

# WG/CHC Spotlight Event

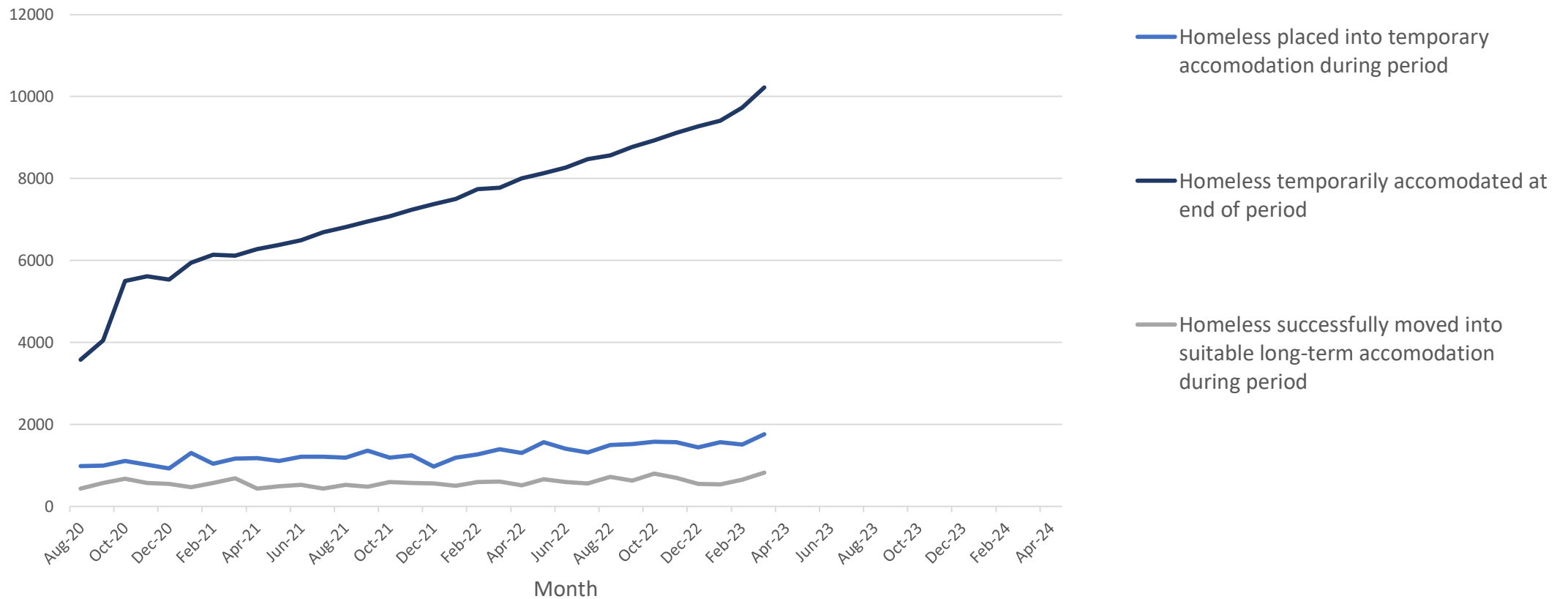
Rapid Rehousing

# Objective

- Raise awareness of RRH and the role of the task & finish group
- Highlight the evolving role of LA strategic coordinators and WG relationship managers
- Explore role of HAs and how they can contribute
- Build local connections between HAs and LA strategic coordinators
- Tangible takeaway - contact details of LA strategic coordinators and WG relationship managers

