

Temporary Accommodation: HL3 data collection

20th February 2018

Introduction

- HL3 provides us with a better understanding of households in temporary accommodation
- Collection started as voluntary but became mandatory in April 2016
- Substantial progress on HL3 data quality has been made – we're going to talk about:
 - 1) Progress on key data challenges
 - 2) Remaining issues
 - 3) Future analysis

Progress to date

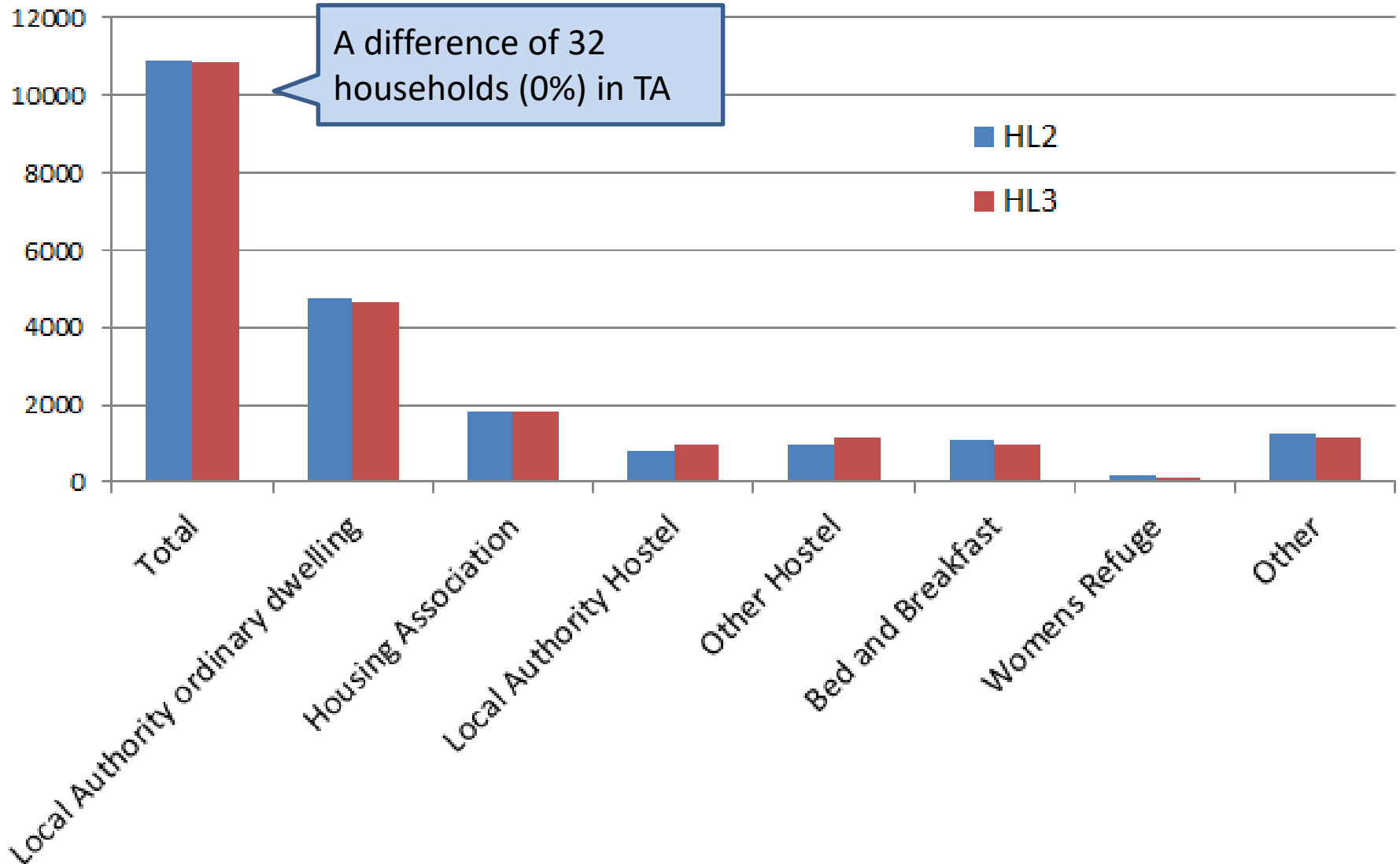
- All LA's now providing data on a quarterly basis
- Data collection is going well and quality is improving – shown next
- Had hoped to publish first data in January 2018, however, have postponed to June.

Data Quality progress: Issue 1

- A key way we have been measuring HL3 data quality: comparing the HL3 with the HL2.

