1E-5c. Web Posting—CoC-Approved Consolidated Application

Before Starting the CoC Application

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

the CoC Application,
 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 2024 CoC Program Competition Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for specific

application and program requirements.

2. The FY 2024 CoC Application Detailed Instructions which provide additional information and guidance for completing the application.

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 2024 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 HUD'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).

1A. Continuum of Care (CoC) Identification

HUD publishes resources on the HUD gov website at CoC Program Competition to assist you in completing the CoC Application. Resources include:

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- FY 2024 CoC Application Navigational Guide;

- Section 3 Resources; - PHA Crosswalk; and

- Frequently Asked Questions

1A-1. CoC Name and Number: NY-500 - Rochester, Irondequoit, Greece/Monroe

County CoC

1A-2. Collaborative Applicant Name: Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum

of Care, Inc.

1A-3. CoC Designation: CA

1A-4. HMIS Lead: Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum

of Care

1B. Coordination and Engagement–Inclusive Structure and Participation

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1B-1.	Inclusive Structure and Participation–Participation in Coordinated Entry.
	NOFO Sections V.B.1.a.(1), V.B.1.e., V.B.1f., and V.B.1.p.
	In the chart below for the period from May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2024:
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
2.	select Nonexistent if the organization does not exist in your CoC's geographic area:

	Organization/Person	Participated In CoC Meetings	Voted, Including Electing CoC Board Members	Participated in CoC's Coordinated Entry System
1.	Affordable Housing Developer(s)	Yes	Yes	Yes
2.	CDBG/HOME/ESG Entitlement Jurisdiction	Yes	Yes	Yes
3.	Disability Advocates	Yes	No	Yes
4.	Disability Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	Yes
5.	EMS/Crisis Response Team(s)	No	No	No
6.	Homeless or Formerly Homeless Persons	Yes	Yes	Yes
7.	Hospital(s)	Yes	Yes	No
8.	Indian Tribes and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) (Tribal Organizations)	Nonexistent	No	No
9.	Law Enforcement	Yes	Yes	Yes
10.	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender (LGBTQ+) Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
11.	LGBTQ+ Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	Yes
12.	Local Government Staff/Officials	Yes	Yes	Yes
13.	Local Jail(s)	Yes	Yes	Yes
14.	Mental Health Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	No
15.	Mental Illness Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
16.	Organizations led by and serving Black, Brown, Indigenous and other People of Color	Yes	Yes	Yes

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	th Service Providers	Yes	Yes	Yes
32. Yout	th Homeless Organizations	Yes	Yes	Yes
31. Yout	th Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
30. State	e Sexual Assault Coalition	No	No	No
29. State	e Domestic Violence Coalition	No	No	No
28. Othe	er Victim Service Organizations	Yes	No	No
27. Dom	nestic Violence Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
26. Victi	im Service Providers	Yes	Yes	Yes
25. Agei	ncies Serving Survivors of Human Trafficking	Yes	Yes	Yes
24. Subs	stance Abuse Service Organizations	Yes	Yes	Yes
23. Subs	stance Abuse Advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
22. Stree	et Outreach Team(s)	Yes	Yes	Yes
21. Scho	ool Administrators/Homeless Liaisons	Yes	Yes	Yes
20. Publ	lic Housing Authorities	Yes	Yes	Yes
19. Othe	er homeless subpopulation advocates	Yes	Yes	Yes
18. Orga	anizations led by and serving people with disabilities	Yes	Yes	Yes
17. Orga	anizations led by and serving LGBTQ+ persons	Yes	Yes	Yes

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

1B-1a.	Experience Promoting Racial Equity.	
	NOFO Section III.B.3.c.	

Describe in the field below your CoC's experience in effectively addressing the needs of underserved communities, particularly Black and Brown communities, who are substantially overrepresented in the homeless population.

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The CoC works collaboratively with community based organizations that primarily serve indigenous and persons of color that ensures that the homeless system equitably assists underserved populations, such as Action for a Better Community, the Urban League of Rochester, IBERO, Baden Street Settlement House, SWAN, the Father Tracy Outreach Center, etc. All of these organizations are members of the Homeless Services Network, the primary stakeholder group of the CoC, and provide input to the CoC on issues of homelessness and how the CoC can ensure racial equity in the homeless system.

The CoC is currently working on the development of a new assessment tool for referrals to the Prioritization List. The CoC worked with Causewave to ensure that participants in the Focus Groups and interviews conducted to develop questions and give feedback on administration of the tool represented underserved populations, persons with lived experience and providers. This input will ensure that the assessment tool will be culturally responsive, trauma informed and client-centered.

The CoC is acutely aware that homelessness disproportionately affects Black and Brown communities and that BIPOC persons are over-represented in the homeless population. We use HMIS data annually to determine where there may be inequities in terms of BIPOC persons being able to access housing and services. HMIS and Stella data are analyzed at least annually to ensure that the racial composition of the program participants served mirrors the racial composition of the homeless population. We have found that there is little disparity in the homeless system, CoC and ESG participants are racially and ethnically representative of the homeless population.

Both renewal project and new project applications include questions regarding the racial/ethnic backgrounds of participants and how they ensure that they are reaching underserved populations.

1B-2.	Open Invitation for New Members.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.a.(2)
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:
1.	communicated a transparent invitation process annually (e.g., communicated to the public on the CoC's website) to solicit new members to join the CoC;
2.	ensured effective communication and access for persons with disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats; and
3.	invited organizations serving culturally specific communities experiencing homelessness in your CoC's geographic area to address equity (e.g., Black, Latino, Indigenous, LGBTQ+, and persons with disabilities).

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 The two main entities of the CoC are the CoC Board and its stakeholder group, the Homeless Services Network (HSN). New members may join HSN at any point throughout the year and can participate fully in all activities immediately upon joining, including voting privileges. 80+ members attend the monthly HSN meetings. HSN elects two of its members to the CoC Board. HSN and CoC bylaws are publicly available on the CoC website, that spell out membership eligibility and the parameters of their activities. Annually the CoC Governance Committee actively seeks out new CoC Board members who have experience and expertise in areas related to homelessness. Homeless service providers, health and behavioral health providers, housing developers, finance, and legal professionals are also recruited. Special outreach is made to recruit members of the community that are underrepresented in its current membership. Membership is encouraged via the 400+ membership email list and current members are encouraged to share the invitation to join with their peers, colleagues and networks they participate in. All HSN activities are accessible for individuals of all abilities and disabilities. Communication is sent via email and meetings are held via Zoom or in accessible locations. Persons with limited vision or hearing can view meetings with closed captioning or dial into meetings using phones. Sign language interpreter(s) are provided for all HSN full membership meetings. 3. Among the member representatives of HSN are agencies that are led by culturally diverse staff, and serve BIPOC persons within the geographic area. The Coordinated Entry Oversight Committee has formed an Equity and Inclusion workgroup to ensure that there is equity in accessing housing and services and in program outcomes and diversity within our partner agencies.

1B-3.	CoC's Strategy to Solicit/Consider Opinions on Preventing and Ending Homelessness.
	NOFO Section V.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;
3.	ensured effective communication and access for persons with disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats; and
4.	took into consideration information gathered in public meetings or forums to address improvements or new approaches to preventing and ending homelessness.

1. The CoC convenes and participates in meetings with representatives who have diverse viewpoints about homelessness. Such groups include: Persons with Lived Experience, Chronically Homeless Workgroup, unsheltered homeless, Homeless Services Network (HSN, the stakeholder organization for the CoC), Community Health Improvement Workgroup (with emergency room staff, physicians, public health leadership, behavioral health professionals), Neighborhood & Business Development, local Landlord Associations, and law enforcement. CoC and Coordinated Entry staff convene regular weekly/biweekly meetings with homeless service staff, including front line staff and supervisors, peers, persons with lived experience, and local landlords. Opinions are solicited in these meetings to gain input on current practices, policies and procedures, etc.

2. CoC and Homeless Services Network (HSN) leaders are also members of larger collaborations and task forces such as the Rochester/Monroe Anti-Poverty Initiative, 1115 Waiver Workgroup - FLPPS and Common Ground Health, Health Home/Managed Care Initiatives, and statewide CoC meetings. This ensures that homelessness and housing issues are included on these agendas that create new partnerships and can bring additional resources. The CoC keeps constituents informed of activities and receives feedback via the

HSN and the CoC weekly newsletter.

3. HSN annually solicits information for the purpose of developing Community Priorities. Based on input from HSN membership 2024 priorities include: creating a landlord/tenant/case worker mediation pilot program to improve communication between all parties and provide an opportunity to address housing retention in the event housing stability is jeopardized, advocating County Dept. of Mental Health to address increased Mental Health needs of homeless, bring Mental Health services on-site to shelters, strategizing how to address staffing shortages within homeless programs.

4. Information gathered at public meetings and forums is taken into consideration in the development of new approaches and in planning activities. Some examples during this past year include increasing the number of warming centers to provide a safe, warm place for homeless persons unwilling or unable to access emergency shelter, changes made to the annual monitoring process, providing ASL translators at all HSN meetings, and advocacy to explore other

ways to fund emergency shelters.

1B-4.	Public Notification for Proposals from Organizations Not Previously Awarded CoC Program Funding.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.a.(4)
	Describe in the field below how your CoC notified the public:
1.	that your CoC will consider project applications from organizations that have not previously received CoC Program funding;
2.	about how project applicants must submit their project applications—the process;
3.	about how your CoC would determine which project applications it would submit to HUD for funding; and
4.	ensured effective communication and access for persons with disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats.

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1.Targeted outreach is conducted to sectors and agencies that have not previously applied for funding, such as new members of the Homeless Services Network, the local Department of Health, Community Health Improvement Workgroup, housing and other service providers that have not received CoC funding. The CoC encourages new partnerships that could potentially increase resources for housing and services for the homeless.

2.The CoC Local Application process is open and transparent to all members of the community. All materials related to applications are published on the CoC website and all interested parties are encouraged to apply. In addition to public postings, the CoC stakeholders, Homeless Services Network (HSN) will allot time during the public meetings to allow the CoC to share the funding announcement. HSN is comprised of members across all sectors of the community who have an interest in homeless issues. The CoC publishes the announcement in its weekly newsletter that is also sent to the 400+ interested parties via email. Project applicants must submit their project applications via email. Potential applicants are instructed to contact the CoC if they are not able to electronically submit.

3. The non-conflicted Review and Ranking Committee reviews all renewal and new project applications. Once those applications have been received and scored, the full ranked project list is produced. Individual letters are sent to organizations that submitted applications informing them of their score and ranking. The final project ranking is also posted to the CoC website.

4. The CoC communicates with people of all abilities, and utilizes email, phone, TTY and upon request ASL translation. All documents are produced using Office and Adobe and are reviewed for accessibility issues and all documents are posted in pdf format.

1C. Coordination and Engagement

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1C-1.	Coordination with Federal, State, Local, Private, and Other Organizations.
	NOFO Section V.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.

	Entitles or Organizations Your CoC Coordinates with for Planning or Operations of Projects	Coordinates with the 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)	Nonexistent
9.	Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	Yes
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 LGBTQ+ 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 V.B.1.b.			
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			In the chart below select yes or no to indicate whe	other your CoC:		
1.	Consulted w	ith ESG Pi	ogram recipients in planning and allocating ESG Pr	ogram funds?		Yes
2.	Provided Poits geograph	int-in-Tīme ic area?	(PIT) count and Housing Inventory Count (HIC) date	ta to the Consolidated Plan jurisdic	tions within	Yes
3.	Ensured loca	al homeles	sness information is communicated and addressed	in the Consolidated Plan updates?		Yes
4.	Coordinated	with ESG	recipients in evaluating and reporting performance	of ESG Program recipients and sul	orecipients?	Yes
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	10-3.		Ensuring Families are not Separated.			
			NOFO Section V.B.1.c.			J _:
			Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate how transitional housing, and permanent housing (PSI-family members regardless of each family member identity:	and RRH) do not deny admission	or separate	
1.	Conducted reseparated?	nandatory	raining for all CoC- and ESG-funded service provid	ers to ensure families are not	Yes	
2.	Conducted o	ptional trai d?	ning for all CoC- and ESG-funded service providers	to ensure family members are	No	
3.	Worked with	CoC and I	SG recipient(s) to adopt uniform anti-discrimination	policies for all subrecipients?	Yes	
4.	Worked with area that mig compliance?	ht be out o	ent(s) to identify both CoC- and ESG-funded faciliti of compliance and took steps to work directly with th	es within your CoC's geographic ose facilities to bring them into	Yes	
5.	Sought assis noncomplian	tance from ce by serv	HUD by submitting questions or requesting technic ce providers?	cal assistance to resolve	No	
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		1C-4.	CoC Collaboration Related to Children and Youth-	-SEAs, LEAs, School Districts.		
			NOFO Section V.B.1.d.]
			Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate the	entities your CoC collaborates with	:]
	1,	Youth Edi	cation Provider			Yes
	2.	State Edu	cation Agency (SEA)			No
	3.	Local Edu	cation Agency (LEA)			No
	4.	School Di	stricts			Yes
		1C-4a.	Formal Partnerships with Youth Education Provide	rs, SEAs, LEAs, School Districts.		
			NOFO Section V.B.1.d.			
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Describe in the field below the formal partnerships your CoC has with at least one of the entities where you responded yes in question 1C-4.

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The McKinney-Vento liaison for the Rochester City School District (RCSD), the largest school district in the CoC, is a member of the Homeless Services Network (HSN), the stakeholder group for the CoC. RCSD is a member of the HSN Steering Committee and a member of the CoC Review and Ranking Committee to ensure ongoing communication around educational needs of homeless children in the shelter system who are with their parent(s)/guardian(s) and unaccompanied youth. The Greece School District, the second largest school district, is an active member of HSN. All CoC and ESG funded projects that serve unaccompanied youth and families with school age children have designated staff that are responsible for ensuring that the educational needs of the children are met in a timely manner. These programs have effective relationships with the McKinney Vento liaisons at both the Rochester and suburban school districts, support staff at local community colleges and universities to ensure educational needs are being met. Programs have policies and procedures detailing how youth should be encouraged to remain and/or be connected to educational services.

1C-4b. Informing Individuals and Families Who Have Recently Begun Experiencing Homelessness about Eligibility for Educational Services.

NOFO Section V.B.1.d.

Describe in the field below written policies and procedures your CoC uses to inform individuals and families who have recently begun experiencing homelessness of their eligibility for educational services.

(limit 2,500 characters)

For all CoC and ESG funded programs that serve persons less than 19 years of age, or less than 22 if they have/had an Individualized Education Plan (IEP), the CoC Written Standards require that the programs identify a staff person(s) whose responsibility is to inform participants of their eligibility for educational services; assist as needed with obtaining school supplies, clothing, or other items that are needed to return/stay in school, assist as needed with providing/coordinating transportation so that students miss the fewest number of days as possible at both entry into program and exit. Transportation also includes any after school programs/activities that the student participated in prior to becoming homeless. The two providers of Head Start and Early Head Start are members of the Homeless Services Network and provide information on their programs to the membership.

1C-4c. Written/Formal Agreements or Partnerships with Early Childhood Services Providers.

NOFO Section V.B.1.d.

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:

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		MOU/MOA	Other Formal Agreement
1,	Birth to 3 years	No	Yes
2.	Child Care and Development Fund	No	No
3.	Early Childhood Providers	No	Yes
4.	Early Head Start	No	Yes
5.	Federal Home Visiting Program–(including Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home and Visiting or MIECHV)	No	No
6.	Head Start	No	Yes
7.	Healthy Start	No	Yes
8.	Public Pre-K	No	Yes
9.	Tribal Home Visiting Program	No	No
	Other (limit 150 characters)		
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1C-5. Addressing Needs of Survivors of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking–Collaboration with Federally Funded Programs and Victim Service Providers.

NOFO Section V.B.1.e.

In the chart below select yes or no for the organizations your CoC collaborates with:

	Organizations	
1.	State Domestic Violence Coalitions	Yes
2.	State Sexual Assault Coalitions	Yes
3.	Anti-trafficking Service Providers	Yes
	Other Organizations that Help this Population (limit 500 characters)	
4.		

1C-5a.	Collaborating with Federally Funded Programs and Victim Service Providers to Address Needs of Survivors of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.e.	٢

	Describe in the field below how your CoC regularly collaborates with organizations that you selected yes to in Question 1C-5 to:
1.	update CoC-wide policies; and
2.	ensure all housing and services provided in the CoC's geographic area are trauma-informed and can meet the needs of survivors.

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1.Willow Domestic Violence Center (Willow) is the licensed Victim Service Provider (VSP) for this geographic area. Willow participates fully in all CoC and Coordinated Entry (CE) activities, including planning, training, and analyzing written policies. Written Standards for CoC and ESG funded programs are reviewed annually by all programs who participate, including the VSP. The CE Oversight Committee convenes subcommittees, one of which is the Training & Process Improvement Committee of which the VSP is a member. Additionally, the CoC worked directly with the VSP to develop a training curriculum for all frontline staff of CoC and ESG programs that provides details of developing safety plans and the current best practices for working with and serving survivors of domestic violence.

2.Most homeless programs provide their staff with training to deliver services in a trauma-informed manner. To supplement training that staff might be receiving from their employer, the CoC has implemented a training platform for all homeless program staff that includes modules about delivering services in a trauma-informed manner. The Coordinated Entry (CE) lead agency in the CoC also holds regular training seminars around topics that include trauma-informed care and are taught by mental health care practitioners. These trainings are available to the community free of charge, and CoC and ESG staff are encouraged to enroll.

1C-5b.	Implemented Safety Planning, Confidentiality Protocols in Your CoC's Coordinated Entry to Address the Needs of Survivors of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.e.	
	Describe in the field below how your CoC's coordinated entry addresses the needs of DV survivors by including:	

1.Training on best practices to address the needs of DV survivors is primarily provided by Willow Domestic Violence Center (Willow). Trainings are held at least once per year specifically for homeless program staff and focus on safety; importance of having and developing a safety plan, confidentiality, the basics of trauma informed and victim centered services. Willow staff developed a DV 101 training module for the CoC virtual learning center which can be accessed any time for new staff until an in-person training is available. Willow provides education and training in the schools, community based organizations and other settings that program staff can attend. Other organizations offer more in depth training on trauma informed and person centered practices such as Community Care Services, Inc. (CCSI) and the YWCA. Best practice training ensures that the needs of DV survivors can be met throughout the homeless system and that a full range of housing options are available to survivors.

2.Coordinated Entry (CE) staff participate in Willow trainings with a focus on safety especially in the area of confidentiality. CE staff who get referrals for those fleeing DV who are not linked to a victim service provider (VSP) connect them with Willow's 24-hour hotline to link to DV services. Based on the assessment of Willow staff a decision will be made on how to proceed with referrals to housing programs. Only de-identified data is shared during the referral process to housing programs. There is not a separate DV access point

for CE.

