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This document provides answers to Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) about Project Applications within the conte
of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for the Continuum of Care (CoC) Program Competition.

How to Use This Document

To locate answers to your specific questions:

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- Non-Competition CoC Program Topics: Visit the CoC program AAQ help desk on the HUD Exchange at https://www.hudexchange.info/program-support/my-question/ for assistance with CoC program issues not re If you do not have a Username and password for the HUD Exchange, you'll need register for the site at the s

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- Single Topic Per Submission: Limit each email to one topic to ensure prompt and precise responses.
- Number Sub-Questions: If your inquiry involves multiple sub-questions, number them for clarity and efficie
- Include Supporting Documents: Attach screenshots or relevant documents that may help clarify your questio

Restrictions on Queries

HUD cannot respond to questions that might provide a competitive advantage. These include inquiries about projec specific types of projects to apply for, such as a Transitional Housing or RRH project for a DV Bonus application. F questions, consulting with your CoC Collaborative Applicant and other CoC members is recommended.

Other Resources related to the CoC Program not Associated with the CoC Competition

- General CoC Program Questions: Visit the CoC Program FAQs on HUD.gov and HUD Exchange.
- Further Assistance Needed: If these resources do not answer your questions, please contact your local CPD f
- Please note that compliance with the NOFO and the Rule includes compliance with all Federal statutes relat (also included on your SF-424B/F-424D assurances). Please see 24 CFR 578.93 for more details of Fair Hou Opportunity requirements for the CoC program.

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Important Updates to the FY2026 CoC Program NOFO	
What is new in **FY 2026 CoC Competition** Project application(s)?	FY 2026 CoC awards will be made through this NOFO. The followi compared to previous years: **1. Investment in New Transitional Housing and Supportive Ser** Unlike in prior years, CoCs may apply for Transitional Housing and Only projects including street outreach. In order to increase competit applicant pool, and restore balance to the Continuum of Care Progra a set-aside of $1,300,000,000 for new projects with a priority for Tra Supportive Service Only projects. CoCs may use the Transition Gran Sec. II.B.3.k to create new projects. HUD reminds CoCs that individ Permanent Housing may be eligible for Transitional Housing (see H encourages CoCs to assess the unique needs of individuals and famil appropriate assistance to meet their needs. **2. Increase in Competition.** The Continuum of Care program is a national competition between g U.S.C. 11386a). Consistent with the FY26 HUD appropriation, Tier the CoC's Annual Renewal Demand (ARD). HUD reminds CoCs an Applicant appeal process described in Sec. VIII.D.3.a. for project ap they were denied the right to participate in a reasonable manner. HUD will competitively renew or replace YHDP projects. Addition the YHDP Replacement process (which includes YHDP Reallocatio grants. If significant changes to a renewing YHDP project are neede may replace its current project with a new YHDP Replacement proje in part include activities ineligible under the CoC Program as outline this NOFO. **3. Increase in Equitable Bonus Funding.**

Due to the increase in competition, CoCs may apply for bonus projec to 15% of the CoC's Final Pro-Rata Need (FPRN). Unless otherwise II.B.3.c, the CoC Bonus will be no less than $500,000 and no more t CoC Bonus funding structure described in Sec. II.B.3.c affords all C opportunity to compete for bonus funds and better ensures that awar basis of merit, not merely existing resources.

4. Expanding Eligible DV Bonus Projects to Include Transition

Unlike prior years, Transitional Housing is an eligible DV Bonus pro Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2026, Pub. L. 119-75, div. D, tit. I (Dec. 3, 2026). The Secretary has determined that Transitional Hous activity that is critical in order to assist individuals and families of pe trauma or a lack of safety related to, or fleeing or attempting to flee d dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.

5. Program Components that are eligible under this NOFO.

The four components that will be funded through this CoC Program described at 24 CFR 578.37 and include: (a). Transitional Housing; (Only; (c). Permanent Housing; and (d). HMIS.

Additionally, HUD will allow renewal project applications for Joint component projects, which combine two existing program componen (see section III.G.5 of this NOFO for more information). HUD will n TH/PH-RRH component project applications.

6. Housing with shared kitchen and bathroom facilities.

Under the CoC Interim Rule at 24 CFR 578.75, housing leased with program funds, or for which rental assistance payments are made wit program funds, must meet the applicable standards at 24 CFR 982.40 on October 1, 2026, 24 CFR 5.703 (NSPIRE). Both HQS and NSPIR and a kitchen in the unit. HUD will consider requests to waive this re for good cause to facilitate projects proposing a housing model that c standard, such as Single Rooms Occupancy units (SROs).

7. Special CoC NOFO grants and Rural Costs.

Grants originally awarded funding under the Special NOFO to Addr
Rural Homelessness, that are expiring in Calendar year 2027 are elig
NOFO.

Projects originally awarded under the Rural Set Aside through the Sp
Competition that are applying for renewal may only request costs tha
CoC Program.

8. Reallocation.

CoCs may reallocate funding from any eligible renewal grant, includ
previously renewed under the CoC Program, so long as the project h
agreement with an expiration date in Calendar Year 2027. For more
Reallocation requirements see Sec. II.B.3.f of this NOFO.

9. Competitive Repurposing of YHDP Renewal Funds

Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2026, any CoC, in
youth action board, that determines it no longer has an identified nee
eligible YHDP renewal grant under this NOFO shall notify HUD, an
the YHDP renewal funding and make the recaptured amounts compe
subsequent YHDP and Youth Homelessness System Improvement (
Competition. See section VI.B.1.c.(3)

**10. Preferences for Elderly Individuals and Families and Disable
Families**

Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2026 recipients of
including funds awarded under this NOFO and prior CoC Program C
may establish preferences for:

- Elderly individuals and families. For purposes of establishin
this allowance, HUD is defining elderly as 55 and older.
- Disabled individuals or families as defined by section 401(1
Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11360(10)).

	When implementing these preferences, all other federal fair housing requirements apply. **11. Award Announcement Timeline.** Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2026, HUD will an awards no later than December 1, 2026, barring any judicial or congr
What happened to the **2-Year NOFO**?	This NOFO is a one-year NOFO for the FY26 year, as the FY24/25 completed.
What program components are eligible under the **FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO**?	**5. Program Components that are eligible under this NOFO.** The four components that will be funded through this CoC Program described at 24 CFR 578.37 and include: (a). Transitional Housing; (Only; (c). Permanent Housing; and (d). HMIS. Additionally, HUD will allow renewal project applications for Joint component projects, which combine two existing program componen (see section III.G.5 of this NOFO for more information). HUD will n TH/PH-RRH component project applications. Project applicants may apply for SSO projects consistent with 24 CF including projects with the outreach service activity described at 24 C individuals and families primarily residing in places not meant for hu Projects that are primarily providing these outreach services, and ide such in the project application, must meet the project quality thresho V.A.4.c.(4)(c) of this NOFO. All other SSO projects, except those de entry, must meet the threshold criteria in Section V.A.4.c.(4)(b) of th The components are fully described at 24 CFR 578.37.

