



# **National Strategy for Social Inclusion of Homeless People June 2022**

## INTRODUCTION

- **National strategy – 2017/2023**

**1<sup>st</sup> attempt in 2009 (2009/2015)**

**National Strategy since 2017!**

- **ETHOS concept and framework**

## THE CONCEPT OF HOMELESS PEOPLE

“Anyone who, regardless of nationality, racial or ethnic origin, age, gender, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status and physical and mental health condition, is:

- living in a public space, emergency shelter or in a precarious location; roofless
- in temporary accommodation (individual or collective).
- ETHOS concept and framework (light)

## OUR VISION

*No one on the street more than 24h  
for lack of alternatives.*

## OUR MAIN PRINCIPLES/PHILOSOPHY

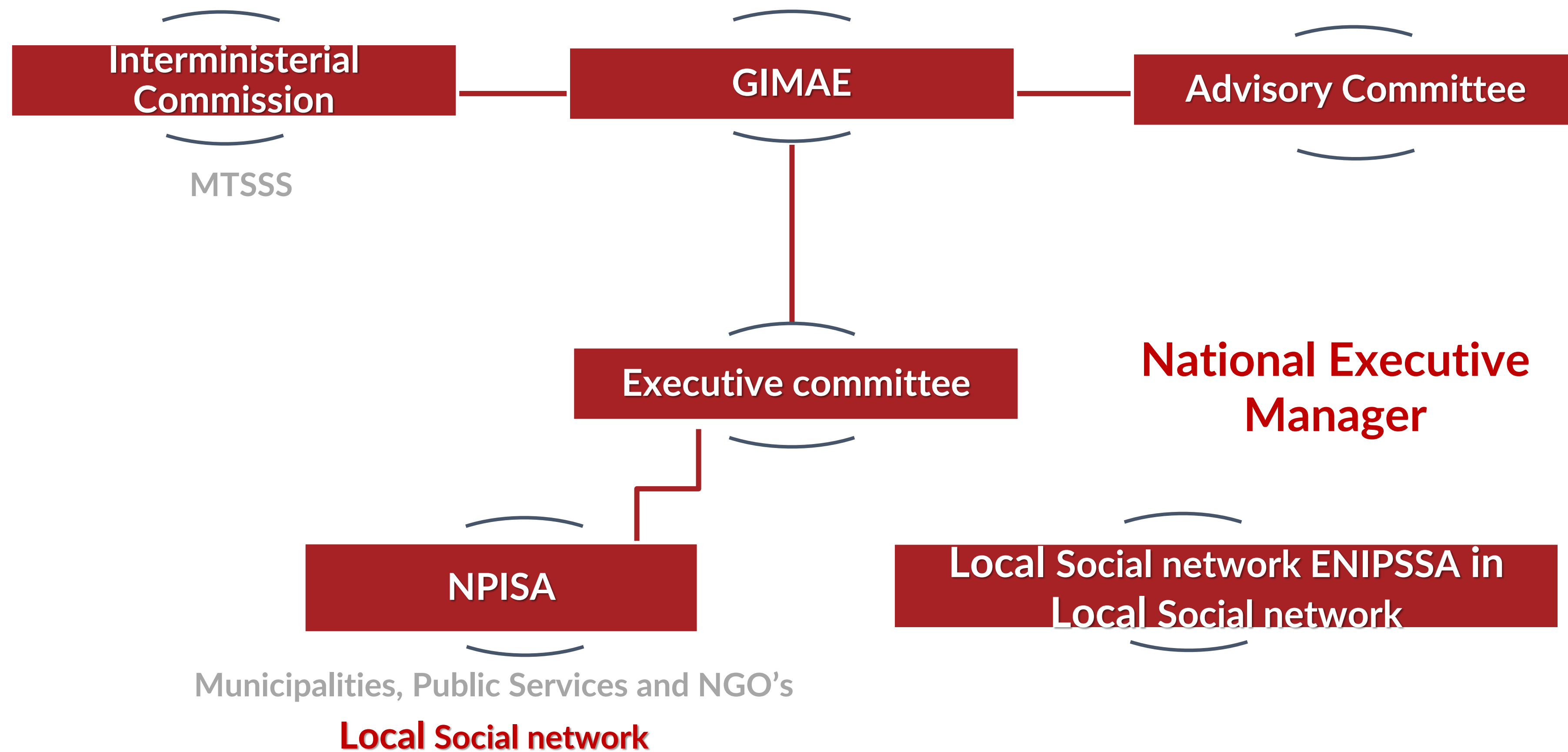
- **Human rights and human dignity**
- **Equality and non-discrimination**
- **Person centered approach**
- **Homelessness as a social complex problem**