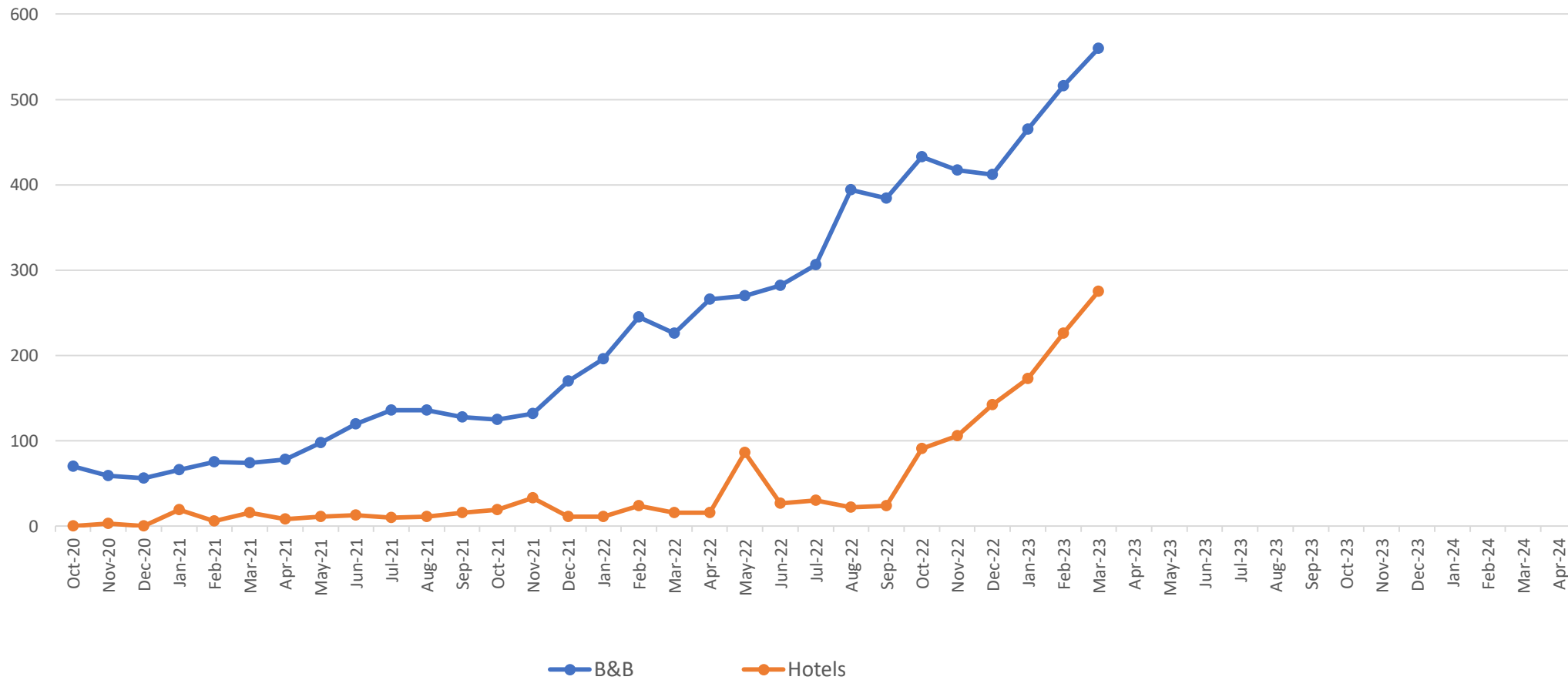
# Use of Temporary Accommodation

Homeless Individuals Placed into Temporary and Long-Term Accommodation since August 2020



# Unsuitable TA

Use of temporary accomodation by type since August 2020, dependent children - Wales



# How do we get to Rapid Rehousing?

- Strategic.
- Data driven and systematic approach, numbers of households using TA, composition of households in TA.
- Develop Rapid Rehousing Transition Plans to help interpret what trend information is telling them about how much housing is needed, and to establish responsibilities of partners involved
- What type of housing is needed, both temporary and settled?
- Where it is needed and what level of support is needed?
- How it is allocated?



# Rapid Rehousing is:

## Strategic

- Links housing supply to numbers of people coming through services, particularly temporary accommodation.
- Requires Housing support to be framed around need of people in services.

## Corporately Owned

- Leadership from corporate directors and politicians.
- Housing Strategy , Housing Development & Regeneration teams contribute to the development of the right kind of housing in the right place.

## Based on strong Governance

- A Ministerial Priority
- National Task and Finish Group
- Linked to Ending Homelessness National Advisory Board

# Ailgartrefu Cyflym yn golygu:

## Strategol

- Cysylltu cyflenwad tai i nifer y bobl sy'n dod trwy wasanaethau, yn enwedig llety dros dro.
- Mae angen fframio cymorth Tai o gwmpas anghenion pobl mewn gwasanaethau.