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What funding is available in this **FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO** ?	Of the $4,010,000,000, HUD is making available at least $52,000,00 Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Bonus (DV Additionally, HUD is making available approximately $52,000,000 i Full-Year Continuing Appropriations and Extensions Act, 2025 (Pub Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking B projects, described in section II.B.3.eof this NOFO. HUD reserves th earliest available fiscal year funds for projects that are able to meet t Bonus obligation deadline (September 30, 2027), so long as the total each DV Bonus project is consistent with the funding process outline **(1)** HUD will select all CoC Planning and UFA Costs applica eligibility threshold requirements. Only one CoC Planning and applicable) project application can be submitted per CoC. **(2)** HUD will then select all projects in Tier 1 that pass projec as described in section V.A.4 of this NOFO. **(3)** HUD will then review DV Bonus projects (this does not in or the renewal of projects originally funded under the DV Bonu

	funding through the above process and determine whether $10[illegible] awarded to DV Bonus projects: **(a)** If at least $104,000,000 has been selected for condition[illegible] action is needed. **(b)** If $104,000,000 has not been selected for conditional a[illegible] continue down the list and fund additional DV Bonus projec[illegible] score until at least $104 million has been selected. **(4)** HUD will then review Permanent Housing projects for fa[illegible] already selected for funding through the above process and det[illegible] $430,000,000 has been awarded to Permanent Housing project[illegible] with children: **(a)** If at least $430,000,000 has been selected for condition[illegible] action is needed. **(b)** If $430,000,000 has not been selected for conditional a[illegible] continue down the list and fund additional Permanent Housi[illegible] children projects by project-level score until at least $430 m[illegible] **(5)** HUD will then select new Transitional Housing (TH) or S[illegible] (SSO) projects ranked in Tier 2 that meet project eligibility thr[illegible] project score as described in section V.D.3.b below until $1,30[illegible] projects have been selected. **(6)** HUD will then continue selecting new projects ranked in [illegible] eligibility thresholds in the order of project score as described [illegible] below until $1,300,000,000 of new projects have been selected **(7)** If at any point, HUD selects new projects in an amount mo[illegible] HUD will remove all remaining unselected new projects, recal[illegible] and continue selecting projects.

Are there HQS Requirements we should be aware of in the **FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO** ?	Yes. Under the CoC Interim Rule at 24 CFR 578.75, housing leased Care program funds, or for which rental assistance payments are mad Care program funds, must meet the applicable standards at 24 CFR 9 starting on October 1, 2026, 24 CFR 5.703 (NSPIRE). Both HQS and NSPIRE require a bathroom and a kitchen in the unit requests to waive this regulatory requirement for good cause to facili a housing model that does not meet this standard, such as Single Roo (SROs).
Access/Submit the Project Application	
Is it a requirement to apply for Federal Assistance through the **Grants.gov** Notice of Funding Opportunity for the Fiscal Year 2026 Continuum of Care Program Competition for the Renewal or Replacement of Youth Homeless Demonstration Program Grants?	No, even though Grants.gov is the website serving as the Federal gov portal for searching and applying for Federal financial assistance thro government and the CoC Program NOFO is officially posted on Gra **ONLY** accepts applications submitted in ***e-snaps***, an electronic appl Registration on Grants.gov is not required for submission of applicat 1. Log in to *e-snaps* to register an account or log in with existing cre to the system. 2. Complete application forms within *e-snaps*. 3. Fill in the required information accurately and completely to avoi 4. Upload required attachments as outlined in the NOFO. 5. Review application before submission. 6. Submit application to your CoC's collaborative applicant. 7. Monitor application by checking *e-snaps*, to determine if addition requested. 8. Follow up as needed.
When attempting to access **Project Applications** the following error appears: "The application is connected to an	Follow these steps: • Log into *e-snaps*.

incomplete applicant profile. Complete and submit the applicant profile to correct this error and submit the application." What steps should applicants take?	• Click on "Applicants" from the left menu. • Select the orange folder next to the name of the applicant. • Click on "Submission Summary." • Click on the "Edit" button. • Select the "Profile Type" screen. Switch the "Project Applica Applicant." Save the change. Switch back to "Project Applica • Select "Submission Summary." • Select "Complete." • Log out of *e-snaps.* • Log back into *e-snaps.* • Go to "Submissions" on the left menu bar and access your ap The message should no longer be displayed when trying to access th
What is the **"PIN"** number for a grant in the renewal project application?	The Project Identification Number (PIN) is the first 6 digits of a proj number. The first two letters represent the state abbreviation, and the are a number unique to that project within the State. For example, KY number 97 from Kentucky. While the full grant number will change PIN (first 6 digits) remains the same from the first award to each sub For renewal applications in a second or later year of renewal, the PIN followed the instructions to import your previous year's renewal proj Confirm the PIN is correct on Screen 1A, question 5b. of the project For a first-time renewal application, use your current grant agreemen as amended, to ensure you enter the correct PIN in *e-snaps* on Screen the project application. Project Applicants for the FY 2026 CoC Program Competition must the correct PIN on Screen 1A of the project application.

Will the **PIN** number automatically update from the previous grant year for renewal project applications?	Yes, the PIN will automatically update if you import the previous ye application when creating the project in *e-snaps.* If this is a first-time renewal project application, you will need to ent 1A, question 5b. of the renewal project application. Use your current LOCCS data to ensure you enter the correct PIN. The PIN is the first number. For example, the PIN for grant number CA0512L9T182400 = CA0512. HUD will update the grant number if the renewal project is selected For example, if this project is selected for award in FY 2026, the gra to CA0512L9T182601.
Project Applicant Profile (Access/Complete/Edit)	
What is the difference between a **Project Applicant Profile** and a Collaborative Applicant Profile in *e-snaps*.	A Project Applicant Profile is required in *e-snaps* for each organizati funding as a Project Applicant within the CoC Competition. Each ap required to complete only one Applicant Profile. A Collaborative Applicant Profile is for the organization submitting Registration and CoC's Consolidated Application on behalf of the CoC. These tasks are carri Collaborative Applicant Profile in *e-snaps*.
How do I create a **Project Applicant Profile** in *e-snaps*?	This information can be found in the "Request Access to Your Orga Account" document on HUD Exchange. https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Request-Access- Organizations-e-snaps-Account.pdf The letter should explain the need for access and indicate the letter s written request. It should also provide the organization's Applicant N Number. For an organization with a grant agreement, the Applicant N