## OUR PHILOSOPHY

- Person centered approach
- Integral & integrated intervention
- Homelessness as a social complex problem
- Case manager / individual plan
- Flexibility and innovation

## GOVERNANCE MODEL / MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK



## More than 35 Public and NGO organisations

### Social Security services

Instituto da Segurança Social, I.P. - **ISS, IP**

Administração Central do Sistema de Saúde, I.P. - **ACSS, IP**

Administrações Regionais de Saúde, IP - **ARS, IP**

Águas de Portugal

Alto Comissariado para as Migrações - **ACM**

Associação Nacional de Freguesias - **ANAFRE**

### Housing services

### Health services

Direção-Geral da Saúde - **DGS**

Direção-Geral da Segurança Social - **DGSS**

Direção-Geral das Autarquias Locais - **DGAL**

Comissão para a Cidadania e Igualdade de Género - **CIG**

Comissão Nacional de Combate ao Desperdício Alimentar - **CNCDA**

Associação Nacional de Municípios Portugueses - **ANMP**

Direção-Geral da Educação - **DGE**

Direção Geral de Política do Mar - **DGPM**

Direção-Geral de Recursos da Defesa Nacional - **DGRDN**

Direção-Geral de Reinserção e Serviços Prisionais - **DGRSP**

Escola Nacional de Saúde Pública - **ENSP**

Guarda Nacional Republicana - **GNR**

Santa Casa da Misericórdia de Lisboa - **SCML**

Polícia de Segurança Pública - **PSP**

Laboratório Nacional de Engenharia Civil - **LNEC**

Instituto Nacional de Estatística - **INE, IP**

Instituto do Emprego e Formação Profissional - **IEFP, IP**

Instituto da Habitação e da Reabilitação Urbana - **IHRU, I.P.**

### Migration services

Serviço de Intervenção nos Comportamentos Aditivos e nas Dependências - **SICAD**

