

Our theory of change



Working with the most excluded

We serve the most vulnerable and excluded in the communities where we work



Innovation and entrepreneurship

We work to end homelessness, taking innovative and often unconventional approaches to make our vision a reality



An authoritative voice on homelessness

We influence policy and public opinion, leading the conversation on homelessness at a national and global level

How Depaul projects help people change their lives - Our Theory of Change



What we do

- Humanitarian and emergency response
- Supported accommodation and services
- Programmes and activities
- Advocacy



How we work

- Working with our clients, as partners, and in line with our values, to achieve change
- Housing people first whenever possible
- Supporting clients to reduce harm, improve health and well-being, and build skills
- Encouraging and supporting community involvement
- Building partnerships with other organisations to influence policy change and public opinion



Outcomes

- People can achieve and/or sustain a home
- People have better health and well-being
- People have developed skills to build a positive future



Impact

- People have a home and/or a place in society which they can sustain; and/or
- They have a greater capacity to achieve these, because their well-being is increased

Depaul International Outcomes



Doma Dobre Concert at the Nightshelter of St Vincent de Paul, Slovakia, to raise awareness of homelessness

In 2021 we...

Addressed the needs of

21,500

individuals through our services in seven countries

Prevented hunger and malnutrition by providing

757,000

meals

Responded to homelessness by making

640,000

bed nights available to adults and children

Encouraged community involvement with

1,400

volunteers giving giving their time to Depaul

Since 1989 we have worked with **175,000** individuals.