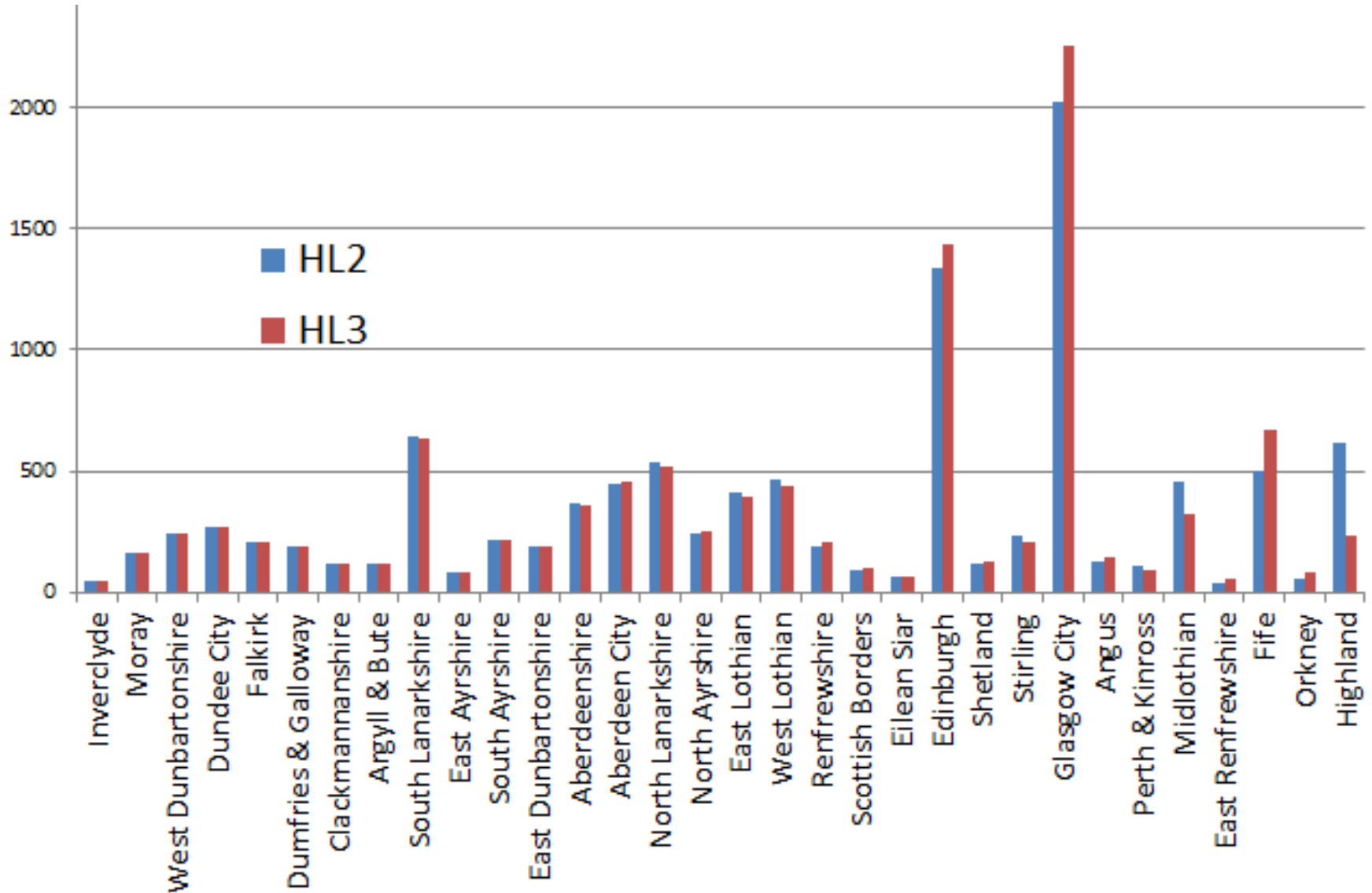
At a Scotland level:

All households in TA at 30th September 2017



Local Authority level:

All households in TA at 30th September 2017



Local authority variation

	A	B	C	D	E	F
4		HL2	HL3	Difference		
5		HL2	HL3	N	%	
6	Inverclyde	49	49	0	0%	
7	Moray	159	159	0	0%	
8	West Dunbartonshire	246	246	0	0%	
9	Dundee City	267	268	1	0%	
10	Falkirk	204	205	1	0%	
11	Dumfries & Galloway	188	187	1	1%	
12	Clackmannanshire	119	118	1	1%	
13	Argyll & Bute	116	117	1	1%	
14	South Lanarkshire	644	638	6	1%	
15	East Ayrshire	80	79	1	1%	
16	South Ayrshire	218	215	3	1%	
17	East Dunbartonshire	189	186	3	2%	
18	Aberdeenshire	366	360	6	2%	
19	Aberdeen City	445	456	11	2%	
20	North Lanarkshire	534	520	14	3%	
21	North Ayrshire	238	248	10	4%	
22	East Lothian	415	394	21	5%	
23	West Lothian	466	442	24	5%	
24	Renfrewshire	192	204	12	6%	
25	Scottish Borders	90	96	6	7%	
26	Eilean Siar	66	61	5	8%	
27	Edinburgh	1335	1440	105	8%	
28	Shetland	117	127	10	9%	
29	Stirling	235	209	26	11%	
30	Glasgow City	2023	2255	232	11%	
31	Angus	124	142	18	15%	
32	Perth & Kinross	106	89	17	16%	
33	Midlothian	458	321	137	30%	
34	East Renfrewshire	38	50	12	32%	
35	Fife	501	671	170	34%	
36	Orkney	54	82	28	52%	
37	Highland	617	233	384	62%	
38	Total (ALL)	10,899	10,867	32	0%	

