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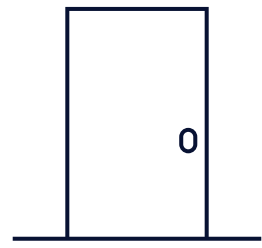
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- Continued phone assessments with a possible staff increase to address the growing number of callers seeking a CE assessment.
- Implement phased assessments to assist people with immediate needs and manage higher volume of calls and inquiries.
- Implement Temporary Housing Prioritization Policy to ensure those most vulnerable and those at the highest risk for COVID-19 are prioritized for available housing resources.
- The HMIS System Coordinator will use HMIS data to develop a priority list for matching.
- On a weekly basis, housing providers will submit a list of available housing slots.
- The CE supervisor will lead a weekly case conferencing meeting to match clients on the priority list to available resources.
- Providers will leverage available waivers to bypass regulatory requirements to house people quickly (i.e. disability documentation, FMR, etc.) and waive any internal agency requirements to accessing housing units and document the changes being made.
- On a monthly basis the Coordinated Entry Oversight Committee (CEOC) will solicit stakeholder feedback via open meeting and review the Temporary Housing Prioritization Policy for effectiveness in ensuring that the goal of housing the community's most vulnerable individuals and families is being met.
- On a monthly basis CEOC will review disaggregated data to ensure people of color are assessed and housed at a rate that is proportionate to their makeup of homeless households in Charlotte-Mecklenburg. This committee will make adjustments to the CE temporary prioritization policy as needed to ensure it is racially equitable.

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- No additional funding need for this phase.



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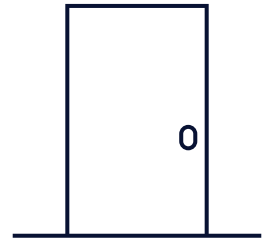
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- CEOC will assess if additional policy recommendations are needed.
- Document how current prioritization standards will change, which projects will be impacted (e.g. Diversion, Emergency Shelter, Permanent Supportive Housing, Rapid Rehousing, etc.); eligibility criteria; priority populations; and the applicable time period of changes.

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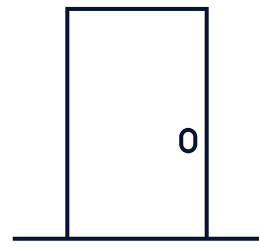
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RESOURCES REFERENCED

A Framework for COVID-19 Homelessness Response: Responding to the Intersecting Crises of Homelessness and COVID-19 (National Alliance to End Homelessness and Center on Budget Policy & Priorities)

Homeless System Response: Changes to Coordinated Entry Prioritization to Support and Respond to COVID-19 (U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development)