Centro de Estudos para a Intervenção Social - **CESIS**

Confederação Nacional de Instituições de Solidariedade - **CNIS**

Rede Europeia Anti Pobreza - **EAPN Portugal**

Federação Nacional de Entidades de Reabilitação de Doentes Mentais - **FNERDM**

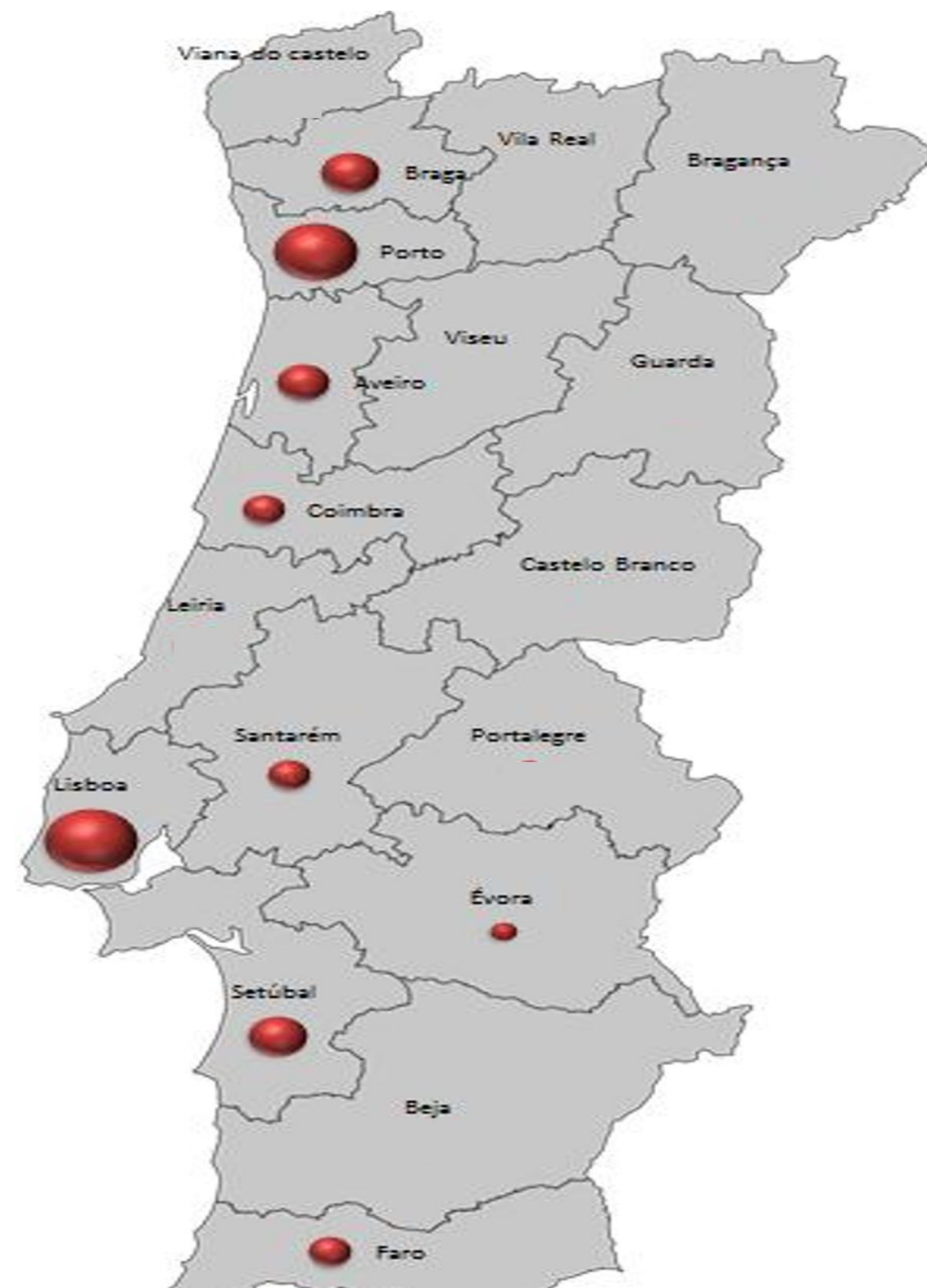
União das Misericórdias Portuguesas - **UMP**

### Justice services

### Police services



## NPISA local social network



- Braga e Viana do Castelo
- Porto, Matosinhos, VN Gaia
- Aveiro, Espinho, S. João Madeira
- Coimbra, Figueira da Foz, Leiria
- Santarém
- Lisboa, Almada, Amadora, Cascais, Loures  
Oeiras e Odivelas
- Évora
- Setúbal, Almada, Barreiro, Seixal
- Faro, Albufeira, Lagos, Loulé, Portimão,  
Tavira, VRS António

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## GOVERNANCE MODEL / MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK

- **CURRENT SITUATION**

32 Local Social Network (278 municipalities)

- **MAIN DIFFICULTY**

to understand and implement **the concept**  
to coordinate different services

- **CHALLENGES**

to change the paradigm to a **person and housing centered approach**  
to implement an integrated governance model

- **SUCCESS** - increasing awareness / growth of local networks

## DIAGNOSTIC CHALLENGE

- **CURRENT SITUATION**

annual survey (278 municipalities, +95% answer rate)

