



<b>Consultation Overview</b>	
Name of Consultation exercise	Housing Allocation Policy Update
Description including purpose of the consultation	We will contact all homeless applicants who are waiting for permanent housing in order to seek their views on possible improvements to the housing allocation policy.
What are the dates of the consultation?	End August to October 2007
Who is being consulted?	Homeless applicants, members, housing association staff, North Hertfordshire Homes & the Housing & Environmental Health Portfolio Holder.
What areas are being consulted?	All people currently in hostel accommodation across the North Hertfordshire District.
When will the results of the consultation be available?	Early October 2007
Contact for the consultation exercise	Ashley Hawkins , Consultation Officer, 01462 474520.
Link to Strategic Objectives / Corporate Plan	Safer Communities – reduction in average length of stay in Hostels for families.