	DUNS Number or Tax ID Number. For a Collaborative Applicant or CoC Name and CoC Number (e.g., AA-500). NOTE: If the Primary Contact or organization for the Collaborative additional actions may be required. Review the Update the Collabora Organization and/or Primary Contact resource. Identify the person w provide the person's *e-snaps* username, e-mail address, and phone nu signature of an authorized member of the organization (e.g., departm director).
How do I update the **Project Applicant Profile** in *e-snaps*?	To update a Project Applicant Profile *e-snaps*, carry out the followin 1. Log into *e-snaps* at https://esnaps.hud.gov/grantium/frontOff "Applicants" in the left menu of the main screen. Important: i project application select "Save" and then select "Back to Su the project application and go back to the main menu. Select left menu to access the Project Applicant Profile using the fo The "View Applicant Profile" link in the left menu leads to a the profile and does not allow editing. 2. After selecting "Applicants", select the folder under "Open." applicant profile screens will appear in the left menu. 3. Begin by opening the profile for editing by selecting "6. Sub from the left menu and then select the "Edit" button at the bo Once in edit mode, the entire profile can be updated. 4. After completing the updates and saving the screens, return t Summary" and select the "Complete" button at the bottom of 5. Finally, select "Back to Applicants List" in the left menu, the in the left menu of the *e-snaps* main screen to open a project updated profile information should now appear on all Part 1 s is not showing as updated, most likely one of the steps above correctly.

	For more information, please see the link below with instructions on Applicant Profile: https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documen Profile-Navigational-Guide.pdf
How do I provide **staff access** to my organization's *e-snaps* account?	HUD will only provide information about a specific CoC project to t alternate contact identified in the applicant profile. If your organization is a CoC Project Applicant (i.e., is applying for directly into a grant agreement with HUD), please consult the follow Request Access to Your Organization's *e-snaps* Account: https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Request-Access- Organizations-e-snaps-Account.pdf To provide staff access to your organization's *e-snaps* Account, cons guidance: https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Give-S Organizations-e-snaps-Account.pdf If no one else in your organization has access to *e-snaps*, you must s snaps@hud.gov mailbox that officially requests your access and ide Authorized Representative for your organization. The exact steps fo depend on their organization's role in the CoC. If your organization is the Collaborative Applicant for the CoC, plea developed by a HUD Technical Assistance provider on the HUD Ex https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Updating-the-Co Organization-and-Primary-Contact.pdf
I am unable to find the **renewal application** under "Projects" in *e-snaps*. However, I see it listed under funding opportunities; but that only allows me to register, not actually edit the application. How should I proceed?	First, ensure that you register in *e-snaps* for the FY 2026 Funding Op will select the FY 2026 Funding Opportunity when creating the new dropdown. 1. Select "Funding Opportunity Registrations" on the left menu bar 2. The "Funding Opportunity Registrations" screen will appear.

	3. Select the "Register" icon next to the correct item. Example: "Re Application FY 2026." The "Funding Opportunity Details" scr 4. When the question appears asking if you want to register the app opportunity, select "Yes" to confirm that you want to 'register' 5. The screen will then indicate that the Project Applicant has been 6. Select the "Back" button to return to the "Funding Opportunity R Select "Projects" on the left menu bar. 7. The "Projects" screen will appear. 8. Select the applicable funding opportunity from the "Funding Op dropdown. Example: "Renewal Project Application FY 2026" 9. The screen refreshes and an "Add" icon appears on the left side o column headings. 10. Select the "Add" icon. 11. The "Create a Project" screen will appear. On the "Create a Pro Applicant Name will be pre-populated. 12. In the "Applicant Project Name" field, enter the name of the pro created or renewed, as it will appear in the grant and award lett 13. Renewals Only: In the "Import Data From:" field, select the pro renewed. Importing will ensure that your project information fr Project Application is imported and will decrease the amount o be entered into in the current Project Application. This field wil "Renewal Project" types and will not appear for "New" projects 14. Select "Save & Back" to return to the "Projects" screen. 15. The project name is listed on the menu.
SAM Unique Entity Identifier (UEI)	
Do I need a current **System for Award Management (SAM)** registration to apply for a new or renewal project?	Your organization must have an active System for Award Manageme by the time of the CoC Program application submission deadline. Yo renew its SAM registration annually as you receive CoC Program fu must also annually confirm the accuracy of its Employer/Tax Identif and Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) numbers in both SAM.gov and th Profile. HUD verifies that your organization has an active SAM regi

	release of awarded funds if conditionally selected for the award and processing funds if your organization's SAM registration has expired
Do subrecipients need a SAM **Unique Entity Identifier (UEI)**?	No, only applicants (recipients) are required to have a Unique Entity Subrecipients are not required to have a UEI for the FY 2026 CoC P
Renewal Project Eligibility and Grant Inventory Worksheets (GIWs)	
Which projects are eligible for **renewal** in the FY 2026 CoC Program competition?	The FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO funds the renewal of existing Co Renewal projects and projects originally funded under the Special N Unsheltered and Rural Homelessness, and the competitive renewal o existing YHDP grants that are expiring in Calendar Year 2027. This funding for new projects, including those created with DV Bonus, C reallocation of existing renewal projects. For FY 2026, HUD requires Collaborative Applicants to rank all pro except for CoC Planning, and if applicable, UFA Costs project appli Eligibility for renewal grants is determined early in the CoC Program based in part on the Grant Inventory Worksheet (GIW). Note: if you believe you have a project eligible for renewal project t in this year's CoC Program competition, contact your CoC and HUD immediately to determine project eligibility and learn the process to project.
What organizations are **eligible** to apply for CoC program funding?	Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations, states, local gove instrumentalities of state and local governments, Indian Tribes, and Housing Entities (TDHEs), as defined in section 4 of the Native Am Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4103) (T agencies, as defined in 24 CFR 5.100, are eligible without limitation

