Housing Pathway – People Leaving the Armed Forces

During service – notification of date of leave

Ministry of Defence Joint Service Housing Advice Office (JSHAO) to provide tailored advice and support

56 days before discharge

JSHAO to make a Duty to Refer Referral to SCH Housing Options or St Basils Solihull Youth Hub

JSHAO initiatives/schemes

Finding housing solutions through JSHAO initiatives and schemes:

Single Persons Accommodation Centre for the Ex-Services (SPACES)

Civilian housing briefs

MOD Referral Scheme

Affordable Home Ownership Schemes

Housing Matters Magazine

Haig Housing & Help for Heroes

Referrals to local agencies to assist in resettlement:

Medical, health & wellbeing

Housing

Employment & Education

Financial and budgetary

Housing Options Assessment

Applicant to provide proof of eligibility and proof of impending discharge from the armed forces

A **Full Housing Assessment** will be completed to determine:

- The circumstances causing homelessness or threat of homelessness
- The applicant's housing need
- Whether any support is required

A **Personal Housing Plan** will be completed to identify appropriate actions to prevent or relieve the applicant's homelessness

Home Ownership

Forces Help to Buy scheme
Shared Ownership
Equity Loans

Social Housing

Applying for housing association properties through Solihull Home Choice

Privately Renting

Supported by JSHAO & SCH Solihome

Returning to Friends and Family

Provision of mediation services