	Violence, Dating Violence, Šexual Assault, and Stalking Survivors.	
1C-5c.	Coordinated Annual Training on Best Practices to Address the Needs of Survivors of Domestic	

NOFO Section V.B.1.e.

In the chart below, indicate how your CoC facilitates training for project staff and coordinated entry staff that addresses best practices on safety planning and confidentiality protocols:

		Project Staff	Coordinated Entry Staff
1	Training Occurs at least annually?	Yes	Yes
2	Incorporates Trauma Informed best practices?	Yes	Yes
3.	Incorporates Survivor-Centered best practices?	Yes	Yes
4.	Identifies and assesses survivors' individual safety needs?	Yes	Yes
5.	Enhances and supports collaboration with DV organizations?	Yes	Yes
6.	Ensures survivors' rights, voices, and perspectives are incorporated?	Yes	Yes
	Other? (limit 500 characters)		
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1C-5d.	Implemented VAWA-Required Written Emergency Transfer Plan Policies and Procedures for Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.e.	

	Describe in the field below:
1.	whether your CoC's written policies and procedures include an emergency transfer plan;
2.	how your CoC informs all households seeking or receiving CoC Program assistance about their rights to an emergency transfer;

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- 3. what your CoC requires households to do to request emergency transfers; and
- 4. what your CoC does in response to households requesting emergency transfers.

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1. The Case Manager or Housing Specialist would inform the household of the emergency transfer process should the need arise. The emergency transfer plan is part of the Coordinated Entry (CE) operations manual so that program staff are aware of the policy and able to inform their clients. The CoC has implemented an emergency transfer plan in accordance with the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). This plan identifies tenants who are eligible for an emergency transfer, the documentation needed to request an emergency transfer, confidentiality protections, how an emergency transfer may occur, and guidance to tenants on safety and security. This plan is based on a model emergency transfer plan published by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and is in compliance with VAWA. If a program participant experiences domestic violence and it is determined that their safety is at risk if they remain in the housing unit, they will be transferred to another unit within the program if one is available or will go to the top of the prioritization list if they must transfer to another program.

2. All households who are seeking or receiving CoC program assistance are educated about their rights to an emergency transfer. The information on how they may request an emergency transfer is provided both during the intake into the program and case managers educate participants throughout their stay on the process and encourage them to share right away if they feel they are in any

sort of danger. The safety plan may then be changed if necessary.

3. If a household is in need of an emergency transfer they are instructed to contact their case manager for the housing program and inform them of their situation and the need for the transfer. The case manager will then contact Coordinated Entry staff, the Prioritization List Coordinator to let them know that that they have a participant that needs to be relocated to a different unit due to being in danger from an abuser.

4. The Prioritization List Coordinator will determine whether there is an availability of another unit in the current program or whether a transfer to another program is going to be needed. The Prioritization List Coordinator will schedule an emergency case conference if there is a need to transfer to another program. If there are no current openings, the household will go to the

top of the Prioritization List.

1C-5e. Facilitating Safe Access to Housing and Services for Survivors of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking.

NOFO Section V.B.1.e.

Describe in the field below how your CoC ensures households experiencing trauma or a lack of safety related to fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking have safe access to all of the housing and services available within your CoC's geographic area.

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The CoC ensures that survivors are able to access all housing and services available. Willow Domestic Violence Center (Willow) is the only licensed victim service provider (VSP) in the CoC. Willow staff are members of the Coordinated Entry (CE) Oversight Workgroup which ensures that the specific needs of survivors are incorporated in all CE policies and procedures. Willow staff are knowledgeable of the housing and services available through the homeless system and are trained to complete the vulnerability assessment tool that is required for referral to the CE prioritization list. Willow staff participate in the CE Oversight Workgroup and at the Homeless Services Network (HSN) meetings both of which are forums where barriers within the homeless response system are identified and solutions are developed, often resulting in changes to policies and procedures that ensure the safety and confidentiality of survivors. The Emergency Transfer plan that has been implemented is one example of the collaborative work that happens in the CoC.

1C-5f.	Identifying and Removing Barriers for Survivors of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.e.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC ensures survivors receive safe housing and services by:
1,	Describe in the field below how your CoC ensures survivors receive safe housing and services by: identifying barriers specific to survivors; and

- 1. The CoC meets regularly with Willow Domestic Violence Center staff to ensure that survivors have as few barriers as possitble to ensure that they receive safe housing and services. Willow staff have facilitated multiple trainings this year to ensure that housing providers are educated on DV issues, safety planning and identifying the barriers that exist for survivors. Many of the barriers to survivors who are trying to access housing and services are common to the homeless and low-income populations; affordablitity and availability. There are less safe, affordable housing units resulting in the increase in the length of time homeless. Training provided by Willow informs housing providers serving survivors about focusing on housing that is safe, located whenever possible in neighborhoods that their abusers are not likely to be in, ensuring that security of the unit, i.e. - good locks, the ability to see who is at the door, etc. are a focus during the housing search process. Landlords are also educated around DV issues so they are more likely to be willing to rent to this population, agree to make speedy repairs if there are issues with broken windows, damages to doors, etc.
- 2. When barriers are identified, the CoC and VSPs work together collaboratively to find solutions. One example this year is clarification or regulations were made to ensure that survivors who are fleeing DV and living with friends/family are eligible to be placed on the prioritization list for RRH or PSH resources. Willow Domestic Violence Center is applying for a DV Bonus project for 2024-25 CoC funding for the first time, an indication that our increased focus on ensuring that survivors are safely housed has built stronger relationships between the CoC and VSPs. If the DV Bonus project is awarded, there will be additional resources for safe, affordable Rapid Re-Housing available that will address the barrier of availability of safe, affordable housing.

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1C-6.	Addressing the Needs of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer+–Anti-Discrimination Policy and Equal Access Trainings.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.f.	
1.	Did your CoC implement a written CoC-wide anti-discrimination policy ensuring that LGBTQ+ individuals and families receive supportive services, shelter, and housing free from discrimination?	Yes
2.	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 in Accordance With an Individual's Gender Identity in Community Planning and Development Programs (Gender Identity Final Rule)?	
1C- 6 a	Anti-Discrimination Policy-Updating Policies-Assisting Providers-Evaluating Compliance-Addressing Noncompliance.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.f.	
	Describe in the field below:	
1	how your CoC regularly collaborates with LGBTQ+ and other organizations to update its CoC-wide anti-discrimination policy, as necessary to ensure all housing and services provided in the CoC are trauma-informed and able to meet the needs of LGBTQ+ individuals and families;	
2	how your CoC assisted housing and services providers in developing project-level anti- discrimination policies that are consistent with the CoC-wide anti-discrimination policy;	
3.	your CoC's process for evaluating compliance with your CoC's anti-discrimination policies; and	

4. your CoC's process for addressing noncompliance with your CoC's anti-discrimination policies. (limit 2,500 characters)

- 1.The CoC Anti-Discrimination Policy ensures that all homeless persons including LGBTQ+ individuals and families have equal access, without discrimination, to shelter, housing and supportive services available within the homeless system. The Anti-Discrimination Policy is reviewed at least annually to determine the need for updates/revision or as needed based on stakeholder feedback
- 2.Upon request, CoC staff can assist providers in developing project level antidiscrimination policies that ensure equal access to their program's housing and services. The assistance could vary from helping them to create a policy to reviewing their existing policy and making recommendations for changes/revisions.

3.CoČ staff complete on-site annual monitoring visits to all CoC and ESG funded projects. The programs' policies and procedures are reviewed, including the Anti-Discrimination Policy, to assess consistency with the CoC Anti-Discrimination Policy.

4.If a program's policy is inconsistent with the CoC Policy, CoC Staff will make recommendations for changes/revisions. If the CoC was made aware of a situation where there is not equal access to a program's housing and services, the CoC would initiate a conversation with the program to determine the veracity of the claim and assist as needed to resolve the issue. If a timely resolution is not achieved, a corrective action plan may be put in place. Continued non-compliance could result in a loss of funding.

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1C-	7. Public Housing Agencies within Your CoC's Geographic Area–New Admissions–General/Limited Preference–Moving On Strategy.

NOFO Section V.B.1.g.

You must upload the PHA Homeless Preference\PHA Moving On Preference attachment(s) to the 4B. Attachments Screen.

Enter information in the chart below for the two largest PHAs highlighted in gray on the current CoC-PHA Crosswalk Report 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 or Housing Choice Voucher Program During FY 2023 who were experiencing homelessness at entry	Does the PHA have a General or Limited Homeless Preference?	Does the PHA have a Preference for current PSH program participants no longer needing intensive supportive services, e.g., Moving On?
Rochester Housing Authority		No	No
Fairport Housing Authority	0%	Yes-HCV	No

1C-7a. Written Policies on Homeless Admission Preferences with PHAs.		
	NOFO Section V.B.1.g.	

Describe in the field below:

- 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
- state that your CoC has not worked with the PHAs in its geographic area to adopt a homeless admission preference.

(limit 2,500 characters)

1. The Rochester Housing Authority (RHA) and Fairport Housing Authority (FHA) are the two PHAs in the CoC geographic area, with the RHA representing by far the largest number of households served. The RHA's most recent approved Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Administrative Plan includes preferences for households who meet the definition of homeless. Per the plan, households on the HCV waiting list will receive an additional 50 'preference points' (the highest number of preference points that could be awarded locally) if they can be confirmed as also being homeless, as confirmed via a cross-match with HMIS information or presentation of homeless verification from a publicly or privatelyoperated shelter or transitional housing residence.

1C-7b.	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:

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1.	Multifamily assisted housing owners	Yes
2.	PHA	Yes
3.	Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) developments	Yes
4.	Local low-income housing programs	Yes
	Other (limit 150 characters)	
5.		

1C-7c. Include Units from PHA Administered Programs in Your CoC's Coordinated Entry.

NOFO Section V.B.1.g.

In the chart below, indicate if your CoC includes units from the following PHA programs in your CoC's coordinated entry process:

1.	Emergency Housing Vouchers (EHV)	Yes
2.	Family Unification Program (FUP)	No
3.	Housing Choice Voucher (HCV)	No
4.	HUD-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH)	Yes
5.	Mainstream Vouchers	No
6.	Non-Elderly Disabled (NED) Vouchers	No
7,	Public Housing	Yes
8.	Other Units from PHAs:	
	The Rochester Housing Authority owns seven units that were rehabbed with NYS funding (HHAP) to provide housing for the homeless. There is now an MOU in place that when there is a vacancy in one of these units; the unit will come through Coordinated Entry.	Yes

1C-7d. Submitting CoC and PHA Joint Applications for Funding for People Experiencing Homelessness.

NOFO Section V.B.1.g.

	Did your CoC coordinate with a PHA(s) to submit a competitive joint application(s) for funding or jointly implement a competitive project serving individuals or families experiencing homelessness (e.g., applications for mainstream vouchers, Family Unification Program (FUP), other programs)?	No
w		Program Funding Source
	Enter the type of competitive project your CoC coordinated with a PHA(s) to submit a joint application for or jointly implement.	N/A

1C-7e.	Coordinating with PHA(s) to Apply for or Implement HCV Dedicated to Homelessness Including Emergency Housing Voucher (EHV).	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.g.	

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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?	Yes
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1D. Coordination and Engagement Cont'd

HUD publishes resources on the HUD.gov website at CoC Program Competition to assist you in completing the CoC Application. Resources include:

- Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) Continuum of Care Competition and Noncompetitive Award of Youth Homeless Demonstration Program Renewal and Replacement Grants;
- 24 CFR part 578;
 FY 2024 CoC Application Navigational Guide;
- Section 3 Resources:
- PHA Crosswalk; and
- Frequently Asked Questions

	Preventing People Transitioning from Public Systems from Experiencing Homelessness.		1D-1.
		NOFO Section V.B.1.h.	
	them longer than 90 days are not	Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate whether you public systems listed to ensure persons who have resided discharged directly to the streets, emergency shelters, or other charts.	
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		-2. Housing First–Lowering Barriers to Entry. NOFO Section V.B.1.i.	1D-2.
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You must upload the Housing First Evaluation attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.

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Describe in the field below:

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1.	how your CoC evaluates every project—where the applicant checks Housing First on their project application—to determine if they are using a Housing First approach;
2.	the list of factors and performance indicators your CoC uses during its evaluation;
	how your CoC regularly evaluates projects outside of your local CoC competition to ensure the projects are using a Housing First approach; and
4.	what your CoC has done to improve fidelity to Housing First.

(limit 2,500 characters)

1. During the local project application process, applicants are required to answer questions regarding their adherence to Housing First (HF) principles, as well as submit their written program entry and Housing First policies. The Coordinated Entry (CE) Operations Manual contains the definition of HF as it pertains to the projects operating in the geographic area. The definition is developed in conjunction with program, CE, and CoC staff and is used as the standard against which the project's HF policy is compared. The submissions are reviewed by CoC staff and scored for compliance by the objective, nonconflicted Ranking and Review Committee (Committee). During the local application process for renewal projects, CE data is analyzed to ensure that the project is receiving 100% of its participants from the CE system, the referrals have an intake appointment scheduled with the project within 14 days of receiving the referral, and entered into HMIS within 72 hours of project entry. 2. Programs are required to submit their written program eligibility criteria as part of the renewal project application. The eligibility criteria is reviewed and compared to the CE HF community standards and full points are awarded for projects that adhere strictly to the community standard. 100% of new projects funded agree to adhere to the HF community standard. Renewal projects are monitored annually by the CoC for adherence to the HF community standard. The primary indicators used to assess compliance with HF is the retention in permanent housing and CE data; number of referrals denied, length of time between referral and housing move-in date

3.Coordinated Entry (CE) data is reviewed to see the number of referrals that programs have denied or where program entry dates exceed a reasonable time from the referral date. These could be indicators of programs not utilizing Housing First (HF) principles. CE staff may contact the program to gain more information when these situations occur. ESG and CoC programs are monitored annually by CoC staff. During the monitoring HF policies are reviewed. Case files are also reviewed to ensure HF principles are being followed when any program discharges have occurred. Case conferences are also held for participants that are experiencing housing instability. The case conference process ensures that participants are only being discharged in the most serious

of circumstances.

1D-3.	Street Outreach-Data-Reaching People Least Likely to Request Assistance.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.j.	

Describe in the field below how your CoC tailored its street outreach to people experiencing homelessness who are least likely to request assistance.

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1.Street Outreach (SO) uses historical knowledge to canvas locations of the unsheltered. The methods used by SO include: hiring staff who are Persons with Lived Experience (PLE) as well as using Empathy-interview techniques to build a rapport. SO staff have supplies of: food and personal care items to increase engagement and discussion of potential housing options immediately. New locations of unsheltered homeless are also learned about via collaboration with community organizations that encounter unsheltered homelessness, such as law enforcement, local business owners, clergy, and community members. After engaging with unsheltered homeless, SO assists homeless individuals with accessing and navigating emergency shelter and Coordinated Entry (CE) systems.

2.SO covers 100% of the CoC geographic area.

3.SO is conducted weekdays and evenings with a schedule of locations they will be at on specific days and time so people will know where they are going to be. When temperatures fall consistently below 32 degrees, additional outreach is conducted to get people into shelter.

4.Street Outreach (SO) focuses on the unsheltered homeless who may have a myriad of behavioral health issues that often make them less likely to seek assistance. SO hires Person with Lived Experience (PLE) to use their common experience of unsheltered homelessness to locate, engage and build rapport with this population. The use of PLE staff makes it more likely that unsheltered persons that they engage with will share locations of their peers that SO was previously unaware of.

1D-4. Strategies to Prevent Criminalization of Homelessness.

NOFO Section V.B.1.k.

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

	Your CoC's Strategies	Engaged/Educated Legislators and Policymakers	Implemented Laws/Policies/Practices that Prevent Criminalization of Homelessness
1.	increase utilization of co-responder responses or social services-led responses over law enforcement responses to people experiencing homelessness?	Yes	Yes
2.	Minimize use of law enforcement to enforce bans on public sleeping, public camping, or carrying out basic life functions in public places?	Yes	Yes
3.	Avoid imposing criminal sanctions, including fines, fees, and incarceration for public sleeping, public camping, and carrying out basic life functions in public places?	Yes	Yes
4.	Other:(limit 500 characters)		

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1D-5.	Rapid Rehousing–RRH Beds as Reported in the Housing Inventory Count (HIC) or Longitudinal Data from HMIS.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.I.	

	HIC Longitudinal HMIS Data	2023	2024
Enter the total number of RRH beds available to serve all populations as reported in the HIC or the number of households served per longitudinal HMIS data, e.g., APR.	HIC	453	470

1D-6.	Mainstream Benefits-CoC Annual Training of Project Staff.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.m.

Indicate in the chart below whether your CoC trains program staff annually on the following mainstream benefits available for program participants within your CoC's geographic area:

	Mainstream Benefits	CoC Provides Annual Training?
1,	Food Stamps	Yes
2.	SSI–Supplemental Security Income	Yes
3.	SSDI-Social Security Disability Insurance	Yes
4.	TANF-Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	Yes
5.	Substance Use Disorder Programs	Yes
6.	Employment Assistance Programs	Yes
7.	Other (limit 150 characters)	

1D-6a.	Information and Training on Mainstream Benefits and Other Assistance.
,	NOFO Section V.B.1.m
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:
1.	works with projects to collaborate with healthcare organizations, including those that provide substance use disorder treatment and mental health treatment, to assist program participants with receiving healthcare services, including Medicaid; and
2.	promotes SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery (SOAR) certification of program staff.

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 The CoC collaborated with Fidelis Care, a New York based health insurance company, to provide insurance navigation services to ensure all participants in CoC-funded programs have access to healthcare benefits, which include enrollment in mental health and substance use services. Fidelis care has assigned benefit specialists to serve the CoC, and staff of all CoC-funded programs can call their direct phone numbers with their participants and get enrolled in coverage over the phone. Fidelis does not direct participants to select a specific health coverage plan, but instead learns what services the participant needs and finds a plan that meets the requested criteria. 2. The CoC applied for and received ESG-CV funding for a SOAR program. That funding ended and no other funding was secured to continue the program at the CoC level. One of the CoC funded programs has received NYS funding (STEHP) for a SOAR program. Priority will go to program participants in their PSH program, but as capacity is available will also provide SOAR services to other CoC funded programs. The CoC provides encourages all programs to access SOAR training for their staff and works with the NYS SOAR Technical Assistance provider to ensure that those who request training are able to access that training.

