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## Medical Respite Definition



• An acute and post-acute medical care for homeless persons who are too ill or frail to recover from a physical illness or injury on the streets but are not ill enough to be in a hospital.





### **Medical Respite**

 Is an integral component of the continuum of care for homeless services in any community





# **Group Activity**



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"Is medical respite primarily a program focused on health care, housing, or both?





## Various Models

- Apartments/Motel rooms
- Transitional Housing
- Nursing Homes
- Shelters
- Stand along facilities













# **Funding Sources**

- Hospitals
- HRSA
- o HUD
- Medicaid/Medicare
- MCO
- Local/State
  Government

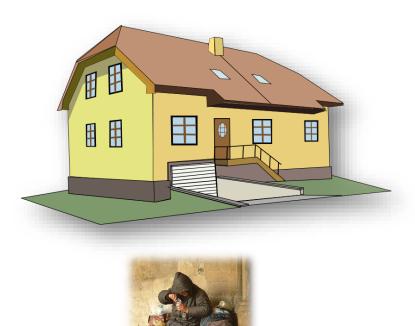
- Foundations
- Religious Org
- Corporations
- United Way
- o Individuals



### How can we integrate the two?

#### Housing

#### Health care







## Thank you for serving

