In 2026, the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty calls for "Safe Homes for All" and calls for action in three key areas:

" Make safe housing a human-rights priority: Respect, protect and progressively fulfil the right to adequate housing, and give a dignified standard of living the appropriate priority in public policy and budgeting.

Design policies with people experiencing poverty: Move beyond token consultation and involve people experiencing poverty and housing exclusion directly in the design, implementation and evaluation of housing policies, recognizing them as rights- and knowledge-holders.

Mobilize resources for safe homes for all: Strengthen public financing and other resources needed to expand access to safe, accessible and affordable housing while ensuring that no one is left behind."

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READ UN's full 2026 IDEP page: https://www.un.org/en/observances/day-for-eradicating-poverty