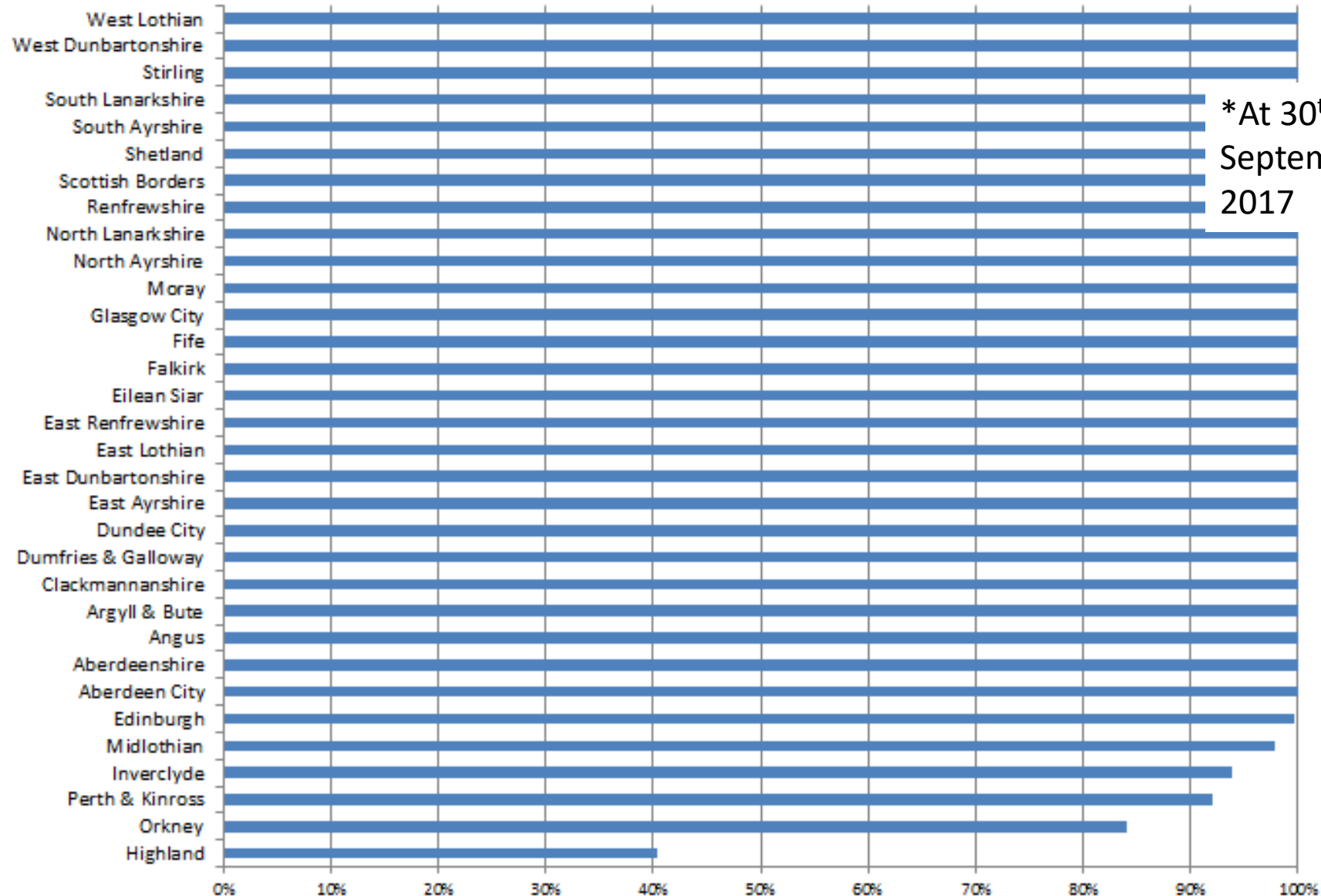
- At Scotland level 0% difference when comparing HL3 to HL2
- However between LA's it varies. Most LAs below 10% difference.
- Forgetting to close HL3 cases?? Non-reporting of some cases
- Data looking much improved compared to 6 months ago