	For-profit entities are ineligible to apply for grants or to be subrecipi Eligible applicants interested in applying for CoC Program funding s local CoC for more information. A faith-based organization may apply on the same basis as any other to the requirements in 24 CFR 5.109, and receive the full protections law, including the Free Speech and Free Exercise Clauses of the Con Freedom Restoration Act (42 U.S.C. § 2000bb-1), Title VII of the Ci U.S.C. §§ 2000e-1(a), 2000e-2(e), and the Americans with Disabiliti 12113(d)). HUD does not engage in any unlawful and improper conc practices that target faith-based organizations. An organization may seek a religious accommodation from any requ program or other HUD requirement that substantially burden its relig Religious II. Eligibility CPD-2600-DC-0025 Page 9 of 128 I. Basic I Eligibility III. Program Description IV. Application Contents and Fo Review Information VI. Submission Requirements and Deadlines VI Requirements and Administration VIII. Contact and Support Appenc Restoration Act or other applicable law, consistent with 24 CFR 5.10 accommodation is requested, HUD will not deny the organization un doing so is necessary to further a compelling governmental interest a restrictive means of achieving that interest, consistent with applicabl Faith-based organizations may also hire, fire, and make other employ basis of their sincerely held religious beliefs, including requiring emp religious tenets, practices, and standards of conduct, without jeopard receive HUD funds, consistent with applicable law. A faith-based organization may not use direct financial assistance fro engage in any explicitly religious activities except where consistent v Clause and Establishment Clause of the First Amendment, the Religi Restoration Act, and any other legal protections for religious exercis also may not, in providing services funded by HUD, or in their outre

	such services, discriminate against a program beneficiary or prospec beneficiary on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to ho a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.
Grant Inventory Worksheets (GIWs). For renewal projects, which organization should be the applicant for the FY 2026 project application and what should I do if the current recipient is different than the one listed on the FY 2026 GIW?	For renewal projects, only the current "grant recipient of record" can The "grant recipient of record" is the recipient recognized on the gra time of submission of the renewal application. Applicants who need to confirm the name of the project recipient on believe that the FY 2026 Grant Inventory Worksheet (GIW) listed th recipient must contact the Collaborative Applicant and the local HU immediately.
Will VAWA and Rural BLIs be included on the **FY 2026 GIW**?	Yes, in the FY 2026 GIW, columns for VAWA and Rural BLIs will project applied for and was awarded funds for either BLI, you shoul the FY 2026 GIW.
Special NOFO (SNOFO) Grants	Grants originally awarded funding under the Special NOFO to Addr Rural Homelessness, that are expiring in Calendar year 2027 are elig NOFO.
Project Application Forms and Certifications	
What is the Code of Conduct and how do I submit it?	All Federal award recipients, except states, and all subrecipients und have a code of conduct (or written standards of conduct) for procure requirements in 2 CFR 200.318(c). Before entering into an agreeme applicant selected for an award (other than a state) must ensure an up organization's code of conduct, dated and signed by the Executive D equivalent official, of the governing body of the organization, is ava Conduct e-library. https://www.hud.gov/hud-partners/grants-code-of-conduct

	Applicants can check the Code of Conduct List to confirm HUD has Conduct.
Required Project Application Forms What are the required forms and certifications for CoC Program project applications, and do I need to attach these forms or certifications in *e-snaps*?	HUD has built the following required forms and certifications directl project application process. No physical attachment of these forms is in *e-snaps* for: (1) SF-424 Application for Federal Assistance (2) Form HUD-2880, Applicant/Recipient Update/Disclosure (see Applicant Profile) (3) SF LLL, Disclosure of Lobbying Activities (if applicable) (4) Form HUD-50070, Certification for Drug-Free Workplace (5) Certification Regarding Lobbying (6) SF-424A: Budget Information for Non-Construction Programs (7) SF-424B: Assurances for Non-Construction Programs (8) SF-424D: Assurances for Construction Programs, and Applica (9) Indirect Cost Form (see in your Project Applicant Profile) For the HUD-2880 form to accommodate applicants with more than HUD has built this form into your *e-snaps* Project Applicant Profile all your CoC Program project applications that will be submitted in e Program competition. This process results in a 'copy' of this form to of each of your project application(s). [https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/How-to-Comple 2880-in-e-snaps.pdf](https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/How-to-Comple2880-in-e-snaps.pdf) Similar to the HUD 2880, the Indirect Cost Form is completed in the Profile, and a "copy" of the form is included in the project applicatio budget screen.
HUD-2880. Is a HUD-2880 form required for each project application? Can I combine multiple project amounts on a single form?	The Form HUD-2880 "Application for Federal Assistance" uses fede does not clearly match terminology used for the CoC Program and p CoC Program purposes, HUD is clarifying the meaning of "specific "this application" in Part 1 of the HUD-2880, questions 1 and 2.

	The legal requirements of the HUD-2880 as related to the CoC Prog organization/applicant equals one application for all accumulated pro regardless of how many individual project applications are submitted Competition. Therefore, information in an *e-snaps* HUD-2880 incluc all the project applications applying for funds in the CoC Program C example, if organization XYZ is submitting three separate project ap each for a total amount of $300,000; then an answer of "Yes" is requ question 2 of the HUD-2880–as organization XYZ expects to receiv $200,000. Since the total amount of funds requested by your organiz for all project applications submitted, you must complete Parts II and
HUD-2880. How do I update the HUD-2880 form in *e-snaps* to include awards that are expected to and to update matching sources in Part II of the form?	Please refer to the full project application detailed instructions regard "Application for Federal Assistance". In addition, you can find *e-sna* entering HUD-2880 data into your Project Applicant Profile at: https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/How-to-Comple 2880-in-e-snaps.pdf In relation to what needs to be entered or updated in Part II, if Part I receive assistance in excess of $200,000, then Part II of the HUD-28 about other governmental and non-governmental funding for any org more CoC project applications. Project applicants and recipients mus government and non-governmental assistance involved in the project HUD and any other source–that have been or are to be, made availab (grant). Non-government sources of funds typically include (but are foundations and private contributors.
HUD-2991. Where can I find the HUD-2991?	A HUD-2991 form "Certification of Consistency with the Consolida form. It must be submitted by your Collaborative Applicant as part o Application. A copy of HUD-2991 is posted on HUD's website at: https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/OCHCO/documents/2991.pdf

	The CoC Priority Listing in *e-snaps* must include HUD-2991 and mu dated between November 1, 2024, and January 14, 2026. .
HUD-2991. Does a project applicant need to submit a HUD-2991 form with a project application?	A HUD-2991 form "Certification of Consistency with the Consolida form but not as part of a project application. It must be submitted by Collaborative Applicant. If the CoC has multiple projects, it may co 2991 for the jurisdiction provided the Collaborative Applicant inclu (including Planning Cost projects). If there are multiple jurisdictions geographic area, it must obtain a signed HUD-2991 for each jurisdic located. To be completed by the CoC's Collaborative Applicant: 1) Applicant Name. Enter the name of the project applicant's orga 2) Project Name. Enter the name of the project application that wil in the Continuum of Care Program Competition. 3) Location of the Project. Enter the physical address of the projec project is designated as a domestic violence project, enter a P.O main administrative office provided it is not the same address a 4) Name of Certifying Jurisdiction. Enter the name of jurisdiction project information and certify consistency with the Consolidat County, State). To be completed by the certifying jurisdiction: 1) Certifying Official of the Jurisdiction. Enter the name of the off form. 2) Title. Enter the official title of the certifying official (e.g., mayo official). 3) Signature. The certifying official is to sign the form. 4) Date. Enter the date the certifying official signs the form.
Do tribal applicants submit **HUD-2991** Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan?	Yes, applicants proposing to locate a project on tribal land or reserva tribal resolution authorizing the applicant to do so or a letter from an representing the Indian Tribe or TDHE. Tribes do not need to includ

