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Abstract

In the United States, families are the fastest growing group of homeless people. This article describes America's homeless families and considers the impact of homelessness on children. It also explicates the reasons behind the explosion in the number of homeless families, discussing inadequate family incomes and dwindling affordable housing. Recommendations are presented for addressing family homelessness.



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