



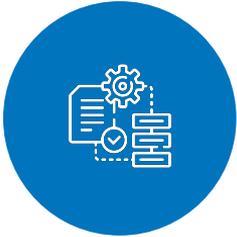
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Lincoln County Homelessness Strategic Plan

Homeless Advisory Board Meeting

July 12, 2023

Agenda



**Process
Review**



**Population
Estimates**



**Field
Research**



**Progression
of Support
Model**



Discussion



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Process Review



Process Review: road map & timeline for strategic plan development

January



Mission & Goal

To draft our shared goal, and prepare for community validation of the shared goal.

February – May



Community Study

To launch workgroups, organize into workgroups and conduct community-driven research.

June – September



Analysis

To analyze all of the data; create draft strategic plan and supporting work plans for each stakeholder group involved in the shared goal.

October – December



Plan

To review the plan with the community and finalize. Initialize the creation of a sustainable navigation center.

Next 5 Years



Implementation

To bring all aspects of the plan to reality, including meeting or exceeding the targeted outcomes associated with the plan.



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Population Estimates



The size of the unhoused population across Lincoln County is believed to be around 2,000 individuals

	ESTIMATES	KEY ASSUMPTIONS	LIMITATIONS
School Data Estimate Method	1,748	There is a relationship between the number of unhoused adults and children that are known via PIT and school district counts.	Individuals without children may be under-represented.
Community Size Estimate Method	1,420	There is a relationship between the size of the unhoused community in Yachats and the size of the unhoused community in the rest of Lincoln County.	Larger cities may be under-represented.
Under & Over 18 Allocation Estimate Method	3,101	The children to adult allocation is consistent between unhoused communities and the rest of the county.	Individuals without children may be under- or over-represented. Children under the age of 5 may be under-represented.

Mean	2,090
Standard Deviation	+/- 891



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Field Research



Many within the unhoused community are currently working, recently without permanent housing, or actively searching for both housing and gainful employment. It's common for them to reach dead-ends in their pursuit.

46 yrs

Average age of the unhoused community.
(Ages 19 to 72 yrs sampled.)

2 yrs

2 yrs, 8 mos.
Since most recent date of employment, average.

3 yrs

3 yrs, 7 mos.
Since most recent date of permanent housing, average.

Quotes regarding housing goals

"I want a roof over my head, or maybe a boat, RV, or apartment... anything to get off the streets in the winter."

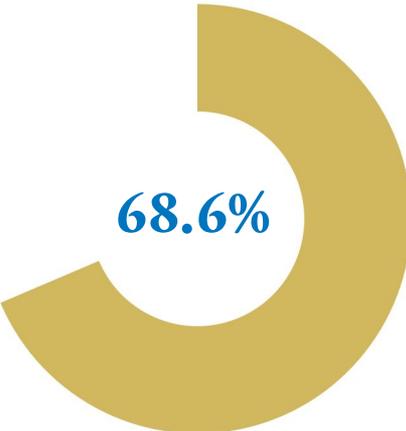
"I want a space to myself, with a working kitchen and bathroom."

"We want a house to get our kids back."

"Get into a house, back on my feet, and find a full time job... but it's impossible when you're camping."

"I would like an apartment or even a shelter. I don't want a homeless camp."

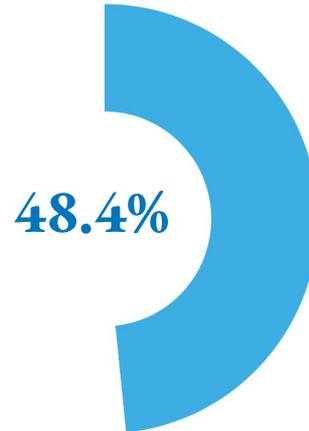
On average, unhoused individuals have been without permanent housing for 3 years and 7 months, although others have been without permanent housing for 11 years or more. Others have lost permanent housing this month.



