Before Starting the CoC Application

You must submit all three of the following parts in order for us to consider your Consolidated Application complete:

1. the CoC Application,

2. the CoC Priority Listing, and

3. all the CoC's project applications that were either approved and ranked, or rejected.

As the Collaborative Applicant, you are responsible for reviewing the following:

- 1. The FY 2021 CoC Program Competition Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for specific application and program requirements.
- 2. The FY 2021 CoC Application Detailed Instructions which provide additional information and guidance for completing the application.
- 3. All information provided to ensure it is correct and current.
- 4. Responses provided by project applicants in their Project Applications.
- 5. The application to ensure all documentation, including attachment are provided.

Your CoC Must Approve the Consolidated Application before You Submit It

- 24 CFR 578.9 requires you to compile and submit the CoC Consolidated Application for the FY 2021 CoC Program Competition on behalf of your CoC.
- 24 CFR 578.9(b) requires you to obtain approval from your CoC before you submit the Consolidated Application into e-snaps.

Answering Multi-Part Narrative Questions

Many questions require you to address multiple elements in a single text box. Number your responses to correspond with multi-element questions using the same numbers in the question. This will help you organize your responses to ensure they are complete and help us to review and score your responses.

Attachments

Questions requiring attachments to receive points state, "You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen." Only upload documents responsive to the questions posed-including other material slows down the review process, which ultimately slows down the funding process. Include a cover page with the attachment name.

- Attachments must match the questions they are associated with-if we do not award points for evidence you upload and associate with the wrong question, this is not a valid reason for you to

appeal HÚD's funding determination.

- We must be able to read the date and time on attachments requiring system-generated dates and times, (e.g., a screenshot displaying the time and date of the public posting using your desktop calendar; screenshot of a webpage that indicates date and time).

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1A. Continuum of Care (CoC) Identification

To help you complete the CoC Application, HUD published resources at https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition, including:

- Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Continuum of Care Program Competition

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1A-1. CoC Name and Number: MI-517 - Jackson City & County CoC

1A-2. Collaborative Applicant Name: Community Action Agency

1A-3. CoC Designation: CA

1A-4. HMIS Lead: Community Action Agency

1B. Coordination and Engagement–Inclusive Structure and Participation

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1B-1.	Inclusive Structure and Participation–Participation in Coordinated Entry.
	NOFO Sections VII.B.1.a.(1), VII.B.1.e., VII.B.1.n., and VII.B.1.p.
	In the chart below for the period from May 1, 2020 to April 30, 2021:
1.	select yes or no in the chart below if the entity listed participates in CoC meetings, voted-including selecting CoC Board members, and participated in your CoC's coordinated entry system; or
	select Nonexistent if the organization does not exist in your CoC's geographic area:

	Organization/Person	Participated in CoC Meetings	Voted, Including Electing of CoC Board Members	Participated in CoC's Coordinated Entry System
1.	Affordable Housing Developer(s)	Nonexistent	No	No
2.	Agencies serving survivors of human trafficking	Yes	Yes	Yes
3.	CDBG/HOME/ESG Entitlement Jurisdiction	Yes	Yes	No
4.	CoC-Funded Victim Service Providers	Nonexistent	No	No
5.	CoC-Funded Youth Homeless Organizations	Nonexistent	No	No
6.	Disability Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
7.	Disability Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	Yes
8.	Domestic Violence Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
9.	EMS/Crisis Response Team(s)	No	No	No
10.	Homeless or Formerly Homeless Persons	Yes	Yes	Yes
11.	Hospital(s)	Yes	Yes	No
12.	Indian Tribes and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) (Tribal Organizations)	Nonexistent	No	No
13.	Law Enforcement	No	No	No
14.	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender (LGBT) Advocates	Yes	Yes	No
15.	LGBT Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	No
16.	Local Government Staff/Officials	Yes	Yes	No
17.	Local Jail(s)	No	No	No
18.	Mental Health Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	No

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19.	Mental Illness Advocates	Yes	Yes	No
20.	Non-CoC Funded Youth Homeless Organizations	Yes	Yes	Yes
21.	Non-CoC-Funded Victim Service Providers	Yes	Yes	Yes
22.	Organizations led by and serving Black, Brown, Indigenous and other People of Color	Yes	Yes	Yes
23.	Organizations led by and serving LGBT persons	Yes	Yes	No
24.	Organizations led by and serving people with disabilities	Yes	Yes	No
25.	Other homeless subpopulation advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
26.	Public Housing Authorities	Yes	Yes	Yes
27.	School Administrators/Homeless Liaisons	Yes	Yes	No
28.	Street Outreach Team(s)	Yes	Yes	Yes
29.	Substance Abuse Advocates	Yes	Yes	No
30.	Substance Abuse Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	No
31.	Youth Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
32.	Youth Service Providers	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Other:(limit 50 characters)			
33.				
34.				

By selecting "other" you must identify what "other" is.

IB-2.	Open Invitation for New Members.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.a.(2)
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:
1.	communicated the invitation process annually to solicit new members to join the CoC;
2.	ensured effective communication with individuals with disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats;
3.	conducted outreach to ensure persons experiencing homelessness or formerly homeless persons are encouraged to join your CoC; and
4.	invited organizations serving culturally specific communities experiencing homelessness in the geographic area to address equity (e.g., Black, Latino, Indigenous, persons with disabilities).

(limit 2,000 characters)

The Jackson CoC offers invites to attend monthly meetings in multiple ways. Community invitations are offered informally through linkages and connections made in the CoC's collaborative work. Invites are also offered through formal written requests form Co-Chairs when appropriate, electronically by email and through our CoC website letting the community know when and where meetings are held. We attempt to communicate in multiple ways in an effort to reach people where they are at and accommodate those who may have disabilities. Outside of our monthly CoC meeting we are also working to solicit membership into our planning committees and work groups from those community partners that may have an interest or specialized knowledge in a certain area (homeless youth, homeless veterans, event planning such as PIT count, Project Connect or Stand Downs, landlord recruitment/education, etc...). CoC membership has reached out to those with lived experience of homelessness through our shelters, street outreach and housing providers to encourage participation in CoC meetings or planning committees. Our local youth advisory council

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members have also been invited to attend CoC meetings and committees. From these invitations they have not only attended CoC meetings but also presented and engaged membership in dialogue around the needs of homeless youth in our community.

1B-3.	CoC's Strategy to Solicit/Consider Opinions on Preventing and Ending Homelessness.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.a.(3)
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:
1.	solicited and considered opinions from a broad array of organizations and individuals that have knowledge of homelessness, or an interest in preventing and ending homelessness;
2.	communicated information during public meetings or other forums your CoC uses to solicit public information; and
3.	took into consideration information gathered in public meetings or forums to address improvements or new approaches to preventing and ending homelessness.

(limit 2,000 characters)

The Jackson CoC has adopted a cohesive procedure to gather opinions and experiences from countywide networks. Current membership brings CoC information and concerns to the collaborative network for both invitation to meetings and feedback. By taking this approach, the CoC is able to strengthen efforts to prevent and end homelessness within our community while reaching out to many subpopulations within our area (Cradle to Career, Financial Stability Coalition, Youth Advisory Council, Jackson Community Advisory Council, etc...). We have seen success in our approach by increased participation and interest in the work we are doing in ending homelessness locally. The Corporation for Supportive Housing worked with the CoC to create a homeless response system map to better understand the strengths and gaps in our system. Strategies were developed to be responsive to the needs of those experiencing homelessness. CoC meetings are held monthly, in person, at the same time and location (currently virtual). CoC meetings are held at the local disability service office to remove barriers that some may have with participating, and currently virtually due to the Corona Virus. Announcements of meetings with agendas for the next meeting and minutes from the previous month are made available via email and now on the new COC website. We are utilizing this site to not only share meeting information but also to keep the community up to date on local progress with strategies to end homelessness. Meetings are welcoming and open to anyone in the community that would like to attend. Anyone that would like time to speak or share information has the availability to do so monthly. Agendas are created through our Steering Committee meetings, which are also open to anyone that would like to be a part of that planning process. The CoC currently has membership representing both public and private organizations but we are always seeking out new membership to ensure we are taking into consideration all aspects of housing within our community.

