

Continuum of Care 2022 Supplemental Funding Opportunity to Address Unsheltered and Rural Homelessness

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) [announced](#) the release of the [Continuum of Care \(CoC\) Supplemental to Address Unsheltered and Rural Homelessness \(Special NOFO\)](#) on June 22, 2022. Approximately \$322 million is available nationally (\$267.5 million for the Unsheltered Homelessness Set Aside and \$54.5 million available for the Rural Set Aside) to create new projects to reduce unsheltered homelessness.

HUD recently released the funding opportunity's CoC Consolidated Application in E-Snaps (Special Consolidated Application) and related [Detailed Instructions](#).

HUD will award new projects under the Unsheltered Homelessness Set Aside funding based on each CoC's overall score (up to 100 points) for the CoC Consolidated Application rather than on a unique score given to each project application. This means that the highest scoring CoCs will have their rated and ranked projects that pass HUD established thresholds conditionally selected for funding until no more funds are available.

The Collaborative Applicant must submit the CoC Consolidated Application in *e-snaps* on behalf of the CoC. Required attachments include:

- CoC Review, Score, and Ranking Procedures
- Longitudinal Systems Analysis (LSA) Report
- The CoC's Plan for serving Individuals and Families Experiencing Homelessness with Severe Service Needs described in Section VII.B.4 of this NOFO.
- Letters of Commitment, Contracts, or Other Formal Written Agreements Demonstrating the Development of New Units and New Housing Opportunities for People Experiencing Homelessness.
- Written Commitments from Hospitals, Healthcare Clinics, Insurance Agencies, Medicaid State Agencies, Public Health Departments, Mental Health Clinics, Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC), or Drug Treatment Facilities.
- Letter Signed by Working Group Comprised of Persons with Lived Experience of Homelessness.
- Letter of Commitment from PHA(s) serving the CoC's geographic area (1) pair vouchers with CoC-funded supportive services; and (2) to work with the CoC and other stakeholders to develop a prioritization plan for a potential allocation of Stability Vouchers or a preference for general admission to Housing Choice Voucher Program through the coordinated entry process for individuals and families experiencing homelessness, at risk of homelessness, or fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.

Click [here](#) to read a summary of the Special NOFO and Special Consolidated Application and related Detailed Instructions.

HUD also recently released the Project Application in E-Snaps (Special Project Application) and related [Detailed Instructions](#), which provides information for each question within the project application for project applicants.

All project applications are required to be submitted in E-snaps to the CoC Collaborative Applicant no later than 30 days before the consolidated application submission deadline of October 20.

For more information, please email the Continuum of Care at: CoC@rivco.org