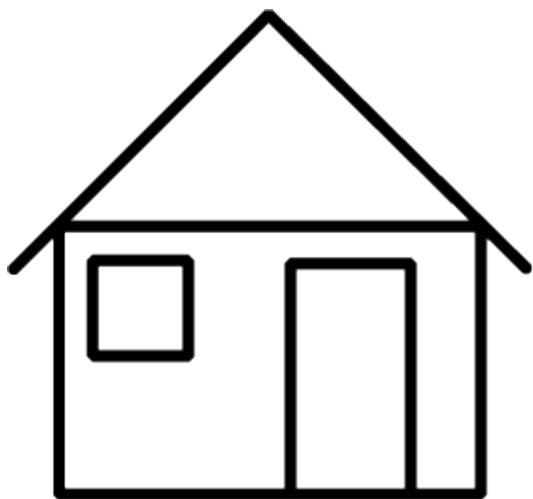




## Re-entry Task Force Update

### Housing Focus -

High priority area identified at the February 2016 retreat



*The risk of criminal justice system involvement is higher for people experiencing homelessness*

*-US Interagency Council on Homelessness*



## Re-entry Task Force Update

### Housing Work to Date

- Studied and received educational presentations about numerous housing initiatives
  - Organized information about housing initiatives (handout)
  - Considered available data and information
- External activities
  - CSH Conference attendance / Dept. of Corrections
  - Meetings with DOLA





## Re-entry Task Force Update

### Housing Focus Areas

**Capacity Working Group:** Will focus its work on specific criminal justice populations and opportunities to increase housing options (capacity)

**Collateral Consequences Working Group:** Will explore barriers to housing for justice involved individuals and potential remedies





## Re-entry Task Force Update

### Collateral Consequences Working Group



#### Employment

State issued licenses, registrations, certificates, private employer background checks



#### Public Benefits

Public housing, food stamps, worker's comp, Unemployment, TANF, Veteran's benefits, Social Security, Student loans



#### Housing

Private landlord background checks, NIMBY, Local public housing restrictions



#### Many other obstacles

- Voting
- Hunting and fishing
- Adoption
- Property forfeiture
- Firearms
- Immigration consequences