1B-4.	Public Notification for Proposals from Organizations Not Previously Funded.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.a.(4)	

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Applicant: Jackson City & County CoC **Project:** MI-517 CoC Registration FY 2021

	Describe in the field below how your CoC notified the public:
1.	that your CoC's local competition was open and accepting project applications;
2.	that your CoC will consider project applications from organizations that have not previously received CoC Program funding;
3.	about how project applicants must submit their project applications;
4.	about how your CoC would determine which project applications it would submit to HUD for funding; and
5.	how your CoC effectively communicated with individuals with disabilities, including making information accessible in electronic formats.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our CoC did a public posting on the CoC's website explaining the process and how an agency could apply for available funds. We also shared this with the CoC. We noted in this posting that there was available funding open to new grantees through bonus funding. This posting requested that everyone submit applications through the eSnaps system so that the CoC could review applications as required and approve, deny and rank through the system. It was explained that the CoC would review applications and choose applicants to fund based on the CoC priorities. All information was shared and accessible electronically. CAA as the lead agency was available to assist any applicants with the process as needed.

1C. Coordination and Engagement–Coordination with Federal, State, Local, Private, and Other Organiza

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1C-1.	Coordination with Federal, State, Local, Private, and Other Organizations.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.b.	
	In the chart below:	

1. select yes or no for entities listed that are included in your CoC's coordination, planning, and operations of projects that serve individuals, families, unaccompanied youth, persons who are fleeing domestic violence who are experiencing homelessness, or those at risk of homelessness; or

2. select Nonexistent if the organization does not exist within your CoC's geographic area.

	Entities or Organizations Your CoC Coordinates with for Planning or Operations of Projects	Coordinates with Planning or Operations of Projects
1.	Funding Collaboratives	Yes
2.	Head Start Program	Yes
3.	Housing and services programs funded through Local Government	Yes
4.	Housing and services programs funded through other Federal Resources (non-CoC)	Yes
5.	Housing and services programs funded through private entities, including Foundations	Yes
6.	Housing and services programs funded through State Government	Yes
7.	Housing and services programs funded through U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)	Yes
8.	Housing and services programs funded through U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ)	Yes
9.	Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	Nonexistent
10.	Indian Tribes and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) (Tribal Organizations)	Nonexistent
11.	Organizations led by and serving Black, Brown, Indigenous and other People of Color	Yes
12.	Organizations led by and serving LGBT persons	Yes
13.	Organizations led by and serving people with disabilities	Yes
14.	Private Foundations	Yes
15.	Public Housing Authorities	Yes
16.	Runaway and Homeless Youth (RHY)	Yes
17.	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	Yes
	Other:(limit 50 characters)	

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1C-2.	CoC Consultation with ESG Program Recipients.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.b.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:
1.	consulted with ESG Program recipients in planning and allocating ESG and ESG-CV funds;
2.	participated in evaluating and reporting performance of ESG Program recipients and subrecipients;
3.	provided Point-in-Time (PIT) count and Housing Inventory Count (HIC) data to the Consolidated Plan jurisdictions within its geographic area; and
4.	provided information to Consolidated Plan Jurisdictions within your CoC's geographic area so it could be addressed in Consolidated Plan update.

(limit 2,000 characters)

MSHDA is the ESG and ESG-CV recipient for our community. They allow our local CoC to apply for funding based on what our community evaluates and determines as the needs to be addressed. The local CoC bases these decisions on Quality Committee reports that take into consideration other housing funding including CoC, SSVF, PATH, ESP shelter and youth funding, as well as coordinated entry data, annual homeless count data, PIT/HIC data, System Performance Measures in addition to the previous year's ESG county data. MSHDA representatives for our area attend our CoC meetings periodically but receive minutes each month so that they are aware of changes happening at a local level. The local grantees report to the CoC Quality Committee monthly, quarterly and annually on data outcomes, and financials and also report to MSHDA on a quarterly and annual basis as required. The local agency receiving the ESG and ESG-CV funds enters all data into HMIS and participates in the CoC as well as the PIT count annually. All data is shared wit the Quality committee and the full CoC to be used in the decision making process for local funding.

1C-3.	Ensuring Families are not Separated.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.c.	

Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate how your CoC ensures emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent housing (PSH and RRH) do not deny admission or separate family members regardless of each family member's self-reported gender:

	Conducted mandatory training for all CoC- and ESG-funded service providers to ensure families are not separated.	No
	Conducted optional training for all CoC- and ESG-funded service providers to ensure families are not separated.	Yes
3.	Worked with ESG recipient(s) to adopt uniform anti-discrimination policies for all subrecipients.	Yes
	Worked with ESG recipient(s) to identify both CoC- and ESG-funded facilities within your CoC's geographic area that might be out of compliance and took steps to work directly with those facilities to bring them into compliance.	No
5.	Sought assistance from HUD by submitting AAQs or requesting technical assistance to resolve noncompliance of service providers.	No
6.	Other. (limit 150 characters)	

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1C-4. CoC Collaboration Related to Children and Youth-SEAs, LEAs, Local Liaisons & State Coordinators.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.d.

	Describe in the field below:
1.	how your CoC collaborates with youth education providers;
2.	your CoC's formal partnerships with youth education providers;
3.	how your CoC collaborates with State Education Agency (SEA) and Local Education Agency (LEA);
4.	your CoC's formal partnerships with SEAs and LEAs;
5.	how your CoC collaborates with school districts; and
6.	your CoC's formal partnerships with school districts.

(limit 2,000 characters)

The CoC has McKinney Vento educational representatives at CoC meetings on a regular basis. These representatives give updates on applications, reporting, change in numbers, and need of services for McKinney-Vento students. The homeless youth provider in our community has regular contact with the educational authorities and school districts and is a designated voice for our CoC with them. The CoC's coordinated entry lead agency is a part of the training process for the school liaisons each year on our local homeless system and is able to be a direct resource to this group. There is a Partnership Agreement with our CoC and Head Start that serves the jurisdiction. The school liaisons have direct contact with staff in our coordinated entry system and they are able to utilize combined resources to assist our youth in need. Youth providers and McKinney Vento liaisons participate in our PIT count annually by providing us with numbers as well as places that we can find homeless youth.

1C-4a.	CoC Collaboration Related to Children and Youth–Educational Services–Informing Individuals and Families Experiencing Homelessness about Eligibility.	
	NOEO Section VII B 1 d	

Describe in the field below written policies and procedures your CoC adopted to inform individuals and families who become homeless of their eligibility for educational services.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our CoC policy requires that each individual agency have their own policy in place regarding eligibility to educational services. It is the provider's responsibility, and they are monitored by the CoC, to inform participants about their educational rights for themselves and/or children in the household. The CoC provider coordinates with the local McKinney-Vento homeless liaisons in the schools to discuss issues with households that are in housing crisis. CoC membership is updated annually of McKinney Vento Homeless Liaisons for the schools in our county.

1C-4b.	1C-4b. CoC Collaboration Related to Children and Youth–Educational Services–Written/Formal Agreements or Partnerships with Early Childhood Services Providers.			
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.d.			
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Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate whether your CoC has written formal agreements or partnerships with the listed providers of early childhood services:

		MOU/MOA	Other Formal Agreement
1.	Birth to 3 years	Yes	
2.	Child Care and Development Fund	No	
3.	Early Childhood Providers	Yes	
4.	Early Head Start	Yes	
5.	Federal Home Visiting Program–(including Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home and Visiting or MIECHV)	No	
6.	Head Start	Yes	
7.	Healthy Start	No	
8.	Public Pre-K	No	
9.	Tribal Home Visiting Program	No	
	Other (limit 150 characters)		•
10.			

You must select a response for elements 1 through 9 in question 1C-4b.

Addressing Needs of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Survivors–Annual Training–Best Practices.	
NOFO Section VII.B.1.e.	

Describe in the field below how your CoC coordinates to provide training for:

- 1. Project staff that addresses safety and best practices (e.g., trauma-informed, victim-centered) on safety and planning protocols in serving survivors of domestic violence and indicate the frequency of the training in your response (e.g., monthly, semi-annually); and
- 2. Coordinated Entry staff that addresses safety and best practices (e.g., trauma informed care) on safety and planning protocols in serving survivors of domestic violence and indicate the frequency of the training in your response (e.g., monthly, semi-annually).

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our local domestic violence provider has offered annual training to CoC membership at a regularly scheduled CoC meeting to address areas around best practices in serving survivors of domestic violence. These trainings are to give all membership, including frontline staff and coordinated entry staff, information on how to most effectively work with DV survivors, ensure that providers understand confidentiality and the importance of this and what the best practices are that are being used for serving survivors. In addition to this our CoC participates in a local collaborative effort to ensure all human service provider front line staff are trained in ACE's (Adverse Childhood Experience) and that agencies adopt and practice trauma informed procedures. Our coordinated entry policy and procedures are reviewed annually for any areas that could or should be updated in the areas of survivor safety and confidentiality.

