

Rough Sleeping Snapshot Estimates

Selecting your approach

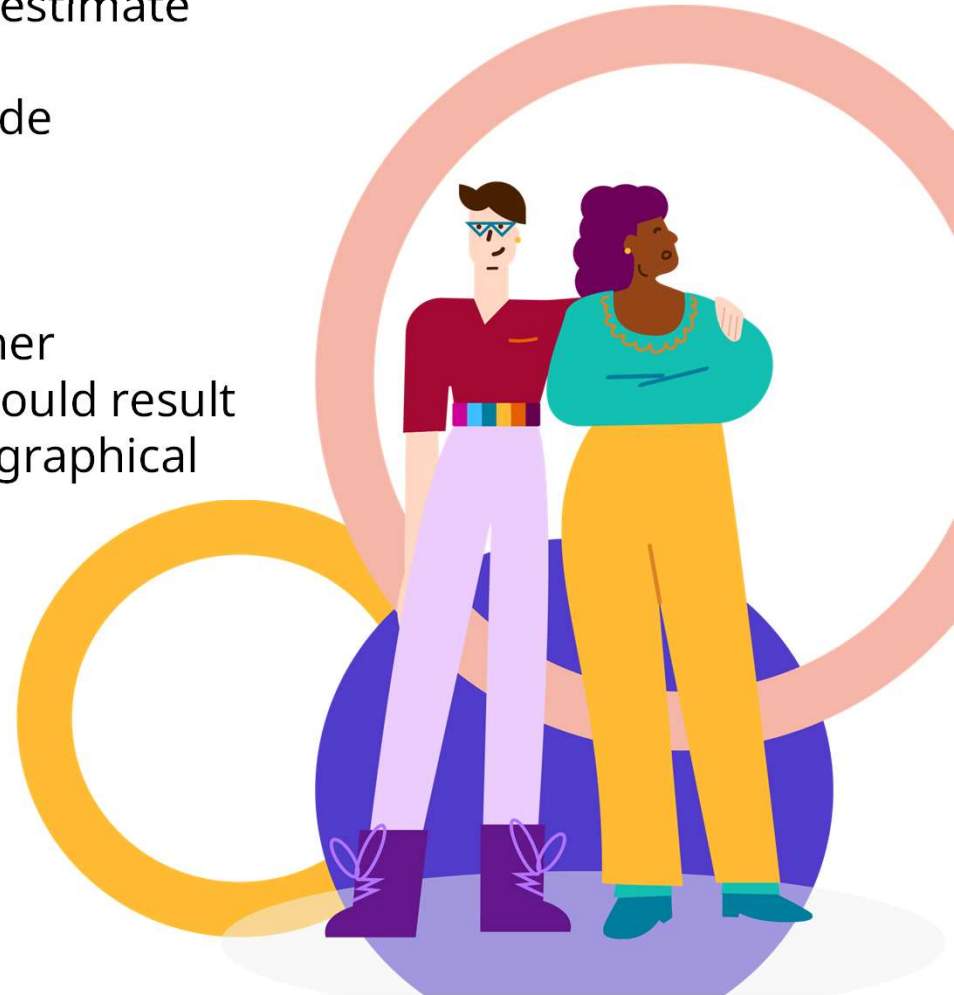
There are THREE different approaches you can take to complete your annual rough sleeping snapshot estimate

The three approaches are set out on the next slide

Please choose ONE approach to follow

We strongly recommend liaising with local partner agencies to agree the approach and date that would result in the most accurate estimate based on the geographical context of your area

In your response, please state why you feel the method you have chosen is the best for your Local Authority



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1. Count-based estimate: This is a full physical count of the area, after midnight on the chosen 'typical' night



2. Evidence-based estimate: Following the chosen 'typical' night, you hold an estimate meeting with partner agencies to agree an intelligence-led estimated total number of people who slept rough on that 'typical' night



3. Evidence-based estimate, including a spotlight count: After midnight on your chosen 'typical' night, you carry out a smaller physical count of only hotspot areas. Following the 'typical' night, you then hold an estimate meeting (as described above) discussing those not seen during the hotspot count.

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