Data Quality Progress: Issue 2

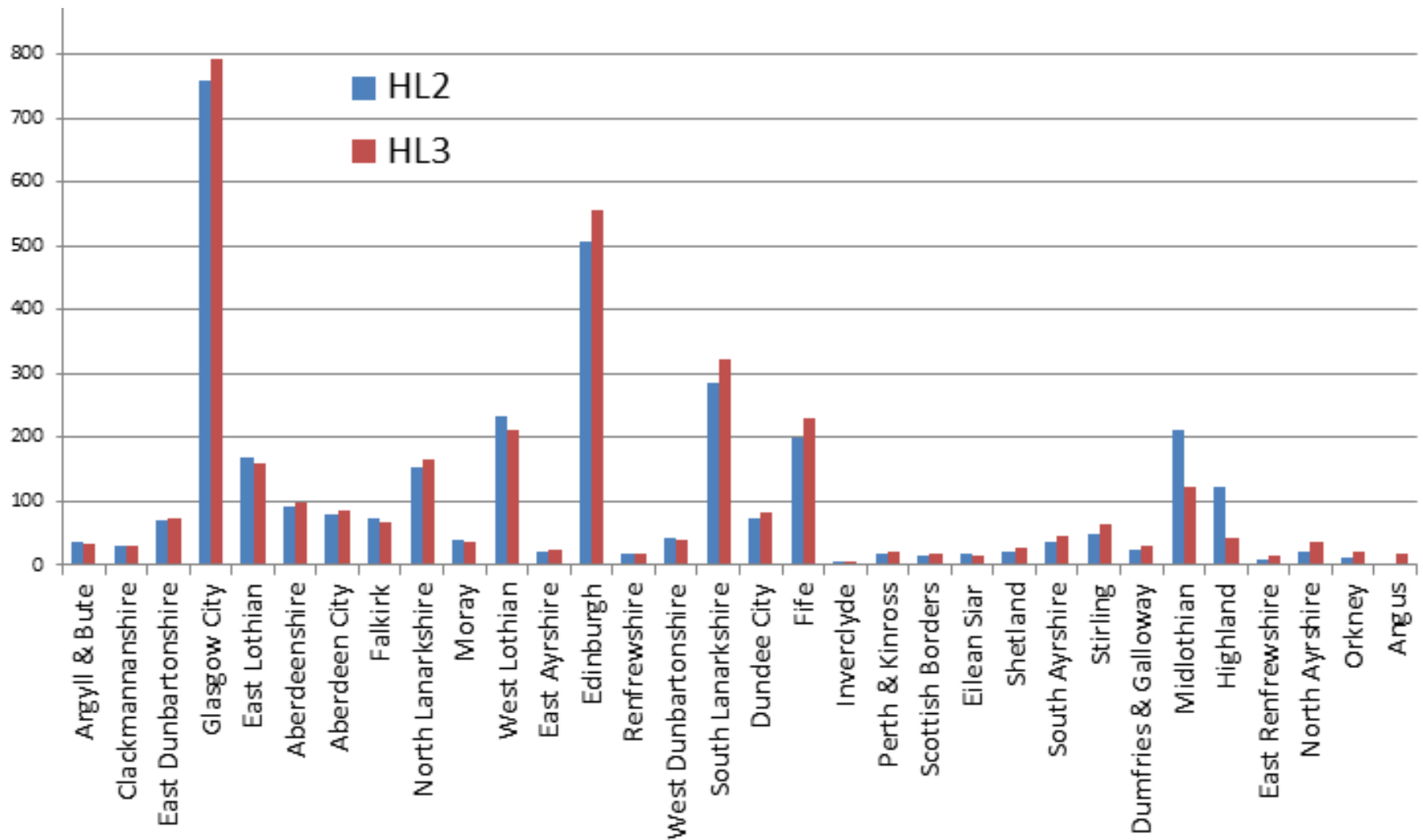
- Every HL3 record needs an HL1 to match
- This allows for household level analysis

Significant improvement: Most LAs have 100% of HL3 cases with a matching HL1 case*

