



CoC Pre-Application Presentation  
CoC General Membership Meeting

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SEPTEMBER 21, 2021

# CoC Homeless Grant Competition

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Each year (except 2020) HUD releases a Notice of Funding (NOFA) for the HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) Homeless Grant Competition.

Eligible Uses:

1. Permanent Housing
  - Permanent Supportive Housing
  - Rapid Rehousing
2. Supportive Services Only (for Coordinated Entry)
3. HMIS

# 2021 CoC Competition


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Preliminary Pro Rata Need	Estimated ARD	Tier 1	CoC Bonus	DV Bonus	CoC Planning
\$3,674,700	\$2,295,811	\$2,295,811	\$183,735	\$551,205	\$110,241


# Threshold Criteria

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- Coordinated Entry Participation
  - Housing First and/or Low Barrier Implementation
  - Document Secured Minimum Match
  - Active CoC Participant
  - Acceptable Organizational Audit and Financial Review
  - Project Costs are eligible (24 CFR 578 Subpart D)
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# What is Housing First

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- Direct, or nearly direct, placement of targeted or prioritized homeless people into permanent housing
  - Supportive services are offered and readily available, but are not required to remain in housing.
  - Assertive outreach to engage and offer housing to homeless people, including unsheltered people
  - Low demand approach that accommodates client alcohol and/or substance use and symptoms of mental illness
  - Continued effort to provide case management
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# Competition Selection Process

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- HUD is expected to continue to require CoCs to rank project applications in order of priority for funding.
- Tier 1=A defined percentage of how much \$ is needed to fully fund all projects eligible for “renewal funding”
- Tier 2=The balance of what is needed to fully fund the renewal projects plus any “CoC Bonus” amounts
- Projects ranked in Tier 1 are much more likely to be funded than projects ranked in Tier 2.

# New Projects, Expansions & Domestic Violence Bonus

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**This year the available amount from HUD for New Projects and New Project Expansions through the CoC Bonus is approximately \$183,735.**

**HUD offered a Nationwide “bonus” competition for projects that assist survivors of domestic violence, dating violence and stalking in 2018 and 2019.**

**Local 2021 Domestic Violence Bonus is \$551,205**

# Eligible Costs

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- Acquisition, Rehabilitation, or new construction of PSH
- Leasing or Rental Assistance
- Supportive Services
- Operating Costs
- HMIS
- Project Administration – up to 10% for new projects



# CoC Competition Timeline

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Date	Activity Details
August 18, 2021	NOFO Released
September 15, 2021-October 15, 2021	Application Period Open
October 15, 2021	Project Applications Due to CoC
October 18, 2021 – October 26, 2021	Technical Review & Ranking Committee meets to review applications
October 26, 2021	Special CoC Board meeting to approve application submission
October 26, 2021- October 30, 2021	Applicant notification and appeal process
November 1, 2021	CoC Board reviews appeals and makes amendments if necessary. Approved project applications posted to the CoC website.
November 15, 2021	Project applications and Collaborative Application submitted to HUD
November 16, 2021	Deadline for submitting applications to HUD

# Submission Requirements

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**Organization submit applications to e- snaps.**

**New Grantee Documents to tchc secretary @ [tchc.coc.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:tchc.coc.secretary@gmail.com):**

- Organization Policy and Procedure/Operational Manual
- Project Policy and Procedure/ Operational Manual
- Financial Policies and Procedures (if not included in one of the above-mentioned documents)
- Organizational Bylaws
- Board Roster – identify any board members that have lived experience with homelessness
- Organizations most recent audit or financial statement

**Renewal Applicants submit to TCHC secretary @ [tchc.coc.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:tchc.coc.secretary@gmail.com):**

- Organizations most recent audit or financial statement
- Board Roster – identify any board members that have lived experience with homelessness
- Policy and procedure on screening participants for potential mainstream benefits and specific plan for helping them access those benefits.
- Policy and procedure or outreach logs that describe or document how the program applicant conducts outreach outside of the organization, specifically individuals and families that are least likely to ask for housing resources

# Resources & Questions

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- ❑ Visit the [tchcorg.org](http://tchcorg.org) and the HUD Exchange
- ❑ 2021 NOFO Workshop Wednesday, September, 29, 2021 @1pm (zoom invite to follow)
- ❑ Email CoC Questions @ [tchc.coc.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:tchc.coc.secretary@gmail.com) all questions must be submitted by Tuesday October 5<sup>th</sup>. Answers will be posted by October 10<sup>th</sup>.

## FY 2021 Continuum of Care (CoC) Program Competition: Funding Opportunity

This page contains official HUD releases related to the FY 2021 CoC Program Competition.

### Funding Opportunity Information

- **CFDA:** 14.267
- **Funding Opportunity Number:** FR-6500-N-25
- **Opportunity Title:** Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Continuum of Care Competition and Noncompetitive Award of Youth Homeless Demonstration Program Renewal and Replacement Grants
- **Open Date:** Wednesday, August 18, 2021

### Due Dates

The FY 2021 CoC Program Competition will close on **Tuesday, November 16, 2021 at 8:00 PM EST**.  
The CoC Program Registration for Collaborative Applicants and United Funding Agencies (UFAs) opened January 12, 2021 and closed on March 5, 2021.

### Supporting Resources

- [e-snaps Navigation and Application Resources](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)](#)
- CoC Program Competition questions must be submitted to the following HUD.gov email addresses:
  - [cocnofo@hud.gov](mailto:cocnofo@hud.gov) for questions about the NOFO, competition, and applications.
  - [e-snaps@hud.gov](mailto:e-snaps@hud.gov) for questions about e-snaps technical issues.