

Supply and Demand Reality Check



In an ideal world, there would be enough shelter capacity for all that come forward in need.



Existing in a state of maximum capacity and often extending beyond capacity. Inflow (predictable or not) overwhelms resources, and outflow does not create enough movement to reduce daily demand.



Why Diversion instead of Capacity Building?

EQUITABLE

EMPOWERING

EFFICIENT

EFFECTIVE



Rapport-building

Problem-solving

Empowering

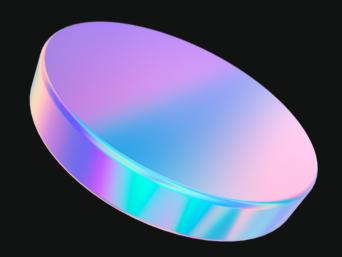
Referring

Facilitating discussion

401-level Diversion

A Professional Activity

- Financial resources are accessible to keep people housed or to become quickly re-housed
- Skilled case management staff provide support with enough intensity and length to meet a person's needs





A Systems Response

- Diversion embraced in community and homelessness prevention approach
- Integrated with full continuum of services
- Financial sustainability
- Data driven