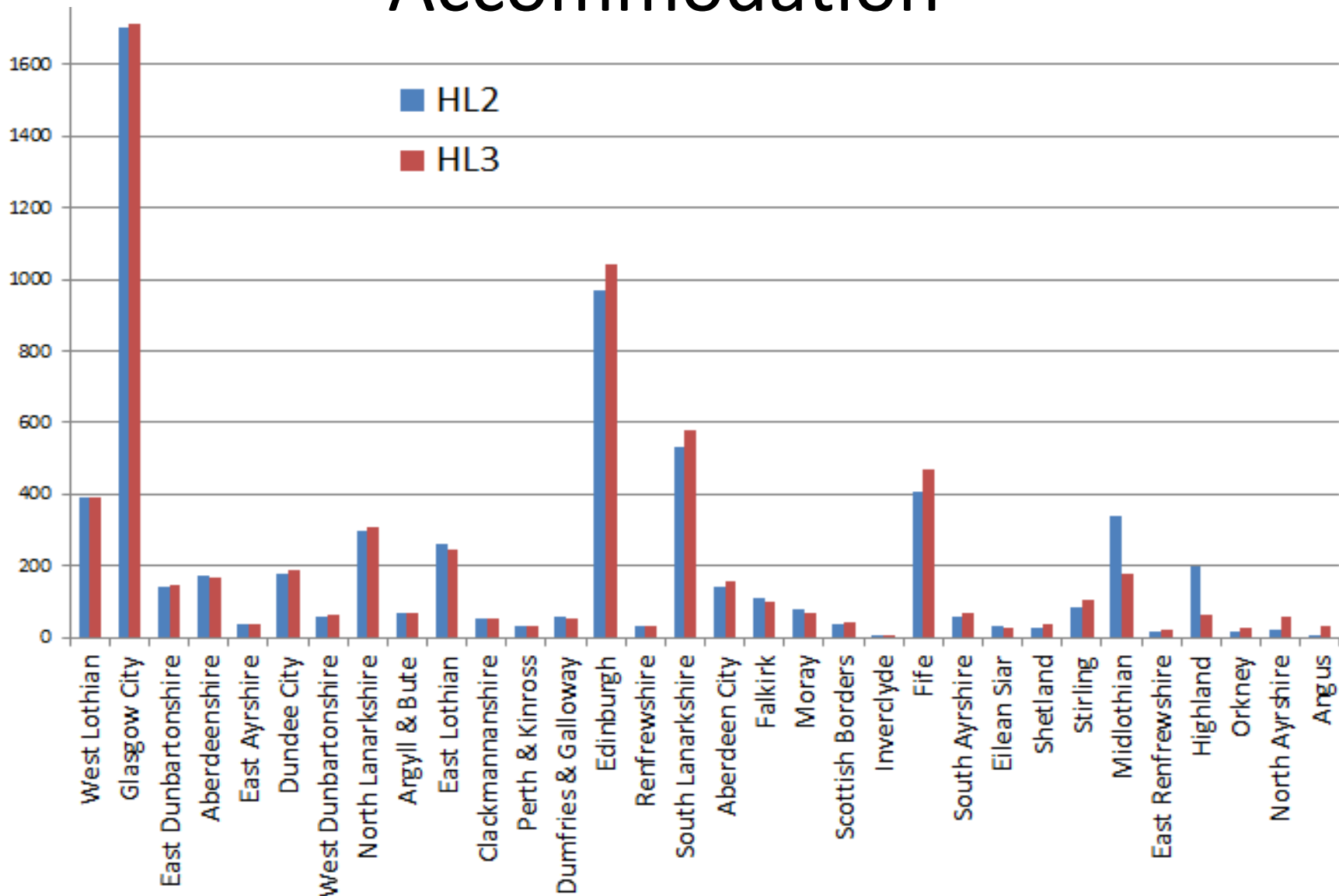
*At 30th
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Households with children or a pregnant woman



Number of children in Temporary Accommodation



KEY ISSUE

When counting households with children/ a pregnant member/ the number of children in TA

- Why differences even if each HL3 has an associated HL1?
- Over-counting – issue raised at last HSUG
- HL3 or HL2 more accurate? Or are these data collections complementary?

