



ANCHORAGE COALITION TO
END HOMELESSNESS

The Next Step

Progress Report
February 28, 2024





**The solution to
homelessness is housing.
Everyone is housing ready.
Housing First is the key.**



Progress
as of
2/28/24

Next Step is a collaborative pilot project to house 150 people by the end of April 2024, moving individuals from Anchorage emergency cold weather shelter into housing. Supportive services will help people stabilize and begin a new chapter in life.

See Progress! **65/150** housed through Next Step



It only takes \$85/day to house **one person with supports.**

It costs \$100 for a day in a shelter.

The Next Step – By the Numbers

As of February 28, 2024



CASE
MANAGEMENT
CONTRACTS - 2



PRIVATE
LANDLORDS
LEASED - 12



COUPLES
HOUSED - 9



PILLOWS - 130



CLIENTS WITH
INDIVIDUAL
RESOURCES - 26

Measuring Success

Number of People Experiencing Homelessness In Anchorage

- October 2023 – 3,569
- January 2024 – 3,460

Percentage of Exits to permanent housing destinations

- January 2024 – 36.9%

Pilot Project Returns to Homelessness

- Zero

What's Next?

- Second by name list
- Continue to recruit landlords
- Preparation for Phase 2 this summer
- Solicit support for the continuation of the project



Thank you for your interest
in **NEXT STEP!**

Everyone deserves a safe home.

Learn more: aceh.org/next-step