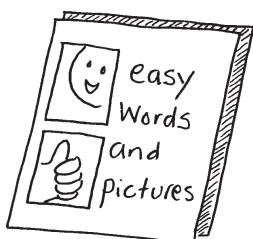
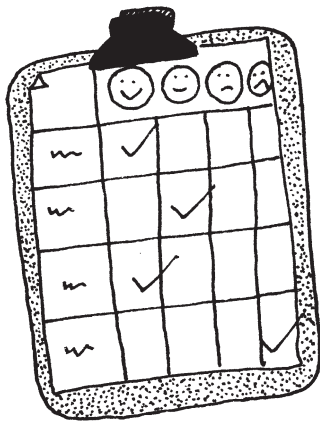


# Questions we are asking about the Birmingham Homelessness Prevention Strategy 2017+

24 August - 5 October 2017



This leaflet is easier to read



We want to know what you think about our plans to stop people becoming homeless.

And what you think about our plans to help people who do not have a home.

If you think it is a **really good** idea, tick **Strongly Agree**

If you think it is a **good** idea, tick **Agree**

If you are **not sure**, tick **Don't Know**

If you think it is a **bad** idea, tick **Disagree**

If you think it is a **really bad** idea, tick **Strongly Disagree**



See 'What are we trying to achieve' part of the Easier to Read consultation summary

1. We think that Birmingham should be a place where we all work together to stop homelessness.

Do you agree or disagree with this idea?  
(Please tick one box only)

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Don't know
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree

Please tell us the reason for your answer:





2. We think there are 5 things we should try to do in Birmingham to stop homelessness. These things are listed below.

Do you agree or disagree that these are the right things to do?

See 'What are we trying to achieve' part of the Easier to Read consultation summary

a) Make sure that people know about the different sorts of housing available to them

(Please tick one box only)

Strongly agree

Agree

Don't know

Disagree

Strongly disagree

b) Stop people from becoming homeless

(Please tick one box only)

Strongly agree

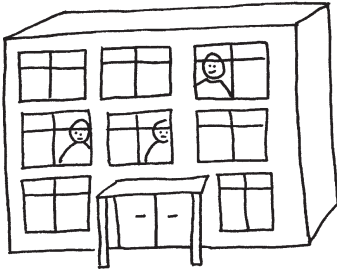
Agree

Don't know

Disagree

Strongly disagree





c) Help people as soon as possible if they become homeless so they get support and somewhere to live

(Please tick one box only)

Strongly agree

Agree

Don't know

Disagree

Strongly disagree

d) Help people with problems caused by being homeless. And support people who have been homeless so they do not become homeless again

(Please tick one box only)

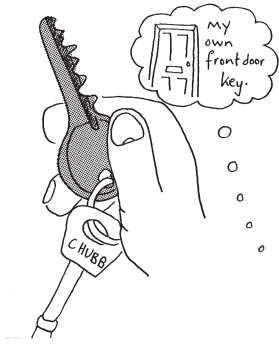
Strongly agree

Agree

Don't know

Disagree

Strongly disagree



e) **Help people to get homes they can afford. And help them to keep their home**

(Please tick one box only)

**Strongly agree**

**Agree**

**Don't know**

**Disagree**

**Strongly disagree**

**Please tell us the reason for your answers:**



See '**What do we want to do to stop homelessness**' part of the Easier to Read consultation summary.

3. **We plan to work in a new way to stop homelessness. We plan to use the Positive Pathway model. It has five parts:**

- **Universal Prevention**
- **Targeted Prevention**
- **Crisis Prevention and Relief**
- **Homeless Recovery**
- **Sustainable Housing.**

**Do you agree or disagree that this is the right way to stop homelessness in Birmingham?** (Please tick one box only)

- Strongly agree**
- Agree**
- Don't know**
- Disagree**
- Strongly disagree**

**Please tell us the reason for your answer:**



4. We think different organisations all need to work together to stop homelessness. This is called a multiagency approach.

See 'What do we want to do to stop homelessness' part of the easier to read consultation summary.



**Do you agree or disagree that we need a multi-agency approach to stop homelessness in Birmingham?**

(Please tick one box only)

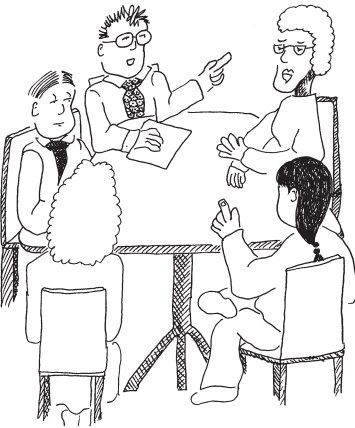
**Strongly agree**

**Agree**

**Don't know**

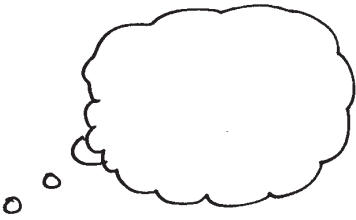
**Disagree**

**Strongly disagree**

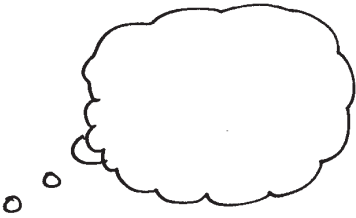


**Please tell us the reason for your answer:**





- 5. Please tell us about anything else we should think about to stop homelessness in Birmingham:**



- 6. Later in the year we will do more work on the Positive Pathway model. Please give us your contact details if you would like to help us with this.**

# About you

We would like you to tell us some things about you.