ID-7.	Partnerships with Public Health Agencies—Collaborating to Respond to and Prevent the Spread of Infectious Diseases.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.n.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC effectively collaborates with state and local public health agencies to develop CoC-wide policies and procedures that:
	Describe in the field below how your CoC effectively collaborates with state and local public health agencies to develop CoC-wide policies and procedures that: respond to infectious disease outbreaks; and

- 1. Lessons learned from COVID have demonstrated the value of having noncongregate shelter options available in the emergency shelter system both for preventing the spread of infectious disease and as a best practice for homeless persons who have been resistant to entering shelter due to the difficulty of living in a congregate setting. Once the FEMA funding for congregate shelter was no longer available, ESG-CV funds were used to continue to provide hotel placements but to a much smaller number of persons. The Monroe County Department of Human Services (MCDHS) has also continued to provide hotel placements on a limited basis when shelter capacity is full or when it is clear a person is not able to tolerate congregate living. MCDHS released an RFP to increase temporary housing options in the community due to increasing demand for emergency housing. One of those programs is a site which provides each person with their own bedroom, though they still share bathrooms, kitchen. and community space. Though not considered non-congregate due to sharing bathrooms, it is definitely a setting that is preferred by the homeless population. The City of Rochester and Monroe County are HOME-ARP recipients. The City and County are partnering with the CoC for planning for the HOME-ARP funding. Based on results of surveys and feedback from the community, the local HOME-ARP RFP for Non-Congregate Shelter has been released and applications have been submitted. A non-conflicted review team is being formed to read and score the applications.
- 2. Partnerships formed with the County Public Health Department continue and the County Dept. of Public Health come to the emergency shelters to provide COVID vaccinations and boosters, flu shots and RSV vaccinations to prevent infectious disease outbreaks among persons experiencing homelessness. While non-congregate hotel placements have ended on a large scale basis due to COVID, a plan is in place that was developed in partnership with the Health Dept. to get people with infectious diseases out of the shelters by providing hotel placements for them through the Monroe County Department of Human Services that will prevent outbreak of infectious diseases.

ID-7a.	Collaboration With Public Health Agencies on Infectious Diseases.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.n.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:
1.	effectively shared information related to public health measures and homelessness; and
2.	facilitated communication between public health agencies and homeless service providers to ensure street outreach providers and shelter and housing providers are equipped to prevent or limit infectious disease outbreaks among program participants.

1 If symptoms of communicable diseases are detected, individuals are promptly isolated and referred to medical services, while the public health agency is alerted to manage outbreak containment. In the event of an outbreak, the DOH activates its Emergency Management Team, which provides critical guidance to shelters and service providers. This includes screening procedures, sanitation protocols, and isolation guidelines. Information is rapidly disseminated via email, virtual meetings, and phone calls to ensure all service providers are equipped to respond quickly and appropriately. To ensure our response is comprehensive, we maintain open communication channels with shelters, outreach teams, and housing providers. We ensure all personnel are trained in basic infection control, hand hygiene, and the proper use of personal protective equipment (PPE). These practices are reinforced through ongoing training sessions and regular updates from public health partners. 2. Our CoC proactively prevents disease outbreaks by regularly collaborating with public health agencies to promote vaccination clinics and host onsite health events, including screenings. Public health messaging on hygiene, vaccinations, and disease prevention is also distributed through shelters, outreach teams, and community centers. In addition, we work with the CDC and local health departments to share educational materials and guidelines, ensuring that hygiene practices and vaccination promotion are tailored to the

1D-8.	Coordinated Entry Standard Processes.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.o.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC's coordinated entry system:
1.	can serve everybody regardless of where they are located within your CoC's geographic area;
2.	uses a standardized assessment process to achieve fair, equitable, and equal access to housing and services within your CoC;
3.	collects personal information in a trauma-informed way; and
4.	is updated at least annually using feedback received from participating projects and households that participated in coordinated entry.

specific needs of the homeless population. We also provide hygiene kits and

ensure shelters maintain proper sanitation protocols to limit disease

(limit 2,500 characters)

transmission.

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1. Monroe County is the CoC geographic area, and the CE system covers the entire County. CE staff conduct ongoing outreach and training to providers outside the homeless system that serves homeless persons regardless of their location. Rapid Rehousing (RRH) and the majority of the Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) programs provide tenant based rental assistance that allows for participants' choice in where they live throughout Monroe County. Review of the list of organizations making referrals to the prioritization list and the zip code of participants collected in HMIS demonstrates that CE covers the whole county. The CE system uses a standard assessment tool, VI-SPDAT, to prioritize all CE referrals. All users of CE receive training on how to administer the VI-SPDAT in an objective manner. The CoC and CE are currently developing a new assessment tool. Coordinated Entry staff contracted with Causewave to conduct interviews and focus groups with providers and persons with lived experience (PLE) to develop the questions. The Assessment Tool Workgroup is currently working on planning for training for the new assessment tool and determining the scoring for the tool. It is hoped that implementation of the new assessment tool will begin early in 2025.

3. Training on the new tool will be mandatory for all programs that are using Coordinated Entry to make referrals to housing programs. There will be four components to the training: administration of the tool, training of program managers that can then provide support to their staff, Trauma Informed Care (TIC) training to ensure that TIC principles are used by staff who are conducting the tool, and Housing First training. After the initial trainings for the new tool, training will be provided at least quarterly either virtually or in person for new staff due to turnover and a refresher on CE training will be required annually.

4. Steps are being taken to ensure that those seeking assistance are not burdened. While as much documentation as is readily available will be documented throughout the process, potential participants will be entered into programs without needing to provide all documentation prior to being housed. Landlords are educated on Housing First principles through our Landlord Engagement workgroup that will reduce the burden of the documentation that they are requiring prior to be being housed.

Coordinated Entry-Program Participant-Centered Approach.	
NOFO Section V.B.1.o.	
Describe in the field below how your CoC's coordinated entry system:	
reaches people who are least likely to apply for homeless assistance in the absence of special outreach;	
prioritizes people most in need of assistance;	
ensures people most in need of assistance receive permanent housing in a timely manner, consistent with their needs and preferences; and]
takes steps to reduce burdens on people seeking assistance.	
	Approach. NOFO Section V.B.1.o. Describe in the field below how your CoC's coordinated entry system: reaches people who are least likely to apply for homeless assistance in the absence of special outreach; prioritizes people most in need of assistance; ensures people most in need of assistance receive permanent housing in a timely manner, consistent with their needs and preferences; and takes steps to reduce burdens on people seeking

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1. CoC staff finds opportunities throughout the year to present infomration to the general public on the housing and services that are provided through the homeless system. There is a focus on presenting to organizations, groups, etc. that primarily serve persons who are most likely to need homeless services; i.e. - persons of color, those with disability(ies), serve very low income households, are located in very low income neighborhoods, etc. This ensures that programs are affirmatively marketed throughout the community. The CoC weekly newsletter that goes out to more than 700+ people includes articles announcing new programs or changes in policies and procedures.

2.Coordinated Entry (CE) staff are knowledgeable about all of the programs that utilize CE as their referral source and provide basic info to Case Managers who are referring people and to participants so that there is choice in which program a person is referred to whenever possible (i.e. - there are available openings). When a person is referred to a program through Coordinated Entry (CE) an intake is scheduled. At that time potential participants receive detailed information on the program, including their rights and responsibilities under fair

housing law.

3.Legal Assistance of Western NY (LAWNY) are members of the Homeless Services Network and other various committees/workgroups. LAWNY provides Fair Housing training. If there are instances of discrimination and/or violation of Fair Housing laws, they are first reported to LAWNY and/or other volunteer legal service organizations that are available to mediate/litigate the issue as needed. If it can not be resolved it will go to the appropriate unit of local government, NY State or HUD. When updates to the City and County Impediments to Fair Housing Plans are updated, the CoC and housing providers are invited toparticipate by providing feedback and possible revisions for the Plan.

1D-8b.	Coordinated Entry-Informing Program Participants about Their Rights and Remedies-Reporting Violations.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.o.
	Describe in the field below how your CoC through its coordinated entry:
1.	affirmatively markets housing and services provided within the CoC's geographic area and ensures it reaches all persons experiencing homelessness;
2.	informs program participants of their rights and remedies available under federal, state, and local fair housing and civil rights laws; and
3.	reports any conditions or actions that impede fair housing choice for current or prospective program participants to the jurisdiction(s) responsible for certifying consistency with the Consolidated Plan.

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1.CoC Staff finds opportunities throughout the year to present information to the general public on the housing and services that are provided through the homeless system. There is a focus on presenting to organizations, groups, etc. that primarily serve persons who are most likely to need homeless services; i.e. - persons of color, those with disability(ies), serve very low income households, are located in very low income neighborhoods, etc. This ensures that programs are affirmatively marketed throughout the community. The CoC weekly newsletter that goes out to more than 500+ people includes articles announcing new programs or changes in policies and procedures.

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1	0-9. Advancing Racial Equity in Homelessness-Conducting Assessment.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.p.	
1.	Has your CoC conducted a racial disparities assessment in the last 3 years?	Yes

1D-9a.	Using Data to Determine if Racial Disparities Exist in Your CoC's Provision or Outcomes of CoC Program-Funded Homeless Assistance.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.p.	
	Describe in the field below:	
1,	the data your CoC used to analyze whether any racial disparities are present in your CoC's provision or outcomes of CoC Program-funded homeless assistance; and	
2.	how your CoC analyzed the data to determine whether any racial disparities are present in your CoC's provision or outcomes of CoC Program-funded homeless assistance.	

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1. HMIS data tracks the racial backgrounds of all program participants at entry and exit from CoC programs. Annual analysis of data looks at outcomes to ensure that the racial background of participants is not affecting outcomes in the areas of exiting to permanent housing, returns to homelessness, and whether able to access and/or increase employment and non-employment income as well as non-cash benefits. Program participants are asked if they have experienced racial discrimination in accessing any services or housing.

2. There were no racial disparities identified during the annual analysis. Persons of all racial backgrounds are able to access housing and services through the homeless system and there were no meaningful disparities identified in outcomes. Focus groups with people with lived experience provided qualitative data, offering insights into perceived racial disparities in service delivery. This feedback was incorporated into ongoing evaluation and policy adjustments to ensure a more equitable provision of services across racial lines.

1D-9b. Implemented Strategies to Prevent or Eliminate Racial Disparities.

NOFO Section V.B.1.p

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

1,	Are your CoC's board and decisionmaking bodies representative of the population served in the CoC?	Yes
2.	Did your CoC identify steps it will take to help the CoC board and decisionmaking bodies better reflect the population served in the CoC?	
3.	Is your CoC expanding outreach in your CoC's geographic areas with higher concentrations of underrepresented groups?	Yes
4.	Does your CoC have communication, such as flyers, websites, or other materials, inclusive of underrepresented groups?	Yes
5.	Is your CoC training staff working in the homeless services sector to better understand racism and the intersection of racism and homelessness?	Yes
6.	Is your CoC establishing professional development opportunities to identify and invest in emerging leaders of different races and ethnicities in the homelessness sector?	Yes
7.	Does your CoC have staff, committees, or other resources charged with analyzing and addressing racial disparities related to homelessness?	Yes
8.	Is your CoC 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.	Did your CoC review its coordinated entry processes to understand their impact on people of different races and ethnicities experiencing homelessness?	Yes
10.	Is your CoC collecting data to better understand the pattern of program use for people of different races and ethnicities in its homeless services system?	Yes
11,	Is your CoC conducting additional research to understand the scope and needs of different races or ethnicities experiencing homelessness?	Yes
	Other:(limit 500 characters)	
12.		

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1D-9c.	Plan for Ongoing Evaluation of System-level Processes, Policies, and Procedures for Racial Equity.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.p.	

Describe in the field below your CoC's plan for ongoing evaluation of system-level processes, policies, and procedures for racial equity.

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Using information and recommendations obtained from the racial equity analyses of the VI-SPDAT and outcomes of homeless housing programs, the CoC and Coordinated Entry (CE) have taken steps to address any disparities that exist. To reduce bias in VI-SPDAT scores and to increase reliability of the assessment, the CoC and CE have partnered to create a robust training curriculum for those staff people who administer the VI-SPDAT. At the recommendation of the consultants who analyzed the VI-SPDAT tool as it is being used within the CoC, front line staff all must actively participate in training that will ensure fidelity to the proper administration of the tool. Additionally, broad trainings focused on trauma responsiveness, motivational interviewing, and cultural competency are offered within the community and advertised via the CoC. All documents that are used to introduce the CE assessment are written at a literacy level appropriate for the population served, and all documents are introduced to a client in their native language. CE has amended policies to respond better to the needs of the clients served, this includes increasing the amount of time that a referring case manager can amend a client's assessment score to allow time for building rapport and trust between client and case manager.

1D-9d.	Plan for Using Data to Track Progress on Preventing or Eliminating Racial Disparities.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.p.
	Describe in the field below:
1,	the measures your CoC plans to use to continuously track progress on preventing or eliminating racial disparities in the provision or outcomes of homeless assistance; and
2.	the tools your CoC plans to use to continuously track progress on preventing or eliminatin racial disparities in the provision or outcomes of homeless assistance.

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1. HMIS and Coordinated Entry (CE) data are analyzed to determine if there are disparities in accessing homeless housing and services. While persons of color and those with disabilities are found disproportionately in the homeless population; access to CoC programs reflects the proportion of those subpopulations in the homeless system. i.e. - persons of color are 15% of the population of the CoC; however they are 60% of the homeless population and as well as 40% of the program participants in CoC funded programs. There were no disparities found in the provision or outcomes of homeless assistance so new strategies were implemented.

2. The CoC will continue to use HMIS, CE data and Stella data to track progress or eliminate racial disparities annually. These tools enable us to regularly monitor disparities in access, housing outcomes, and service delivery. By utilizing realtime data from HMIS and combining it with quarterly data analysis, we can track progress and adjust strategies throughout the year to

ensure racial equity remains a priority.

Involving Individuals with Lived Experience of Homelessness in Service Delivery and Decisionmaking–CoC's Outreach Efforts. NOFO Section V.B.1.q.

Describe in the field below your CoC's outreach efforts (e.g., social media announcements, targeted outreach) to engage those with lived experience of homelessness in leadership roles and decisionmaking processes.

The CoC conducts outreach to persons with lived experience in multiple ways. The Homeless Services Network (HSN) is the stakeholder group of the CoC. HSN meets monthly via Zoom and is attended by 80+ persons monthly, many of whom are persons with lived experience. HSN meetings provide information on what committees' people may join, all committees encourage the participation of persons with lived experience. The CoC Board and HSN Steering Committee reach out annually at an HSN meeting to recruit potential members with a focus on persons with lived experience. The CoC has a Persons With Lived Experience (PLWE) Workgroup that meets periodically throughout the year to get their feedback on community priorities, any proposed policy changes, and to get their views on current issues in the community that affect the homeless. Homeless housing and service providers are encouraged to nominate persons who demonstrate a desire to participate in community planning efforts and workgroups. Local service providers who interact with persons who are currently or formerly homeless recruit people for the PWLE workgroup, committees and community wide task forces that address issues affecting the homeless. Program staff in both CoC funded and non-CoC funded programs who have lived experience of homelessness are invited to join, and currently participating in homeless planning efforts.

The CoC facilitates monthly meetings of PSH and RRH providers that provides another opportunity to recruit any of their program participants who would be interested in participating on the PLWE Workgroup as well as HSN and CoC committees.

The CoC is currently in the process of developing a new vulnerability assessment tool to replace the VSPDAT. Persons with lived experience and provider staff have participated in focus groups and interviews that have guided the Assessment Tool workgroup throughout the process. Their insights and feedback have helped us to develop the wording for questions, has informed discussions around the importance of where and how the assessment tool is administered that will hopefully lead to more accurate assessments.

1D-10a.	Active CoC Participation of Individuals with Lived Experience of Homelessness.	Τ
	NOFO Section V.B.1.q.	ŀ

You must upload the Lived Experience Support Letter attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen. Enter in the chart below the number of people with lived experience who currently participate in your CoC under the four categories listed:

	Level of Active Participation	Number of People with Lived Experience Within the Last 7 Years or Current Program Participant	Number of People with Lived Experience Coming from Unsheltered Situations
1.	Routinely included in the decisionmaking processes related to addressing homelessness.	6	2
2.	Participate on CoC committees, subcommittees, or workgroups.	15	3
3.	Included in the development or revision of your CoC's local competition rating factors.	1	1
	Included in the development or revision of your CoC's coordinated entry process.	1	0

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1D-10b.	Professional Development and Employment Opportunities for Individuals with Lived Experience of Homelessness.	
	NOFO Section V.B.1.q.	

Describe in the field below how your CoC or CoC membership organizations provide professional development and employment opportunities to Individuals with lived experience of homelessness.

(limit 2,500 characters)

Many of our CoC funded programs have persons with lived experience providing peer supports in addition to their ongoing case management services. Throughout the community, Persons with Lived Experience (PLE) have opportunities for education, training, and employment within homeless housing programs. Recent experience has shown that programs that employ peer supports (who are often PLE, or who are in recovery from substance use disorder) have more success with building relationships and remaining engaged with their participants. For those program employees who work in CoC-funded homeless programs, the CoC provides skills-based training to assist programs in achieving communitywide continuity in service delivery. The CoC training supplements training that the employee receives at their agency and is centered around topics that will help the employee build skills to succeed in the human service sector. Topics include effectively connecting participants with mainstream benefits and employment opportunities, writing effective case notes, service planning and goal setting. The CoC stakeholders' group, the Homeless Services Network (HSN) has a training committee that plans and coordinates training for all providers, which includes PLE who work, volunteer, or are simply interested in learning more about building skills to assist the homeless. New York State offers a professional Certification in Peer Recovery Advocacy (CRPA). There are staff in CoC-funded programs who have earned their CRPA which allows them to draw on their personal experience with substance use and recovery to provide non-clinical support services to their program participants.

1D-10c.	Routinely Gathering Feedback and Addressing Challenges of Individuals with Lived Experience Homelessness.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.q.
	Describe in the field below:
1.	how your CoC gathers feedback from people experiencing homelessness;
	how often your CoC gathers feedback from people experiencing homelessness;
	how your CoC gathers feedback from people who received assistance through the CoC Program or ESG Program;
4.	how often your CoC gathers feedback from people who have received assistance through the CoC Program or ESG Program; and
5.	steps your CoC has taken to address challenges raised by people with lived experience of homelessness.