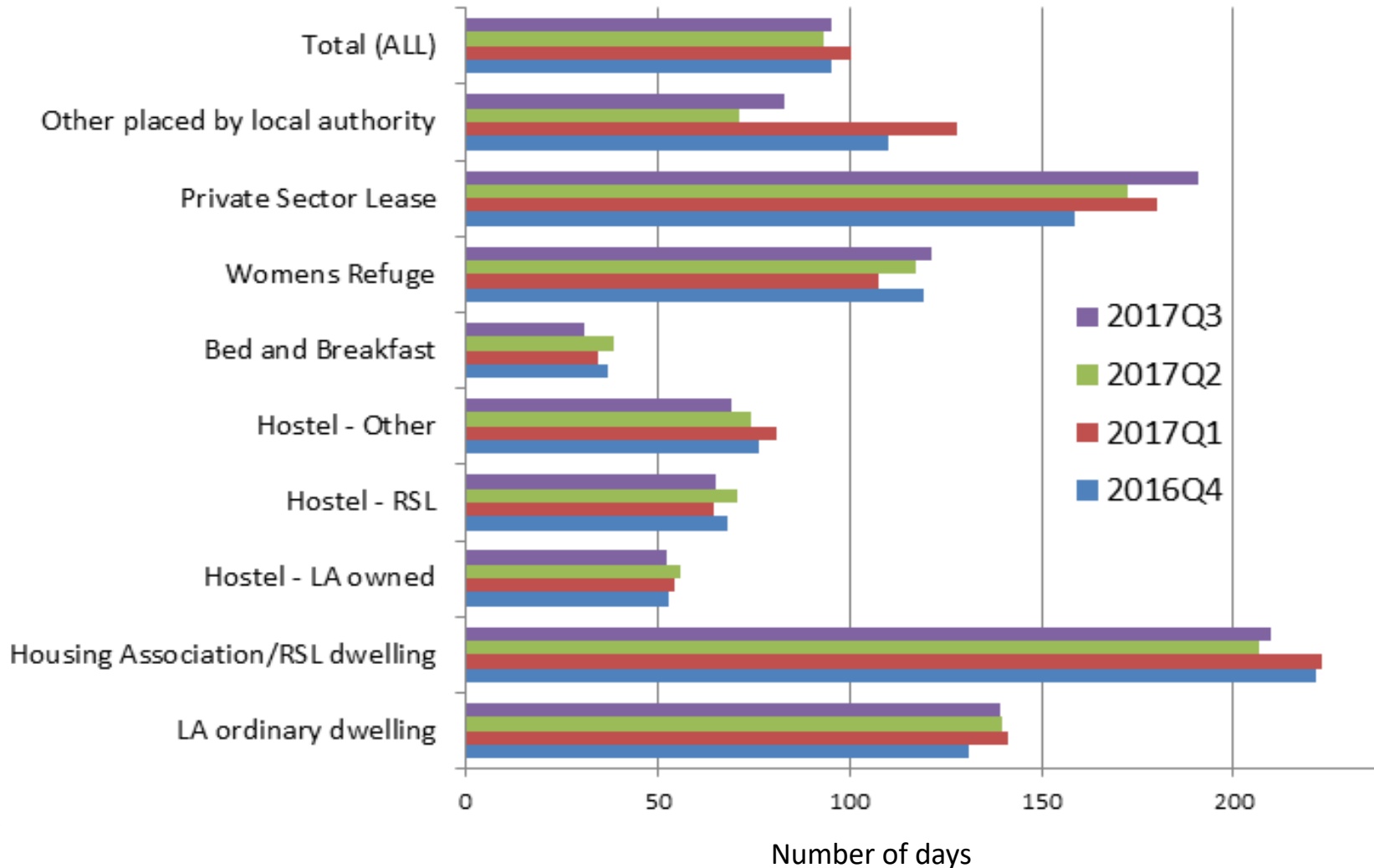
Further issue:

Unsuitable accommodation/Breach of the order

- We find out about an HL3 breach once the applicant has exited TA
- As at 30th September – differences in HL2/HL3 breaches
- HL2 and HL3 tell us different and complementary information about such households

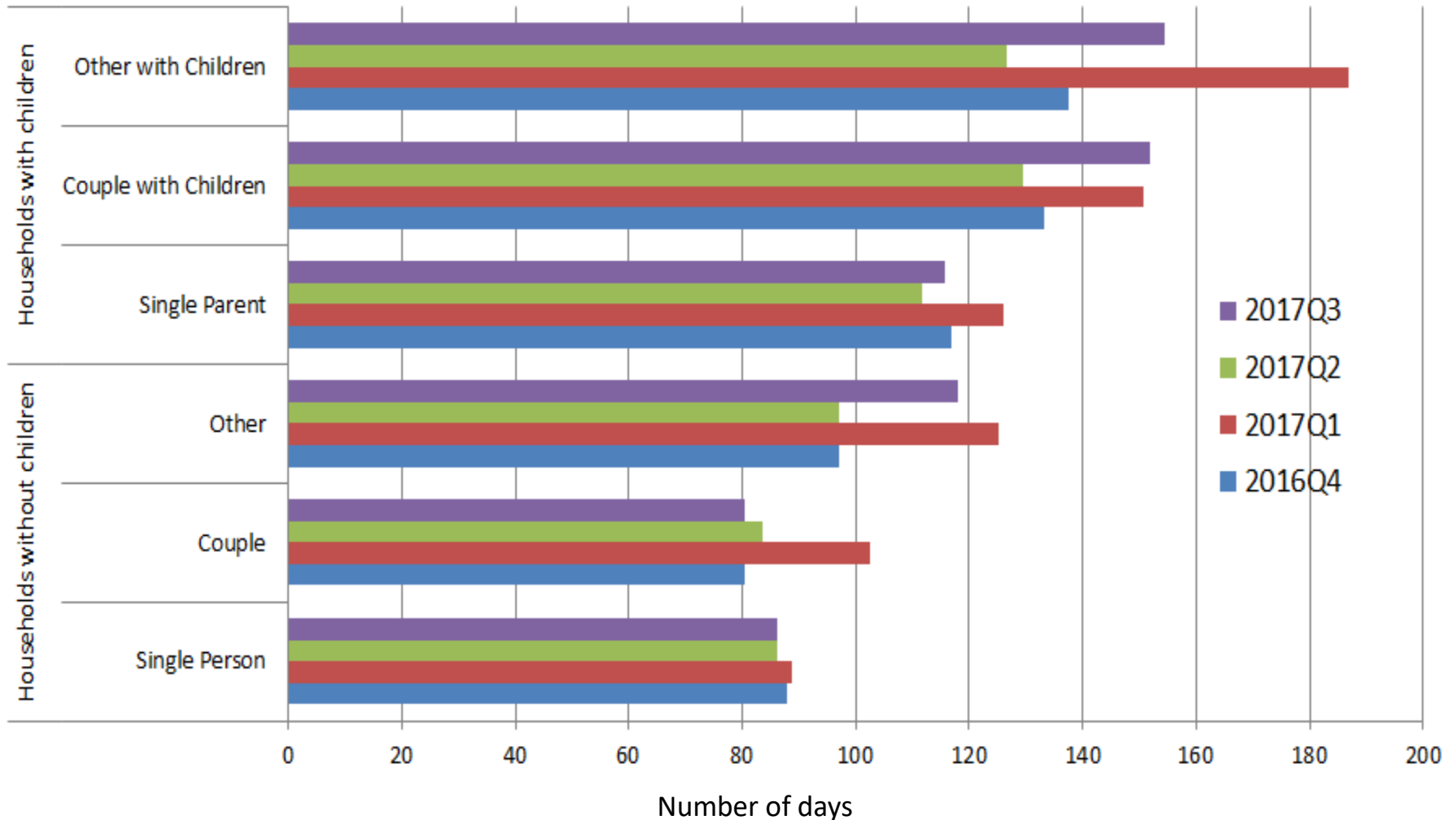
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Average time spent in temporary accommodation by accommodation type