1C-5a. Addressing Needs of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Survivors–Using De-identified Aggregate Data.			
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NOFO Section VII.B.1.e.

Describe in the field below how your CoC uses de-identified aggregate data from a comparable database to assess the special needs related to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking survivors.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our local DV provider participates in CoC meetings, quality committee and coordinated entry to provide us with data to evaluate community needs in regards to DV survivors. Items that may be reported monthly are nights of shelter bed utilization, unduplicated residential client counts, number of shelter denials due to capacity, number of adults without children, and number of adults with children. We are also able to look at annual HMIS data for those that reported being DV survivors and signed a release of information to enter data into HMIS (data not entered by the DV provider themselves). From this data we can also see additional demographic information as need. Our CoC also periodically surveys, through our local DV provider, to gather needs and housing barriers.

1C-5b.	Addressing Needs of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Survivors–Coordinated Assessment–Safety, Planning, and Confidentiality Protocols.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.e.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC's coordinated entry system protocols incorporate trauma- informed, victim-centered approaches while maximizing client choice for housing and services that:
	prioritize safety;
2.	use emergency transfer plan; and
3.	ensure confidentiality.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-6.	Addressing the Needs of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender–Anti-Discrimination Policy and Training.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.f.	

	Did your CoC implement a written CoC-wide anti-discrimination policy ensuring that LGBT individuals and families receive supportive services, shelter, and housing free from discrimination?	Yes
	Did your CoC conduct annual CoC-wide training with providers on how to effectively implement the Equal Access to Housing in HUD Programs Regardless of Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity (Equal Access Final Rule)?	Yes
3.	Did your CoC conduct annual CoC-wide training with providers on how to effectively implement Equal Access to Housing in HUD Programs in Accordance with an Individual's Gender Identity (Gender Identity Final Rule)?	Yes

Public Housing Agencies within Your CoC's Geographic Area–New Admissions–General/Limited Preference–Moving On Strategy. You Must Upload an Attachment(s) to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	
NOFO Section VII.B.1.g.	

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Applicant: Jackson City & County CoC **Project:** MI-517 CoC Registration FY 2021

Enter information in the chart below for the two largest PHAs highlighted in gray on the CoC-PHA Crosswalk Report at https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/FY-2020-CoC-PHA-Crosswalk-Report.pdf or the two PHAs your CoC has a working relationship with—if there is only one PHA in your CoC's geographic area, provide information on the one:

Public Housing Agency Name	Enter the Percent of New Admissions into Public Housing and Housing Choice Voucher Program During FY 2020 who were experiencing homelessness at entry	General or Limited	Does the PHA have a Preference for current PSH program participants no longer needing intensive supportive services, e.g., Moving On?
Michigan State Housing Development Authority		Yes-HCV	No
Jackson Housing Commission		Yes-Both	No

You must enter information for at least 1 row in question 1C-7.

1C-7a.	Written Policies on Homeless Admission Preferences with PHAs.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.g.
	Describe in the field below:
1.	steps your CoC has taken, with the two largest PHAs within your CoC's geographic area or the two PHAs your CoC has working relationships with, to adopt a homeless admission preference—if your CoC only has one PHA within its geographic area, you may respond for the one; or
2.	state that your CoC has not worked with the PHAs in its geographic area to adopt a homeless admission preference.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Both of the PHA's listed above in our jurisdiction have homeless preference policies in place for admission. The Jackson Housing Commission is an active member of the CoC and expanded policies for homeless preferences because of the working relationship within our CoC.

1C-7b.	b. Moving On Strategy with Affordable Housing Providers.		
	Not Scored–For Information Only		

Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate affordable housing providers in your CoC's jurisdiction that your recipients use to move program participants to other subsidized housing:

1.	Multifamily assisted housing owners	No
2.	РНА	Yes
3.	Low Income Tax Credit (LIHTC) developments	Yes
4.	Local low-income housing programs	No
	Other (limit 150 characters)	
5.		

1C-7c. Including PHA-Funded Units in Your CoC's Coordinated Entry System.				
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Applicant: Jackson City & County CoC MI-517 Project: MI-517 CoC Registration FY 2021 COC_REG_2021_181844 NOFO Section VII.B.1.g. Does your CoC include PHA-funded units in the CoC's coordinated entry process? No 1C-7c.1. Method for Including PHA-Funded Units in Your CoC's Coordinated Entry System. NOFO Section VII.B.1.q. If you selected yes in question 1C-7c., describe in the field below: 1. how your CoC includes the units in its Coordinated Entry process; and whether your CoC's practices are formalized in written agreements with the PHA, e.g., MOUs. (limit 2,000 characters) N/A-I am questioning this as JHC does participate in the CE meetings. They do prioritize to those that are homeless and will let us know if there are names on their waitlist that are also on our prioritization list. There is not MOU for this. 1C-7d. Submitting CoC and PHA Joint Applications for Funding for People Experiencing Homelessness. NOFO Section VII.B.1.g. Did your CoC coordinate with a PHA(s) to submit a joint application(s) for funding of projects serving families experiencing homelessness (e.g., applications for mainstream vouchers, Family Unification Program (FUP), other non-federal programs)? No 1C-7d.1. CoC and PHA Joint Application-Experience-Benefits. NOFO Section VII.B.1.g. If you selected yes to question 1C-7d, describe in the field below: 1. the type of joint project applied for; 2. whether the application was approved; and 3. how your CoC and families experiencing homelessness benefited from the coordination. (limit 2,000 characters) N/A Coordinating with PHA(s) to Apply for or Implement HCV Dedicated to Homelessness Including American Rescue Plan Vouchers NOFO Section VII.B.1.g.

Yes

Did your CoC coordinate with any PHA to apply for or implement funding provided for Housing Choice Vouchers dedicated to homelessness, including vouchers provided through the American Rescue Plan?

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Coordinating with PHA(s) to Administer Emergency Housing Voucher (EHV) Program–List of PHAs with MOUs.	
Not Scored–For Information Only	

Did your CoC enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with any PHA to administer the EHV Program?

If you select yes, you must use the list feature below to enter the name of every PHA your CoC has entered into a MOU with to administer the Emergency Housing Voucher Program.

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Michigan State Ho...

1C-7e.1. List of PHAs with MOUs

Name of PHA: Michigan State Housing Development Authority

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1C-8.	Discharge Planning Coordination.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.h.	
	Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate whether your CoC actively coordinates with the system care listed to ensure persons who have resided in them longer than 90 days are not discharged direct the streets, emergency shelters, or other homeless assistance programs.	
1. Foster C	Care	
2. Health C	Care	Yes
3. Mental H	lealth Care	
4. Correcti	onal Facilities	Yes
	You must select a response for elements 1 through 4 in question	n 1C-8.
1C-9.	Housing First-Lowering Barriers to Entry.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.i.	
1.	Enter the total number of new and renewal CoC Program-funded PSH, RRH, SSO non-coordinated entraffer-Haven, and Transitional Housing projects your CoC is applying for in FY 2021 CoC Program Competition.	ry,
2.	Enter the total number of new and renewal CoC Program-funded PSH, RRH, SSO non-coordinated ent	ry,

1C-9	a. Housing First–Project Evaluation.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.i.	

100%

Describe in the field below how your CoC regularly evaluates projects to ensure those that commit to using a Housing First approach are prioritizing rapid placement and stabilization in permanent housing and are not requiring service participation or preconditions of program participants.

Safe-Haven, and Transitional Housing projects your CoC is applying for in FY 2021 CoC Program Competition that have adopted the Housing First approach.

This number is a calculation of the percentage of new and renewal PSH, RRH, Safe-Haven, SSO non-Coordinated Entry projects the CoC has ranked in its CoC Priority Listing in the FY 2021 CoC Program

Competition that reported that they are lowering barriers to entry and prioritizing rapid placement and

(limit 2,000 characters)

stabilization to permanent housing.

All providers receiving permanent housing funds are required to commit to A Housing First approach. During regular reviews of funded programs and at annual application the applicants are asked about heir commitment to Housing

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First and how their program ensures this is followed. During Quality reviews providers are questioned on utilization, length of time from project entry to lease up and exits to positive destinations.