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1. The CoC routinely gathers feedback from Persons with Lived Experience (PLE) about how services are delivered via the PLE Workgroup . The PLE Workgroup is comprised entirely of PLE and its opinions and recommendations are used to inform the community's response to homelessness. For example, one Group member with unsheltered homelessness experience is employed as a manager of a Street Outreach (SO) program and oversees day to day operations at the only locally-sanctioned encampment within the CoC's geographic area. This member keeps the PLE Workgroup, the CoC, and the CoC stakeholders' group the Homeless Services Network (HSN) aware of the current needs of the unsheltered population. Other members of the Group include staff of homeless housing programs who have lived experience and who provide input into best practices in service delivery to maximize engagement with participants. The information gleaned from the Group meetings has been used during the local project application competition, and the members of the group will either be members of or provide input to Coordinated Entry (CE) Equity and Inclusion workgroup for the purpose of analyzing policies and procedures and their effect on this subpopulation. 2.PLE participate in HSN, are on the CoC Board, and participate in the Chronic Homeless Workgroup which have always informed the CoC of the effects of policy and procedures on this subpopulation. The CoC is continually working to improve the homeless system responsiveness and formalize the process for PLE to become involved with planning activities and to offer feedback. 3.Once PLE have identified barriers/challenges that are faced by the homeless it is brought to the attention of the most appropriate existing committee/workgroup or an ad hoc committee may be formed. PLE are most often members of these workgroups and are able to articulate the challenges. make recommendations for possible solutions and ensure that the solution is equitable and meets the needs of the homeless.

1D-11.	Increasing Affordable Housing Supply.
	NOFO Section V.B.1.s.
	Describe in the field below at least two steps your CoC has taken in the past 12 months to engage city, county, or state governments that represent your CoC's geographic area regarding the following:
1,	reforming zoning and land use policies to permit more housing development; and
2.	reducing regulatory barriers to housing development.

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1. The CoC has had discussions with local government, City of Rochester and Monroe County regarding land use policies to permit more housing development. Zoning policies in the City of Rochester have become less restrictive which has allowed for increased development of affordable housing within the City limits. The CoC continues to work with Monroe County to expand affordable housing development in the County outside the City limits, particularly multi-family project development other than senior housing. In addition to NIMBY issues, each unit of local government i.e. - towns, villages have their own zoning ordinances which present significant challenges to reform. There is one affordable housing development currently under construction in surburban Penfield NY; it is a senior project though which are often less controversial. This program will have ESSHI units dedicated for frail elderly who will be referred through Coordinated Entry. CoC Staff is a member of the City/County Racial and Structural Equity (RASÉ) Commission's Housing Workgroup which has identified its priority as implementing a Zoning Alignment Program (ZAP) to expand housing choice. 2. The CoC is an active member in the Supportive Housing Network of NY (SHNNY), a strong advocate for the development of supportive housing statewide. There have been discussions with NYC Homes and Community Renewal regarding reducing regulatory barriers to housing development. While the Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) administered by HCR is one of the primary capital funding sources for affordable housing development, it also increases the costs of development. Reducing administrative costs and energy efficiency requirements have been discussed. Reducing regulatory costs could increase development particularly in suburban communities where land costs can be much more expensive.

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

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•	1E	E-1. Web Posting of Advance Public Notice of Your CoC's Local Competition Deadline, Scoring and Rating Criteria.	
		NOFO Section V.B.2.a. and 2.g.	
1.	. E	Enter the date your CoC published its submission deadline and scoring and rating criteria for New Project applicants to submit their project applications for your CoC's local competition.	09/11/2024
2.	. E	Enter the date your CoC published its submission deadline and scoring and rating criteria for Renewal	04/29/2024
		Project applicants to submit their project applications for your CoC's local competition.	
1		E-2. Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in Its Local Competition. We use the response to this question and the response in Question 1E-2a along with the required attachments from both questions as a factor when determining your CoC's eligibility for bonus funds and for other NOFO criteria below.	
1		E-2. Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in Its Local Competition. We use the response to this question and the response in Question 1E-2a along with the required attachments from both questions as a factor when determining your CoC's eligibility for bonus	
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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).	Yes
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).	Yes
4.	Provided points for projects that addressed specific severe barriers to housing and services.	Yes
5.	Used data from comparable databases to score projects submitted by victim service providers.	No

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6.	Provid (e.g., I repres identifi	led points for projects based on the degree the projects Identified any barriers to participation lack of outreach) faced by persons of different races and ethnicities, particularly those oversented in the local homelessness population, and has taken or will take steps to eliminate the led barriers.	No	
1E	-2a. Se to fa	cored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition. We use the response of this question and Question 1E-2, along with the required attachments from both questions as a actor when determining your CoC's eligibility for bonus funds and for other NOFO criteria below.		
	N	OFO Section V.B.2.a., 2.b., 2.c., and 2.d.		
	Y	ou must upload the Scored Forms for One Project attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	1	
	-	complete the chart below to provide details of your CoC's local competition:	1	
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1;	What v	were the maximum number of points available for the renewal project form(s)?		10
2.	How m	nany renewal projects did your CoC submit?		11
3.	What r	renewal project type did most applicants use?	PH-PSH	
1E	-2b. A	ddressing Severe Barriers in the Local Project Review and Ranking Process.		
	N	OFO Section V.B.2.d.		
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	De	escribe in the field below:		
	1. ho	ow your CoC analyzed data regarding each project that has successfully housed program articipants in permanent housing;		12.
	2. hc	ow your CoC analyzed data regarding how long it takes to house people in permanent housing;		
	pr	ow your CoC considered the specific severity of needs and vulnerabilities experienced by rogram participants preventing rapid placement in permanent housing or the ability to maintain ermanent housing when your CoC ranked and selected projects; and		
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4. the severe barriers your CoC considered.

1. For new projects, applicants are required to estimate the percent of participants they will serve that make up certain subpopulations, such as chronic homeless, re-entry, fleeing domestic violence, mental or physical illness, substance use disorder. Applicants also answer questions about the projected project outcomes, provide a description of the project's strategy to achieve the desired outcomes, and estimate a timeline for achieving the outcomes. Applicants must demonstrate in writing that they understand the many complex needs of the proposed subpopulation(s) and can develop plans to address the needs. For renewal projects, data about subpopulation(s) served is collected via HMIS. Programs are given the opportunity to explain mitigating factors to the Ranking and Review Committee that prevented them from achieving the desired outcomes. Applicants can explain specifics about the subpopulation(s) served during the reporting year and are encouraged to be specific about difficulties encountered. Based on the mitigating factors presented, additional points can be earned to offset the difficulties of the subpopulation(s) served.

2.Coordinated Entry (CE) staff track all referrals and uses that data to determine the average length of time it takes each project to house participants during the program year. A community wide average is calculated as well as an average time for each housing component. Projects are scored in comparison to both the community average and the average time calculated for the project type, i.e. - RRH, PSH, TH. This ensures that projects are being compared to like projects with similar populations.

3. New project applicants are given the opportunity to estimate the length of time it will take for them to achieve community benchmarks for program outcomes. This question allows programs to explain the potential difficulties they may encounter within the subpopulation to be served. If a renewal project does not meet one or more community benchmarks during the program year as reported in HMIS they may explain any mitigating factors, which may include severity of needs of the households served. The renewal project has an opportunity during the ranking and review process to present those factors.

4.During the Ranking and Review process for new and renewal projects scores are calculated based on comparisons with like projects; i.e. - RRH to RRH, TH to TH, etc.

1E-3.	Advancing Racial Equity through Participation of Over-Represented Populations in the Local Competition Review and Ranking Process.
	NOFO Section V.B.2.e.
	Describe in the field below:
1.	how your CoC used input from persons of different races and ethnicities, particularly those over- represented in the local homelessness population, to determine the rating factors used to review project applications;
2.	how your CoC included persons of different races and ethnicities, particularly those over- represented in the local homelessness population in the review, selection, and ranking process; and
3.	how your CoC rated and ranked projects based on the degree that proposed projects identified any barriers to participation (e.g., lack of outreach) faced by persons of different races and ethnicities, particularly those over-represented in the local homelessness population, and steps the projects took or will take to eliminate the identified barriers.

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1.Each year CoC staff reaches out to the community to recruit new members of the Ranking and Review Committee via the CoC email listserv, the CoC weekly newsletter and need is shared at a variety of public meetings. Targeted outreach may be conducted to recruit persons who are overrepresented in the homeless population. The composition of the Rating and Ranking Committee though diverse, does not yet reflect the same percentages of persons overrepresented in the homeless system.

2. The Ranking and Review Committee also reviews new and renewal project applications and rating factors prior to release of the materials for the local application process to provide input. Based on this input there were some changes made to application questions, but the rating factors were not changed

from last year.

3. The outreach efforts made to recruit Ranking and Review Committee members have been described in part 1 of this question. It is challenging to recruit members for this Committee in general, as members have to be non-conflicted, not an employee or Board member of an organization that receives CoC funding. We will continue our targeted outreach efforts to recruit persons of color and persons with lived experience for the Committee.

4.Barriers to participation was not a rating factor for renewal projects this year, however, projects were asked to provide information on how their project ensures that participants can access their programs and feel comfortable with the housing and services regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, etc. They were also asked how they involve persons with lived experience. These questions were not scored this year but may be in the future.

1E-4.	Reallocation–Reviewing Performance of Existing Projects.
	NOFO Section V.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 low performing or less needed projects through the process described in element 1 of this question during your CoC's local competition this year;
3.	whether your CoC reallocated any low performing or less needed projects during its local competition this year; and
4.	why your CoC did not reallocate low performing or less needed projects during its local competition this year, if applicable.

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- 1. The CoC has a Reallocation Policy that is reviewed and revised as needed annually. The possible reasons for reallocation include: project has a history of not spending down their CoC funding, project has a history of not meeting performance outcomes, project has capacity issues that negatively affect the ongoing operation of the program, project voluntarily decides not to renew their funding, project voluntarily chooses to reallocate their funding to create a project that better meets a community need.
- 2. There were five projects that were identified for possible reallocation. The five lowest scoring renewal projects are required to make a presentation to the Ranking and Review Committee. Their presentation provides a brief summary of the project services and goals, describes any efforts that have been made throughout the current program year to improve their outcomes, identify any mitigating factors which they viewed as possible reasons for poor performance, i.e. high level of staff turnover, etc.
- 3. The CoC Ranking and Review Committe made the decision to reallocate one project, a PSH program dedicated for homeless veterans. The decision to reallocate was based on poor performance, low occupancy and the applicant's inability to ensure there was consistent case management services being provided to the program participants.

4. One project was reallocated for the FY2024-2025 competition.

1E-4a.	Reallocation Between FY 2019 and FY 2024.	
	NOFO Section V.B.2.f.	
	Did your CoC cumulatively reallocate at least 20 percent of its ARD between FY 2019 and FY 2024?	No
1	E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps. NOFO Section V.B.2.g.	
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	Did your CoC reject any project application(s) submitted for funding during its local competition?	Yes
2.	Did your CoC reduce funding for any project application(s) submitted for funding during its local competition?	Yes
3.	Did your CoC inform applicants why your CoC rejected or reduced their project application(s) submitted for funding during its local competition?	Yes
4.	If you selected Yes for element 1 or element 2 of this question, enter the date your CoC notified applicants that their project applications were being rejected or reduced, in writing, outside of e-snaps. If you notified applicants on various dates, enter the latest date of any notification. For example, if you notified applicants on 06/26/2024, 06/27/2024, and 06/28/2024, then you must enter 06/28/2024.	10/08/2024
1E	-5a. Projects Accepted-Notification Outside of e-snaps.	
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2A-1	. HMIS Vendor.	
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Ent	ter the name of the HMIS Vendor your CoC is currently using.	WellSky
2A-2.	HMIS Implementation Coverage Area.	
	Not Scored–For Information Only	
Sel	ect from dropdown menu your CoC's HMIS coverage area.	Single CoC
2A-3.	HIC Data Submission in HDX.	
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1. The CoC and HMIS Lead have talked with Willow Domestic Violence Center regarding the use of an HMIS comparable database. They currently use Apricot though they have not purchased the add-on module that would make it a comparable database. At this time Willow does not recieve CoC funding. Willow is applying this year for a DV Bonus project and if awarded has included the costs of the Apricot add on module in their application so would have a comparable database if awarded FY2024-25 funding.

2. DV Housing and service providers who recieve VAWA funding do not use a HUD-compliant comparable database, however there are no VAWA funded programs that also recieve CoC Funding. The CoC does have an Rapid Re-Housing program for Survivors of DV, however the applicant is not primarily a victim service provider and they do use HMIS for their project. Program participants are given the option to be entered into HMIS anonymously by using a unique ID number assigned to them, or to just be entered into HMIS with their personal identifying information. Many opt for the latter as they are already in HMIS due to previous episodes of homelessness which may or may not be related to fleeing from DV.

2A-5.	Bed Coverage Rate-Using HIC, HMIS Data-CoC Merger Bonus Points.

NOFO Section V.B.3.c. and V.B.7.

Using the 2024 HDX Competition Report we issued your CoC, enter data in the chart below by project type:

Project Type	Adjusted Total Year-Round, Current Non-VSP Beds [Column F of HDX Report]	Adjusted Total Year-Round, Current VSP Beds [Column K of HDX Report]	Total Year-Round, Current, HMIS Beds and VSP Beds in an HMIS Comparable Database [Column M of HDX Report]	HMIS and Comparable Database Coverage Rate [Column O of HDX Report]
1. Emergency Shelter (ES) beds	668	49	0	98.50%
2. Safe Haven (SH) beds	12	12	0	100.00%
3. Transitional Housing (TH) beds	165	165	0	100.00%
4. Rapid Re-Housing (RRH) beds	470	470	470	100.00%
5. Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) beds	1,453	1,453	0	100.00%
6. Other Permanent Housing (OPH) beds	226	0	226	100.00%

2A-5a	Partial Credit for Bed Coverage Rates at or Below 84.99 for Any Project Type in Question 2A-5.
	NOFO Section V.B.3.c.
	For each project type with a bed coverage rate that is at or below 84.99 percent in question 2A-5, describe:
1	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
2	how your CoC will implement the steps described to increase bed coverage to at least 85 percent.

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There were no bed coverage rates at or below 84.99%.

2A-6.	Longitudinal System Analysis (LSA) Submission in HDX 2.0.	
	NOFO Section V.B.3.d.	
	You must upload your CoC's FY 2024 HDX Competition Report to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	

2B. Continuum of Care (CoC) Point-in-Time (PIT) Count

HUD publishes resources on the HUD.gov website at CoC Program Competition to assist you in completing the CoC Application. Resources include:

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OD 4	DIT O L D L	
2B-1.	PIT Count Date.	
	NOFO Section V.B.4.a	
Ente	er the date your CoC conducted its 2024 PIT count.	01/25/2024
2B-2.	PIT Count Data-HDX Submission Date.	
	NOFO Section V.B.4.a	
Ente	er the date your CoC submitted its 2024 PIT count data in HDX.	05/09/2025
2B-3.	PIT Count-Effectively Counting Youth in Your CoC's Most Recent Unsheltered PIT Count.	
	NOFO Section V.B.4.b.	
	Describe in the field below how your CoC:	
st 1 5.	engaged unaccompanied youth and youth serving organizations in your CoC's most recent PIT count planning process;	
2.	worked with unaccompanied youth and youth serving organizations to select locations where homeless youth are most likely to be identified during your CoC's most recent PIT count planning process; and	
3.	Included youth experiencing homelessness as counters during your CoC's most recent unsheltered PIT count.	

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- 1. Each year the CoC facilitates a PIT Planning Committee that is composed of members who serve a variety of homeless sub-populations; i.e. youth, unsheltered, chronic homeless, etc. including programs that are doing street outreach or are working at places, i.e. meal programs, emergency food pantries, etc. who engage and interact with the unsheltered homeless. Youth providers are represented on the committee. They provide locations where homeless youth are known to congregate and the time of day they are most likely to be found at these locations.
- The Center for Youth, the primary community based organization that works with homeless youth, did provide locations where homeless youth would likely be found for the unsheltered PIT Count.
- 3. Center for Youth staff were part of the PIT Count planning group, but were not able to recruit homeless youth to be volunteers for the PIT count.

2B-4	PIT Count-Methodology Change-CoC Merger Bonus Points.
	NOFO Section V.B.5.a and V.B.7.c.
	In the field below:
1	describe any changes your CoC made to your sheltered PIT count implementation, including methodology or data quality changes between 2023 and 2024, if applicable;
2	describe any changes your CoC made to your unsheltered PIT count implementation, including methodology or data quality changes between 2023 and 2024, if applicable;
3.	describe whether your CoC's PIT count was affected by people displaced either from a natural disaster or seeking short-term shelter or housing assistance who recently arrived in your CoCs' geographic; and
4.	describe how the changes affected your CoC's PIT count results; or
5.	state "Not Applicable" if there were no changes or if you did not conduct an unsheltered PIT count in 2024.

Not Applicable

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2C-1.	Reducing the Number of First Time Homeless-Risk Factors Your CoC Uses.
	NOFO Section V.B.5.b.
	In the field below:
1.	describe how your CoC determined the risk factors to identify persons experiencing homelessness for the first time;
2.	describe your CoC's strategies to address individuals and families at risk of becoming homeless; and
3.	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

1. The CoC used HMIS and StellaP to gather information about households that entered the system for the first time during the reporting period. The overall number of first time homeless was reduced. Using data from HMIS, the CoC analyzed the prior living situations of households that had no HMIS entries within the 24 months prior. Analysis showed that households that had no history of homelessness reported 'Staying with Friends/Family', Court Eviction and 'Family Dysfunction/Conflict' were the most common reasons for entry into the homelessness system. 'Recent Release from Jail/Prison' and 'Domestic Violence Victim' were the next most cited reasons. There was also a significant increase in the number of persons who were evicted by the Housing Court, historically many of those households would have gone to natural supports, i.e. - temporarily staying with friends or family, but are entering the homeless

system more frequently.

2. The CoC will continue to partner with the local Department of Human Services (DHS) and "211" which are the agencies most likely to screen households at risk of homelessness. The primary strategies for reducing first time homelessness are to increase resources for homelessness diversion/prevention and the creation of a new CoC position in 2025 who would be responsible for working with providing support and technical assistance to the non-CoC funded programs, i.e. - emergency shelters. Though not a huge amount of funding is available throught the Emergency Food and Shelter Program, a larger percentage of those funds was allocated to programs for rent arrears. Just Cause Eviction legislation is being proposed for the City of Rochester that if passed will hopefully reduce the number of court ordered evictions, so fewer households would need to enter the homeless system. There is also a program that is operating at the City of Rochester Housing Court that provides legal assistance to any household that is going through an eviction proceeding as well as assisting them to apply for any public cash assistance that could assist the family going forward with paying rent.

3. Monroe County DHS and CoC staff oversee the strategies to reduce the

number of first time homeless.