## Perchnogaeth Gorfforaethol

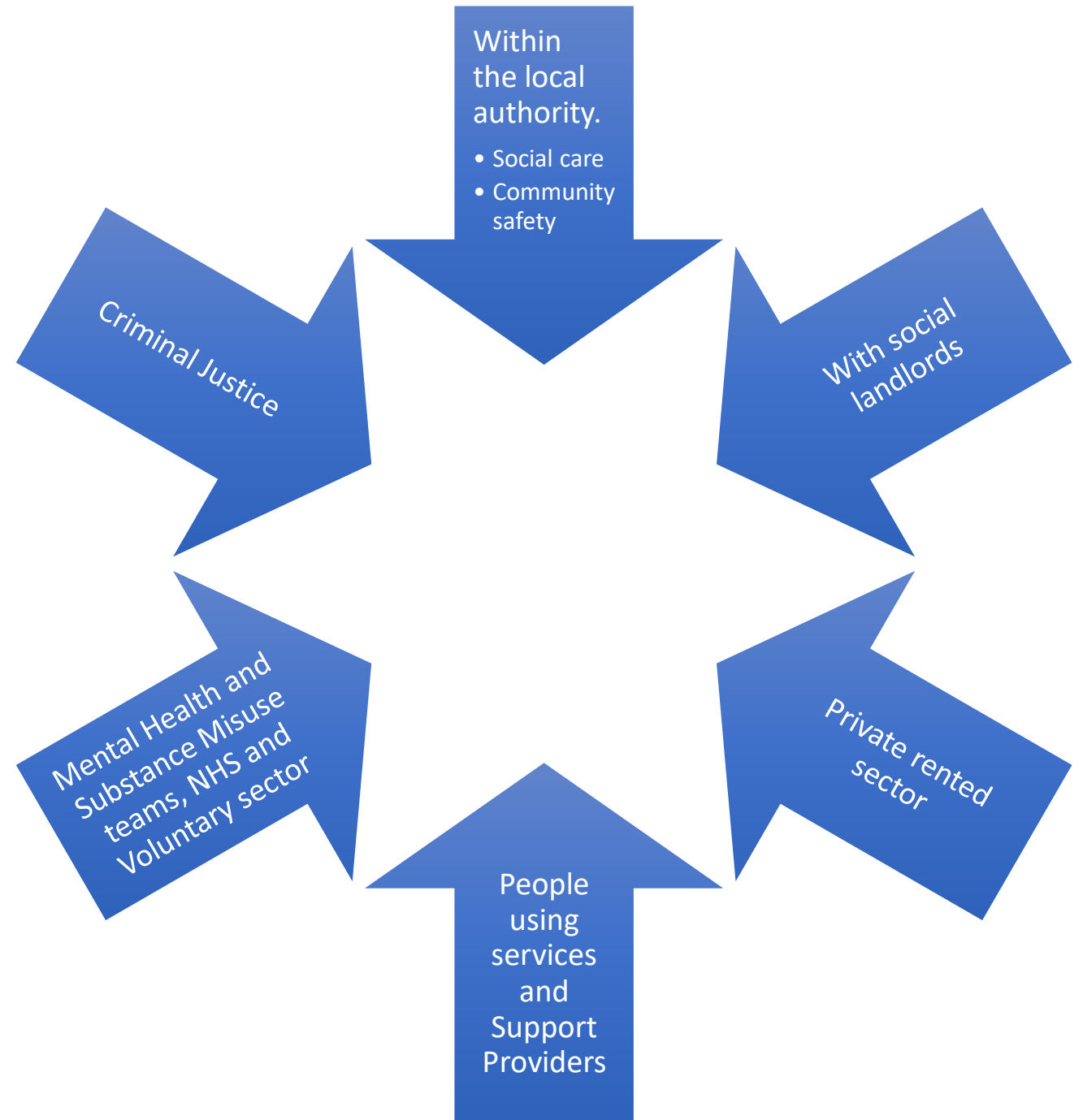
- Arweinyddiaeth gan gyfarwyddwyr corfforaethol a gwleidyddion.
- Timau Strategaeth Tai, Datblygu Tai a thimau Adfywio yn cyfrannu at ddatblygu'r math cywir o dai yn y lle cywir.

## Yn seiliedig ar Lywodraethu cryf

- Grŵp Gorchwyl a Gorffen Cenedlaethol
- Yn gysylltiedig â Bwrdd Cyngori Cenedlaethol dod â Digartrefedd i Ben

Based on  
partnership

Yn seiliedig ar  
bartneriaeth





## What is the Role of the Co-Ordinator?

- Communication of the value of the programme,
- Build relationships between partners,
- Facilitation between organisations,
- Leadership,
- Expertise,
- Ambassador for the programme,
- Identify best practice,
- Develop relationships,



# What is the Role of Housing Associations?

- Working with local authority partners to understand housing need
- Helping to meet that need, through building more social homes
- Working in partnership to review existing development and allocation policies and breaking down barriers to accessing social housing
- Developing policies of allocation that recognise, prioritise and support those people experiencing homelessness,
- Working with partners to ensure no evictions from social housing into homelessness.
- Embracing rapid rehousing as the approach forward, recognising the needs and requirements of the individual or household and supporting them in accessing long-term secure homes.

# Your thoughts and experiences



- Have you been engaged in RRH planning?
  - What works?
  - How can engagement be strengthened?
- When you discuss Programme Development Plans is RRH coming into those discussions?
- To what extent is homelessness framing your internal discussions and discussions with strategic partners?
- What do we all need to do to raise awareness and understanding of Rapid Rehousing?
- What are the barriers to RRH?