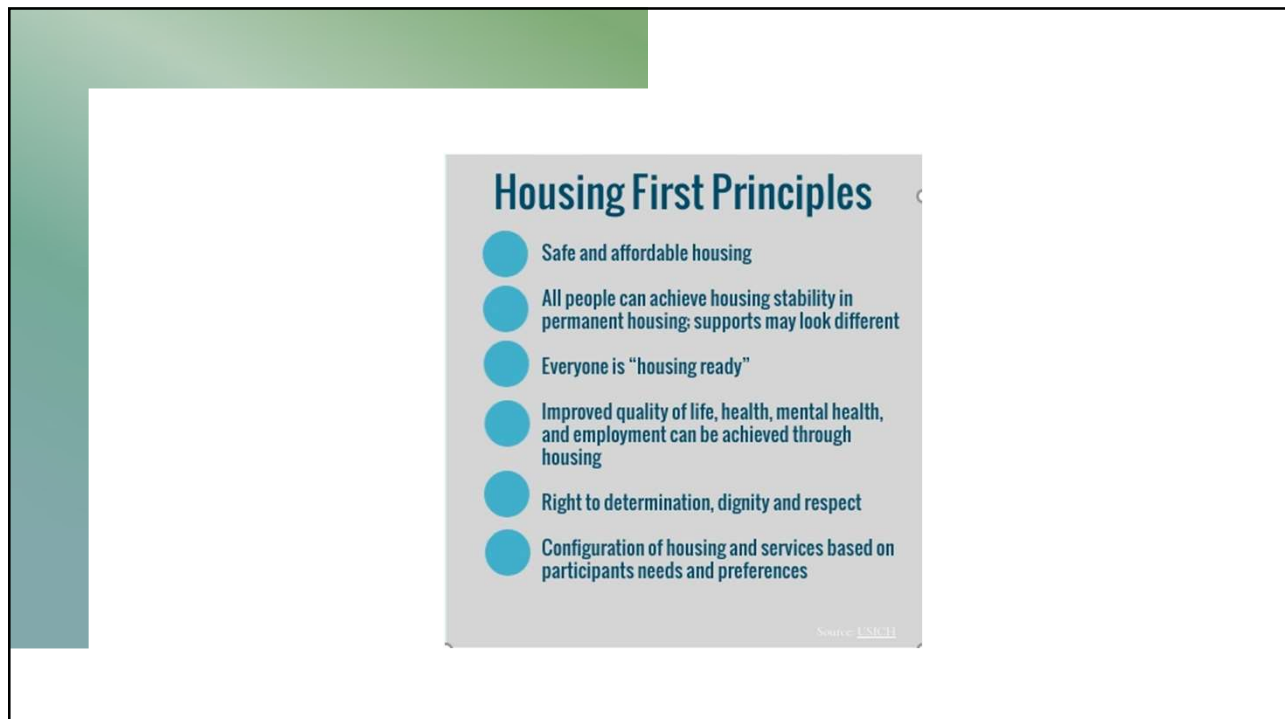


**Lesson #5: Invest in the full continuum of services.**

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## Housing First System

Crisis response works with housing providers to connect people to permanent housing as quickly as possible.

Unified and streamlined process for applying for housing resources.

Community leaders work to ensure a range of housing options are available.

Policies and regulations related to other services and benefits do not create needless barriers to housing.

Communities work to ensure that people are not evicted back into homelessness whenever possible.

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# Thank you

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