2C-1a.	Impact of Displaced Persons on Number of First Time Homeless.	
	NOFO Section V.B.5.b	
	Was your CoC's Number of First Time Homeless [metric 5.2] affected by the number of persons seeking short-term shelter or housing assistance displaced due to:]
1,	natural disasters?	No
2.	having recently arrived in your CoC's geographic area?	No
2C-2.	Reducing Length of Time Homeless–CoC's Strategy.	
	NOFO Section V.B.5.c.	
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	In the field below:	
1.	describe your CoC's strategy to reduce the length of time individuals and persons in families remain homeless;	
2.	describe how your CoC identifies and houses individuals and persons in families with the longest lengths of time homeless; and	

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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.

- The average length of time homeless is 60.9 days and the median is 37 days. The CoC's strategies to reduce length of time homeless (LOTH) include increasing the efficiency of Coordinated Entry (CE), engaging new landlords to increase affordable housing stock, advocating with property managers to decrease barriers to entering housing, and increasing capacity for homeless housing programs. CE convened a Workgroup to have programs participating in CE to identify aspects of CE that increase a household's LOTH. To reduce the prevalence of participants who declined referrals to housing programs, the CE workgroup developed program information sheets. The case managers can now have informed conversations with clients about the program and the participant can accept or decline the referral without first having to arrange a time to meet with the program staff. The CE Landlord Engagement Committee has created a free website for landlords to post units that are only available to case managers within the homeless system and providing some cash incentives. Non CoCfunded housing units often have strict requirements for entry; in this community New York state funds supportive housing units that have set-aside units with homeless preference and who utilize CE prioritization list. During regular CE Oversight Committee meetings, providers informed CE staff that the property management at the units were burdening participants by requiring original copies of all screening documents. CE staff was able to identify this problem and advocate with the funders to implement change. The LOTH has increased primarily due to the lack of appropriate housing units, steep increases in rent across the housing market and large number of landlords who got out of the business after COVID.
- 2. The CoC utilizes HMIS and StellaP to analyze the Average Days Homeless (ADH) of households within the homelessness system. The CoC is able to identify the household types and pathway that has the greatest effect on the system's ADH. Program staff who participate in CE provide input to the CE Oversight Committee about the barriers their clients encounter which allows policies and procedures to be updated without delay. The CE application is done in HMIS so CoC and CE staff are able to track and monitor the time between placement on list to placement referral and from referral to housing move in.
- 3. CoC and CE staff oversee these strategies

2C-3.	Successful Permanent Housing Placement or Retention -CoC's Strategy.
	NOFO Section V.B.5.d.
	In the field below:
1.	describe your CoC's strategy to increase the rate that individuals and persons in families residing in emergency shelter, safe havens, transitional housing, and rapid rehousing exit to permanent housing destinations;
2.	describe your CoC's strategy to increase the rate that individuals and persons in families residing in permanent housing projects retain their permanent housing or exit to permanent housing destinations; and
3.	provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to increase the rate that individuals and families exit to or retain permanent housing.

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 The primary strategies the CoC will use to increase the exits to PH from ES. SH, TH and RRH are to expand our landlord engagement activities to increase the inventory of potential rental units, advocate with our County DHS Dept. to have more flexibility with the length of stay in ES, (housing search is taking much longer due to shortage of units and increased rents resulting in some households leaving shelter prior to securing PH due to reaching the maximum length of stay DHS allows); implementation of a rent supplement program, Project Anchor, a new rent subsidy program through DHS that will pay 100% of FMR for persons below 150% AMI in lieu of shelter allowance which hasn't increased in decades, and work with ES providers to reduce the number of "unknown" destinations from ES, most common for those that enter shelter for a very short period of time, less than 5 days, and then leave with no exit interview. 2. 98% of PH participants remain or exit to permanent housing. Our strategies to continue this success are continued use of our Moving On Toolkit which assists programs in identifying persons who are ready to move to more independent housing, we are piloting a mediation program to address tenancy issues early with goal of housing retention; case conferences scheduled for persons to develop solutions to prevent program termination; i.e. - transfer to another program.

PSH and RRH Workgroups CE and CoC Staff

2C-4.	Reducing Returns to Homelessness–CoC's Strategy.
	NOFO Section V.B.5.e.
	In the field below:
1.	describe your CoC's strategy to identify individuals and families who return to homelessness;
2.	describe your CoC's strategy to reduce the rate that individuals and families return 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.

- 1. The CoC utilizes HMIS and StellaP to acquire information about households that return to homelessness (returns) after exiting the system to PH. HMIS and StellaP provide household level data and identifies the pathways and household types that have the highest returns. As part of the Coordinated Entry (CE) process, households are routinely screened for previous entries into PH programs. Households that have PH exit dates within the previous 6-12 months and who have been re-referred through CE will have a case conference with current providers to develop a housing plan to identify housing barriers and solutions to increase housing stability. Data shows that the primary indicators for returns to homelessness are these Head of Households who are identified as in need of PH intervention but are not reached for referral, and people who are unsuccessfully discharged PH programs.
- 2. The primary strategy is to ensure robust support systems are built into housing programs, ensuring the household remains engaged with service providers to create stability upon program entry, and employing housing retention strategies when tenancy is at risk. The CoC audits case notes monthly for households that are enrolled in PH programs. This is a quality assurance measure to verify that households are receiving adequate and appropriate services to achieve/maintain housing stability. The CoC is encouraging Emergency Housing staff to enroll households that are not placed in a CoCfunded program in Health Home Care Management or peer support programs to support households that transition to PH. The CoC has piloted a landlord/tenant mediation program that is targeted to households in supportive housing programs and brings together landlord/tenant/service provider to develop a written agreement designed to avoid eviction.
- 3. CE and CoC Staff, ES Leadership Workgroup, PSH and RRH Provider Workgroups

2C-5	Increasing Employment Cash Income–CoC's Strategy.
	NOFO Section V.B.5.f.
	In the field below:
1.	describe your CoC's strategy to access employment cash sources;
2.	describe how your CoC works with mainstream employment organizations to help individuals and families experiencing homelessness increase their employment 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.

1.The CoC and its partner agencies believe that household income is imperative for achieving and maintaining housing stability. Project outcomes related to income/employment are assessed monthly and projects receive monthly progress reports that document their progress toward achieving the community goal of having 20% of a project's participants increase earned income during the project year. Within the geographic area of the CoC, there are a number of employment, career counseling, and vocational training service centers that offer services free of charge for residents. The largest of these agencies is RochesterWorks, which is a member of the American Job Center Network and administers Federal Workforce Development Funds on behalf of Monroe County. RochesterWorks is a member of the Homeless Services Network (HSN), which is the CoC stakeholders' group, and keeps the HSN member organizations aware of employment initiatives that may benefit program participants.

The program participants in CoC-funded programs have opportunities to learn valuable 'soft' skills that lead to increased employment income in addition to the usual support that is offered to those entering the workforce, such as assistance with transportation, acquiring a uniform/work equipment, or arranging daycare. A number of CoC-funded programs have an 'employment specialist' on staff who assists program participants with job reparation and applying for positions and who can provide coaching to develop skills needed to maintain employment and experience long-term success. A PSH program has formed a partnership with a local business who supports women in recovery. This coffee shop offers paid employment opportunities to female participants of the PSH program, who often don't have strong work history. Supportive environments offer employees leniency while also teaching skills to help them succeed in the workplace. Examples include open communication with store management regarding addiction/recovery struggles, limited workload to reduce stress, and a formal training program that focuses on building soft skills that increase employability allow for job retention. If successful, the community would like to expand this program across more sectors of the local economy.

3.The CoC, HSN, and CoC-funded homeless service providers are the parties responsible for developing and implementing strategies for increasing employment income.

2C-5a.	Increasing Non-employment Cash Income–CoC's Strategy
	NOFO Section V.B.5.f.
	In the field below:
1,	describe your CoC's strategy to access non-employment cash income; and
2.	provide the organization name or position title that is responsible for overseeing your CoC's strategy to increase non-employment cash income.

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1. The CoC's strategy to access non-employment cash income centers around ensuring that all households are receiving the cash benefits they are entitled to receive. In the CoC's geographic area, this includes TANF, GA, and SSA income. Each month, all CoC-funded programs receive reports that have details about the project's outcomes. Included in the reports are the percentage of participants that have \$0 monthly income, as reported in HMIS. . The CoC was not able to find funding to replace the ESG-CV funded SOAR Program. A PSH provider has received NYSSTEPH funding to provide SOAR services. This program will give priority to participants in their PSH programs, but have agreed to provide SOAR services to others when there is capacity in the program to do that. The local agency that allocates public assistance benefits is the Monroe County Department of Human Services (DHS). The CoC partnered with DHS to create a training curriculum tailored specifically for staff in homeless housing programs. The focus of the training is centered around making the benefits application process as easy to navigate as possible. The training is hosted on the CoC's Learning Management System (LMS) and the CoC enrolls new staff people as they are hired. The CoC tracks the progress of the learners and can provide program management with the names of staff who have or have not completed the training. In order to document the increases in non-employment cash income it is necessary for program staff to capture the information in HMIS. There is an expectation that case notes for households with \$0 income will indicate that programs are assisting participants with accessing entitlement cash benefits. Program staff are reminded to update in HMIS any increase in cash benefits in the household's annual assessment. 2. The CoC, HMIS Administrator, and DHS are the primary responsible parties for overseeing he startegy to increase non-employment income.

3A. Coordination with Housing and Healthcare

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	3A-1. I	New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project-Leveraging Housing Resources.		
		NOFO Section V.B.6.a.		
		You must upload the Housing Leveraging Commitment attachment to the 4B. Attac Screen.	hments	
	Is you hous expe	ur CoC applying for a new PH-PSH or PH-RRH project that uses housing subsidieing units which are not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs to help individuation the color programs to help individuation to the color property in the color property in the color project that uses housing substitution and the color project that uses housing substitution are color project.	s or subsidized No als and families	
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3B. New Projects With Rehabilitation/New Construction Costs

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Rehabilitation/New Construction Costs-New Projects.	
NOFO Section V.B.1.r.	
rour CoC requesting funding for any new project application requesting \$200,000 or more in funding housing rehabilitation or new construction?	No
Rehabilitation/New Construction Costs–New Projects.	
NOFO Section V.B.1.r.	
If you answered yes to question 3B-1, describe in the field below actions CoC Program-funded project applicants will take to comply with:	
Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u); and	
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 provide economic opportunities to low- and very-low-income persons.	
	your CoC requesting funding for any new project application requesting \$200,000 or more in funding housing rehabilitation or new construction? Rehabilitation/New Construction Costs—New Projects. NOFO Section V.B.1.r. If you answered yes to question 3B-1, describe in the field below actions CoC Program-funded project applicants will take to compty with: Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u); and 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

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

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3C-1.	Designating SSO/TH/Joint TH and PH-RRH Component Projects to Serve Persons Experiencing Homelessness as Defined by Other Federal Statutes.	
	NOFO Section V.F.	
proj	our CoC requesting to designate one or more of its SSO, TH, or Joint TH and PH-RRH component ects to serve families with children or youth experiencing homelessness as defined by other eral statutes?	No
3C-2.	Cost Effectiveness of Serving Persons Experiencing Homelessness as Defined by Other Federal Statutes.	
	NOFO Section V.F.	
	You must upload the Project List for Other Federal Statutes attachment to the 4B. Attachments Screen.	
	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	
2.	how your CoC will meet requirements described in Section 427(b)(1)(F) of the Act.	

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4A. DV Bonus Project Applicants for New DV Bonus Funding

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	. New DV Bonus Project Applicants.		
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.		
	Did your CoC submit one or more new project applications for DV Bonus Funding?		Yes
4A-1a	DV Bonus Project Types.		
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.		
	Select yes or no in the chart below to indicate the type(s) of new DV Bonus project(s) your CoC included in its FY 2024 Priority Listing.		
Pr	oject Type		
	oject Type GO Coordinated Entry	No	
1. SS 2. PH	CO Coordinated Entry I-RRH or Joint TH and PH-RRH Component st click "Save" after selecting Yes for element 1 SSO Coordinated I	Yes	
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1. SS 2. Pł You mu	I-RRH or Joint TH and PH-RRH Component St click "Save" after selecting Yes for element 1 SSO Coordinated i to view questions 4A-2, 4A-2a. and 4A-2b. Data Assessing Need for New DV Bonus Housing Projects in Your CoC's Geographic Area.	Yes	
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4A-3a.	How Your CoC Calculated Local Need for New DV Bonus Housing Projects.	
	OFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(c)	
	Describe in the field below:	
1,	how your CoC calculated the number of DV survivors needing housing or services in question 4A-3 element 1 and element 2; and	
2.	the data source (e.g., comparable databases, other administrative data, external data source, HMIS for non-DV projects); or	
3.	if your CoC is unable to meet the needs of all survivors please explain in your response all barriers to meeting those needs.	

1. The number of survivors that need housing or housing services on 10/28/24 is calculated based on Willow's emergency shelter wait list and wait list for supportive housing services.

2. Data is sourced from Willow's Apricot database (an HMIS comparable database). The number of survivors that are currently being served is calculated

via Willow's daily census and maintained in the Apricot database.

3. Lack of affordable housing options, shortage of shelter beds and transitional and permanent housing options, and high rental costs are among the biggest barriers to ensuring that we can meet the housing needs of survivors of DV in the Greater Rochester Community.

4A-3b.	Information About Unique Project Applicant Requesting New DV Bonus Housing Project(s).	
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)	
	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		- 1 × × 1
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Project Applicants Applying for New PH-RRH and Joint TH and PH-RRH DV Bonus Projects

4A-3b	Information About Unique Project Applicant Requesting New DV Bonus Housing Project(s).
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)
	VI.

1,		Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester
2.	Rate of Housing Placement of DV Survivors-Percentage	87%
3.	Rate of Housing Retention of DV Survivors-Percentage	85%

4A-3b.1.	Applicant's Housing Placement and Retention Data Explanation.
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)
	For the rate of housing placement and rate of housing retention of DV survivors reported in question 4B-3b., describe in the field below:
1.	how the project applicant calculated the rate of housing placement;
2.	whether the rate for housing placement accounts for exits to safe housing destinations;
3.	how the project applicant calculated the rate of housing retention; and
4.	the data source (e.g., comparable databases, other administrative data, external data source, HMIS for non-DV projects).

(limit 1,500 characters)

Housing Placement data (which accounts for exits to safe housing destinations) is compiled via data gathered from client service notes and collected via client surveys. Data is entered and maintained in Willow's Apricot database (an HMIS comparable database).

4A-3c.	Applicant's Experience Housing DV Survivors.	
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)	
	Describe in the field below how the project applicant:	
1.	ensured DV survivors experiencing homelessness were quickly moved into safe affordable housing;	
2.	prioritized survivors—you must address the process the project applicant used, e.g., Coordinated Entry, prioritization list, CoC's emergency transfer plan;	
3.	determined survivors' supportive services needs;	
4.	connected survivors to supportive services; and	
5.	moved survivors from assisted housing to housing they could sustain-address housing stability after the housing subsidy ends.	

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Willow is the only agency in Monroe County licensed by the state (NYS Office of Children and Family Services) to provide residential and non-residential services for survivors of domestic violence. Survivors seeking shelter and housing services have been severely traumatized, are often in need of immediate medical care, and require supports to heal both physically and emotionally. For more than 40 years, our agency has dedicated itself to meeting survivors' most immediate needs, including safe and secure housing, in order to address further implications for health and mental health, social and emotional development, residential stability, and indeed, life expectancy. Throughout the past several years Willow has had the opportunity through several grants to provide limited housing assistance to survivors seeking housing by providing funds for security deposits and first month's rent. The need for this assistance has been overwhelming, and overwhelmingly helpful to the survivors receiving the assistance. Willow also offers 30 units of permanent supportive housing apartments to survivors of DV in our community and has several years of supportive housing program experience. We have seen the immense benefit for survivors who may still need supportive services while they continue to adjust, heal, and eventually thrive. Having the opportunity to provide housing/rental assistance and dedicated case management to survivors of DV within the community is the next logical step for our Housing Services Program.

4A-3d.	Applicant's Experience in Ensuring DV Survivors' Safety.
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)
	Describe in the field below examples of how the project applicant ensured the safety and confidentiality of DV survivors experiencing homelessness by:
1.	taking steps to ensure privacy/confidentiality during the intake and interview process to minimize potential coercion of survivors;
2.	making determinations and placements into safe housing;
3.	keeping survivors' information and locations confidential;
4.	training staff on safety and confidentially policies and practices; and
5.	taking security measures for units (congregate or scattered site), that support survivors' physical safety and location confidentiality.

Willow works very closely with the CoC to ensure that the CoC has data for survivors of domestic violence served by Willow. Willow does not report aggregate data into the HMIS system in order to protect the confidentiality and safety of those we serve. However, we do provide aggregate data to the HMIS system. The overarching goal of all Willow programs is to ensure the safety of survivors of domestic violence and their families and to help equip them for independence and self-sufficiency. Survivors' information and locations are kept confidential, and physical safety of our clients is paramount. Willow advocates who work with clients are trained extensively on safety and confidentiality policies, procedures, and practices.

All client data is considered confidential and is maintained in Willow's client database system (known as Apricot) which was designed to track services provided to survivors of domestic violence. The database can only be accessed by Willow direct service staff and supervisors. Direct service staff are responsible for documenting all client services in Apricot daily. Based on confidentiality requirements, Willow is not allowed to include in a case note anything related to a client's abuse. Instead, we document in a note anything that, as an advocate, case manager or counselor, we provided to the client.

For example:

- Any Safety Planning we conducted
- 2. Any resources we provided
- 3. Any supports that we provided

4A-3d.1. Applicant's Experience in Evaluating Its Ability to Ensure DV Survivors' Safety.

NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)

Describe in the field below how the project evaluated its ability to ensure the safety of DV survivors the project served in the project, including any areas identified for improvement throughout the project's operation.

(limit 2,500 characters)

Evaluation is an integral component of our programming. As part of our evaluation process, Willow has an Evaluation Team responsible for overseeing evaluation of Willow programs. The Evaluation Team includes members from Executive, Programs, Grants, and Database teams that meet regularly to refine and oversee the evaluation plan. The plan identifies: programs and services to evaluate; the type of evaluation to be used; available tools for evaluation; issues surrounding consent and confidentiality; and the implementation process and timeline. The team also discusses service delivery, sets measurable outcomes for each program, and collects data. All data is considered confidential and is maintained in Willow's client database system (known as Apricot) which was designed to track services provided to survivors of domestic violence. The database can only be accessed by Willow direct service staff and supervisors. Direct service staff are responsible for documenting all client services in Apricot daily.

