



Homelessness: McKinney ACT Programs Provide Assistance But Are Not Designed to Be the Solution: Rced-94-37 (Paperback)

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Bibliogov, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Pursuant to a congressional request, GAO reviewed the impact of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act in selected cities, focusing on: (1) how the act has affected the cities efforts to assist the homeless; and (2) the problems the cities have experienced with McKinney Act programs. GAO found that: (1) McKinney Act programs are an important source of funds for improving emergency services to the homeless, developing long-term housing options, assisting mentally ill and substance-abusing homeless persons, providing limited education and employment training, and leveraging funds from other sources; (2) McKinney Act programs foster cooperation and coordination among local service providers; (3) Congress has authorized funding renewal for housing projects to sustain the delivery of effective services; (4) local providers find the programs duplicative application and reporting requirements burdensome; (5) officials do not agree on how to consolidate McKinney Act programs; (6) federal agencies do not plan to disseminate information on McKinney Act program evaluations or incorporate successful service strategies into their mainstream assistance programs; (7) although McKinney Act programs are important to supporting future efforts, they...

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