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**Aviles de Bradley, A. M. (2011). Unaccompanied homeless youth: Intersections of homelessness, school experiences, and educational policy. *Child & Youth Services*, *32*(2), 155-172.**

The research herein confirms the role of the education system in helping to address youth homelessness. It is especially important in the analysis as it provides a basis for teacher involvement as stakeholders in helping address the issue. I found it from conducting a search on interventions to the issue on Google Scholar.

**Bellware, K., & Brice-Saddler, M. (2019, October 17). Chicago teachers say they will go on strike: They are demanding affordable housing for students. *The Washington Post.* Retrieved from** [**https://www.washingtonpost.com/education/2019/10/16/chicago-teachers-strike-demands-include-push-affordable-housing-help-homeless-students/**](https://www.washingtonpost.com/education/2019/10/16/chicago-teachers-strike-demands-include-push-affordable-housing-help-homeless-students/)

The choice of this article is based on its provision of information related to stakeholder opinions on homelessness among the youth in Chicago. Its focus on the issue from teachers’ perspectives makes it especially an interesting source of information. I found it from a search on the Google search engine and determined it to be effective in ensuring the availability of divergent views in the analysis of homelessness in Chicago.

**Castro, A. L., Gustafson, E. L., Ford, A. E., Edidin, J. P., Smith, D. L., Hunter, S. J., & Karnik, N. S. (2014). Psychiatric disorders, high-risk behaviors, and chronicity of episodes among predominantly African American homeless Chicago youth. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, *25*(3), 1201-1216.**

Castro et al. (2014) evaluate some of the consequences of homelessness on the youth in Chicago.I found the source to be an appropriate source of information on experiences by homeless youth, following an evaluation of the research objectives after finding the article through Google Scholar. It will assist in the analysis by providing scholarly information on homeless experiences.

**Jackson, E. (2015). *Young homeless people and urban space: Fixed mobility.* New York, NY: Routledge.**

The book herein explores different issues related to the urban social structure that influences and facilitates homelessness. In particular, I got the book from a friend’s recommendation and hope to use it as a basis for the development of insight into the homeless issue in Chicago.

**Johnson, G., & Chamberlain, C. (2008). From youth to adult homelessness. *Australian Journal of Social Issues*, *43*(4), 563-582.**

The study, in this case, analyzes the implications of homelessness on the affected generation. It will especially aid in the analysis by providing information related to theories on what happens to young people who grow up homeless. I found an article from the Google Scholar database.

**Morton, M. H., Dworsky, A., Matjasko, J. L., Curry, S. R., Schlueter, D., Chávez, R., & Farrell, A. F. (2018). Prevalence and correlates of youth homelessness in the United States. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, *62*(1), 14-21.**

The research study herein delved into research on homelessness, determining that 3% of the homes surveyed to have included a young person running from home or being asked to leave. Consequently, the study forms a pivotal source of information on issues leading to such events.

**Perlman, S., Willard, J., Herbers, J. E., Cutuli, J. J., & Eyrich Garg, K. M. (2014). Youth homelessness: Prevalence and mental health correlate. *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research*, *5*(3), 361-377.**

The article helps relate homelessness to other welfare issues affecting the youth. Having sourced the article from the Google Scholar database, I found it to be an ideal source of current information related to statistics on homelessness. It particularly addresses the prevalence of mental health issues among homeless youth.

**Quimby, E. G., Edidin, J. P., Ganim, Z., Gustafson, E., Hunter, S. J., & Karnik, N. S. (2012). Psychiatric disorders and substance use in homeless youth: A preliminary comparison of San Francisco and Chicago. *Behavioral Sciences*, *2*(3), 186-194.**

The research herein helps address the relationship between homelessness and mental stability among young people. Its focus on Chicago makes it an especially important source of information in the analysis herein due to the relevance of the data used in the research. I will use it as a source of information on the relationship between health and homelessness among youth in Chicago.

**Rahman, M. A., Turner, J. F., & Elbedour, S. (2015, October). The US homeless student population: Homeless youth education, review of research classifications and typologies, and the US federal legislative response. *Child & Youth Care Forum, 44*(5), 687-709.**

The study evaluates the prevalence and success of programs directed at addressing homeless issues among the youth. Its findings that such programs have been as successful as the level of attention paid to actual institutional issues experienced by the young people make it an especially important source of information on the research.

**Stevens, A. (2019, September 30). Federal Government Must Address Youth Homelessness As a Public Health Problem: Chapin Hall. Retrieved from** [**https://youthtoday.org/2019/10/federal-government-must-address-youth-homelessness-as-public-health-problem-chapin-hall/**](https://youthtoday.org/2019/10/federal-government-must-address-youth-homelessness-as-public-health-problem-chapin-hall/)

The news article herein provides information related to research into the prevalence and solutions that could potentially end homelessness among the youth. Its importance in the analysis herein lies in the confirmation of homelessness not only being a social problem but a health issue as well. I found the source from conducting a Google search on policies to address homelessness.