Percentage of unhoused community **aware of local support services.**



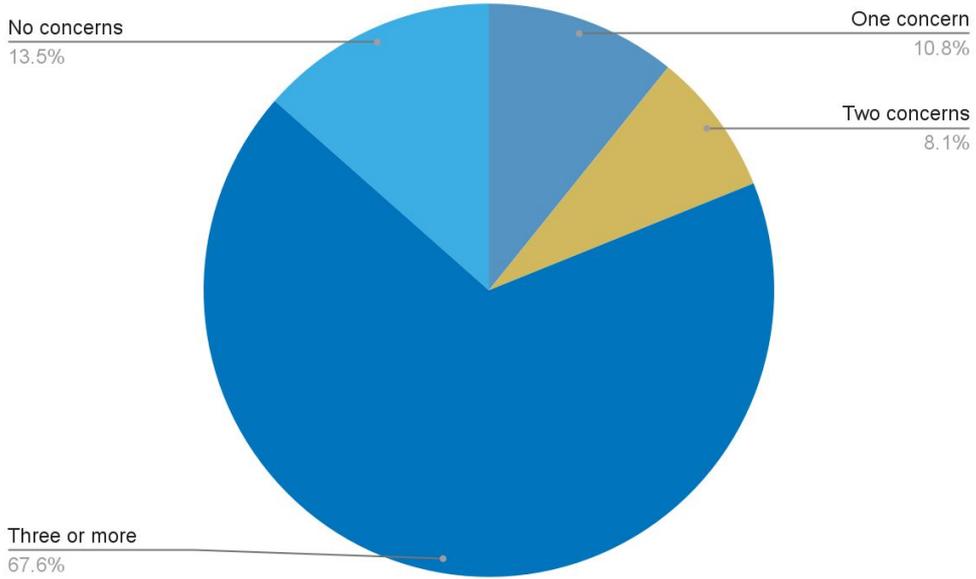
Percentage of unhoused community **who have received local housing services.**



Percentage of unhoused community **who have had difficulty receiving local housing services.**

86.5% of the unhoused community suffers from one or more serious health concerns, despite 77.8% holding medical insurance, primarily from Oregon Health Plan.

Serious health concerns experienced by unhoused community



Percent with:

- Disability: 52.8%
- Mental health conditions: 45.7%
- History of anxiety, depression, or bipolar disorder: 57.5%

Average amount of time:

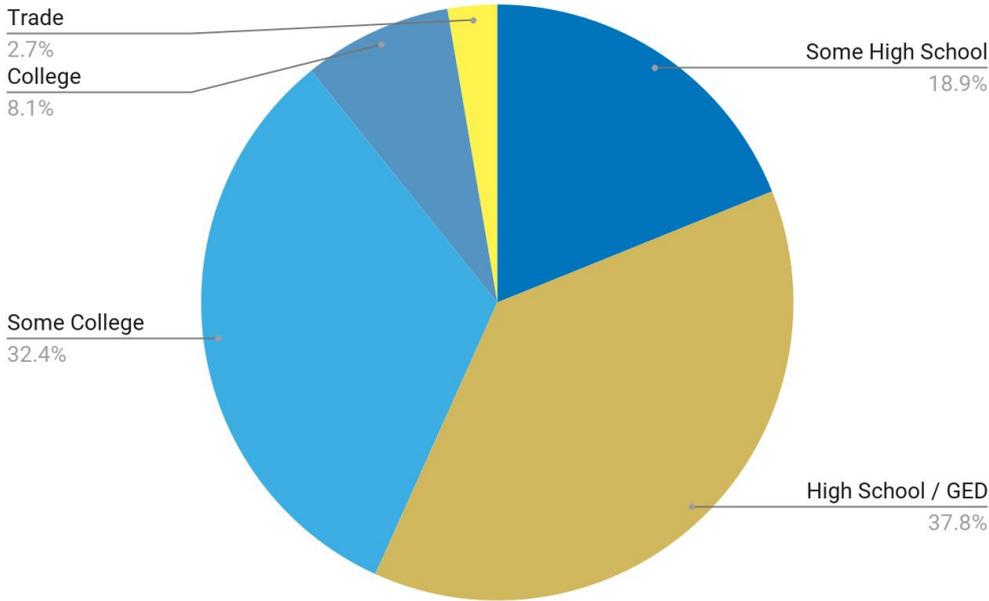
- Since last medical visit: 2 yrs, 7 mos
- Duration of vision concerns: 4 yrs, 8 mos
- Duration of dental concerns: 4yrs, 10 mos

Although the most recent date of employment (average) is 31.6 months (2 years, 8 months) for the unhoused community, at the earlier stages of the education pipeline the profile is similar to that of Lincoln County as a whole.

