Integrating Rapid Re-housing & Employment

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Our National Center on Employment & Homelessness works to ensure that employment in quality jobs is a key element in preventing and ending homelessness.

- Identify & advance evidence-based employment interventions
- Advance systems change
- Promote employment as an element of preventing and ending homelessness
Integrating Rapid Re-Housing & Employment:
Program Recommendations for Enhancing Rapid Re-Housing Design & Implementation
Our Paper & Methodology:

• Case making, program, and policy/systems change recommendations.

• Literature review.

• Interviews with RRH providers.

• Synthesis and analysis.
#1: Build robust partnerships to offer a *continuum of employment, training, & related supportive services* that can meet a wide range of needs.
#2: Immediately engage RRH participants in employment, training, & related supportive services.
#3: Formalize case-conferencing & partnerships, or consider co-location, between housing & employment specialists.
#4: Leverage flexible funds to meet the needs & interests of RRH participants in an individualized way.
#5: Prioritize job retention & reemployment services to support the longer-term employment success of RRH participants.
#6: Support and accommodate job-driven training and education for RRH participants.
#7: Offer financial capability services so that RRH participants can manage earned income and start to build assets.
We also need policy and systems change.
Some Policy & Systems Change Ideas:

• Using an interagency approach, take a federal leadership role in ensuring that employment, training, and supportive services are integrated with RRH programs.

• Advance research and learnings related to RRH and employment services, supports, and pathways to economic opportunity.

• Build the capacity of and develop a shared culture among RRH and employment providers and systems.
Questions...?
Check Out Our Free Toolkits:

- **WIOA Planning & Implementation Toolkit**
- **Opportunity Youth Employment Toolkit**
- **Employer Engagement Toolkit**
- **Working To End Homelessness Toolkit**
- **Transitional Jobs Programs Toolkit**
- **TANF and Transitional Jobs Toolkit**

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