	site a project on their own reservation or trust land. Finally, it is the a responsibility to ensure the project is certified by the jurisdiction wh will be located, and projects are consistent with the jurisdiction's HU consolidated plan. Certification must follow the provision of 24 CR
On the **SF-424** screen – what should I enter for my Proposed Project Dates?	For a **renewal** project application, the start date should be the end da awarded grant that has an expiration date in calendar year 2027. If yo current grant's end date, refer to the 'POP End' field in eLOCCS. If confirm actual start/end dates prior to grant agreement. **New** project applications should enter the proposed start and end dat awarded, HUD will confirm actual start/end dates prior to grant agre
How do I complete the **SF-424B**?	SF-424B, Assurances for Non-Construction Programs must be comp with SAM.gov. A curable deficiency notice will be issued if applica SF-424B.
Is the **Indirect Cost Form** required for Project Submission even if we don't intend to request Indirect Costs?	Yes, the Indirect Cost Form must be completed by all applicants. Th options for the applicant to select: • No indirect costs, • de minimis rate, or • Indirect cost rate that is not a de minimis rate The Indirect Cost Rate Certification (HUD-426) is included in the pr snaps.
Are there new certifications in the FY 26 Competition?	Yes. In the FY26 Project Applications, all applicants will be asked to questions: 1. The project applicant will not engage in illegal racial discrim consistent with the requirements of 2 CFR 200.300(a).

	2. The project applicant will not operate drug injection sites or " sites" in violation of 21 U.S.C. 856(a)(1), knowingly permit t of illicit drugs on property under their control in violation of knowingly distribute drug paraphernalia in violation of 21 U. consistent with the objectives outlined in Section III.B above the requirements of 2 CFR 200.300(a). This certification is not a requirement that program participar order to receive assistance, participate in treatment in order to be evicted or exited from assistance for a first-time violation program policy or lease requirement.
CoC Project Components	
Are there New components in the CoC Competition?	In the FY 2026 CoC Competition, applicants applying for CoC New for Transitional Housing or SSO Non-Coordinated Entry projects. Tl can be funded through CoC Bonus, DV Bonus (RRH, TH and SSO-C or DV Reallocation (RRH, TH and SSO-CE Only). The four components that will be funded through this CoC Program Transitional Housing; (b). Supportive Services Only; (c). Permanent HMIS. As TH and SSO non coordinated entry are new components this year set of threshold questions that must be passed to meet award requirer requirements have also been added to PSH and RRH projects. These NOFO Section V.A.4.c.4(a-g). HUD will allow renewal project applications for Joint TH/PH-RRH combines two existing program components – Transitional Housing Housing-Rapid Rehousing – in a single project to serve individuals a experiencing homelessness. (see section III.G.5 of this NOFO for more information). No new Joint TH/PH-RRH compo applications will be allowed.

Who can be served in **the different component types?**	Participants eligible to be served by projects funded under this NOFO **a.** PH-PSH projects awarded CoC funds must serve one of the f **(1)** persons who qualify as homeless under paragraphs (1), (2) 578.3 or Section 103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Ass head of household also has a qualifying disability as defined se McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act; or **(2)** for renewal projects, the same population of individuals an the expiring grant agreement (e.g., PSH projects originally awa NOFO Competition projects through the Unsheltered Set Aside and families who qualify under paragraph (1) or (4) of the defin **b.** TH, PH-RRH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SSO projects awarded Co persons who qualify as homeless under paragraphs (1), (2), or (4 Section 103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Ac exception: PH-RRH, TH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SSO- may serve persons w homeless under paragraph (3) of 24 CFR 578.3 if the CoC is persons in paragraph (3). **c.** DV Bonus, DV Renewal and DV Reallocation projects must families who are fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence, assault, and stalking and who qualify as homeless under paragrap definition of homeless at 24 CFR 578.3 or Section 103(b) of the Homeless Assistance Act with the following exception: PH-RRH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SSO- projects may serve indiv who are fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence, datin assault, and stalking who qualify as homeless under paragrap if the CoC is approved to serve persons in paragraph (3).

	d. YHDP Renewal and Replacement projects including YHDP through reallocation must serve youth aged 24 or younger, incluc and pregnant or parenting youth who: **(1)** qualify as homeless under paragraphs (1), (2), or (4) of the 24 CFR 578.3 or Section 103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Home **(2)** have an unsafe primary night-time residence and no safe a residence; or **(3)** qualify as homeless under paragraph (3) of 24 CFR 578.3 to serve persons in paragraph (3).
What is Transitional Housing?	Transitional Housing means housing, where all program participants occupancy agreement, the purpose of which is to facilitate the mover individuals and families into permanent housing within 24 months or HUD determines necessary. The program participant must have a lea agreement for a term of at least one month that ends in 24 months an Transitional housing facilitates the movement of homeless individua within 24 months of entering TH. Grant funds may be used for acqui new construction, leasing, rental assistance, operating costs, and sup
Can Nonprofits administer Rental Assistance for Transitional Housing projects?	No. Nonprofits can only administer Rental Assistance for Permanent projects. If Transitional Housing is doing Leasing Assistance, nonpro administer for those projects.
Are we allowed to move participants from PH to TH?	In certain circumstances this is allowable. Please review the guidanc more: Program Participants' Eligibility to Move from Permanent Su (PSH) / Rapid Re-Housing (RRH) To Transitional Housing (TH)

What types of SSO projects can applicants apply for under CoC New projects?	The following is the list of SSO projects that can be applied for as a • SSO – Coordinated Entry projects support a CoC's Coordina operations, such as implementing CE policies and procedures assessments, making referrals to housing and services, and so activities. • • SSO – Street Outreach projects engage individuals and fam unsheltered locations and provide immediate support to ensu (e.g., providing meals, blankets, clothes, toiletries, access to met while actively connecting them to the CoC's coordinated resources such as other service entry points, case managemen or other mainstream programs. An example of a Street Outre Police Department's outreach team that pairs law enforcemen providers to connect unsheltered individuals to assistance or • SSO – Standalone projects provide supportive services necessary to individuals and families obtain housing and increase self-sufficiency SSO-Standalone projects include housing navigation activities, empl training, education services, mental health services, outpatient health substance abuse treatment services. Examples of standalone projects resource navigation center, a substance use disorder treatment clinic, apprenticeship program, or a mobile dental care service. SSO projects must follow all the requirements of the CoC Program i the following: • SSO projects must be integrated into the CoC's Coordinated Entry • Supportive services provided must be necessary to assist program p maintain housing. • Projects must conduct an assessment, at least annually, of program services needs and make adjustments as appropriate. • SSO projects must use the CoC's Homeless Management Informat a comparable database. • If a program participant is enrolled in multiple CoC projects (e.g., a SSO Standalone project), the recipients of those projects must coord do not duplicate services and do not seek reimbursement from HUD services provided to the household. • SSO projects must not charge program fees to participants.