Unhoused Community: Highest Level of Education

All Lincoln County

- High School / GED: 24.1%
- Some College: 31.0%
- College Degree: 17.6%
- Graduate Degree: 11.0%





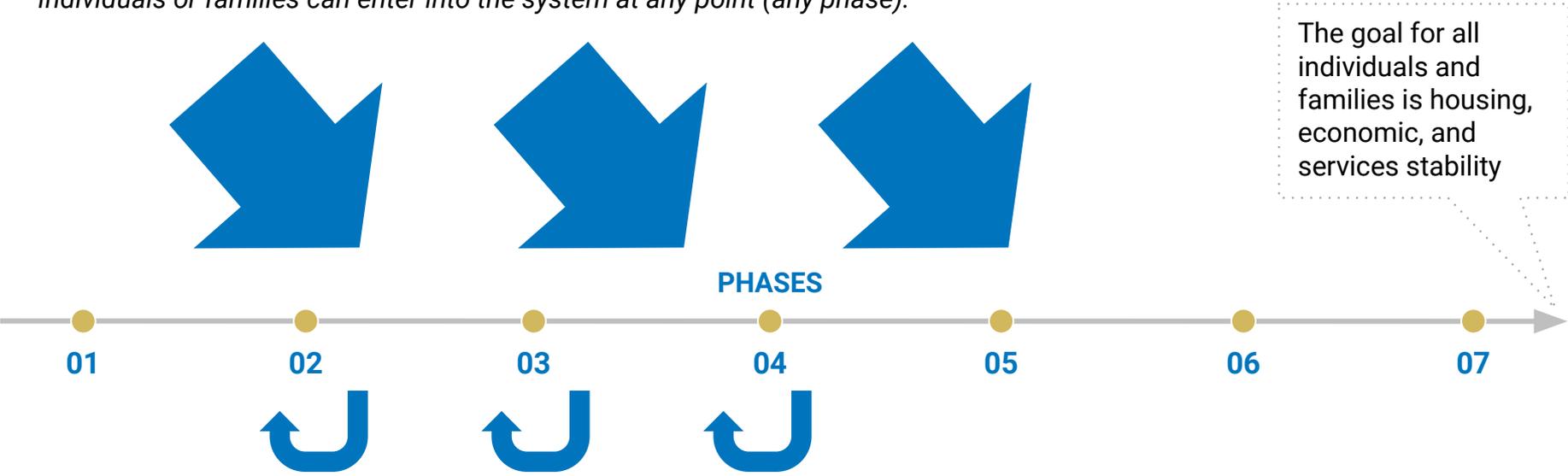
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Progression of Support Model