- **MAIN DIFICULTY**

non digital system

to understand the concept

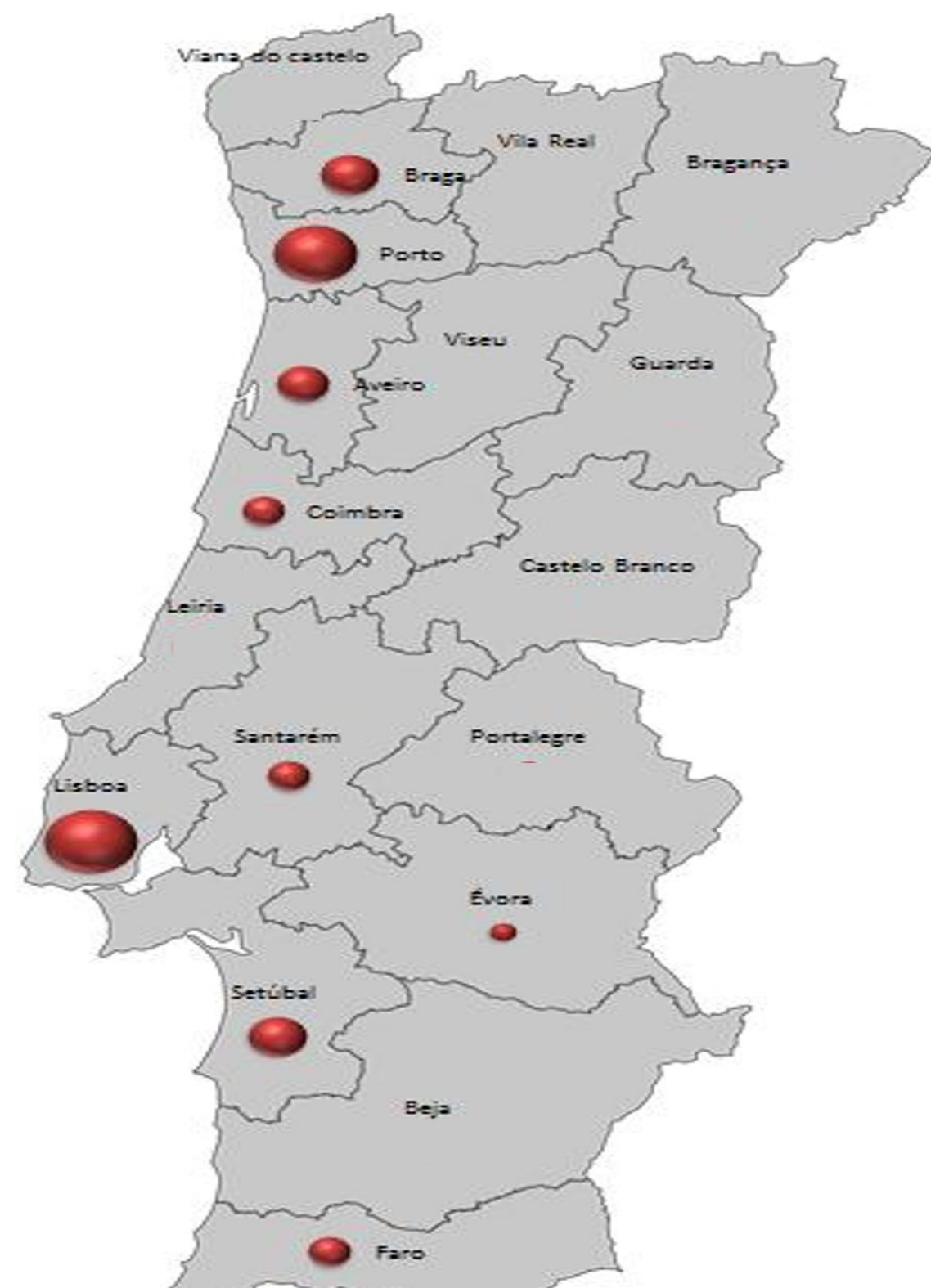
- **CHALLENGES**

to implement a **digital information system** (waiting authorization National data protection authority)

- **SUCCESS** - 3 Annual national reports



## Some data



2020

- 8.209 People
  - 3.420 roofless
  - 4.789 without home
- Almost 79% are men
- 480 people gained autonomy

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## MAIN DIMENSIONS

### P H P

#### ■ PREVENTING

- Define key-indicators
- Take action to prevent

#### ■ HOUSING

- Housing first
- Housing led

#### ■ PROMOTING

- Autonomy
- Self-determination

**BNAUT – Housing Ministry and Labour and Social Security Ministry - Places and investment  
Housing support strategy – housing first and share apartments**

## PREVENTING

- **CURRENT SITUATION**

4 pilot projects to define a framework and key-indicators

- **MAIN DIFICULTY**

to implement a prevention culture

- **CHALLENGES**

to implement cross-ministerial project - **National emergency housing program** (Recovery & Resilience Facility – 176M€/2.400 places)

- **SUCCESS** - (not yet)

- Young people in the social protection system
- Evictions
- Health services discharges

## INTERVENTION / HOUSING

- **CURRENT SITUATION**

Case manager (goal 100%)  
housing led strategy (+1000 places financed)  
training program (General + case management)

**534 Housing First**  
**472 Share Apartments**

- **MAIN DIFFICULTY**

to change the paradigm to a person and housing centered approach  
**insufficient supply of social housing stock or housing assistance**  
to implement an integral and integrated intervention model

- **CHALLENGES**

to implement more housing solutions / Insertion communities (R&RF)

- **SUCCESS** - 480 people (2020)