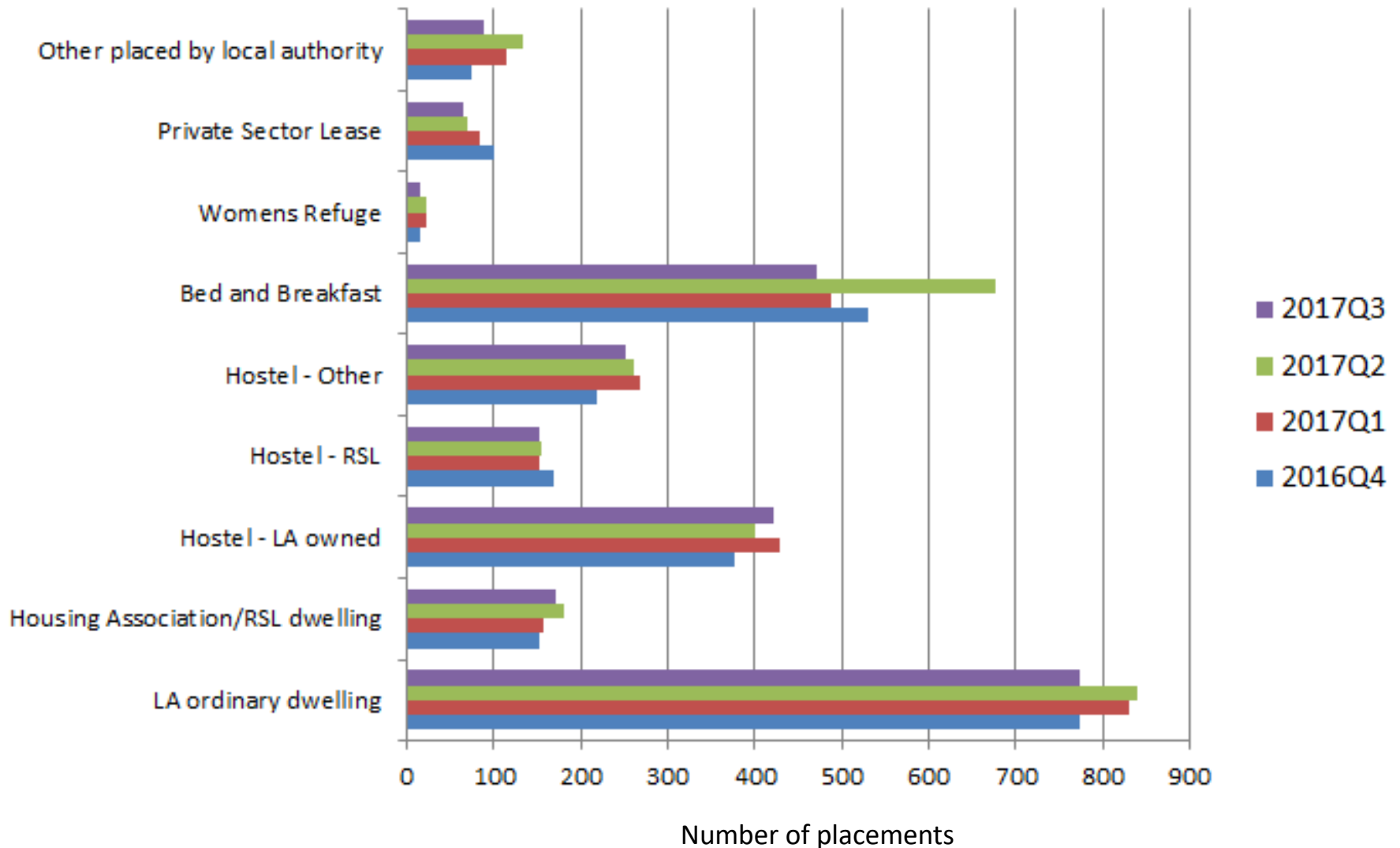


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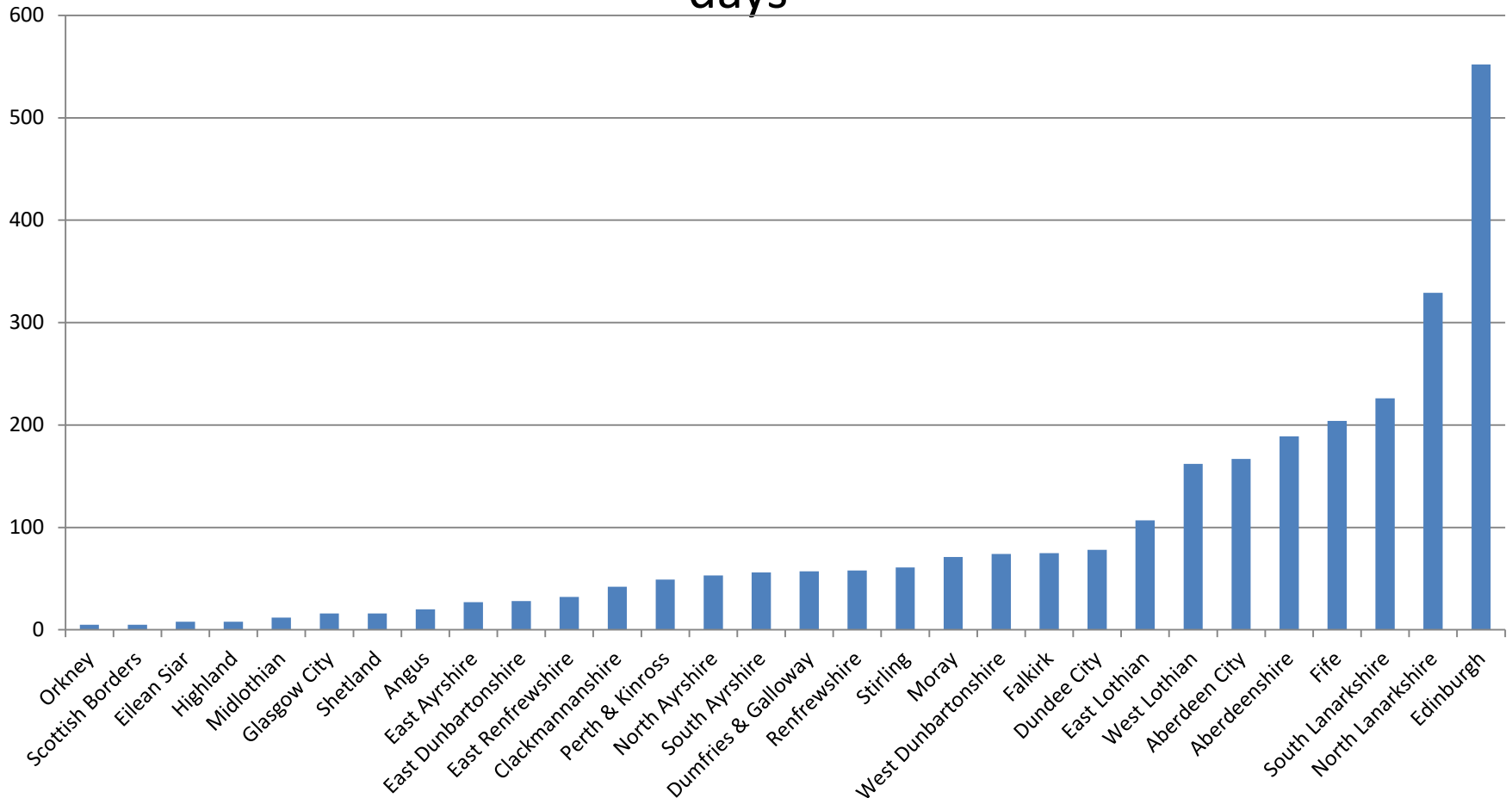


HL3 future developments: Where do young people go?



HL3 future developments:

The number of households with children that have been in LA accommodation (and exited during 2016/17) for more than 28 days



Next steps

- Still working with some local authorities on the most recent data submission (HL3 to 31st December) – data checking still required
- Propose to continue HL2 collection
- Work on household level outputs
- Support the work of HARSAG

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Questions/ Discussion

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