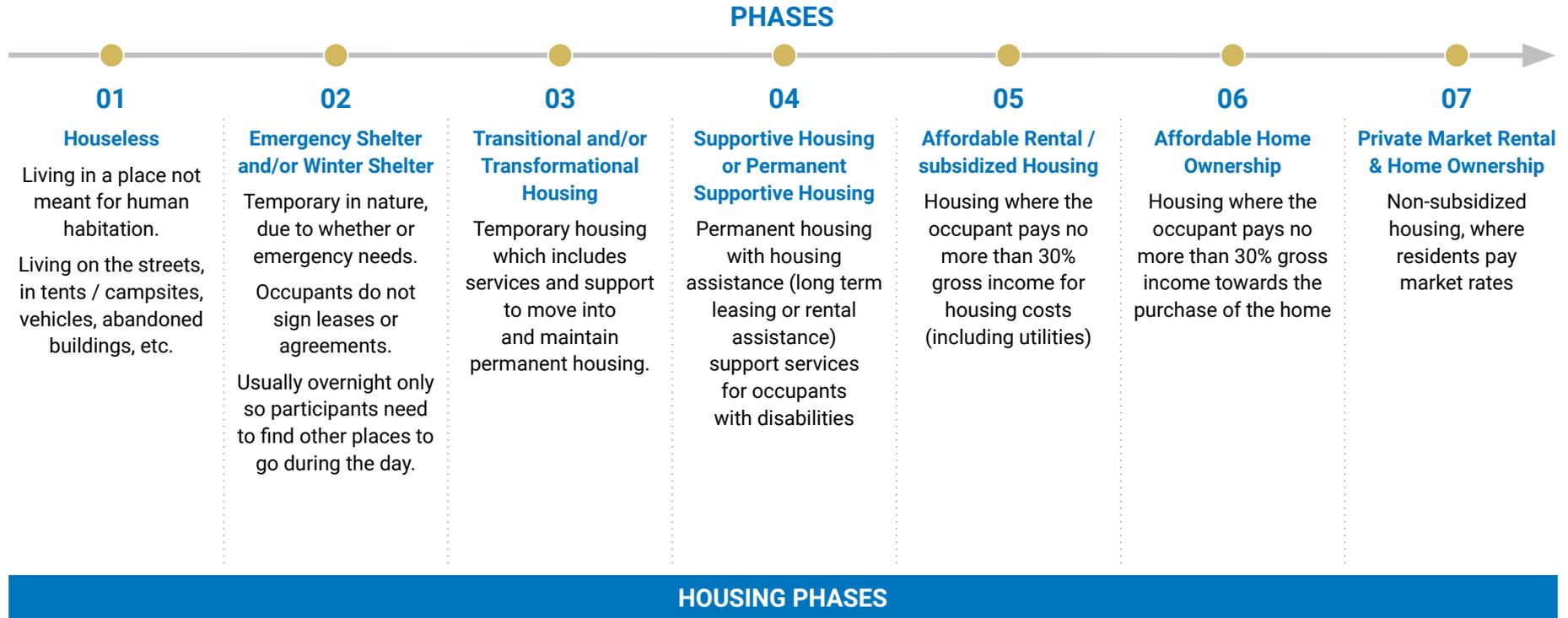
The progression of support is a 7-phase system where unhoused individuals and families will secure services and move towards housing and economic stability

Individuals or families can enter into the system at any point (any phase).



The system will aim to hold forward progress, and bring individuals back into the progression if they fall out of the system.

Applying the housing-first model gives us a basis for organizing services and economic supports



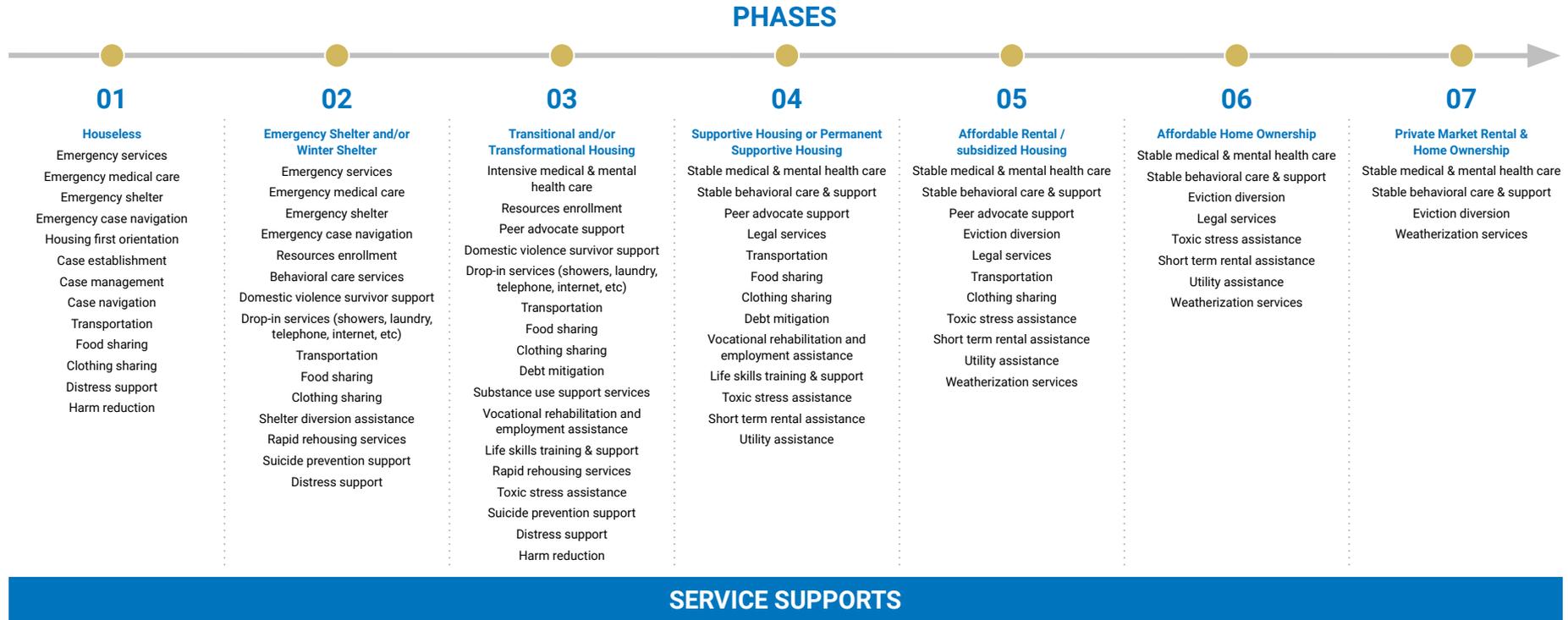
Economic supports involve discovering, managing, or creating educational-workforce opportunities to align with housing-employment needs