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4A-3e.	Applicant's Experience in Placing and Stabilizing Survivors in Permanent Housing Using Trauma-Informed, Survivor-Centered Approaches.
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)
	Describe in the field below the project applicant's experience in:
1,	prioritizing placement and stabilization of survivors;
2	placing survivors in permanent housing;
	placing and stabilizing survivors consistent with their preferences; and

(limit 2,500 characters)

Willow has extensive experience in placing and stabilizing survivors in permanent housing using trauma-informed, survivor-centered approaches. Willow's Rapid Rehousing for Survivors of Domestic Violence project will prioritize providing permanent housing to survivors of domestic violence who are experiencing homelessness. Once homelessness has ended, survivors will have a means of pursuing personal goals and improving their quality of life. Willow's trauma-informed, survivor-centered Housing First policy is as follows: 1.Survivors require basic necessities like food and a place to live before tending to anything less critical, such as getting a job, budgeting properly, or attending to substance use issues.

- 2.Survivor choice is valuable in housing selection and supportive service participation, and by exercising that choice, a survivor is likely to be more successful in remaining housed and improving their life.
- 3.All survivors of domestic violence housed in Willow's emergency shelter are potentially eligible for the project.
- 4. Survivors are not mandated to participate in services either before obtaining housing or to retain housing.
- 5. Supportive services are offered to support people with housing stability and individual well-being, but participation is not required as services have been found to be more effective when a person chooses to engage.
- 6. This rapid re-housing program will provide short-term rental assistance and services.
- 7. The goal of this project is to help people obtain housing quickly, increase self-sufficiency, and remain housed.

4A-3f.	Applicant's Experience in Trauma-Informed, Survivor-Centered Approaches.
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)
	Describe in the field below examples of the project applicant's experience using trauma-informed, victim-centered approaches to meet needs of DV survivors by:
1.	establishing and maintaining an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures survivors and staff interactions are based on equality, and minimize power differentials;
2.	providing survivors access to information on trauma, e.g., training staff on providing survivors with information on the effects of trauma;
3.	emphasizing survivors' strengths, e.g., strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans worked towards survivor-defined goals and aspirations;
4.	centering on cultural responsiveness and inclusivity, e.g., training on equal access, cultural competence, nondiscrimination, language access, improving services to be culturally responsive, accessible, and trauma-informed;

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- providing a variety of opportunities for survivors' connections, e.g., groups, mentorships, peer-topeer, spiritual needs; and
- offering support for survivor parenting, e.g., trauma-informed parenting classes, childcare, connections to legal services.

Willow's approach is trauma-informed, survivor-centered, and solution-focused, which aligns to promote culturally competent and responsive services as a core tenet of our service delivery model. The agency embraces SAMHSA's six principles of Trauma Informed Care. We recognize that how someone puts the world together is a result of their life experiences and that traumatic experiences impact brain functioning and development. Our approach is a shift from "what's wrong with you?" to "what's happened to you?" From this lens, our team of advocates work with each survivor to recognize and address the complex, and compounded, effects of trauma while building on strengths and resiliency. We also work as a team to debrief and address the vicarious and secondary trauma experienced by our staff as they work daily with some of the most egregious cases in our community.

The agency uses trauma- and evidence-informed practice to provide wraparound support to survivors at every stage in their journey. Someone may be ready to end a relationship or perhaps they are thinking about self-preservation for the very first time. We are here to provide assistance with safety planning and support while they decide what to do. We incorporate trauma-informed and evidence-based models and interventions to keep our programs in line with research-driven best practices. The latest research from labs or projects such as the Laboratory of Interpersonal Violence & Victimization at URMC, the DV Evidence Project, and the National Resource Center on Domestic Violence informs the agency's practice and evaluation strategies. Examples of these models, techniques, and interventions include Trauma-Informed Care, Wraparound Model, Duluth Model, Campbell's Danger Assessment, Seeking Safety, A Window Between Worlds, and Motivational Interviewing.

We hire staff that reflect the diversity of our community. We place a high priority on recruiting and hiring staff that are bilingual and culturally competent. The expertise of staff from diverse backgrounds and experience is called upon to help ensure that our programming is accessible, culturally responsive, and relevant to our community. This translates into a diverse multi-skilled staff, available to address the unique needs of individual survivors and their families. Cultural sensitivity, cultural competency, and cultural responsiveness are integral to building trust so that survivors are more likely to take the steps necessary to enhance their safety.

Staff participate in a two-day Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training annually and a two-day Deaf Culture training bi-annually. There is also an annual Safe Zone Training on culturally responsive services to members of the LGBTQ+ community. Other DEI learning opportunities are offered to staff each year. We also work with providers with cultural expertise to deliver the most appropriate, culturally relevant services.

4A-3g.	Applicant's Experience Meeting Service Needs of DV Survivors.	
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(d)	

Describe in the field below examples of supportive services the project provided to domestic violence survivors while quickly moving them into permanent housing and addressing their safety needs.

(limit 5,000 characters)

Survivors of domestic violence have many needs which are complex and unique to each individual. While safety is paramount, for over 40 years Willow has provided comprehensive supports and services to survivors of domestic violence in our community, including: trauma-informed, strengths-based and survivor-centered counseling; information, advocacy and referrals; assistance in securing safe affordable housing; help navigating the criminal justice system and court accompaniment; support with child care; mobile advocacy services; Deaf-led and Deaf-specific mobile advocacy services; referral services for alcohol and substance use issues; support to help achieve education and employment goals, and more.

4A-3h.	Applicant's Plan for Placing and Stabilizing Survivors in Permanent Housing Using Trauma- Informed, Survivor-Centered Approaches in the New DV Bonus Housing Project(s).	
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(e)	
	Describe in the field below how the project(s) will:	Î
1.	prioritize placement and stabilization of program participants;	
2.	place program participants in permanent housing;	
3.	place and stabilize program participants consistent with their preferences; and	
4	place and stabilize program participants consistent with their stated needs.	

Willow has extensive experience in placing and stabilizing survivors in permanent housing using trauma-informed, survivor-centered approaches. Willow's Rapid Rehousing for Survivors of Domestic Violence project will prioritize providing permanent housing to survivors of domestic violence who are experiencing homelessness. Once homelessness has ended, survivors will have a means of pursuing personal goals and improving their quality of life. Willow's trauma-informed, survivor-centered Housing First policy is as follows: 1.Survivors require basic necessities like food and a place to live before tending to anything less critical, such as getting a job, budgeting properly, or attending to substance use issues.

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6. This rapid re-housing program will provide short-term rental assistance and services.

7. The goal of this project is to help people obtain housing quickly, increase self-sufficiency, and remain housed.

4A-3 i	Applicant's Plan for Administering Trauma-Informed, Survivor-Centered Practices in the New DV Bonus Housing Project(s).
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(e)
	Describe in the field below examples of how the new project(s) will:
1,	establish and maintain an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures program participant and staff interactions are based on equality, and minimize power differentials;
2.	provide program participants access to information on trauma, e.g., training staff on providing program participants with information on the effects of trauma;
3.	emphasize program participants' strengths-for example, strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans work towards survivor-defined goals and aspirations;
4.	center on cultural responsiveness and inclusivity, e.g., training on equal access, cultural competence, nondiscrimination, language access, improving services to be culturally responsive, accessible, and trauma-informed;
5.	provide a variety of opportunities for program participants' connections, e.g., groups, mentorships, peer-to-peer, spiritual needs; and
6.	offer support for survivor parenting, e.g., trauma-informed parenting classes, childcare, connections to legal services.

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- 1.Any survivor residing in Willow's emergency shelter can complete a Willow Supportive Housing Application and submit it to the Manager of Housing Services. Consideration for participation in this grant is open to all survivors regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, military status, marital status, or disability.
- 2. The Manager of Housing Services schedules intake/assessment appointment with the survivor, the Community Placement Coordinator, and the Rapid Rehousing Case Manager
- a.Complete Supportive Housing Assessment
- b.Complete Acuity Index
- c.Review program expectations form
- 3. Review Process
- a.Manager of Housing Services reviews the application and assessment and develops a recommendation.
- b.Materials and recommendation are shared with Review Panel for approval c.Willow's Supportive Housing Review Panel consists of:

Director of Residential Services

Director of Facilities (Administrative Representative)

Manager of Emergency Shelter (Residential)

Chief Operating Officer (serves as the tie breaker)

- 4.Manager of Housing Services follows up with the Community Placement Coordinator and the survivor to ensure that the survivor has found safe and affordable housing.
- 5. Promissory note for the applicable landlord would be requested from the Director of Grants and approved by the V.P. of Finance and Administration.

4A-3j.	Applicant's Plan for Involving Survivors in Policy and Program Development, Operations, and Evaluation in the New DV Bonus Housing Project(s).	
	NOFO Section I.B.3.j.(1)(f)	
	Describe in the field below how the new project will involve survivors:	
	Describe in the field below how the new project will involve survivors: with a range of lived expertise; and	

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Willow has staff and Board Members who are survivors of DV from underserved communities throughout Monroe County. Willow seeks continuous feedback from survivors we serve through surveys and focus groups/listening sessions. Willow Advocates provide anonymous and confidential client survey links to each survivor who receives services at Willow, to gain insight, as well as inform program design, service delivery, and quality improvement. Members of Willow's Board of Directors, Leadership Team, and Database staff analyze and review the survey data monthly and make recommendations for updates to service delivery as needed. A survivor-centered approach acknowledges the invaluable expertise of survivors based on their knowledge and lived experience and foregrounds their perspectives. Last year, survivors of DV who previously received Willow services launched Survivor VOICES. Survivor VOICES is a group of survivors of domestic violence, former Willow clients, now celebrating their strength and survival by using their voices to support others through advocacy, education, and empowerment. Survivor VOICES started out as a focus group for the Family Justice Center study tour in March 2023; thereafter. members continued meeting together as a peer support group, for outreach and advocacy efforts, and more. Survivor VOICES reviews forms and processes for access, language, and trauma-informed approach, and continues to be involved in updates to Willow's programming and service delivery. Survivor VOICES champions the importance of both self-efficacy and peer solidarity, empowering themselves to chart their unique courses forward, together.

4B. Attachments Screen For All Application Questions

We have provided the following guidance to help you successfully upload attachments and get maximum points:

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1D-10a. Lived Support Letter	1D-10a. Lived Experience Support Letter		Lived Experience	10/30/2024			
1D-2a. Housing	g First Evaluation	Yes	Housing First Eva	10/30/2024			
1E-2. Local Competition Scoring Tool		Yes	Local Competition	10/30/2024			
1E-2a. Scored Forms for One Project		Yes	Scored Forms for	10/30/2024			
1E-5. Notification	on of Projects	Yes	Notification of P	10/30/2024			
1E-5a. Notifica Accepted	tion of Projects	Yes	Notification of P	10/30/2024			
1E-5b. Local C Selection Resu	ompetition lts	Yes	Local Competition	10/30/2024			
1E-5c. Web Posting–CoC- Approved Consolidated Application		Yes					
1E-5d. Notification of CoC- Approved Consolidated Application		Yes	Notification of C	10/30/2024			

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2A-6. HUD's Homeless Data Exchange (HDX) Competition Report	Yes	HDX Competition R	10/30/2024
3A-1a. Housing Leveraging Commitments	No	Housing Leverage	10/30/2024
3A-2a. Healthcare Formal Agreements	No	Healthcare Formal	10/30/2024
3C-2. Project List for Other Federal Statutes	No	Project Listing f	10/30/2024
Other	No		

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Document Description: Local Competition Scoring Tools

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Submission Summary

Ensure that the Project Priority List is complete prior to submitting.

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4A. DV Bonus Project Applicants

4B. Attachments Screen

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1C-7. PHA Homeless Preference

N/A

1D-10a. Lived Experience Support Letter

10/24/2024

Partners Ending Homelessness Attn: Jennifer Keys 560 West Main Street Rochester, NY 14608

Jennifer:

The Persons with Lived Experience (PLE) Workgroup is currently composed of five members (Ebony, Iewen, Lisa, Tammy and Cory). The PLE Workgroup has authorized Lisa to sign this letter for this group.

PLE Workgroup members are involved in a number of leadership positions and decision making processes in the CoC. Persons with Lived Experience are represented on the Partners Ending Homelessness Board (Lead Agency for the CoC), are members of the Homeless Services Network (HSN), the stakeholder group for the CoC, sit on the HS Steering Committee, are members of the Chronic Homeless Workgroup, the Coordinated Entry Oversight Workgroup and provide insight and recommendations as issues come up with throughout the year. In this current year one of the issues discussed is whether the warming center model is working for Code Blue. Recommendations were made for some changes from prior years.

The PLE Workgroup is supportive of CoC strategies and priorities to address homelessness:

- Increasing affordable housing resources particularly for households with very low incomes
- People are entering homelessness for the first time due to court evictions and high increases in rents throughout Monroe County.
- The importance of involvement of PLE in programs to increase engagement.
- The importance of training particularly on community resources and public benefits for peers.

We look forward to continuing to work with the CoC on homelessness issues.

Sincerely,

Lisa Buscemi

1D-2a. Housing First Evaluation

Housing First Evaluation

There are several ways that the CoC ensures that programs are using a Housing First approach other than the local application process for CoC funding.

Project Monitoring – Each CoC funded project is monitored annually by CoC staff and non-conflicted community members who sit on the CoC Monitoring Committee. Attached you will find the monitoring form that is used and a sample Housing First Policy for one of the CoC projects. The project's Housing First Policy is reviewed during the monitoring. The "yellow highlighted" areas on the monitoring forms are items that are good indicators whether the program is following Housing First principles. If a participant is terminated their files are reviewed to make sure that there is documentation of the measures taken to prevent the termination and that due process was followed.

Case Note Reviews – Each CoC funded project has a monthly case note audit completed by CoC staff. 10% of a project's participants are randomly selected for review of the notes. The goal of the audit is to ensure that programs are in regular contact with their participants, that their contacts with participants are related to the client's service/goal plan and that Housing First principles are being practiced; i.e. – notes do not indicate that participants are required to participate in treatment as a condition of staying housed. Feedback is provided if there are questions or if it is unclear whether there was follow-up regarding issues that could affect housing retention.

1E-2. Local Competition Scoring Tool

Program	RHA	Project Name		RHA/VOC PSH	Project ty
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Section 1	Q1/2 Q3	Attachment 1-1	3 2	The state of the s	Scoring 2
		Actueliment 1-1		Will your program provide or make linkages to employment services?	1
Section 2	Q1 Q1A		5	program should be funded.	2
	Q2		5	What is the vision of your health care or housing partnership?	
		Provides MOU with partners of		How does the proposed project meet an unmet need in the community?	3
	Q3	information about partners, describes prior experience		Program works with other community based organizations; has prior experience with homeless and grants management	1
	Q.4	(1 point for each service discussed)	5	Describe what services your project will provide or make referrals to that lead to the increased self-sufficiency of participants	5
	Q.5		5	What measurement or system would the agency use to track the client's housing stability?	2
	Q.6		5	What will be your strategy for participants to remain stably housed or complete the program successfully?	2
	Q.7		5	Reason for requesting funding this grant year.	1
Section 3	Q1	100%=3 points; <100% = 0 poin	ts 3	What percentage of your program participants will be coming through the Coordinated Entry system?	3
	Q 2	0 -5 points	3	Response indicates that program demonstrates a thorough understanding of	
				coordinated entry.	2
Section 4	Q1	1 point each committee (max of points)	2 2	Which CoC/HSN activities does your program/project staff participate in?	2
	Q 2	Attachment 4-2	2	2. How does this project align with Community Priorities?	1
				Knowing that inclusivity is vital, how will People with Lived Experience	1
	Q3		3	and Expertise be actively involved in planning and oversight for this project?	0
Section 5	Q1		0	Response indicates that program is aware of educational services that must be provided consistent with McKinney-Vento requirements	0
Section 6	Q1		2	Please list eligibility criteria as they will appear in your program policies and	
	Q 2		2	procedures. Attach the agency's termination policy for all participants in the future project	0
	Q3		2	What are possible reasons as they will appear in your program policies and procedures and/or requirements of the property manager that would be grounds	2
	Q 4		3	for denial into the program. Response demonstrates an understanding of Housing First and Person Centered	3
			-	principles	3
Section 7	Q1 Q2	Yes	0	Is the project going to fully participate in HMIS?	0
	Q3	Yes (2.5 points for successfully	0	Project agrees to share data and assessments Response indicates that they are familiar with HMIS or other database and	0
		discussing each component)	5	describes a logical work flow	3
	Q.4		5	Describe what your process will be for documenting interactions with the client(s). Include information on where documentation will be recorded, how often the case manager will meeting with the client(s), what system will be in place to monitor documentation and timeliness of documentation	1
	Q 5		2	What elements should be included in case notes?	
				State of Historical Intest	1
Section 6	Q1	equal or > than benchmark = 1	1	Benchmark: 85% participants access non-cash benefits	1
	Q 2 Q 3	equal or > than benchmark = 1	1	Benchmark: 20% of participants will have employment income	1
	Q4	equal or > than benchmark = 1 equal or > than benchmark = 1	1	Benchmark: 40% participants access cash from sources other than employment	1
			1	Benchmark: 92% of participants exit to permanent housing	1
	Q 5 Q 6	< or = average = 3	3	Cost per HH for HUD requested funding - Above or Below Average Cost Based on Same Type of Program Cost per HH for total budget - Above or Below Average Cost Based on Same Type	3
		< or ≠ average = 3	3	of Program	3
	Q7 Q8	Attachment 8-7	4	Achieve these HUD CoC community outcomes?	1
			4	prior experience in managing federal or other grants?	2
ludget				Costs are all aligible expenses = 2; Staffing - details provided = 3; Budget -	
			8	complete, reasonable and accurate = 3; Budget -	3
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				Presentation	

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Partners Ending Homelessness 2024 Renewal Project Ranking Criteria

APR used 4/1/2022 -2/21/2024

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Organization Name:	
Project Name:	
Contact Person Phone Number Email	
Project Type (check correct box)	
Transitional Housing (TH)	
Sate Haven (SH)	
Safe Haven (SH) Transitional housing – Rapid Re-Housing (TH-RRH) Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)	
Transitional housing – Rapid Re-Housing (TH-RRH) Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)	

A.	Data Quality: 100% of the following data was compreporting period of 4/1/2021 to 3/31	oleted duri	ng th
Data Quality	1. 6a Personally Identifiable Information (6 pts - 1 pt for each 0%)	Points	6
	2. 6b Universal Data Elements (5 pts - 1 pt for each 0%)	Points	5
	3. 6c Income & Sources at Start, Annual & Exit (6 pts – 2 pts for each 0%)	Points	6
	4. 6d Chronic Homelessness (1 pts for 0% in project type)	Points	1
	5. 15 Prior Living Situation (equals homeless situation)	Points	3
	6. 20b Non-Cash Benefits (1 pts – if the client does not know & data is not collected, both equal 0)	Points	1

E. Efficiency	Drawdown Efficiency: Percentage of HUD expenditures drawn down from the project's APR for the year ending 2023 (1)	Points See Scoring D.	3
	2. Utilization rate of in-project? (Units) 100% + (5 points) 100% (4 points) 99%- 95% (3 points) 94%-90% (1 points) 89% - 80% (-3 point) 79% and below (- 8 points) APR 4/1/2023-3/31/2024	Points See Scoring D.	5
	3. Cost of Success rate: HUD grant amount divided by the number of households with a successful exit or remained stable in PH from the 4/1/2023 - 3/31/2024 APR. (2)	Points See Scoring D.	3
	Maximum Points earned for section E.		11

	 How does your program ensure participants can access and feel comfortable with the housing and services provided regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, etc.? (Please limit to 500 words)
F. Additional Project Questions (unscored)	
	2. How does your program currently involve people with lived experience? i.e., employment/volunteer opportunities, peer support, mentorship, members of Board/Advisory Committees, etc. (please limit to 500 words)

Scoring:

(B)

The project scored at or above the Community Benchmark for each outcome.

