## **FOCUS** Ireland

Challenging homelessness. Changing lives.

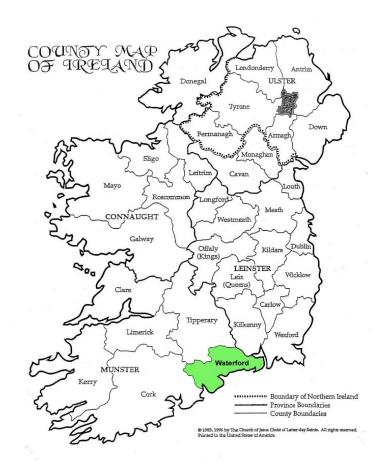
# Housing First for Youth in practice

## The beginning .....





# **Waterford :** 53,504 people live in the city, with a wider metropolitan population of 82,963.





## Setting Up the Service – Why & How ?

#### Funding

- Local Government municipality
- Statutory Health Service



#### **Service Model Details**

Target Group : Young people aged 18-26 yrs. of age who are in unstable or emergency accommodation and for young people at risk of homelessness coming from state care.

#### Support



# Housing First Europe Hub HF for Youth network

# Rock Trust pilot project:Evidence baseTraining

Monthly Community of Practice call Trainers/colleagues Shared resources



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## **Transitions from Care**

### Emma's Story



#### **Questions ?**

# **Thank You**