You do not have to tell us if you do not want to, but if you do it will help us to plan what we do next.

## Data Protection Act 1998

The personal information on this form will be kept safe and is protected by law.

You can see more information about data protection on our website at:

[www.birmingham.gov.uk/privacy](http://www.birmingham.gov.uk/privacy)

## Are you?

(Please tick one box only)

**A member of the general public**

**Someone who is homeless or has been in the past**

**Someone who works in a health or care organisation**

**A Housing Advisor**

**A Homelessness Advisor**

**A family member or carer of someone who is homeless or has been in the past**

**Other (please tell us)**

**How old are you?**

(Please tick one box only)

**I am:**

**Under 16**

**16 – 19**

**20 – 24**

**25 – 29**

**30 – 34**

**35 – 39**

**40 – 44**

**45 – 49**

**50 – 54**

**55 – 59**

**60 – 64**

**65 – 69**

**70 – 74**

**75 – 79**

**80 – 84**

**85+**

**Prefer not to say**

**Are you:**

(Please tick one box only)

- Male**
- Female**
- Prefer not to say**

**Disability: Do you have any physical or mental health conditions or illnesses that last or are expected to last 12 months or more?**

(Please tick one box only)

- Yes**
- No**
- Prefer not to say**

**If yes, do any of your conditions or illnesses affect you in the following ways?** (Please tick one box only)

- Vision** (such as difficulty seeing, blindness, or partial sight)
- Hearing** (such as difficulty hearing, deafness or partial hearing)
- Mobility** (such as difficulty getting around, walking short distances or climbing stairs)
- Dexterity** (such as difficulty using your hands, lifting and carrying things)
- Learning or understanding or concentrating** (such as difficulty learning things)
- Memory** (such as difficulty remembering things)
- Mental health** (such as bi-polar, anxiety, depression)
- Stamina or breathing or fatigue** (such as getting tired very quickly, breathing problems)
- Socially or behaviourally** (such as autism, attention deficit disorder or Asperger's Syndrome)

**Your ethnic group:**  
(Please tick one box only)

**White**

- English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British**
- Irish**
- Gypsy or Irish Traveller**
- Polish**
- Baltic States**
- Jewish**
- Other white European** (including mixed European)
- Any other White background** (Please tell us)

**Mixed/multiple ethnic groups**

- White and Black Caribbean/African**
- White and Asian**
- Any other Mixed background**  
(Please tell us)

### Asian/Asian British

**Afghani**

**Bangladeshi**

**British Asian**

**Chinese**

**Filipino**

**Indian (Sikh)**

**Indian Other**

**Kashmiri**

**Pakistani**

**Sri Lankan**

**Vietnamese**

**Any other Asian background (Please tell us)**

**Black African/ Caribbean/Black British**

**African**

**Black British**

**Caribbean**

**Any other Black/African/Caribbean background** (Please tell us)

**Other ethnic group**

**Arab**

**Iranian**

**Kurdish**

**Yemeni**

**Any other ethnic group** (Please tell us)

**Prefer not to say**

**What is your sexual identity?**

(Please tick one box only)

**Bisexual**

**Gay**

**Lesbian**

**Heterosexual or straight**

**Other** (Please tell us)

**Prefer not to say**



**What is your religion or belief?**

(Please tick one box only)

**No religion**

**Christian** (including Church of England, Catholic, Protestant and all other Christian denominations)

**Buddhist**

**Hindu**

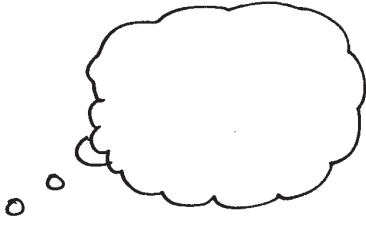
**Jewish**

**Muslim**

**Sikh**

**Any other religion** (Please tell us)

**Prefer not to say**



# Tell us what you think

We want to know what you think of our plan to stop people being homeless in Birmingham.

Please return this questionnaire to the address below – **you do not need to use a stamp.**

Write to:

**Homelessness Prevention Strategy Consultation  
Freepost Plus RSYS – HKBC – XBLA  
PO Box 16465  
Birmingham  
B2 2DG**

Website:

**[www.birminghambeheard.org.uk](http://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk)**

Twitter:

**@healthybrum**

Email:

**[homelessnessconsultation@birmingham.gov.uk](mailto:homelessnessconsultation@birmingham.gov.uk)**

**Thank you for taking part in our consultation.**

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