

Successful and Proven Real World Solutions to Reduce Homelessness

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“Homegrown vs. Out-of-Towner”

	Temple	Bell County	Killeen
Born in Bell	21.6%	15.7%	8.1%
High School in Bell	30.3%	24.2%	16.7%
Job in Bell BEH	39.4%	41.5%	44.1%
Family in Bell	44.0%	43.5%	43.5%

“Chronicness”

	Temple	Bell County	Killeen
Avg. Years Homeless	9.0	7.2	5.2
HUD Definition	87.6%	84.1%	80.6%
0 to 1.99 Yrs.	23.4%	32.4%	42.5%
2 to 4.99 Yrs.	22.0%	22.7%	23.1%
5+ Years	54.6%	44.9%	34.4%

Recommendations

County Wide Recommendations:

C1 - Develop and operate nine clinical tracks within three focus areas across Bell County.

C2 - Establish the Arbor of Hope non-profit to coordinate county-wide homeless services.

C3 - Information Management (HMIS, intake, and coordinated case management): need to move from a data tracking model to a true case management and service coordination tool.

C4 - Open the Bell County Diversion Center.

County Wide Recommendations (continued):

C5 - Create permanent supportive housing across the street from the Central Counties Services Office in Temple.

C6 - Proactively source new housing of all types.

C7 - Whenever possible, separate families with children from non-family single adults.

C8 - After becoming compliant with Martin v. Boise, have a zero tolerance approach to encampments.

Killeen and Temple Recommendation:

KT1 - Continue to support Family Promise of Bell County's new operation.

Killeen Recommendation:

K1 - Create and develop the Arbor of Hope West Campus.

K2 - Support the Homeless-to-Housed Village.

K3 - Integrate the Killeen Police Department's Community Engagement Team with the Arbor of Hope West Campus operations.

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