Can SSO projects provide supportive services to individuals and families residing in emergency shelters, or accessing services at a day shelter?	Yes, an SSO project may provide services to households living in em accessing services at a day shelter. This includes emergency shelters grant recipient or subrecipient. However, supportive services provide project should not duplicate or replace supportive services already be emergency shelter or day shelter. Note: SSO-Street Outreach projects should focus on providing street people who are living in unsheltered locations and ensure their basic supporting them along a pathway towards housing stability. But if a routinely engages someone in an unsheltered location and that person emergency shelter, the street outreach worker could continue to prov individual while they are residing in the emergency shelter.
Can the SSO project provide supportive services to program participants in housing (TH or PSH)?	PSH: Yes, SSO projects may continue to provide services to a partic months after they are housed in permanent housing. TH: It depends. SSO projects may not provide services to participant project operated by the SSO recipient or subrecipient regardless of th the TH project. However, SSO projects may provide services to part projects not operated by the recipient of the SSO project. In these ins duplication in billing for the program participant; therefore, the recip projects must coordinate to ensure that appropriate services are provi services are not being paid for out of both grants.
Supportive Services Only (SSO) projects not dedicated to Coordinated Entry	Project applicants may apply for SSO projects consistent with 24 CF including projects with the outreach service activity described at 24 C individuals and families primarily residing in places not meant for hu Projects that are primarily providing these outreach services and iden in the project application, must meet the project quality threshold cri V.A.4.c.(4)(b) of this NOFO. All other SSO projects, except those de entry, must meet the threshold criteria in Section V.A.4.c.(4)(c) of th

Is there an ability to request **new TH or new SSO projects that are not dedicated to Coordinated Entry?**	Yes, under the FY 2026 NOFO, applicants will be allowed to reques Coordinated Entry projects. These projects may be funded through C Reallocation or CoC Bonus + Reallocation. YHDP projects may also SSO Non-CE through YHDP Reallocation or YHDP Replacement. D Reallocation can be used to fund new TH, but not new SSO Non-Co
What type of applicants can apply for a new **Joint TH and PH-RRH** component project and can we use existing projects to 'build' a JOINT project?	None. HUD will allow renewal project applications for Joint TH/PH projects, which combine two existing program components in a singl III.G.5 of the NOFO for more information). No new Joint TH/PH-RI applications will be allowed. Current TH projects funded by the CoC program cannot 'merge' the with an RRH project to create a Joint TH/RRH component project. A name a project "Joint TH/RRH" and operate it as a Joint project, but TH/RRH component" project. TH providers that do not use State and TH units can use the existing units in their Joint TH or PH-RRH com provided that those units are only used for new clients and non-existe a Joint TH/RRH Project MUST have both TH AND RRH componen component.
What is the **Joint TH and PH-RRH** component type and are there special requirements that interested project applicants need to be aware of?	The Joint TH/PH-RRH component project combines two existing pr Transitional Housing and Permanent Housing-Rapid Rehousing – in serve individuals and families experiencing homelessness. If funded, HUD will limit eligible costs as follows, in addition to oth the Rule: **a.** leasing of a structure or units, and operating costs to provide **b.** short- and medium-term tenant-based rental assistance on bel participants to pay for the RRH portion of the project;

	c. supportive services; **d.** costs of contributing data to the HMIS; and **e.** project administrative costs. Renewal project applicants must include details in the project descrip PH-RRH assistance will be provided. Additionally, if CoC Program requested for both TH and PH-RRH units, the renewal project applic and include the number of the project's TH units and PH-RRH units from another funding source. Applicants may only use CoC Program CoC Program Funds to pay for the cost of housing program participa portion of the project. When a program participant is enrolled in a Joint TH/PH-RRH comp recipient or subrecipient must be able to provide both components, in supported by the TH component and the tenant-based rental assistanc provided through the PH-RRH component, to all participants. A prog choose to receive only the assistance provided through the TH portic assistance provided through the PH-RRH component, but the recipie make both types of assistance available.
Joint TH and PH-RRH. How should we record our TH and RRH units?	HUD will allow renewal project applications for Joint TH/PH-RRH which combine two existing program components in a single project the NOFO for more information). No new Joint TH/PH-RRH compo applications will be allowed. Applications for Joint TH and PH-RRH component projects must de project will have the capacity to provide both transitional housing as housing assistance, as needed, to each program participant. This requ ensure your project has sufficient units and beds for both housing typ

	participants to choose housing they prefer since a recipient cannot di participant to one type of housing over the other. The total numbers reported must reflect the total units and total beds single night for both the TH and PH-RRH portions of the project. Review the FY 2026 CoC Program Competition NOFO for a comple including the requirements to distinguish the two forms of housing. All Joint TH and PH-RRH projects must input data on Screen 4B, H Location, which presents a summary chart of the units and beds inclu according to the following categories: • Total Units. Includes all units in the project, regardless of siz • Total Beds. Includes all beds in the project, regardless of unit Additionally, there are three columns: Total, TH, and PH-RRH. The "Total" summary fields are compiled from all individual housin the totals. These fields will populate and update automatically when locations are added to the list. The TH and PH-RRH columns must b project applicant to differentiate the units and beds that will be used project. The sum of the beds and units in the TH and PH-RRH colum than the sum of the beds and units in the Total column.
Joint TH and PH-RRH. Can a Joint project plan to have all participants first be served with TH, then move to RRH when they complete the TH program?	No. Both housing types must be made available as choices to all part may not require participation in transitional housing before accessing
Joint TH and PH-RRH. If an applicant already runs a separate RRH project, may they apply only for TH units with a Joint application?	No. Current TH projects funded by the CoC program cannot 'merge project with an RRH project to create a Joint TH/RRH component p must include both TH and RRH housing within the project (though i non-CoC funding sources within the project).