1C-9b.	Housing First-Veterans.	
	Not Scored–For Information Only	
	CoC have sufficient resources to ensure each Veteran experiencing homelessness is assisted to quickly permanent housing using a Housing First approach?	Yes
1C-10.	Street Outreach-Scope.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.j.	
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	Describe in the field below:	
1.	your CoC's street outreach efforts, including the methods it uses to ensure all persons experiencing unsheltered homelessness are identified and engaged;	
2.	whether your CoC's Street Outreach covers 100 percent of the CoC's geographic area;	
3.	how often your CoC conducts street outreach; and	
	how your CoC tailored its street outreach to persons experiencing homelessness who are least likely to	

1C-11.	Criminalization of Homelessness.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.k.	

Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate strategies your CoC implemented to prevent the criminalization of homelessness in your CoC's geographic area:

1.	Engaged/educated local policymakers	Yes
2.	Engaged/educated law enforcement	Yes
3.	Engaged/educated local business leaders	Yes
4.	Implemented communitywide plans	Yes
5.	Other:(limit 500 characters)	

1C-12.	Rapid Rehousing–RRH Beds as Reported in the Housing Inventory Count (HIC).	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.I.	

	2020	2021
Enter the total number of RRH beds available to serve all populations as reported in the HIC-only enter bed data for projects that have an inventory type of "Current."	55	25

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1C-13.	Mainstream Benefits and Other Assistance–Healthcare–Enrollment/Effective Utilization.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.m.	

Indicate in the chart below whether your CoC assists persons experiencing homelessness with enrolling in health insurance and effectively using Medicaid and other benefits.

	Type of Health Care		Assist with Utilization of Benefits?
1.	Public Health Care Benefits (State or Federal benefits, Medicaid, Indian Health Services)	Yes	Yes
2.	Private Insurers	No	No
3.	Nonprofit, Philanthropic	No	No
4.	Other (limit 150 characters)		

C-13a.	Mainstream Benefits and Other Assistance–Information and Training.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.m
	Describe in the field below how your CoC provides information and training to CoC Program-funded projects by:
1.	systemically providing up to date information on mainstream resources available for program participants (e.g., Food Stamps, SSI, TANF, substance abuse programs) within your CoC's geographic area;
2.	communicating information about available mainstream resources and other assistance and how often your CoC communicates this information;
3.	working with projects to collaborate with healthcare organizations to assist program participants with enrolling in health insurance; and
4.	providing assistance with the effective use of Medicaid and other benefits.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-14.	Centralized or Coordinated Entry System-Assessment Tool. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.n.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC's coordinated entry system:
1.	covers 100 percent of your CoC's geographic area;
2.	reaches people who are least likely to apply for homeless assistance in the absence of special outreach;
3.	prioritizes people most in need of assistance; and
4.	ensures people most in need of assistance receive assistance in a timely manner.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our CoC covers the county of Jackson Michigan and our Coordinated Entry system covers that entire area. Our HARA is our central point of intake for the county but we work closely as a community so that there is no wrong door to service. CAA is centrally located, has posted business hours and an afterhours plan for those that may present in need. This agency employs a dedicated

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Housing Specialist to the coordinated entry system. Our CoC has prioritized that we will serve those experiencing chronic homelessness first and then those with the greatest acuity of need as determined through our coordinated entry system. By utilizing the assessment tool with all providers and having all participate fully in coordinated entry we can ensure that those most in need are being served not only first but in the most appropriate program. Our CoC has put a marketing policy in place for coordinated entry in an effort to educate the public on how to connect to homeless providers easily but also to attempt to reach all that may need housing assistance. As part of the State Innovation Model initiative we have implemented a "no wrong door" process for screening for social determinants of health. This screening occurs in primary care practices, through hospital-based case management services, in the health department, aging service providers, community mental health, housing providers (including the HARA) and others. Housing needs are assessed during the screening and closed loop referrals are made directly to coordinated entry providers. This clinical community linkage system change increases the likelihood that housing needs will be identified and services provided to those less likely to seek homelessness assistance. The CoC currently uses the VI-SPDAT as mandated by state funders. However, our state is attempting to identify a replacement tool in light of the identified limitations and biases in the VI-SPDAT. Providers have received training on implementing the Coordinated Entry data standards for HMIS.

1C-1	15. Pr	omoting Racial Equity in Homelessness–Assessing Racial Disparities.	
	NC	DFO Section VII.B.1.o.	
Did your exists w	r CoC vithin t	conduct an assessment of whether disparities in the provision or outcome of homeless assistance the last 3 years?	Yes
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1C	:-15a.	Racial Disparities Assessment Results.	
		NOFO Section VII.B.1.o.	
		Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate the findings from your CoC's most recent racial disparities assessment.	
1. P	People	of different races or ethnicities are more likely to receive homeless assistance.	Yes
2. P	People	of different races or ethnicities are less likely to receive homeless assistance.	No
	People Issista	of different races or ethnicities are more likely to receive a positive outcome from homeless ance.	
	People Issista	of different races or ethnicities are less likely to receive a positive outcome from homeless ance.	
5. T	here	are no racial or ethnic disparities in the provision or outcome of homeless assistance.	
	he re	sults are inconclusive for racial or ethnic disparities in the provision or outcome of homeless ance.	

You must select a response for elements 1 through 6 in question 1C-15a.

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1C-15b. Strategies to Address Racial Disparities.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.o.

Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate the strategies your CoC is using to address any racial disparities.

	The CoC's board and decisionmaking bodies are representative of the population served in the CoC.	No
2.	The CoC has identified steps it will take to help the CoC board and decisionmaking bodies better reflect the population served in the CoC.	Yes
3.	The CoC is expanding outreach in geographic areas with higher concentrations of underrepresented groups.	Yes
4.	The CoC has communication, such as flyers, websites, or other materials, inclusive of underrepresented groups.	Yes
5.	The CoC is training staff working in the homeless services sector to better understand racism and the intersection of racism and homelessness.	Yes
6.	The CoC is establishing professional development opportunities to identify and invest in emerging leaders of different races and ethnicities in the homelessness sector.	Yes
7.	The CoC has staff, committees, or other resources charged with analyzing and addressing racial disparities related to homelessness.	Yes
8.	The CoC is educating organizations, stakeholders, boards of directors for local and national nonprofit organizations working on homelessness on the topic of creating greater racial and ethnic diversity.	Yes
9.	The CoC reviewed coordinated entry processes to understand their impact on people of different races and ethnicities experiencing homelessness.	Yes
10.	The CoC is collecting data to better understand the pattern of program use for people of different races and ethnicities in its homeless services system.	Yes
11.	The CoC is conducting additional research to understand the scope and needs of different races or ethnicities experiencing homelessness.	Yes
	Other:(limit 500 characters)	
12.		

1C-15c. Promoting Racial Equity in Homelessness Beyond Areas Identified in Racial Disparity Assessment.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.o.

Describe in the field below the steps your CoC and homeless providers have taken to improve racial equity in the provision and outcomes of assistance beyond just those areas identified in the racial disparity assessment.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-16. Persons with Lived Experience–Active CoC Participation.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.p.

Enter in the chart below the number of people with lived experience who currently participate in your CoC under the five categories listed:

Level of Active Participation		Number of Peo	pple with	Number of People with
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		Lived Experience Within the Last 7 Years or Current Program Participant	Lived Experience Coming from Unsheltered Situations
1.	Included and provide input that is incorporated in the local planning process.	1	1
2.	Review and recommend revisions to local policies addressing homelessness related to coordinated entry, services, and housing.	1	1
3.	Participate on CoC committees, subcommittees, or workgroups.	1	1
4.	Included in the decisionmaking processes related to addressing homelessness.	1	1
5.	Included in the development or revision of your CoC's local competition rating factors.	1	1

1C-17.	Promoting Volunteerism and Community Service.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.r.	

Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate steps your CoC has taken to promote and support community engagement among people experiencing homelessness in the CoC's geographic area:

1.	The CoC trains provider organization staff on connecting program participants and people experiencing homelessness with education and job training opportunities.	Yes
	The CoC trains provider organization staff on facilitating informal employment opportunities for program participants and people experiencing homelessness (e.g., babysitting, housekeeping, food delivery, data entry).	Yes
3.	The CoC works with organizations to create volunteer opportunities for program participants.	Yes
4.	The CoC works with community organizations to create opportunities for civic participation for people experiencing homelessness (e.g., townhall forums, meeting with public officials).	Yes
5.	Provider organizations within the CoC have incentives for employment and/or volunteerism.	No
6.	Other:(limit 500 characters)	

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1D. Addressing COVID-19 in the CoC's Geographic Area

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1D-1.	Safety Protocols Implemented to Address Immediate Needs of People Experiencing Unsheltered, Congregate Emergency Shelter, Transitional Housing Homelessness.
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.q.
	Describe in the field below protocols your CoC implemented during the COVID-19 pandemic to address immediate safety needs for individuals and families living in:
1.	unsheltered situations;
2.	congregate emergency shelters; and
3.	transitional housing.

(limit 2,000 characters)

The CoC shared up to date information with providers on the everchanging best practices for keeping people experiencing homelessness safe, while also keeping staff and volunteers safe. Individuals and families living in unsheltered situations, were helped to get into temporary hotel stays while they looked for permanent housing options in the community. Local shelters lowered the number of beds available in order to maintain social distancing and worked with local providers to fund motel space for those that could not come to shelter. Coordination between MDHHS, the local health department, local hospital and medical providers assisted connecting those that were unstably housed with finding safe accommodations for quarantine or isolation needs so that they didn't become homeless during this time and weren't placed at risk. PPE was offered to housing providers and those in the community in need to stay safe.

Meeting time was committed each month for providers to talk about best practices or barriers to serving those in need, with other providers so that people could still be moved to housing as quickly as possible. Many of our CoC membership participated in the local Coronavirus task force to help educate on the need and availability of funding so that services were not duplicated. Our CoC has no transitional housing projects.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.q.	

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Describe in the field below how your CoC improved readiness for future public health emergencies.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1D-3.	CoC Coordination to Distribute ESG Cares Act (ESG-CV) Funds.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.q	
	Describe in the field below how your CoC coordinated with ESG-CV recipients to distribute funds to	

address:

- 1. safety measures;
- 2. housing assistance;
- 3. eviction prevention;
- 4. healthcare supplies; and
- 5. sanitary supplies.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1D-4.	CoC Coordination with Mainstream Health.	

NOFO Section VII.B.1.q.

Describe in the field below how your CoC coordinated with mainstream health (e.g., local and state health agencies, hospitals) during the COVID-19 pandemic to:

- 1. decrease the spread of COVID-19; and
- 2. ensure safety measures were implemented (e.g., social distancing, hand washing/sanitizing, masks).

(limit 2,000 characters)

1D-5. Communicating Information to Homeless Service Providers.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.q.

Describe in the field below how your CoC communicated information to homeless service providers during the COVID-19 pandemic on:

- 1. safety measures;
- 2. changing local restrictions; and
- 3. vaccine implementation.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1D-6. Identifying Eligible Persons Experiencing Homelessness for COVID-19 Vaccination.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.q.

Describe in the field below how your CoC identified eligible individuals and families experiencing homelessness for COVID-19 vaccination based on local protocol.

(limit 2,000 characters)

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1D-7. Addressing Possible Increases in Domestic Violence.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.e.

Describe in the field below how your CoC addressed possible increases in domestic violence calls for assistance due to requirements to stay at home, increased unemployment, etc. during the COVID-19 pandemic.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our CoC worked closely with our local DV shelter and the lead agency to address this concern. Callers in need were referred to the DV shelter for safety analysis and coaching.

1D-8. Adjusting Centralized or Coordinated Entry System.

NOFO Section VII.B.1.n.

Describe in the field below how your CoC adjusted its coordinated entry system to account for rapid changes related to the onset and continuation of the COVID-19 pandemic.

(limit 2,000 characters)

1E. Project Capacity, Review, and Ranking-Local Competition

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Announcement of 30-Day Local Competition Deadline–Advance Public Notice of How Your CoC Would Review, Rank, and Select Projects. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	
NOFO Section VII.B.2.a. and 2.g.	

	Enter the date your CoC published the 30-day submission deadline for project applications for your CoC's local competition.	09/02/2021	
	Enter the date your CoC publicly posted its local scoring and rating criteria, including point values, in advance of the local review and ranking process.	09/02/2021	

1E-2. Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in Its Local Competition. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen. We use the response to this question as a factor when determining your CoC's eligibility for bonus funds and for other NOFO criteria listed below.

NOFO Section VII.B.2.a., 2.b., 2.c., and 2.d.

Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate how your CoC ranked and selected project applications during your local competition:

1.	Established total points available for each project application type.	Yes
2.	At least 33 percent of the total points were based on objective criteria for the project application (e.g., cost effectiveness, timely draws, utilization rate, match, leverage), performance data, type of population served (e.g., DV, youth, Veterans, chronic homelessness), or type of housing proposed (e.g., PSH, RRH).	
3.	At least 20 percent of the total points were based on system performance criteria for the project application (e.g., exits to permanent housing destinations, retention of permanent housing, length of time homeless, returns to homelessness).	
4.	Used data from a comparable database to score projects submitted by victim service providers.	
5.	Used objective criteria to evaluate how projects submitted by victim service providers improved safety for the population they serve.	Yes
6.	Used a specific method for evaluating projects based on the CoC's analysis of rapid returns to permanent housing.	Yes

You must select a response for elements 1 through 6 in question 1E-2.

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1E-2a.	Project Review and Ranking Process-Addressing Severity of Needs and Vulnerabilities.
	NOFO Section VII.B.2.d.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC reviewed, scored, and selected projects based on:
1.	the specific severity of needs and vulnerabilities your CoC considered when ranking and selecting projects; and
2.	considerations your CoC gave to projects that provide housing and services to the hardest to serve populations that could result in lower performance levels but are projects your CoC needs in its geographic area.

(limit 2,000 characters)

We reviewed and considered four key factors in making ranking recommendation decisions, HUD Priorities for funding and the County's funding level for Tier I, local priorities for funding, including any identified changes in local priorities based on emerging issues anticipated for the next funding cycle, program performance results for all renewal grants, and scoring tool analysis (HUD's) based on HUD priorities, local priorities and program performance. During the review process discussion was had regarding difficulty with outcomes for hard to serve populations but there were no projects that scored significantly low enough to need to look at placing them at risk of defunding.

E-3.	Promoting Racial Equity in the Local Review and Ranking Process.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.2.e.	
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	Describe in the field below how your CoC:	
1.	obtained input and included persons of different races, particularly those over-represented in the local homelessness population, when determining the rating factors used to review project applications;	
2.	included persons of different races, particularly those over-represented in the local homelessness population, in the review, selection, and ranking process;	
3.	rated and ranked projects based on the degree to which their program participants mirror the homeless population demographics (e.g., considers how a project promotes racial equity where individuals and families of different races are over-represented).	

(limit 2,000 characters)

1E-4.	Reallocation–Reviewing Performance of Existing Projects. We use the response to this question as a factor when determining your CoC's eligibility for bonus funds and for other NOFO criterion below.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.2.f.	

	Describe in the field below:
1.	your CoC's reallocation process, including how your CoC determined which projects are candidates for reallocation because they are low performing or less needed;
2.	whether your CoC identified any projects through this process during your local competition this year;
3.	whether your CoC reallocated any low performing or less needed projects during its local competition this year;
4.	why your CoC did not reallocate low performing or less needed projects during its local competition this year, if applicable; and
5.	how your CoC communicated the reallocation process to project applicants.

(limit 2,000 characters)

The Continuum of Care body may reallocate HUD funds, for which it has monitoring oversight responsibility, under any of the following conditions: A

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change in local or funding priorities, A reduction in funding, A recipient agency chooses to no longer continue administering the CoC program grant, or a recipient agency is no longer able to administer the CoC program grant, The CoC decides that a recipient agency should no longer be allowed to administer the CoC program grant. (The CoC decision would be based on non performance or poor performance by a funded agency that puts the funding at risk.) Reallocation will generally occur at the renewal/ranking stage of the funding cycle. However, if documented unsatisfactory performance issues put continued funding at risk, the reallocation procedures can be activated at any stage in the funding cycle. Consideration of program participants and developing or approving a transition plan for program participants is a key responsibility of the CoC in the reallocation process and decision making. The CoC will also be responsible for notifying HUD and MSHDA funders, CoC membership and other community stakeholders who need to be included in planning this transition. There were no projects that were scored as low performing or less needed within our CoC and therefore now projects that were chosen for reallocation in this application.

