

# Hawaii State Framework to Address Homelessness (GCH, April 2017)

<p><b>GOAL</b></p>	<p>To achieve 'Functional Zero' by 2020 (<u>Translation:</u> Building a housing-focused system that has sufficient resources to address need in the community so that homelessness is a rare, brief, and non-recurring experience.)</p>					
<p><b>LEVERAGE POINTS</b></p>	<p>Affordable Housing</p>		<p>Health &amp; Human Services</p>		<p>Public Safety</p>	
<p><b>STRATEGY</b></p>	<p>Reorient targeted policies and maximize financing for infrastructure (e.g. sewer) to add new capacity.</p>	<p>Maximize existing inventory by increasing turnaround for public housing renovation and cultivating LL relationships to increase homeless inventory.</p>	<p>Implement 'housing-focused' policies for contracts (e.g. reduce barriers, adopt a 'Housing First' philosophy)</p>	<p>Focus on data and establish clear performance metrics, and align metrics among public and private funders.</p>	<p>Prioritize enforcement / clean-up of public lands where unsheltered homeless individuals congregate</p>	<p>Establish linkages and programmatic partnership between homeless and criminal justice systems</p>
<p><b>TACTICS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Align timeline for financing tools (e.g. LIHTC credits, etc.)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Focus on T.O.D. in urban core.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Small-scale development of PSH with existing resources.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Use financial modeling data to lobby for increased resources for PSH and &lt;30% AMI.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Public housing special action team.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Landlord and faith-based summits convened statewide.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Embed targeted landlord outreach / housing navigation component in service contracts.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Centralized landlord hotline, and mitigation funds.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Provide training for providers.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Re-orient shelter policies (e.g. small sizes, etc.)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Target specific services (MH + SUD)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Implement CES matching.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1115 Medicaid waiver amendment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Homeless funders hui.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Communications hui.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Begin to dashboard progress/results.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Share and match data with other systems.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Use data/HMIS to better target and prioritize limited resources.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Develop standardized state enforcement guideline.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Establish structure for coordination.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Build relationship with City and other partners (e.g. Humane Society, CWS, etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Convene targeted Resource Fairs in specific enforcement areas.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Implement Community Outreach court and LEAD.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Integrate law enforcement and outreach services.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Strengthen investment in MH and SUD services.</li> </ul>
<p><b>METRICS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> No. of homeless people into permanent housing.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> No. of new units specifically for homeless.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Turnaround time for public housing.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> No. of overall new housing units produced.</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> No. of homeless people into permanent housing.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Reduction in healthcare costs for homeless services.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Increased public understanding/awareness.</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> No. of homeless people into permanent housing.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Increased City-State coordination for cleanup.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Increased inter-agency coordination (within State govt.)</li> </ul>	