

**Supporting Information to accompany the Allocations Presentation to Regional Housing Board on 23/10/2020**

* As at 31st March 2020 there were **13,271** households registered on Home-Link and waiting for social housing in the Cambridgeshire and West Suffolk Sub-Region.
* Sub-regionally, the number of applicants between the ages of 16-64 and in employment is 64% (5390 of 8554).
* The following tables show the number of applicants (by band and band reason) who were housed during the 2019/20 financial year.

**Band A housed by band reason**

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| Reason | No. (total 1333) | % of band  |
| Current supported housing resident | 162 | 12 |
| Emergency status | 4 | <1 |
| Health and Safety risk | 10 | <1 |
| Homeless households | 392 | 29 |
| Lacking two bedrooms | 110 | 8 |
| Medical need | 73 | 5 |
| Under occupancy by 2 | 40 | 3 |
| Urgent multiple needs (2x B) | 479 | 36 |
| Urgent Transfer | 63 | 5 |

**Band B housed by band reason**

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| Reason | No. (total 1058) | % of band  |
| Health and safety risk | 4 | <1 |
| Lacking one bedroom | 566 | 54 |
| Medical need | 160 | 15 |
| Multiple needs (3 x C) | 7 | <1 |
| Owed Prevention/Relief duty | 199 | 19 |
| Sleeping rough | 7 | <1 |
| Under occupancy by 1 | 55 | 5 |
| Victims of harassment, violence or abuse | 60 | 5 |

**Band C housed by band reason**

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| Reason | No. (total 387) | % of band  |
| Housing conditions | 208 | 54 |
| Medical Need | 25 | 6 |
| Need to move for social reasons | 111 | 29 |
| Other homelessness | 36 | 9 |
| Reasonable preference but no connection to local area | 7 | 2 |

**Band D housed by band reason**

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| Reason | No. (total 185) | % of band  |
| Low housing need | 170 | 91 |
| Financial resources | 15 | 8 |