	Reallocation Between FY 2016 and FY 2021. We use the response to this questi- determining your CoC's eligibility for bonus funds and for other NOFO criterion	on as a factor when below.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.2.f.		
your C	oC cumulatively reallocate at least 20 percent of its ARD between FY 2016 and FY	Y 2021?	Yes
1E-5.	Projects Rejected/Reduced-Public Posting. You Must Upload an Attachment to Screen if You Select Yes.	the 4B. Attachments	
	NOFO Section VII.B.2.g.		
1.	Did your CoC reject or reduce any project application(s)?		No
2.	If you selected yes, enter the date your CoC notified applicants that their project rejected or reduced, in writing, outside of e-snaps.	t applications were being	1
1E-5a.	Projects Accepted–Public Posting. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. A	Attachments Screen.	
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nter the date your CoC's Consolidated Application was posted on the CoC's website or affiliate's website-which	
ncluded:	
. the CoC Application;	
. Priority Listings; and	
. all projects accepted, ranked where required, or rejected.	

You must enter a date in question 1E-6.

2A. Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) implementation

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2A-1.	HMIS Vendor.		
	Not Scored–For Information Only		
Enter the r	name of the HMIS Vendor your CoC is currently using.	/ellsky Comm	unity Services
2A-2.	HMIS Implementation Coverage Area.		
	Not Scored–For Information Only		
Select from	n dropdown menu your CoC's HMIS coverage area.		Single CoC
2A-3.	HIC Data Submission in HDX.		
	NOFO Section VII.B.3.a.		
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Enter the a	late your CoC submitted its 2021 HIC data into HDX.		05/14/2021
Enter the C	late your Coc submitted its 2021 file data into fibx.		03/14/2021
2A-4.	HMIS Implementation-Comparable Database for DV.		
	NOFO Section VII.B.3.b.		
	Describe in the field below actions your CoC and HMIS Lead have taken to ensure DV housing a providers in your CoC:	and service	
1.	have a comparable database that collects the same data elements required in the HUD-published HMIS Data Standards; and	ed 2020	
2.	submit de-identified aggregated system performance measures data for each project in the com database to your CoC and HMIS lead.	nparable	
	(limit 2,000 characters)		

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Our local DV provider does have a comparable database used to collect needed data elements. They provided needed data to our CoC and HMIS lead as requested or required.

2A-5.	Bed Coverage Rate-Using HIC, HMIS Data-CoC Merger Bonus Points.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.3.c. and VII.B.7.	

Enter 2021 HIC and HMIS data in the chart below by project type:

Project Type	Total Beds 2021 HIC	Total Beds in HIC Dedicated for DV	Total Beds in HMIS	HMIS Bed Coverage Rate
1. Emergency Shelter (ES) beds	130	10	60	50.00%
2. Safe Haven (SH) beds	0	0	0	
3. Transitional Housing (TH) beds	0	0	0	
4. Rapid Re-Housing (RRH) beds	25	0	25	100.00%
5. Permanent Supportive Housing	78	0	78	100.00%
6. Other Permanent Housing (OPH)	0	0	0	

2A-5a.	Partial Credit for Bed Coverage Rates at or Below 84.99 for Any Project Type in Question 2A-5.
	NOFO Section VII.B.3.c.
	For each project type with a hed coverage rate that is at or helow 84.99 percent in question 24-5 describe-

steps your CoC will take over the next 12 months to increase the bed coverage rate to at least 85 percent for that project type; and
 how your CoC will implement the steps described to increase bed coverage to at least 85 percent.

(limit 2,000 characters)

During the 2021 count HIC count we had an agency that was moteling households that could not stay at the homeless shelter due to Covid restrictions and limitations. This was a temporary motel that was put into place through community donations and they were not entering into HMIS. This project is no longer in place and we don't foresee that they will be moteling again. However, if this should start up again we will work with them to enter all data into HMIS.

2A-5b.	Bed Coverage Rate in Comparable Databases.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.3.c.	
Enter the p	percentage of beds covered in comparable databases in your CoC's geographic area.	100.00%

2A-5b.1. Partial Credit for Bed Coverage Rates at or Below 84.99 for Question 2A-5b.	
NOFO Section VII.B.3.c.	

If the bed coverage rate entered in question 2A-5b. is 84.99 percent or less, describe in the field below:

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	steps your CoC will take over the next 12 months to increase the bed coverage rate to at least 85 percent; and
2.	how your CoC will implement the steps described to increase bed coverage to at least 85 percent.

(limit 2,000 characters)

N/A

2A-6.	Longitudinal System Analysis (LSA) Submission in HDX 2.0.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.3.d.	

Did your CoC submit LSA data to HUD in HDX 2.0 by January 15, 2021, 8 p.m. EST?	Yes	
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2B. Continuum of Care (CoC) Point-in-Time (PIT) Count

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I	NOFO Section VII.B.4.b.	
oes your C	CoC commit to conducting a sheltered and unsheltered PIT count in Calendar Year 2022?	Yes
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2B-2.	Unsheltered Youth PIT Count–Commitment for Calendar Year 2022.	

2C. System Performance

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2C-1.	Reduction in the Number of First Time Homeless-Risk Factors.
	NOFO Section VII.B.5.b.
	Describe in the field below:
	how your CoC determined which risk factors your CoC uses to identify persons becoming homeless for the first time;
2.	how your CoC addresses individuals and families at risk of becoming homeless; and
	provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to reduce the number of individuals and families experiencing homelessness for the first time or to end homelessness for individuals and families.

(limit 2,000 characters)

Our CoC has structured the coordinated entry system to assist us in identifying those that are most and least at risk of housing instability. First time homeless households are often those least at risk and referred to diversion services. CoC has placed emphasis on diversion and prevention by implementing programs that can address light touch case management needs for low acuity households and offer supportive services to those already living in affordable housing units or with vouchers to assist residents with maintaining these units. Focus is on building self-sufficiency and utilizing resources in place. The CoC is part of an eviction diversion program through 12th District Court, DHHS, South Central Michigan Legal Services, and Southeastern Michigan Dispute Resolution that assists landlords and tenants with mediation in an attempt to keep people housed and resolve landlord tenant issues without an eviction. The CoC has prioritized ESG and ESG-CV Prevention dollars as well as other Covid funds received within our community, to work with this program. Community Action Agency is the agency responsible for working with diversion and prevention funding in our community. The CoC quality committee is responsible for monitoring that this work is effectively being done.

2C-2.	Length of Time Homeless–Strategy to Reduce.		
	NOFO Section VII.B.5.c.		
	Describe in the field below:		
1.	your CoC's strategy to reduce the length of time individuals	s and persons in families remain ho	meless;
2. how your CoC identifies and houses individuals and persons in families with the longest lengths of time homeless; and			hs of time
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3. provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to reduce the length of time individuals and families remain homeless.

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By evaluating the progress in this measure, we are also able to see gaps in our coordinated entry system that could be improved upon. The CoC relies on the coordinated entry system to ensure that households are being quickly evaluated for service, referred and entered into service and then assisted with housing search. If the system is working effectively households should have decreased times between homeless and housing stability. Through the coordinated entry system, we are able to identify those with the highest acuity level, and those with chronic homelessness. The CoC has prioritized that we serve those with chronicity first before moving on to others with less time homeless, these households have priority to housing programs and services first. All funded providers are evaluated on improvements in reducing the lengths of time clients are homeless. This is tracked through HMIS and the regular coordinated entry meetings. The CoC has charged the Quality Committee members with the responsibility to monitor, evaluate and report to the CoC on the on-going results.

2C-3.	Exits to Permanent Housing Destinations/Retention of Permanent Housing.
	NOFO Section VII.B.5.d.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC will increase the rate that individuals and persons in families residing in:
1.	emergency shelter, safe havens, transitional housing, and rapid rehousing exit to permanent housing destinations; and

(limit 2,000 characters)

Having a universal screening tool for all providers and utilizing the coordinated entry system has assisted in eliminated over or under housing households but also ensuring households are given the adequate amount of supportive services needed. Having an effective case management team in place across the community that is inclusive of all housing providers allows households to receive the housing skills they need to be self-sufficient in permanent housing even after assistance ends. Allowing participants to receive the level of service needed builds both the relationship with the landlords and the participants. As mentioned before there is a strong emphasis on diversion in the community and utilizing services at the level needed. We are in the process of evaluating our discharge planning across the community to make it a usable and reliable part of the coordinated entry process. Through our previous work with the SIM funding in our community it has helped us set up a structure for working on gaps in our system. Having Coordinated Discharge planning in place will result in appropriate referrals and placements which in turn increases rates of permanent placements. It is important to the coordinated entry process that we are utilizing HCV, PBV and PHA resources in conjunction with CoC and ESG services. The CoC quality committee reviews and evaluates the performance and reports to the CoC. The CoC uses this analysis to direct needed changes by vote of the full board.