- 1. Project Start Dates are entered within 72 hours = 1 point
- 2. Participants exit to or remain in permanent housing = 2 points
- 3. Participants have employment income in the program year = 1 point
- 4. Participants have non-employment income in the program year = 1 point
- 5. Participants with no income = 2 points
- 6. Have participants obtained non-cash benefits? = 2 points
- 7. Participants have health insurance. = 2 points
- 8. Participants increase employment income = 1 point
- 9. Participants have increased non-employment income at annual = 1 point
- 10. Participants exited with an increase of non-employment income = 1 point

The project scored at or above the community (whole CoC) for each outcome.

- 1. Project Start Dates are entered within 72 hours = 1 point
- 2. Participants exit to or remain in permanent housing = 2 points
- 3. Participants have employment income in the program year = 1 point
- 4. Participants have non-employment income in the program year = 1 point
- 5. Participants with no income = 2 points
- 6. Have participants obtained non-cash benefits? = 2 points
- 7. Participants have health insurance. = 2 points
- 8. Participants increase employment income = 1 point
- 9. Participants have increased non-employment income at annual = 1 point
- 10. Participants exited with an increase of non-employment income = 1 point

The project scored at or above the average of the housing group (PSH/RRH/TH)

- 1. Project Start Dates are entered within 72 hours = 1 point
 - 2. Participants exit to or remain in permanent housing = 2 points
 - 3. Participants have employment income in the program year = 1 point
 - 4. Participants have non-employment income in the program year = 1 point
 - 5. Participants with no income = 2 points
 - 6. Have participants obtained non-cash benefits? = 2 points
 - 7. Participants have health insurance. = 2 points
 - 8. Participants increase employment income = 1 point
 - 9. Participants have increased non-employment income at annual = 1 point
 - 10. Participants exited with an increase of non-employment income = 1 point

(These percentages will be included on the project's final scoring sheet)

Sample:

E. Efficiency Question 1. > 95% = 3 points

95% < = 0 points

Question 2. PSH and RRH >95% =3 points

TH >85% = 3 points

- Question 3. At or below the average cost of successful exit rate = 3 point

 Above the average cost of successful exit rate = 0 points
- (1) When calculating these measures, PSH, RRH, and TH projects will be compared, i.e., PSH to PSH, RRH to RRH, and TH to TH.

1E-2a. Scored Forms for One Project



Phone: 585-319-5091; Fax: 585-319-5488

Partners Ending Homelessness 2024 Renewal Project Ranking Criteria

APR used 4/1/2023 -3/31/2024

Organization Name:	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.
Project Name:	VOA's Home Forward

Contact Person Phone Number Email	Pat Drake	
	585-402-7211	
	pdrake@voaupny.org	

Project Type (check correct box)	
Transitional Housing (TH)	
Safe Haven (SH)	
Transitional housing – Rapid Re-Housing (TH-RRH)	
Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)	х
Rapid Re-Housing (RRH)	
Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)	
Coordinated Entry (CE)	

Α.	Data Quality: 100% of the following reporting period of 4/1	data was completed dur	ring the
Data Quality	1. 6a Personally Identifiable Information (6 pts - 1 pt for each 0%)	Points earned	6
	2. 6b Universal Data Elements (5 pts – 1 pt for each 0%)	Points earned	5
	3. 6c Income & Sources at Start, Annual & Exit (6 pts - 2 pts for each 0%)	Points earned	4
	4. 6d Chronic Homelessness (1 pts for 0% in project type)	Points earned	1
	5. 15 Prior Living Situation (equals homeless situation)	Points earned	3
	6. 20b Non-Cash Benefits (1 pts - if the client does not know & data is not collected, both equal 0)	Points earned	0

	2. Utilization rate of in-project? (Units) 100% + (5 points) 100% (4 points) 99%- 95% (3 points) 94%-90% (1 points) 89% - 80% (-3 point) 79% and below (- 8 points) APR 4/1/2023-3/31/2024	81%	Points earned	-3
	3. Cost of Success rate: HUD grant amount divided by the number of households with a successful exit or remained stable in PH from the 4/1/2023 - 3/31/2024 APR. (2)	100%	Points earned	3
Version Est	Points earned for section E.			3

	 How does your program ensure participants can access and feel comfortable with the housing and services provided regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, etc.? (Please limit to 500 words)
F. Additional	
Project Questions (unscored)	
	2. How does your program currently involve people with lived experience? i.e., employment/volunteer opportunities, peer support, mentorship, members of Board/Advisory Committees, etc. (please limit to 500 words)

1E-5. Notification of Projects Rejected-Reduced



Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024

Partners Ending Homelessness (PEH) has completed the rating and ranking of FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC new project applications. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

We are sorry to inform you that the **Rochester Housing Authority RHA-VOC** application was not selected for submission to HUD for FY2024-2025 CoC Program Funding. All new project applications were reviewed, scored, and ranked based on score until all available funding was utilized.

Your application was not selected for funding based on the following:

Another project that was scored higher was selected for the reallocated funding

We appreciate your interest in serving the homeless in this community!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

1E-5a. Notification of Projects Accepted



Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name
Project Name
Grant ID

Coordinated Care Services, Inc.
Coordinated Entry Renewal FY2023
NY1133L2C002306

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

Per the FY2024-2025 CoC NOFO, Tier 1 is calculated at 90% percent of the Annual Renewal Demand resulting in more renewal projects moving into Tier 2 and at risk for funding. Therefore, the Review and Ranking Committee had very tough decisions to make.

Below, you will find the Tier, Rank, Score and Funding Amount/(Reallocation Amount if applicable is in red) of your project(s).

Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	21	Coordinated Care Services, Inc.	Coordinated Entry Renewal FY2023	N/A	\$252,622

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view.

Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name Grant ID Catholic Charities of Rochester dba Catholic Family Center
Consolidated Lafayette Housing FY2023

NY0689L2C002314

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	13	Catholic Charities of Rochester dba Catholic Family Center	Consolidated Lafayette Housing FY2019	63	\$335,039

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director



Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

Delphi Drug and Alcohol Council Inc Home Safe NY1135L2C002306

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	3	Delphi Drug and Alcohol Council Inc	Home Safe	80	\$587,698

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum of Care, Inc. DBA Partners Ending Homelessness

Project Name Grant ID

HMIS for RMCCoC NY0009L2C002315

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	20	Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum of Care, Inc. DBA Partners Ending Homelessness	HMIS for RMCCoC	N/A	\$251,880

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view.

Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name

Grant ID

Open Door Mission, Inc.

Open Door PSH-CH for Households FY2023- updated

NY1185L2C002305

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	16	Open Door Mission, Inc.	Open Door PSH-CH for Households with Children	60	\$233,204

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Person Centered Housing Options Inc.
PCHO Housing First
NY1056L2C002307

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	8	Person Centered Housing Options Inc.	PCHO Housing First	73	\$1,786,984

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view.

Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

Person Centered Housing Options Inc.
PCHO RRH Consolidated
NY1058L2C002307

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	17	Person Centered Housing	PCHO RRH	57	\$695,490
	17	Options Inc.	Consolidated		

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name Grant ID **Providence Housing Development Corporation**

Shelter Star Program NY0762L2C002310

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	27	Providence Housing	Providence	F.O.	\$812,254
_ •	2,	Development Corporation	Shelter Star	50	

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name Grant ID

Providence Housing Development Corporation

The Road Home NY1338L2C002302

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
2	34	Providence Housing Development Corporation	Providence The Road Home	43	\$872,660

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name
Project Name
Grant ID

Providence Housing Development Corporation
Providence PBV Permanent Housing
NY1137L2C002306

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	30	Providence Housing Development Corporation	Providence PBV Permanent Housing	46	\$1,051,028

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view.

Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Rochester Housing Authority RHA/1630 Dewey Ave PSH #23 FY2023 NY0001L2C002310

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	31	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/1630 Dewey Ave PSH-PBRA #23	46	\$141,916
2	31	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/1630 Dewey Ave PSH-PBRA #23	46	\$181,003

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view. Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director



Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Rochester Housing Authority RHA/JPC PSH #18 FY2023 NY0655L2C002310

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Below, you will find the Tier, Rank, Score and Funding Amount/(Reallocation Amount if applicable is in red) of your project(s).

Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	26	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/JPC PSH- RA #18	51	\$177,437

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

Rochester Housing Authority RHA/PCHO PSH #2 FY2023 NY1418L2C002301

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	19	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/PCHO PSH #2 FY2023	N/A	\$476,955

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view.

Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Rochester Housing Authority RHA/Son House PSH #26 FY2023 NY0890L2C002311

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
2	36	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/Son House PSH- PBRA #26	30	\$123,869

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

Rochester Housing Authority RHA/VOA PSH #5 FY2023 NY0012L2C002316

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	29	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/VOA PSH- RA #5	49	\$815,052

The full CoC Project Priority list will be available on the CoC website for you to view.

Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Rochester Housing Authority RHA/VOA PSH #7 FY2023 NY0016L2C002316

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	25	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/VOA PSH- RA #7	52	\$749,554

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

Rochester Housing Authority RHA/VOA PSH #21 FY2023 NY0760L2C002309

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	23	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/VOA Family Housing Program PSH- RA #21	54	\$134,340

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Congratulations! We look forward to working with you in our continued efforts to end homelessness in Monroe County!

Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Rochester Housing Authority RHA/YWCA PSH #27 FY2023 NY0010L2C002316

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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1	22	Rochester Housing	RHA/YWCA	54	\$248,114
-		Authority	PSH-RA #27	54	

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach SCPO TH/RRH FY2023 NY1139L2C002306

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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1	14	Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach, Inc.	SCPO TH/RRH	63	\$288,434

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach Voters Block Community PSH FY2023 NY0822L2C002308

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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1	4	Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach, Inc.	Spiritus Christi Voters Block Community PSH	79	\$249,091

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID The Center for Youth Services, Inc.
Parenting Teens
NY0654L2C002312

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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2	35	The Center for Youth Services, Inc.	Parenting Teens	38	\$83,935

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name

The Center for Youth Services, Inc.

Transition Age Youth Rapid Rehousing Project
Consolidate

Grant ID

NY1031L2C002308

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	24	The Center for Youth Services, Inc.	Transition Age Youth Rapid Rehousing Project - Consolidated	53	\$280,661

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger

CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID The Center for Youth Services, Inc.
Transitional Living Program
NY0687L2C002314

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	11	The Center for Youth Services, Inc.	Transitional Living Program	65	\$129,288

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID

The Salvation Army, a New York Corporation
Safe Haven
NY0015L2C002314

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1	18	The Salvation Army, a New York Corporation	Safe Haven	56	\$254,018

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name

Grant ID

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc. VOA Homeward Bound (NY1293) NY1293L2C002304

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	15	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Homeward Bound	63	\$733,743

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger

CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.
VOA Scattered Site Permanent Supportive Housing
for CH Households - Home Today (NY1186)

Grant ID

NY1186L2C002305

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	5	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Home Today	77	\$338,446

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name
Project Name
Grant ID

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc. VOA's Home Forward (NY1190) NY1190L2C002305

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	2	Volunteers of America of	VOA's Home	04	\$605,182
		Western New York, Inc.	Forward PSH	84	·

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.

Project Name

VOAWNY Permanent Supportive Housing in Rochester, NY - Foundation House (NY0761)

Grant ID

NY0761L2C002310

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	6	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Foundation House	77	\$311,952

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Sincerely,

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.

Volunteers of America of WNY's Permanent

Project Name Supportive Housing for Chronically Homeless

Individuals (Pinnacle Heights) (NY0797)

Grant ID NY0797L2C002313

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	1	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Pinnacle Heights	93	\$293,358

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Charles Bollinger

CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.
VOAWNY's Reentry Rapid Rehousing Program

Project Name

(NY1136)

Grant ID

NY1136L2C002306

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Tier	Ranking	Organization	Project Name	Score	Funding Amount
1	10	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOAWNY's Reentry Rapid Rehousing Program	66	\$342,546

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Project Name

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.
Volunteers of America of WNY's Permanent
Supportive Housing - Cooper Union (NY0653)

Grant ID

NY0653L2C002312

Partners Ending Homelessness (Rochester/Monroe County Homeless CoC) has completed the rating and ranking of all renewal project applications for FY 2024-2025 HUD CoC funding. The applications were scored based on the matrix made available to the community and posted on the Partners Ending Homelessness website: www.letsendhomelessness.org.

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1	28	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Cooper Union	50	\$186,351

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Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name

Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.

Project Name

Volunteers of America of WNY's Project ReDirect

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(NY0555) NY0555L2C002315

Grant ID

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1	12	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Project ReDirect	64	\$169,752

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Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County YWCA DV Rapid Rehousing FY 2023 NY1189L2C002305

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1	9	YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County	YWCA DV Rapid Rehousing 2019	72	\$333,533

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Sincerely,

Charles Bollinger

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CoC Deputy Director



Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County PSH for Chronically Homeless 2023 NY1188L2C002305

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1	7	YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County	PSH for Chronically Homeless 2019	76	\$220,266

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Charles Bollinger CoC Deputy Director

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Via email transmission:

October 8, 2024:

Program Name Project Name Grant ID YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County Rapid Re-Housing Families FY 2023 NY1294L2C002304

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2	33	YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County	Rapid Re- Housing Families FY 2019	47	\$130,224

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Charles Bollinger
CoC Deputy Director

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1E-5b. Local Competition Selection Results

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Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum of Care, Inc.

DBA Partners Ending Homelessness

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FY2024 CoC Funding-Final Ranking

Ranking	Program Name	Project Name	Application Score	Funding Amount
1	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Pinnacle Helghts	93	\$293,358
2	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA's Home Forward PSH	84	\$605,182
3	Delphi Drug and Alcohol Council Inc	Home Safe	80	\$587,698
4	Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach, Inc.	Spiritus Christi Voters Block Community PSH	79	\$249,091
5	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Home Today	77	\$338,446
6	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Foundation House	77	\$311,952
7	YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County	PSH for Chronically Homeless 2019	76	\$220,266
8	Person Centered Housing Options Inc.	PCHO Housing First	73	\$1,786,984
9	YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County	YWCA DV Rapid Rehousing 2019	72	\$333,533
10	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOAWNY's Reentry Rapid Rehousing Program	66	\$342,546
11	The Center for Youth Services, Inc.	Transitional Living Program	65	\$129,288
12	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Project ReDirect	64	\$169,752
13	Catholic Charities of Rochester dba Catholic Family Center	Consolidated Lafayette Housing FY2019	63	\$335,039
14	Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach, Inc.	SCPO TH/RRH	63	\$288,434
15	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Homeward Bound	63	\$733,743
16	Open Door Mission, Inc.	Open Door PSH-CH for Households with Children	60	\$233,204
17	Person Centered Housing Options Inc.	PCHO RRH Consolidated	57	\$695,490
18	The Salvation Army, a New York Corporation	Safe Haven	56	\$254,018
19	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/PCHO PSH #2 FY2023	N/A	\$476,955
20	Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum of Care, Inc. DBA Partners Ending Homelessness	HMIS for RMCCoC	N/A	\$251,880
21	Coordinated Care Services, Inc.	Coordinated Entry Renewal FY2023	N/A	\$252,622
22	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/YWCA PSH-RA #27	54	\$248,114
23	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/VOA Family Housing Program PSH- RA #21	54	\$134,340

		Total Requested		17,124,991	
43	Willow Domestic Violence Center	Rapid Rehousing for Survivors of Domestic Violence in the Greater Rochester Community	74	\$362,180.00	\$1,927,404
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A2	РСНО	Housing First Healthcare Partnership	83	\$447,738.00	
41	Engle Star	Eagle Star Housing Veteran Permanent Supportive Housing Program Sonus	88.68	\$277,816.00	
40	VOA	Health & Housing PSH	89.33	\$474,266.00	
39	Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach FY2024 Expension	TH/RRH Expension/Healthcare Partnerships	96	\$120,991.00	
38	Delphi Rise	Delphi Rise PSH Project HOME (Housing Opportunity Made Easy)	98	\$398,840.00	
37	PEH	HMIS Expansion Grant	103	\$58,507.00	\$1,798,158
		Bonus Funding			Funding Amount
					31,403,445
31	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/1630 Dewey Ave PSH-PBRA #23	46	\$141,916	
30	Providence Housing Development Corporation	Providence PBV Permanent Housing	46	\$1,051,028	
29	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/VOA PSH-RA #5	49	\$815,052	
28	Volunteers of America of Western New York, Inc.	VOA Cooper Union	50	\$186,351	
27	Providence Housing Development Corporation	Providence Shelter Star	50	\$812,254	
26	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/JPC PSH-RA #18	51	\$177,437	
25	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA/VOA PSH-RA #7	52	\$749,554	
24	The Center for Youth Services, Inc.	Transition Age Youth Rapid Rehousing Project - Consolidated	53	\$280,661	

Not Ranked	РСНО	Housing First Veterans PSH Reallocation Application	57	\$106,774
Not Ranked	РСНО	Housing First Veterans PSH Bonus Application	58	\$725,873
Not Ranked	Rochester Housing Authority	RHA-VOC	55	\$1 06,774

Average Renewal Project Score	60
Renewal Project Maximum Points	105
New Project Average Score	80
New Project Maximum Points	110

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1E-5d. Notification of CoC-Approved Consolidated Application

From: Sent:

To:

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Subject:

Posting of 2024-25 Consolidated Application and Priority Listing

We have posted the final Consolidated Application and Priority Listing for FY 2024-2025 on our website – https://letsendhomelessness.org. Please review if you have not yet had the chance to!