PHASES

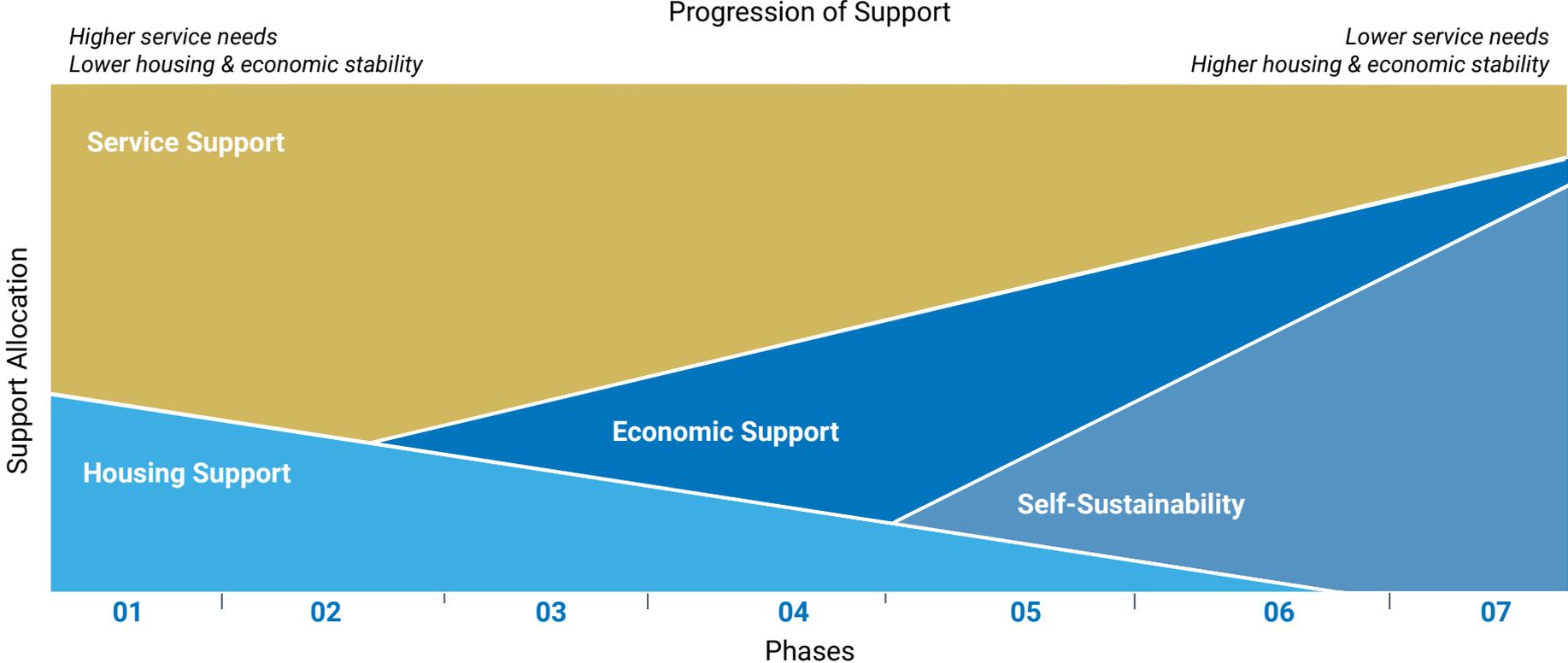


ECONOMIC SUPPORTS

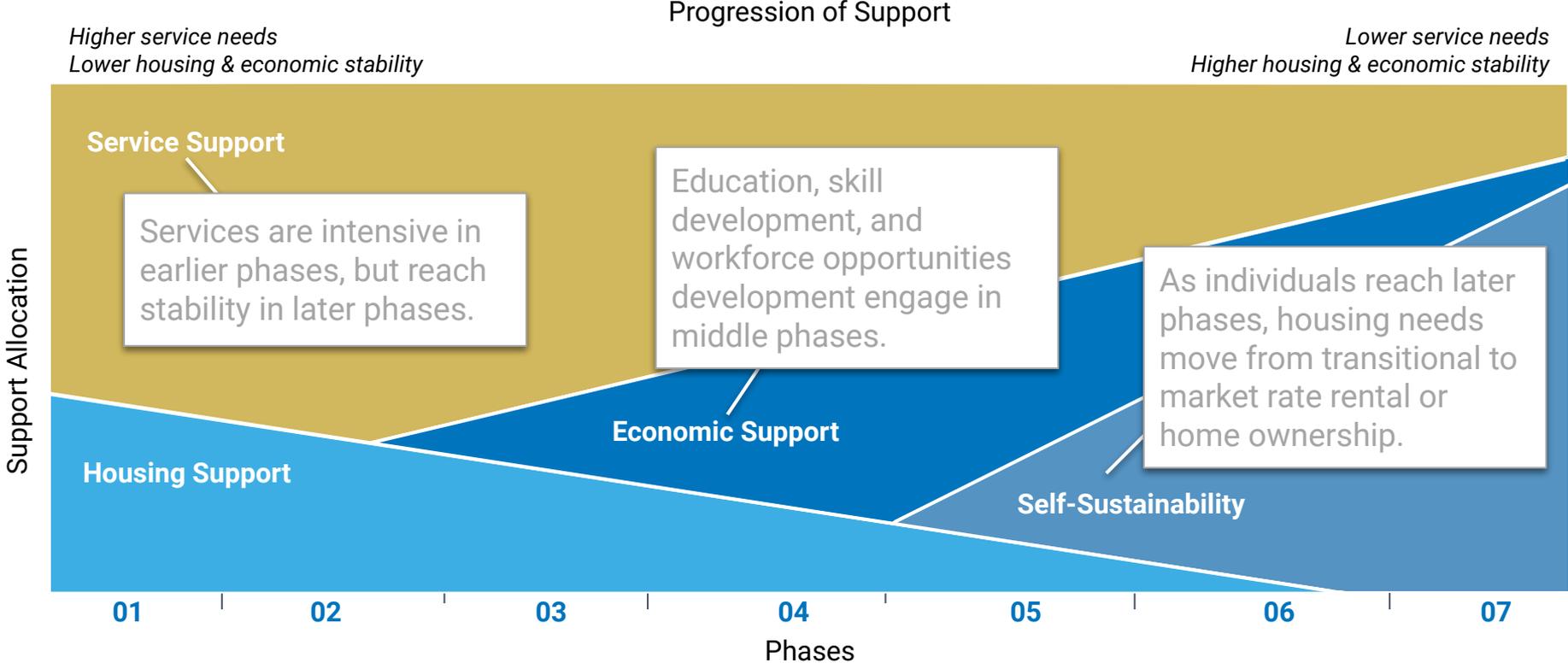
Service supports involve networking and managing resources to align with housing needs to the extent that alignment is possible. All situations are unique but generally align to phases.



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