

Built for Zero Initiative

Built for Zero Overview

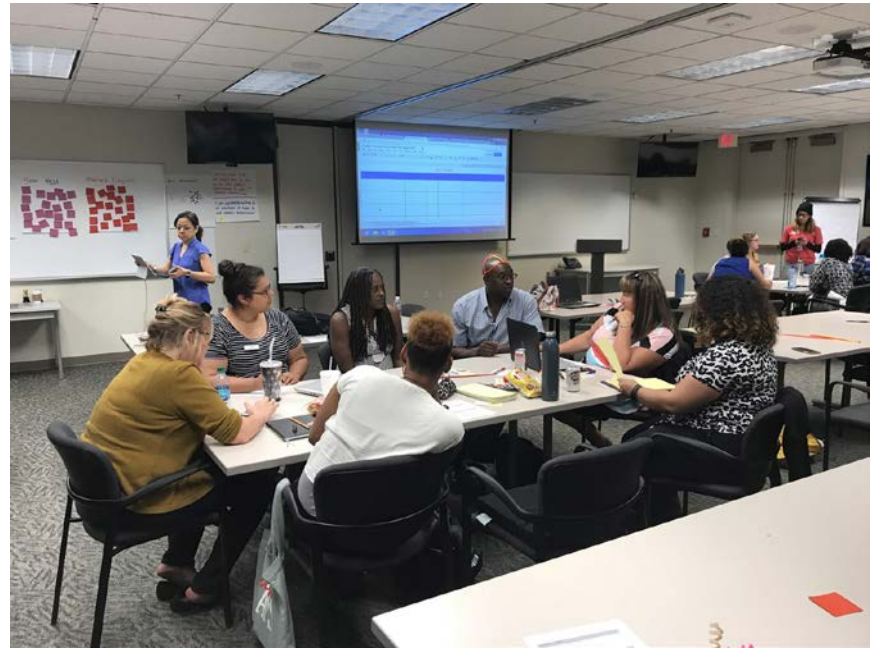
Built for Zero is a rigorous national change effort working to help a core group of committed communities end veteran and chronic homelessness.

Southern Nevada is one of 70 communities participating in the national campaign.

Coordinated by Community Solutions, the national effort supports Southern Nevada in;

- Developing real time data on homelessness
- Optimizing local housing resources
- Tracking progress against monthly goals
- Accelerating the spread of proven strategies

Team Vegas!



Built for Zero Core Strategies

Build By Name List

**Build Strategies to reduce and then
surge to Zero
(Plan, Do, Study, Act)**

Sustain Zero

Our Progress in Built For Zero Action Cycle 1

- Total # of Chronically homeless individuals housed since start of the initiative (Jan 2015): **1081**
- Six-Month Average Housing Placement Rate: **49**
- Average Monthly Housing Placement rate (for entire initiative): **34**

Major accomplishments:

- Held a “Bootcamp” to Build the Will and build out local strategies and work plan.
- Developed a Quality Chronic By-Name List
- Report chronic placements each month
- Translated some serious success from Veteran work to Chronic work
- Region-wide, monthly, multi-agency coordinated outreach

Action Cycle 2

AIM Statement:

We will reduce the # of individuals experiencing chronic homelessness by 50% by January 31st 2018.

Step #1. Review Current By-Name List Data

# of Individuals Experiencing Chronic Homelessness	>>	Monthly Change in Active Homeless # Over Last 3 Months	=	Months to Functional Zero	If your current pace of reduction remains the same
471 <small>For month: August 2017</small>		39		N/A	
		Total Difference in Inflow / Outflow Over Last 3 Months		Current Percent Reduction Rate	
		-14		21%	

Step #2. Set a Reduction Goal

To reach functional zero sooner than currently projected, your **Percent Reduction goal** must be higher than your **Current % Reduction Rate** listed above.

A) Set a percent reduction goal for this Action Cycle:

Enter a Percent Reduction	>>	Current Monthly HPR	Current Moved to Inactive	>>	In order to achieve your proposed reduction, your housing placement rate (HPR) would need to increase to:	New Housing Placement Rate
50%		44	6			89
		<small>Based on 3-month averages</small>				

B) Does the new housing placement rate (HPR) feel reasonable?

Please select YES or NO:

Reasonable?	If not, enter a new HPR	>>	Current Monthly Inflow	Returned from Housed	Returned from Inactive	Based on your ambitious housing placement goals, you will not need to reduce your inflow in order to reach the last mile threshold.	New Inflow Rate
Yes			29	6	1		29
			<small>Based on 3-month averages</small>				

C) Check out your new projected Functional Zero date:

New Projected Functional Zero Date	Goal Active Homeless Number at the End of Action Cycle #2
5/10/2018	236

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CHRONIC COMMUNITY STORYBOARD

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ACTION CYCLE #2: Oct 2017 - Jan 2018

COHORT: Reduce

COACH: Aly

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Prioritization Key

High Priority	★ ★ ★
Mid Priority	★ ★
Low Priority	★

AIM STATEMENT

We will reduce the number of individuals experiencing chronic homelessness on our BNL by 50% by January 31st, 2018.

DRIVERS	Accelerating Housing Placements				
	STRATEGIES	Expand and target housing resources		Prioritize	
		CHANGE IDEAS	1	Homeless to Housing Campaign	★ ★ ★
			2		
			3	Identify and advocate for the service resources required to place the most vulnerable individuals in permanent housing; consider local municipal funding or additional public revenue that could meet this need	★ ★ ★
			4		
			5		
			6		
	Increase Access to Affordable Units		Prioritize		
	CHANGE IDEAS	1	Partner with PHA to dedicate Housing Vouchers to move-on strategies and free up PSH resources.	★ ★	
2		Creation of Housing Locator out of CABHI funding	★ ★ ★		
3		Build relationships and trust with potential landlords by attending apartment association meetings or other events where landlords are meeting	★ ★ ★		
4		Identify landlord champions and train them to convene small groups of landlords and share about the benefits of working with veteran programs; note that small meetings produce better results	★ ★ ★		

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		6		
		Coordinate services and efficient processes		Prioritize
CHANGE IDEAS		1		
		2		
		3	Train housing locators to begin an individual's housing search at the point of program entry	★ ★ ★
		4	Use by-name list to target engagement to high ER utilizers; collaborate with emergency services to engage these individuals with housing services	★ ★
		5	Develop peer-support staff to provide engagement and navigation support	★ ★ ★
		6		
		Improving BNL Data Reliability		
STRATEGIES		TRACK CHRONICITY AFTER INITIAL ASSESSMENT: Chronic BNL has ability to track when individuals become chronically homeless at any point after they are initially assessed		Prioritize
	CHANGE IDEAS	1	Conduct PADL (Partner Agency Data Lead) training	★ ★ ★
		2	Identify the staff responsible for tracking the data and scrubbing the BNL	★ ★ ★
		3	Track the following data: 1) presence of a qualifying disability; 2) length of current episode at assessment; 3) date of identification; 4) # of homeless episodes in past three years; and 5) cumulative # of months spent homeless	★ ★ ★
		4	To identify individuals at risk of becoming chronically homeless, sort list by those who meet disability criteria but are short of the requirement for length of time; monitor this data to target early interventions and reduce chronic homelessness	★ ★
		5	Create check-in process for case managers to update chronic status over time; chronic status can also be updated as individuals are enrolled into additional housing and support services	★ ★
		6		
				Prioritize
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		2		
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