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We would like to thank you for your feedback on the draft that was posted on 10/28 and for all of your hard work throughout the year in our efforts to end homelessness.

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2A-6. HUD's Homeless Data Exchange (HDX) Competition Report

2024 HDX Competition Report

This workbook contains summary information about your CoC's data as it was entered into HDX 1.0 and HDX 2.0 for your use as part of the 2024 Competition.

To Print this Workbook:

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This workbook attempts to maximize accessibility, navigability, printability, and ease of use. Merged cells have been avoided. All tables and text boxes have been given names. Extraneous rows and columns outside printed ranges have been hidden. Formulas may include references to hidden rows and columns or data tables. For ease of use, these referenced sources have been hidden but can be unhidden by any useer at any time. Raw data sources contained in this workbook are named according to the module and fiscal year from which they originate - e.g. "HIC_2024" is the Housing Inventory Count raw data from Fiscal Year 2024.

For Questions:

If you have questions, please reach out to HUD via the "Ask a Question" page, https://www.hudexchange.info/program-support/my-question/ and choose "HDX" as the topic.

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2024 HDX Competition Report

2024 Competition Report - Summary

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HDX Data Submission Participation Information

and HDX Module Abbreviation	Met Module Deadline*	Data From	Data Collection Period in HDX 2.0
2023 LSA	Yes	Government FY 2023 (10/1/22 - 9/30/23).	November 2023 to January of 2024
2023 SPM	Yes	Government FY 2023 (10/1/22 - 9/30/23).**	February 2024 to March 2024
2024 HIC	Yes	Government FY 2024. Exact HIC and PIT dates will vary by CoC. For most CoCs, it will be last Wednesday in January of 2024.	March 2024 to May 2024
2024 PIT	Yes	Government FY 2024. Exact HIC and PIT dates will vary by CoC. For most CoCs, it will be last Wednesday in January of 2024.	March 2024 to May 2024

FY = Fiscal Year

^{2) *}This considers all extensions where they were provided.

were also accepted during the data collection period, but these previous year's submissions are voluntarily and are 2) **"Met Deadline" in this context refers to FY23 SPM submissions. Resubmissions from FY 2022 (10/1/21 - 9/30/22) not required.

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2024 Competition Report - LSA Summary & Usability Status

NY-500 - Rochester, Irondequoit, Greece/Monroe County CoC FY 2023 Reporting Year: 10/1/2022 - 9/30/2023

LSA Usability Status 2023

Category	EST AO	EST AC	ESTCO	ESTAO ESTAC ESTCO RRHAO RRHAC RRHCO PSHAO PSHAC PSHCO	RRH AC	RRH CO	PSH AO	PSH AC	PSH CO
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Partially Usable									
Not Usable									

EST

al Sheltered Count		2023
	4,052	4,987
	2,300	2,640
AC 1,255	1,676	2,295
CO 118	102	109

RRH

Category	2021	2022	2023
Total Sheltered Count	1,393	1,287	943
AO	634	200	429
AC	759	788	512
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PSH

Category	2021	2022	2023
Total Sheltered Count	1,436	1,568	1,625
АО	913	696	1,002
AC	520	009	621
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1) Glossary: EST = Emergency Shelter, Save Haven, & Transitional Housing; RRH = Rapid Re-housing; PSH = Permanent Supportive Housing; AO = Persons in Households without Children; AC = Persons

in Households with at least one Adult and one Child; CO=Persons in Households with only Children

2) Because people have multiple stays in shelter over the course of a year and stay in different household configurations, a single person can be counted in more than one household type.

Therefore, the sum of the number of people by household type may be greater than the unique count of people.

3) Total Sheltered count only includes those served in HMIS participating projects reported by your 4) For CoCs that experienced mergers during any of these reporting periods, historical data will

include only the original CoCs.

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Measure 1: Length of Time Persons Remain Homeless

as prior to the report start date, going back no further than the look back stop date or client's date of birth, whichever is later. along with their average and median length of time homeless. This includes time homeless during the report date range as well This measures the number of clients active in the report date range across ES, SH (Metric 1.1) and then ES, SH and TH (Metric 1.2)

Metric 1.1: Change in the average and median length of time persons are homeless in ES and SH projects.

Metric 1.2: Change in the average and median length of time persons are homeless in ES, SH, and TH projects.

a. This measure is of the client's entry, exit, and bed night dates strictly as entered in the HMIS system.

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b. This measure is based on data element 3.917

effectively extending the client's entry date backward in time. This "adjusted entry date" is then used in the calculations just as in permanent housing projects between Project Start and Housing Move-In. This information is added to the client's entry date, if it were the client's actual entry date. This measure includes data from each client's Living Situation (Data Standards element 3.917) response as well as time spent

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Measure 2: Returns to Homelessness for Persons who Exit to Permanent Housing (PH) Destinations

report date range. Of those clients, the measure reports on how many of them returned to homelessness as indicated in the HMIS for up to two years after their initial exit. This measures clients who exited SO, ES, TH, SH or PH to a permanent housing destination in the date range two years prior to the

22.8%	416	8.9%	162	4.9%	89	9.1%	165	1,824	FOTAL Returns to Homelessness
18.1%	106	8.4%	49	2.7%	16	7.0%	41	587	Exit was from PH
60.0%	6	10.0%	1−7	10.0%	Ь	40.0%	4	10	Exit was from SH
21.1%	34	8.7%	14	3.7%	თ	8.7%	14	161	Exit was from TH
25.7%	264	9.1%	93	6.3%	65	10.3%	106	1,027	Exit was from ES
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Measure 3: Number of Homeless Persons

Metric 3.1 - Change in PIT Counts Please refer to PIT section for relevant data.

Metric 3.2 - Change in Annual Counts

This measures the change in annual counts of sheltered homeless persons in HMIS.

Metric	Value
Universe: Unduplicated Total sheltered homeless persons	5,021
Emergency Shelter Total	4,696
Safe Haven Total	53
Transitional Housing Total	442

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Measure 4: Employment and Income Growth for Homeless Persons in CoC Program-funded Projects

addition, the projects reported within these tables are limited to CoC-funded projects. The project types reported in these metrics are the same for each metric, but the type of income and universe of clients differs. In This measure is divided into six tables capturing employment and non-employment income changes for system leavers and stayers.

Metric 4.1 - Change in earned income for adult system stayers during the reporting period

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults (system stayers)	667
Number of adults with increased earned income	97
Percentage of adults who increased earned income	14.5%

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Metric 4.2 - Change in non-employment cash income for adult system stayers during the reporting period

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Value	Metric

Metric 4.3 - Change in total income for adult system stayers during the reporting period

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53.8%	Percentage of adults who increased total income
359	Number of adults with increased total income
667	Universe: Number of adults (system stayers)
Value	Metric
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Metric 4.4 - Change in earned income for adult system leavers

70.778	income
16 704	Percentage of adults who increased earned
2	earned income
7	Number of adults who exited with increased
420	(system leavers)
200	Universe: Number of adults who exited
value	Fiedic
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Metric 4.5 - Change in non-employment cash income for adult system leavers

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults who exited (system leavers)	420
Number of adults who exited with increased non-employment cash income	178
Percentage of adults who increased non- employment cash income	42.4%

Metric 4.6 - Change in total income for adult system leavers

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults who exited	200
(system leavers)	420
Number of adults who exited with increased	8
total income	677
Percentage of adults who increased total	
income	34.370

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Measure 5: Number of Persons who Become Homeless for the First Time

are considered to be experiencing homelessness for the first time. 5.2) and determines whether they have any prior enrollments in the HMIS over the past two years. Those with no prior enrollments This measures the number of people entering the homeless system through ES, SH, or TH (Metric 5.1) or ES, SH, TH, or PH (Metric

h no prior enrollments in HMIS

Metric 5.1 - Change in the number of persons entering ES, SH, and TH projects with	s entering E
Metric	Value
Universe: Person with entries into ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH or TH during the reporting period.	4,632
Of persons above, count those who were in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH or any PH within 24 months prior to their entry during the reporting year.	975
Of persons above, count those who did not have entries in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH or PH in the previous 24 months. (i.e. Number	3,657
the first time)	

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Metric

Value

Metric 5.2 - Change in the number of persons entering ES, SH, TH, and PH projects with no prior enrollments in HMIS

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	persons experiencing homelessness for the
4,056	previous 24 months. (i.e. Number of
	have entries in ES, SH, TH or PH in the
	Of persons above, count those who did not
	to their entry during the reporting year.
1,113	ES, SH, TH or any PH within 24 months prior
	Of persons above, count those who were in
5,169	TH or PH during the reporting period.
2	Universe: Person with entries into ES, SH,

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HUD's Homeless Definition in CoC Program-funded Projects Measure 6: Homeless Prevention and Housing Placement of Persons defined by category 3 of

Measure 6 is not applicable to CoCs in this reporting period.

Retention of Permanent Housing Measure 7: Successful Placement from Street Outreach and Successful Placement in or

streets from Street Outreach (Metric 7a.1); movement into permanent housing situations from ES, SH, TH, and RRH (Metric 7b.1); and retention or exits to permanent housing situations from PH (other than PH-RRH). This measures positive movement out of the homeless system and is divided into three tables: movement off the

Metric 7a.1 - Change in SO exits to temp. destinations, some institutional destinations, and permanent housing destinations

	Of the persons above, those who exited to germanent housing destinations	Of persons above, those who exited to temporary & some institutional 23 destinations	Universe: Persons who exit Street Outreach 158	Metric Value
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Metric 7b.1 - Change in ES, SH, TH, and PH-RRH exits to permanent housing destinations

Metric	Value
Universe: Persons in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH and PH-RRH who exited, plus persons in other PH projects who exited without moving into housing	4,079
Of the persons above, those who exited to permanent housing destinations	1,517
% Successful exits	37.2%

ntion of permanent housing

	97.5%	% Successful exits/retention
	1,700	Of persons above, those who remained in applicable PH projects and those who exited to permanent housing destinations
	1,744	Universe: Persons in all PH projects except PH-RRH who exited after moving into housing, or who moved into housing and remained in the PH project
	Value	Metric
estinations or retent	nt housing de	Metric 7b.2 - Change in PH exits to permanent housing destinations or retent

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System Performance Measures Data Quality

Data coverage and quality will allow HUD to better interpret your SPM submissions.

Metric	All ES, SH AIL TH	AILTH	All PSH, OPH	All RRH	All Street Outreach
Unduplicated Persons Served (HMIS)	4,696	467	1,986	1,262	298
Total Leavers (HMIS)	4,111	326	319	647	144
Destination of Don't Know, Refused, or Missing (HMIS)	1,107	24	ω	12	14
Destination Error Rate (Calculated)	26,9%	7.4%	0.9%	1.9%	9.7%
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Notes For Each SPM Measure

Note: Cells may need to be resized to accomodate notes with lots of text.

Measure	Notes
Measure 1	No notes.
Measure 2	The number of persons exiting to PH seems low for SO for a two year period
Measure 3	No notes.
Measure 4	No notes.
Measure 5	No notes.
Measure 6	No Notes. Measure 6 was not applicable to CoCs in this reporting period.
Measure 7	No notes.
Data Quality	No notes.

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For HIC conducted in January/February of 2024

HMIS Bed Coverage Rates

99.7%	2,994	0	2,994	2,984	3,043	Total
100.0%	226	0	226	226	226	ОРН
100.0%	1,453	0	1,453	1,453	1,453	PSH
100.0%	470	0	470	470	470	RRH
100.0%	165	0	165	165	165	TH
100.0%	12	0	12	12	12	SH
98.5%	668	0	668	658	717	ES
Adjusted HMIS Bed Coverage Rate for Year- Round, Current Beds	Adjusted Total Year-Round, Current, Non- VSP Beds	Removed From Denominator: OPH EHV [†] Beds or Beds Affected by Natural Disaster*	Total Year- Round, Current, Non-VSP Beds	Total Year- Total Year- Round, Current Total Year- Round, Current Beds in HMIS or Round, Current, Beds Comparable Non-VSP Beds Database	Total Year- Round, Current Beds	Project Type

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HMIS Bed Coverage Rates

0.00%	49	0	49	0	3,043	Total
NA	0	0	0	0	226	ОРН
NA	0	0	0	0	1,453	PSH
NA	0	0	0	0	470	RRH
NA	0	0	0	0	165	귚
NA	0	0	0	0	12	HS
0.00%	49	0	49	0	717	ES
HMIS Comparable Bed Coverage Rate for VSP Beds	Adjusted Total Year-Round Current, VSP Beds	Removed From Denominator: OPH EHV [†] Beds or Beds Affected by Natural Disaster**	Total Year- Round, Current, VSP Beds	Total Year- Round, Current, VSP Beds in an HMIS- Comparable Database	Total Year- Round, Current Beds	Project Type

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HMIS Bed Coverage Rates

98.06%	3,043	2,984	3,043	Total
100.00%	226	226	226	ОРН
100.00%	1,453	1,453	1,453	PSH
100.00%	470	470	470	RRH
100.00%	165	165	165	H
100.00%	12	12	12	HS
91.77%	717	658	717	ES
HMIS and Comparable Database Coverage Rate	Total Year-Round, Current, HMIS Beds Adjusted Total Year- and VSP Beds in an Round, Current, Non- HMIS-Comparable VSP and VSP Beds Database	Total Year-Round, Current, HMIS Beds and VSP Beds in an HMIS-Comparable Database	Total Year- Round, Current Beds	Project Type

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Rapid Re-housing Beds Dedicated to All Persons

470	453	536	598	438	HIC
		}	}		RRH beds available to
2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	Metric

- 1) † EHV = Emergency Housing Voucher
- participating. For OPH Beds, this includes beds that are Current, Non-HMIS, and EHV-funded. 2) *This column includes Current, Year-Round, Natural Disaster beds not associated with a VSP that are not HMIS
- or HMIS-comparable database participating. For OPH Beds, this includes beds that are Current, VSP, Non-HMIS, and EHV-3) **This column includes Current, Year-Round, Natural Disaster beds associated with a VSP that are not HMIS-participating funded.
- 4) Data included in these tables reflect what was entered into HDX 2.0.
- 5) In the HIC, "Year-Round Beds" is the sum of "Beds HH w/o Children", "Beds HH w/ Children", and "Beds HH w/ only Children". This does not include Overflow ("O/V Beds") or Seasonal Beds ("Total Seasonal Beds").
- 6) In the HIC, "Current" beds are beds with an "Inventory Type" of "C" and not beds that are Under Development ("Inventory Type" of "U").
- only data from the CoC into which the merge occurred are displayed. Additional reports can be requested via AAQ for any CoCs that have been subsumed into other CoCs. 7) For historical data: Aggregated data from CoCs that merged are not displayed if HIC data were created separately - that is,

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Submission Information

1/25/2024	Date of PIT Count
Not Applicable	Received HUD Waiver

Total Population PIT Count Data

Category	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
PIT Count Type	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and full unsheltered count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count
Emergency Shelter Total	683	602	358	588	642	815
Safe Haven Total	10	œ	4	ហ	11	11
Transitional Housing Total	121	161	126	113	108	150
lotal Sheltered Count	814	771	488	706	761	976
Iotal Unsheltered Count	35	44	33	42	42	80
Total Sheltered and Unsheltered Count*	849	815	521	748	803	1,056

the PIT count type was either sheltered only or partial unsheltered count. 1) *Data included in this table reflect what was entered into HDX 1.0 and 2.0. This may differ from what was included in federal reports if

the merge occurred are displayed. Additional reports can be requested via AAQ for any CoCs that have been subsumed into other CoCs. 2) Aggregated data from CoCs that merged is not displayed if PIT data were entered separately - that is, only data from the CoC into which

³⁾ In 2021, for CoCs that conducted a "Sheltered and partial unsheltered count", only aggregate and not demographic data were collected

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3A-2a. Healthcare Formal Agreements

Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Volunteers of America of Western New York And Jordan Health

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) outlines the terms and understanding between: Volunteers of America of Western New York (VOAWNY) and Anthony Jordan Health Corporation (Jordan Health).

Grant Name: TBD (Health Care Partnership Proposed Program)

Grant Number: TBD Contract Year: TBD

Recitals

VOAWNY offers housing assistance and support services to homeless and formerly homeless individuals and families with a disability with grant funding from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Rochester/Monroe County CoC, and other state and local sources.

Whereas, each household in the VOAWNY programs will have specific goals identified throughout their participation to ensure housing stability and increased self-sufficiency. VOAWNY will require the assistance of third party providers to help achieve the goals of each household and prevent repeat episodes of homelessness.

Whereas, funding sources for the VOAWNY programs require a written document with third party providers that establishes a commitment to the services they are willing and able to provide and to the estimated number of households that could be assisted over the grant term.

Whereas, Jordan Health plans to provide services for individuals and families as referred by the VOAWNY program ("Referrals"). Services to be provided include behavioral health, dentistry, primary care, care coordination, peer support and dietitian. Other services may be provided dependent on the needs of the client. Estimated services to be provided are 40 Primary Care Visits at \$150 per visit for a total of \$6,000. 400 Behavioral Health Visits at \$150 per visit for a total of \$60,000. 40 Dental Visits at \$100 for a total of \$4,000. Combined total of estimated services provided equals \$70,000.

Now, therefore, the two parties agree:

Responsibilities of VOAWNY

- a. VOAWNY will refer individuals and households to Anthony Jordan Health Center for medical and behavioral health services for the purposes of this match requirement
- b. VOAWNY will track total referrals for match purposes
- c. VOAWNY will verify with Jordan Health, upon appropriate release of information, if services were provided for sake of verifying match requirements.

Contact Information:

Volunteers of America of Western New York Dr. Junior Dillion President & CEO 214 Lake Ave Rochester, NY 14608

Signature .

9/13/24 Date

Contact Information:

Jordan Health Center Dr. Linda Clark CEO 214c Lake Avenue Rochester, NY 14608

9/10/2024

Date

This MOU is at-will and a request to modify or terminate this agreement may be made by either party at any time.

This MOU is not a commitment of funds by either party.

Contact Information:

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Signature

7-17-24 Date

Contact Information:

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7/23/2024

Date

Signature

Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan

10/24/2025

Date:

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

I certify that the proposed activities/projects in the application are consistent with the jurisdiction's current, approved Con solidated Plan. (Type or clearly print the following information:) Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum of Care, Inc. Applicant Name: See Attached List Project Name: See Attached List Location of the Project: Name of the Federal Program to which the FY 2024-2025 Continuum of Care applicant is applying: Name of City of Rochester, NY Certifying Jurisdiction: Certifying Official of the Jurisdiction Malik D. Evans Name: Mayor Title: Signature:

3C-2. Project Listing for Other Federal Statutes

N/A