

Literature on poverty and homelessness and action to tackle it, including social enterprise, day centres and food provision

Some references for students and researchers

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POVERTY

Useful Links: <https://fullfact.org/economy/poverty-uk-guide-facts-and-figures/>

<http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/politicsandpolicy/how-poor-is-poor-the-many-dimensions-of-poverty-in-the-uk/>

<https://www.equalitytrust.org.uk/about-inequality>

<https://www.jrf.org.uk/our-work/what-is-poverty>

Why tackling poverty is essential for the whole of society:

<https://www.equalitytrust.org.uk/resources/the-spirit-level>

Solutions: <https://www.jrf.org.uk/report/we-can-solve-poverty-uk>

https://www.economicshelp.org/macroeconomics/inequality/policies_reduce_poverty/

<https://adc.bmj.com/content/101/8/759>

https://www.rtpi.org.uk/media/1811222/poverty_place_and_inequality.pdf

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Social work and poverty:

Cummins I - Poverty, inequality and social work 2018

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Housing and poverty: <https://www4.shu.ac.uk/research/cresr/sites/shu.ac.uk/files/tackling-poverty-housing-planning-city-regions.pdf>

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Poverty and mental health:

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In-work poverty:

[https://www.nuffieldfoundation.org/sites/default/files/files/Hick%20and%20Lanau%20 %20In-Work%20Poverty%20in%20the%20UK.pdf](https://www.nuffieldfoundation.org/sites/default/files/files/Hick%20and%20Lanau%20%20In-Work%20Poverty%20in%20the%20UK.pdf)

HOMELESSNESS

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Housing first

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FOOD POVERTY

Food poverty and food provision

The limitations of the existing model of food banks have been clearly identified:

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<https://www.london.gov.uk/press-releases/mayoral/new-social-supermarkets-to-cut-food-poverty>

An alternative model of the Social Supermarket:

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/finance/newsbysector/retailandconsumer/11956452/Bargain-Brand-Food-Outlet-Social-supermarket-for-25p-tackles-food-crisis.html>

Food poverty is a growing problem nationally as numerous reports show:

<http://foodfoundation.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/05/FoodInsecurityBriefing-May-2016-FINAL.pdf>

The problem with levels of food waste is also well documented: there is a new food waste inquiry being launched: <http://www.keithtaylormep.org.uk/2016/07/12/keith-taylor-mep-welcomes-inquiry-into-food-waste/>

The idea of a social supermarket has been trialled in the EU (and in some locations in the UK) and is subject to an EU funded study (<http://socialsupermarkets.org/about-2/>), with the first publications being:

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