2C-4. Returns to Homelessness-CoC's Strategy to Reduce Rate.		
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Describe in the field below:

1. how your CoC identifies individuals and families who return to homelessness;

2. your CoC's strategy to reduce the rate of additional returns to homelessness; and

3. provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to reduce the rate individuals and persons in families return to homelessness.

(limit 2,000 characters)

The CoC has evaluated and implemented changes with priority to programming (previously reallocating transitional housing) and priority in service areas (utilizing the screening assessment universally). With the addition of a coordinated entry process that is used across the county and the evaluation of data from this process there will be a more efficient way to measure returns to homelessness. With continued emphasis on supportive services and allowing participants to have the level of service needed providers will be able to offer housing focused case management around areas such as substance use, mental and physical health stability and securing mainstream benefits. Through SIM planning we were able to survey homeless participants and better understand why there may be returns to homelessness. From these responses the following initiatives were coordinated by the CoC, reduce ER utilization-lead by hospital staff and CoC members, reduce evictions-lead by dispute resolution office, legal services, and CoC members, increase SOAR trained staff to increase stable income for participants-lead by CoC members, increase landlord participation in the HCV program-lead by CoC membership, address equity issues of discrimination in housing-lead by CoC membership and financial stability collaborative group. Long-term rental stability is effected by a lack knowledge of how to be a responsible tenant. Providers will ensure that participants are receiving life skills and soft skills needed to be good tenants, including financial counseling, understanding tenant rights, understanding lease agreements, and how to effectively have dialogue with a landlord. The CoC's quality committee is responsible for monitoring this across the CoC and working with providers to improve on gaps in services.

2C-5.	Increasing Employment Cash Income-Strategy.
	NOFO Section VII.B.5.f.
	Describe in the field below:
1.	your CoC's strategy to increase employment income;
	how your CoC works with mainstream employment organizations to help individuals and families increase their cash income; and
3.	provide the organization name or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to increase income from employment.

(limit 2,000 characters)

The CoC has organized our monthly CoC meetings to set aside time to have community service providers train membership on programming changes or updates, application processes, eligibility determination and answer questions. A new initiative from our Financial Stability Network is a series of criminal record expungement fairs, to improve employment and housing opportunities. CoC members participate in the fair outreach by identifying and referring housing

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clients who could benefit. Our CoC is also given updates by the local Work Force Development agency monthly on open jobs and this is disseminated to all membership to share with their participants. Employment training and services are assessed through the SDOH screening. CoC member organizations can connect clients to employment resources through the closed loop referral process which insures a warm handoff. The Work Force Development agency reaches out directly to the client improving the likelihood that the client will be successfully engaged. The CoC co-chairs take the lead on making sure that there is a strategy in place to educate providers. The CoC quality committee monitors how grantees are implementing these resources within their programs. They also monitor how often income increases for program participants is occurring and assist the grantees with identifying barriers to continuing to increase income among program participants.

2C-5a.	Increasing Employment Cash Income–Workforce Development–Education–Training.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.5.f.	
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:	
1.	promoted partnerships and access to employment opportunities with private employers and private employment organizations, such as holding job fairs, outreach to employers, and partnering with staffing agencies; and	
2.	is working with public and private organizations to provide meaningful education and training, on-the-job training, internships, and employment opportunities for program participants.	

(limit 2,000 characters)

2C-5b.	Increasing Non-employment Cash Income.
	NOFO Section VII.B.5.f.
	Describe in the field below:
1.	your CoC's strategy to increase non-employment cash income;

provide the organization name or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to

increase non-employment cash income. (limit 2,000 characters)

The CoC has created a workgroup to focus on building the SOAR program in our community. We would like to have more trained SOAR providers as well as a process to assist those trained SOAR providers with burdensome pieces of the process so that there are less stumbling blocks and more time to assist additional eligible participants with this need. We recognized this in a gap in our system analysis and this is an initiative that we are actively working on with a focus of gaining capacity with SOAR in our community. The CoC's workgroup members are responsible for monitoring increased number of trained SOAR providers and how to insure there are enough supports in place for trained providers.

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3A. Coordination with Housing and Healthcare Bonus Points

To help you complete the CoC Application, HUD published resources at https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition, including:
- Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Continuum of Care Program

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- FY 2021 CoC Application Detailed Instructions—essential in helping you maximize your CoC Application score by giving specific guidance on how to respond to many questions and providing specific information about attachments you must upload

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3A-1.	New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Housing Resources.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.6.a.	
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Is your Cowhich are homelessr	C applying for a new PSH or RRH project(s) that uses housing subsidies or subsidized housing units not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs to help individuals and families experiencing ness?	No
3A-1a.	New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project-Leveraging Housing Commitment. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.6.a.	
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	Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate the organization(s) that provided the subsidies or subsidized housing units for the proposed new PH-PSH or PH-RRH project(s).	
1.	Private organizations	No
2.	State or local government	No
3.	Public Housing Agencies, including use of a set aside or limited preference	No
4.	Faith-based organizations	No
5.	Federal programs other than the CoC or ESG Programs	No
3A-2.	New PSH/RRH Project–Leveraging Healthcare Resources.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.6.b.	
Is your Co	C applying for a new PSH or RRH project that uses healthcare resources to help individuals and families ng homelessness?	No

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Formal Written Agreements-Value of Commitment-Project Restrictions. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	
NOFO Section VII.B.6.b.	

Did your CoC obtain a formal written agreement that includes: (a) the project name; (b) value of the commitment; and (c) specific dates that healthcare resources will be provided (e.g., 1-year, term of grant, etc.)?	No
Is project eligibility for program participants in the new PH-PSH or PH-RRH project based on CoC Program fair housing requirements and not restricted by the health care service provider?	No

3A-3.	Leveraging Housing Resources-Leveraging Healthcare Resources-List of Projects.	
	NOFO Sections VII.B.6.a. and VII.B.6.b.	

If you selected yes to question 3A-1. or 3A-2., use the list feature icon to enter information on each project you intend for HUD to evaluate to determine if they meet the bonus points criteria.

Project Name	Project Type	Rank Number	Leverage Type
This list contains no items			

3B. New Projects With Rehabilitation/New **Construction Costs**

To help you complete the CoC Application, HUD published resources at https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition, including:
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3B-1.	Rehabilitation/New Construction Costs-New Projects.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.r.	
	C requesting funding for any new project application requesting \$200,000 or more in funding for housing No on or new construction?)
3B-2.	Rehabilitation/New Construction Costs-New Projects.	
	NOFO Section VII.B.1.s.	
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	If you answered yes to question 3B-1, describe in the field below actions CoC Program-funded project applicants will take to comply with:	
1.	Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u); and	
2.	HUD's implementing rules at 24 CFR part 75 to provide employment and training opportunities for low- and very-low-income persons, as well as contracting and other economic opportunities for businesses that	

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N/A

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3C. Serving Persons Experiencing Homelessness as Defined by Other Federal Statutes

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20.4	Designation CCO/TU/Leint TU and DU DDU Company Designate to Coming Designations	
36-1.	Designating SSO/TH/Joint TH and PH-RRH Component Projects to Serving Persons Experiencing Homelessness as Defined by Other Federal Statutes.	
	NOFO Section VII.C.	
	C requesting to designate one or more of its SSO, TH, or Joint TH and PH-RRH component projects to lies with children or youth experiencing homelessness as defined by other Federal statutes?)
3C-2.	Serving Persons Experiencing Homelessness as Defined by Other Federal Statutes. You Must Upload an Attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	
	NOFO Section VII.C.	
	If you answered yes to question 3C-1, describe in the field below:]
1.	how serving this population is of equal or greater priority, which means that it is equally or more cost effective in meeting the overall goals and objectives of the plan submitted under Section 427(b)(1)(B) of the Act, especially with respect to children and unaccompanied youth than serving the homeless as defined in paragraphs (1), (2), and (4) of the definition of homeless in 24 CFR 578.3; and	
	how your CoC will meet requirements described in Section 427(b)(1)(F) of the Act.	1

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N/A-our CoC does not currently have these projects to designate to.