What is a **Coordinated Entry** / SSO-CE project and what does it mean beyond the definition offered in the NOFO.	SSO-CE projects are intended to develop or operate a Coordinated E detail, it may be helpful to review the New Project Detailed Instructi 6: Budgets". The instructions for different BLIs may give you a bett activities may be included in this grant type.
Can a CoC amend or reallocate funds from a **CoC Planning** grant awarded in a previous year to a different type of CoC grant.	No. CoC Planning Cost project component grants are new grants eac funds cannot be included in the reallocation process since these fund Reallocation of grant funds is only permitted with eligible renewal p grants that are expiring in Calendar Year 2027). One flexibility that have that other project components do not, is that Planning grants ar operating dates that "run back-to-back" as is the case for all CoC ren Operating dates for one or more Planning grants can 'overlap' to ass Planning activities. In addition, there is also some additional flexibil extensions for Planning projects.
What is the maximum amount for a **CoC Planning** project for my CoC.	For CoC Planning cost grants in the FY 2026 CoC competition, a C may apply for up to 5 percent of the CoC's FY 2026 Final Pro Rata $1,500,000, notwithstanding the 3 percent cap in sec 423(a)(10) of t whichever is greater. More information is provided in Section II.B.3 NOFO. CoCs can only submit one CoC planning cost application, which mu CoC's Collaborative Applicant. The maximum amount a Collaborati request for a CoC planning grant can fluctuate from year to year dep FPRN, which may vary in subsequent CoC program competitions.
SNOFO Planning	SNOFO Planning grants are not renewable. SNOFO grants renewed CoC Competition are included in ARD – therefore CoC Planning co accordingly.

Do **CoC Planning** projects need to be ranked in the CoC's Priority Listing as projects in Tier 1 or Tier 2?	No. CoC Planning and UFA Costs project applications are not ranke provided they pass project eligibility and project quality threshold re include a CoC Planning project application in Tier 1 or Tier 2 calcul Collaborative Applicants must not rank Planning project application not affect a CoC's available amount for new and renewal project ap CoC Planning project is not included in the CoC's Annual Renewal calculation. The CoCs Collaborative Applicant may only submit one project app Planning costs and, if applicable, one project application for UFA C Applicant listed on the CoC Applicant Profile in *e-snaps* is the only may apply for CoC Planning and UFA Costs projects. CoC Planning may be used according to 24 CFR 578.39, and 578.41.
How do I **calculate the number of beds, units, households, and persons** being served by my project?	When determining the correct input for Units, Beds, Households, an **that these reflect the full capacity of the program on a single nig throughout the course of the project period)**. This should include supported by CoC Program funds or eligible match funds in any wa supported only by CoC Program supportive services funds without operating, or rental assistance funds. The reported number of units a should not be higher than the number of households (units), and pers Screens 5A and 5B.
Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Bonus (DV Bonus) Projec	
How are **DV Bonus** projects different than other projects in the CoC competition?	DV Bonus projects are funded from an additional special appropriat (Full-Year Continuing Appropriations and Extensions Act, 2025), w funds be dedicated to survivors of domestic violence, dating violenc stalking. DV Bonus projects are awarded competitively based on sc application, including the applicant-specific DV Bonus section. A new project that is dedicated to survivors of domestic violence, d assault, or stalking who qualify under the definition of homeless at 2

	103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. While sur trafficking may qualify as homeless under paragraph (4) of the home CFR 578.3 or section 103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assi they are often also victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sex however, a DV Bonus project may not exclusively serve people fleei human trafficking. DV Bonus and DV Reallocation may only be used to create new SSO Rapid Re-housing (PH-RRH), and Transitional Housing (TH) projec submit one new SSO-CE DV project. There is no limit on RRH or T
Is there a special process or a separate competition for **DV Bonus** projects compared to other CoC projects?	All projects that are eligible to apply for DV Bonus funding are also funding and must be submitted through the CoC's local competition and prioritized along with other CoC projects. If the project is award will be skipped in the priority listing when determining the distributi CoC bonus funds. Applicants for DV Bonus projects must also provide additional infor applicant organization and planned project within the CoC applicatio Collaborative Applicant to HUD. Please see the CoC Application De reach out to your Collaborative Applicant for more information.
Can a new **DV Bonus** project apply as an expansion of a renewal project?	Yes. A CoC may apply to expand an existing renewal project in acco II.B.3.i of the FY 2026 CoC Program Competition NOFO, including previously funded with DV Bonus funding. DV Bonus funds can onl existing renewal project if the new expansion project is dedicated to violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Due to these fu appropriations, DV Bonus projects must exclusively serve the housel domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Projec populations, including survivors of human trafficking, are not eligibl funding unless the project will be limited specifically to survivors of dating violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking. For projects that are

	CoC Program-funded project, project applicants will be required to s project application to be expanded and a new project application wit information. DV Bonus and DV Reallocation may only be used to create new SS Rapid Re-housing (PH-RRH), and Transitional Housing (TH) projec submit one new SSO-CE DV project. There is no limit on RRH or T
Are there special instructions for **DV Bonus** project applications in *e-snaps*?	To apply for DV Bonus in *e-snaps,* you must take the following step (1) On screen "3B. Project Description," question #3, check the "S (2) On screen "3B. Project Description," include how these funds v survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, trafficking who qualify under paragraph 4 at 24 CFR 578 (3) On screen "4A. Supportive Services for Participants", describes be assisted to obtain and remain in housing. New projects apply funds must tailor the description to include how survivors of do violence, sexual assault, or stalking who qualify under the defi CFR 578.3 or section 103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless assisted to obtain and remain in permanent housing that address includes trauma-informed, victim-centered approaches. (4) On screen "6A. Funding Request," question #2, select "DV Bonu menu.
Can **DV Bonus** projects be dedicated to serving survivors of human trafficking (or another group that qualifies as homeless under paragraph (4) of the homeless definition at 24 CFR 578.3)?	Due to funding restrictions in appropriations, DV Bonus projects mu households of survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexua Projects that focus on other populations, including survivors of huma eligible for this restricted funding unless the project will be limited s of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking III.G.11.c of the NOFO for more information. DV Reallocation proj created with funding reallocated from projects originally awarded as must also exclusively serve the DV Bonus eligible population.