# OUR INTERVENTION MODEL

PREVENTION

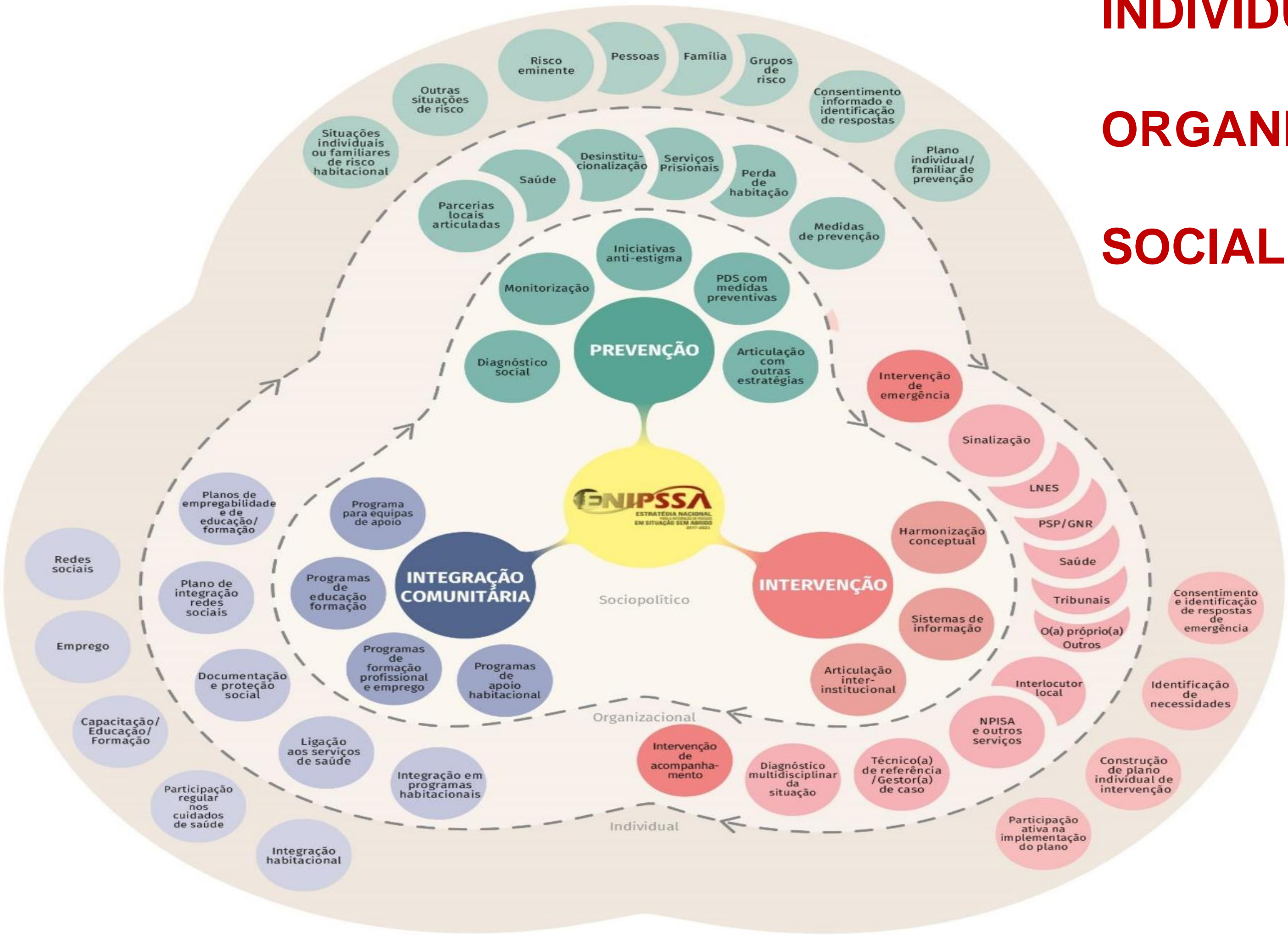
INTERVENTION

SOCIAL INTEGRATION

INDIVIDUAL

ORGANIZATIONAL

SOCIAL INTEGRATION





## Main challenges

- To consolidate a **person-centred and integrated approach**, that combines **prevention**, access to **permanent housing** and the provision of enabling **support services**.
- To Increase a sufficient level of **affordable and secure housing** – different model to different profiles.
- To implement a **digital information system** (waiting authorization National data protection authority).
- To Develop an **Evaluation system**.
- To make an **External evaluation (2023)**.

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**Thank you  
for your attention**