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Homelessness in Italy: analysis, data and latest policies

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The structure of the presentation:

Analysis

Data

Latest policies





1. Analysis

- Italy and its' homelessness
- Analysis and approaches over time
- Recent studies

Italy and its' homelessness



- Extreme poverty
- Social exclusion and marginalization
- Welfare system

Approaches to homelessness

- Local welfare and Municipalities
- FIO.psd
- The fragmentation of services and the role of third sector



Recent Studies

- New inequalities and exclusion processes
- The paradoxes of Italian welfare and access to housing
- Homelessness in Italy ... a "public issue"?

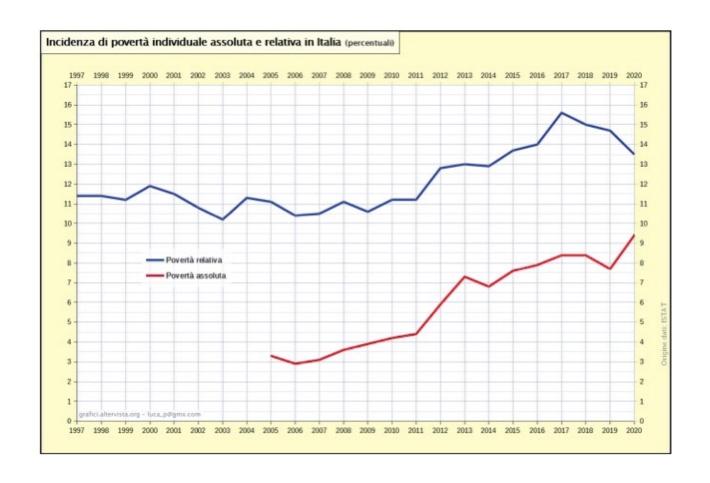
2. Data

• Data (on homelessness) in Italy

• ISTAT 2011 and ISTAT 2014

• Caritas' Reports

What about now?



ISTAT and CARITAS

- In 2014 it was estimated that **50,724 homeless persons** used at least one soup kitchen or night shelter in the **158 italian municipalities**
- the survey was carried out in the months of November / December of that year
 - 2.43 per thousand of the population
- In 2019 annual Caritas Report register a high increase of people seeking support and the COVID tragically worsen the condition of poor people.
- 5% of people live in condition of housing severe deprivation
- Increase of absolute poverty

3. Latest policies



Actual(and contested) policies

- Citizenship income
- Poverty Plans
- FEAD

• ...



New (and contested) policies

• AVVISO 4



• Social Housing



Conclusion: rethinking the *public* dimension of Homelessness in Italy

- The survey by ISTAT the LIVEAS
- The actors (Metropolitan areas, regions, ATS, Third sector)
- The role of FioPSD the Consensus Conference
- Homelessness and the (new) right to housing

