

Poverty

What we are doing
now and what we will
need to do.

What are we facing

- The most recent poverty statistics are from 2018-2019.
- We look at relative low income, AFTER, housing costs are taken out.
- Incomes are falling faster at the bottom
- Particularly for single parents
- Or for families with a disabled person
- It costs more to be poor

What we are facing 2018-2019

- Families with children – **22- 30 in 100 families**
- Families with a disabled person- **26 in 100 families**
- Black families- **42 in 100**
- Pakistani families- **46 in 100**
- Bangladeshi families- **53 in 100**

Destitution

- 2.1m are now in destitution
- Of those 500K are children

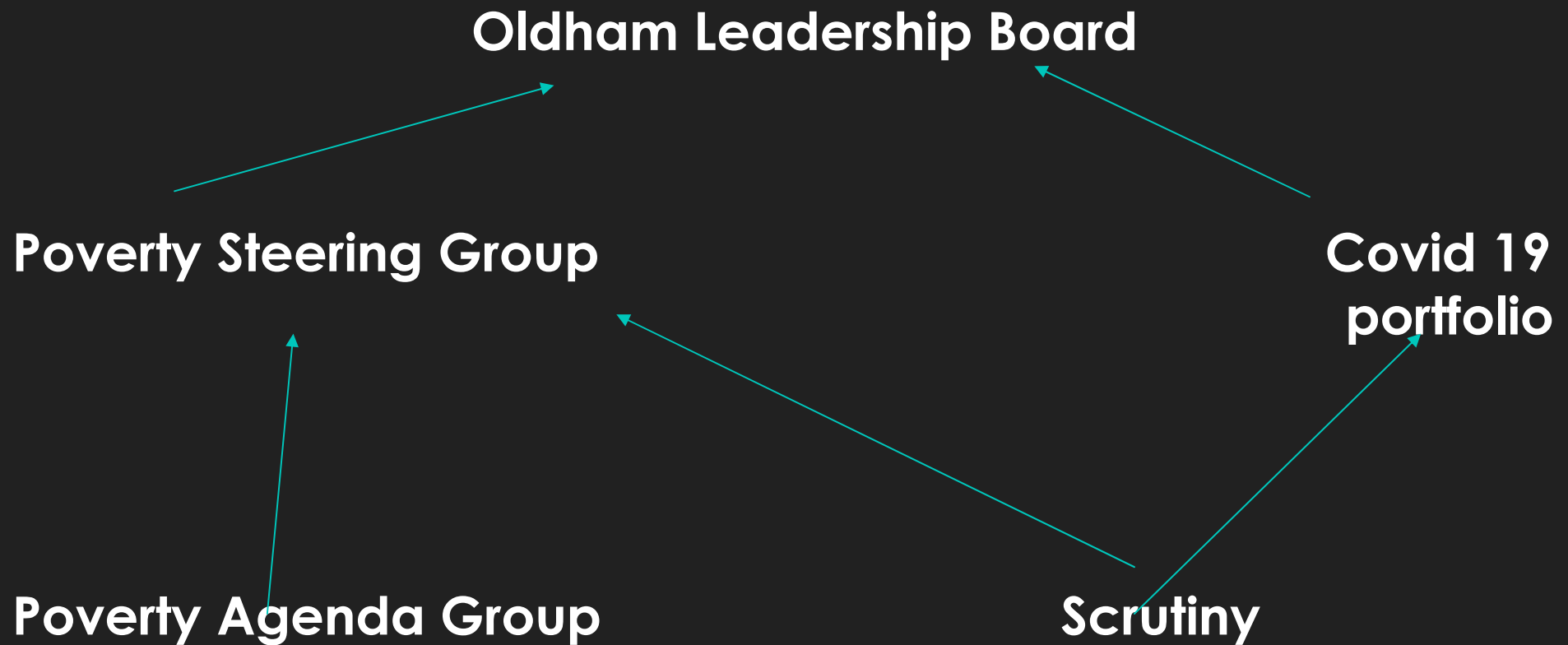
**What next-
the Cliff Edge**

30th April

Finish of Furlough

End of £20 uplift.

Poverty Governance and Structures



Line of sight

Fully
Independent^e

Crisis



Looking forward to the future

Improving confidence
Developing Skills

Access To employment

Confidence being built

Stabilising Health
and Home

Aims

- Maximising money in resident's pockets.
- Provide wrap around support.
- Aim to increase resident's confidence to "move up the ladder", a person centred approach.
- Ensure services do not disadvantage or further marginalise those on low incomes (poverty-proofing/socio-economic duty)

Suggested Actions

Put together an Economic Strategy.

Look at routes out of poverty through Education.

Look at routes out of poverty through Employment.

Look at Council departments- poverty proofing

Poverty Truth Commission- need a culture of change.

Set up a support package.

Set up a front door for residents.

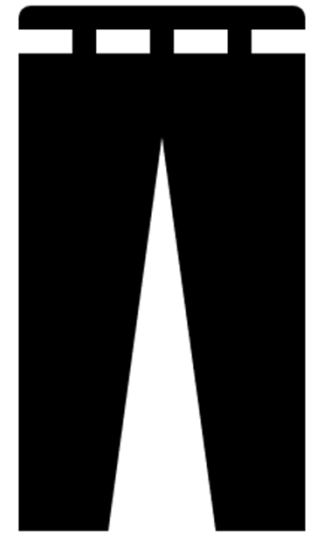
Improve our data collection.

Other actions

- Mapping of groups and charities.
- Strategic organisation, partnership working and place based working.
- Funding
- Local Welfare provision
- Policies - Oldham Poverty Framework
- Ward data
- Look at District working, and how we work with residents and our partners.

Clothes

Reel Clothes Rack
Charity shops



Fuel and Energy



Warm Homes



Fuel Vouchers



Green Deal



Health

Poorer people die
younger

Massive social isolation

Digital Exclusion



Housing



Food
provision
for residents



Support and Finances

We have to put more money in peoples pockets.

Poor people cant save.

Money management advice is a must

Look at an open door policy for residents





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Where to get help and advice

Annual Holidays



Thanks
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THESE CHILDREN MATTER. THESE CHILDREN ARE THE FUTURE OF THIS COUNTRY. THEY ARE NOT JUST ANOTHER STATISTIC. AND FOR AS LONG AS THEY DON'T HAVE A VOICE, THEY WILL HAVE MINE.

MARCUS RASHFORD