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4A. DV Bonus Application

To help you complete the CoC Application, HUD published resources at https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition, including:
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4A-1.	New D	V Bonus Project Applications.			
	NOFO	Section II.B.11.e.			
Did your C	oC sub	mit one or more new project applications for DV Bonus Funding?			Yes
4A-1a.	DV Bo	nus Project Types.			
	NOFO	Section II.B.11.			
		yes or no in the chart below to indicate the type(s) of new DV Bonus project(s) your CoC include 2021 Priority Listing.	led in		
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		Project Type			
	1.	SSO Coordinated Entry	No		
	2. PH-RRH or Joint TH/RRH Component Yes				
	Y	ou must click "Save" after selecting Yes for element 1 SSO Coc Entry to view questions 4A-3 and 4A-3a.	orain	ated	
4A-2.	Numbe	er of Domestic Violence Survivors in Your CoC's Geographic Area.			
	NOFO	Section II.B.11.			
1	I. Ente	r the number of survivors that need housing or services:			
2	2. Enter the number of survivors your CoC is currently serving:				
3	3. Unmet Need:				
		You must enter a value for elements 1 and 2 in question 4A	-2.		
4A-2a.	Calcul	ating Local Need for New DV Projects.			
	NOFO	Section II.B.11.			

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Describe in the field below:
how your CoC calculated the number of DV survivors needing housing or services in question 4A-2 element 1 and element 2; and
the data source (e.g. comparable database, other administrative data, external data source, HMIS for non-DV projects); or
if your CoC is unable to meet the needs of all survivors please explain in your response all barriers to meeting those needs.

(limit 2,000 characters)

4A-4.	. New PH-RRH and Joint TH and PH-RRH Component DV Bonus Projects-Project Applicant Information.	
	NOFO Section II.B.11.	

Use the list feature icon to enter information on each unique project applicant applying for New PH-RRH and Joint TH and PH-RRH Component DV Bonus projects—only enter project applicant information once, regardless of how many DV Bonus projects that applicant is applying for.

Applicant Name

Community Action ...

Project Applicants Applying for New PH-RRH and Joint TH and PH-RRH DV Bonus Projects

4		New PH-RRH and Joint TH and PH-RRH Component DV Bonus Projects–Project Applicant Information–Rate of Housing Placement and Rate of Housing Retention–Project Applicant Exper	ience.	
		NOFO Section II.B.11.		
		Enter information in the chart below on the project applicant applying for one or more New PH-R Joint TH and PH-RRH Component DV Bonus Projects included on your CoC's FY 2021 Priority Li	RH and isting:	
		cant Name	Community A	action Agency
		of Housing Placement of DV Survivors-Percentage		
3.	Kate	of Housing Retention of DV Survivors–Percentage	4. 4.5	
		You must enter a response for elements 1 through 3 in ques	stion 4A-	4.
4,	A-4a.	Calculating the Rate of Housing Placement and the Rate of Housing Retention–Project Applicant Experience.	t	
		NOFO Section II.B.11.		
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		Describe in the field below:		
		how the project applicant calculated the rate of housing placement and rate of housing retention in question 4A-4; and	reported	
		the data source (e.g. comparable database, other administrative data, external data source, HMIS DV projects).	6 for non-	
		(limit 1,000 characters)		
4/	۹-4b.	Providing Housing to DV Survivor–Project Applicant Experience.		
		NOFO Section II.B.11.		
		Describe in the field below how the project applicant:		
	1.	ensured DV survivors experiencing homelessness were assisted to quickly move into safe affore housing;	dable	
	2.	prioritized survivors-you must address the process the project applicant used, e.g., Coordinated prioritization list, CoC's emergency transfer plan, etc.;	d Entry,	
	3.	connected survivors to supportive services; and		
	4.	moved clients from assisted housing to housing they could sustain-address housing stability at housing subsidy ends.	fter the	
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4,	A-4c.	Ensuring DV Survivor Safety-Project Applicant Experience.		
		NOFO Section II.B.11.		

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	Describe in the field below examples of how the project applicant ensured the safety of DV survivors experiencing homelessness by:	
1.	training staff on safety planning;	
2.	adjusting intake space to better ensure a private conversation;	
3.	conducting separate interviews/intake with each member of a couple;	
4.	working with survivors to have them identify what is safe for them as it relates to scattered site units and/or rental assistance;	
5.	maintaining bars on windows, fixing lights in the hallways, etc. for congregate living spaces operated by the applicant; and	
6.	keeping the location confidential for dedicated units and/or congregate living spaces set-aside solely for use by survivors.	

(limit 5,000 characters)

4A-4c.1.	Evaluating Ability to Ensure DV Survivor Safety-Project Applicant Experience.	
	NOFO Section II.B.11.	

Describe in the field below how the project evaluated its ability to ensure the safety of DV survivors the project served.

(limit 2,000 characters)

۸-4d.	Trauma-Informed, Victim-Centered Approaches-Project Applicant Experience.
	NOFO Section II.B.11.
	Describe in the field below examples of the project applicant's experience in using trauma-informed, victim-centered approaches to meet needs of DV survivors in each of the following areas:
1.	prioritizing program participant choice and rapid placement and stabilization in permanent housing consistent with participants' preferences;
2.	establishing and maintaining an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures program participant staff interactions are based on equality and minimize power differentials;
3.	providing program participants access to information on trauma, e.g., training staff on providing program participants with information on trauma;
4.	emphasizing program participants' strengths, e.g., strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans include assessments of program participants strengths and works towards goals and aspirations;
5.	centering on cultural responsiveness and inclusivity, e.g., training on equal access, cultural competence, nondiscrimination;
6.	providing opportunities for connection for program participants, e.g., groups, mentorships, peer-to-peer, spiritual needs; and
7.	offering support for parenting, e.g., parenting classes, childcare.

(limit 5,000 characters)

4A-4e.	Meeting Service Needs of DV Survivors-Project Ap	plicant Experience.		
	NOFO Section II.B.11.			
	Describe in the field below:			
1.	supportive services the project applicant provided to domestic violence survivors experiencing homelessness while quickly moving them into permanent housing and addressing their safety needs; and		ng y needs; and	

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2. provide examples of how the project applicant provided the supportive services to domestic violence survivors.

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A-4f.	Trauma-Informed, Victim-Centered Approaches-New Project Implementation.
	NOFO Section II.B.11.
	Provide examples in the field below of how the new project will:
1.	prioritize program participant choice and rapid placement and stabilization in permanent housing consistent with participants' preferences;
2.	establish and maintain an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures program participant staff interactions are based on equality and minimize power differentials;
3.	provide program participants access to information on trauma, e.g., training staff on providing program participants with information on trauma;
4.	place emphasis on program participants' strengths, e.g., strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans include assessments of program participants strengths and works towards goals and aspirations;
5.	center on cultural responsiveness and inclusivity, e.g., training on equal access, cultural competence, nondiscrimination;
6.	provide opportunities for connection for program participants, e.g., groups, mentorships, peer-to-peer, spiritual needs; and
7.	offer support for parenting, e.g., parenting classes, childcare.

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4B. Attachments Screen For All Application Questions

We prefer that you use PDF files, though other file types are supported. Please only use zip files if necessary.

Attachments must match the questions they are associated with.

Only upload documents responsive to the questions posed–including other material slows down the review process, which ultimately slows down the funding process.

We must be able to read the date and time on attachments requiring system-generated dates and times, (e.g., a screenshot displaying the time and date of the public posting using your desktop calendar; screenshot of a webpage that indicates date and time).

Document Type	Required?	Document Description	Date Attached
1C-14. CE Assessment Tool	Yes		
1C-7. PHA Homeless Preference	No		
1C-7. PHA Moving On Preference	No		
1E-1. Local Competition Announcement	Yes		
1E-2. Project Review and Selection Process	Yes		
1E-5. Public Posting–Projects Rejected-Reduced	Yes		
1E-5a. Public Posting–Projects Accepted	Yes		
1E-6. Web Posting–CoC- Approved Consolidated Application	Yes		
3A-1a. Housing Leveraging Commitments	No		
3A-2a. Healthcare Formal Agreements	No		
3C-2. Project List for Other Federal Statutes	No		

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3C. Serving Homeless Under Other Federal 11/08/2021

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4A. DV Bonus Application Please Complete

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Submission Summary No Input Required

Notes:

4A. DV Bonus Application list contains 1 incomplete item.