What is a **DV Reallocation** and how is it different from the DV Bonus?	The DV Reallocation is a funding mechanism in the CoC program th applicants to reallocate DV Bonus projects that have been renewed a DV project. As a reminder, a DV Reallocation can only be funded by Bonus projects. There is no difference in how the DV Bonus and DV in the CoC program. Both funding types must exclusively serve the h of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. DV Bonus and DV Reallocation may only be used to create new SSO Rapid Re-housing (PH-RRH), and Transitional Housing (TH) projec submit one new SSO-CE DV project. There is no limit on RRH or T
Can I reallocate my Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Bonus **(DV Bonus)** grant to a new project that doesn't serve the same population?	No. If a new project is being created with reallocated funds that were DV Bonus project, the new project must continue to serve exclusivel violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. See Section II.F for more information. Note: DV Bonus funds may not be combined with any other funding application.
Does an applicant have to be a **Victim Service Provider (VSP)** in order to apply for DV Bonus grants?	No, all eligible applicants for CoC funding may apply for DV Bonus exclusively serving the households of survivors of domestic violence sexual assault, or stalking. Applicants for DV Bonus projects must also provide additional infor applicant organization and planned project within the CoC applicatio Collaborative Applicant to HUD, including information about their e to provide trauma-informed services. Please see the CoC Application and reach out to your Collaborative Applicant for more information.

What definition should we use for **"Survivors"** on the population focus and subpopulations charts?	Survivors: Persons who have experienced trauma or a lack of safety violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, human trafficking traumatic, or life-threatening conditions. **Note:** while this field includes all people in households eligible to be funds it may also include survivors who do not meet the narrower de eligibility. For more information on population eligible to be served please see Section IV.D.1.e of the NOFO for more information.
Amendments	
Change of Recipient "Organization A" is in the process of transferring its grant to "Organization B." Since the transfer hasn't been finalized and the competition is open, who should apply?	First, discuss possible timing of a project transfer amendment with y office. Any grant agreement amendment (including amending budge recipient of a grant) involves many steps and can take time to compl Until the grant transfer amendment is fully accomplished, only the cu have access to apply for renewal of the project. If in doubt, the curre apply for the renewal project application in *e-snaps* and then after co parties can pursue the transfer in CoC post-award processes. This ap the competition window for this renewal is not missed.
Budgets	
Budget Changes. If we make errors in budget changes on our renewal application, is there any way for us to correct that after the application deadline?	No. If you mistakenly apply for more than your annual renewal amou be awarded more than your ARA. **Though you cannot be awarded for, if you mistakenly apply for less than your ARA, your award the full ARA amount.** Please double check your budget change amo your application.
What are the eligible costs under the CoC **VAWA Budget Line Item (BLI)**?	Section 605(a)(2) of VAWA 2022 amends section 423(a) of the McK Homeless Assistance Act to add the following eligible activity to the "Facilitating and coordinating activities to ensure compliance with [t

plan requirement in 34 U.S.C. 12491(e)] and monitoring compliance
confidentiality protections in 34 U.S.C. 12491(c)(4)."

Funding can be requested for this activity in new project applications
added to this BLI in eligible renewal projects through expansion or b
percent of funds from other eligible BLIs to the VAWA BLI.

(a) Examples of eligible costs for emergency transfer facilitation inc
assessing, coordinating, approving, denying, and implementing a sur
transfer which includes:

(i) Assistance with moving costs. Reasonable moving costs to mo
emergency transfer. (Note that the general requirement that movi
does not apply for emergency transfer moves under this BLI.)

(ii) Assistance with travel costs. Reasonable travel costs for survi
to travel for an emergency transfer.

(iii) Security Deposits. Grant funds can be used to pay for securit
units the survivor is transferring to via an emergency transfer.

(iv) Utilities. Grant funds can be used to pay for costs of establish
the safe unit the survivor is transferring to.

(v) Housing Fees. Fees associated with getting survivors into a sa
transfer, includes but not limited to application fees, broker fees,
pet fees where the person believes they need their pet to be safe, e

(vi) Case management. Grant funds can be used to pay staff time
coordinate and implement emergency transfers.

(vii) Housing navigation. Grant funds can be used to pay staff tim
safe units and facilitate moves into housing for survivors through

(viii) Technology to make an available unit safe. Grant funds can
technology that the individual believes is needed to make the unit
limited to doorbell cameras, security systems, phone, and interne
necessary to support security systems for the unit, etc.

(b) Examples of eligible costs for monitoring compliance with the V
requirements include the costs of ensuring compliance with the VAV
requirements which includes:

(i) Monitoring and evaluating compliance with VAWA confident

	(ii) Developing and implementing strategies for corrective action (iii) Program evaluation of confidentiality policies, practices and (iv) Training about compliance with VAWA confidentiality requi (v) Reporting to Collaborative Applicant, HUD, and other interes compliance with VAWA confidentiality requirements (vi) Costs for establishing methodology to protect survivor inforn (vii) Staff time associated with maintaining adherence to confide
What is the difference between case management costs under a "**VAWA BLI**" request on the VAWA budget screen in *e-snaps* and case management costs in the Supportive Services budget screen?	Case Management costs under the VAWA budget are used to pay fo necessary to assess, coordinate, and implement VAWA emergency t Management under the Supportive Services budget is to pay for the s assessing, arranging, coordinating, and monitoring the delivery of in meet the needs of the program participants.
How do I know if my project qualifies for VAWA costs? Can a project request the **VAWA BLI** even if the applicant is not a VSP, or the project is not a DV bonus project?	The VAWA BLI is available in all project types, except for planning regardless of grantee type or sub-population focus. The VAWA BLI victim service providers (VSPs) or DV Bonus projects. All eligible p include a VAWA BLI (even if the project chooses to keep that BLI a minor budget changes later in the grant if a project needs to quickly VAWA BLI, e.g., for an unexpected emergency transfer.
How can my **SSO-CE** project use the **VAWA BLI**?	SSO-CE projects may use this BLI to budget for activities to facilita in accordance with the CoC's emergency transfer plan, or for activit compliance with VAWA confidentiality requirements. Emergency tr conducted in accordance with the CoC's emergency transfer plan, w requirements laid out in 24 CFR 578.99(j)(8) and 24 CFR 5.2005(e). CoC's plan uses a coordinated approach to assessing and facilitating requests (including having a local victim service provider assess and emergency transfer requests centrally), it is allowable to use the VA SSO-CE project to do so.

How do I complete the new **VAWA budget** screens in *e-snaps*?	Project Applications for New, and all YHDP projects, you can simpl funding requested on the VAWA BLI screen in the categories listed. projects are given a VAWA BLI, with the VAWA funding checkbox this box cannot be unchecked. Applicants will enter funding amounts screen, like how funding is entered on other BLI screens (SS, Operat description of funds is not required since that is already given on the amounts on the VAWA screen are automatically pulled forward onto screen. For Renewal project applications, if you plan on adding funds to the do so by shifting funds from another BLI or you can apply for an Ex Applicants are required to answer Questions 1 & 2 on screen 6A. Al have the VAWA funding checkbox selected for them, and this box c This allows for funds to be moved into the new VAWA BLI upon re office.
Are match requirements for a **VAWA budget** the same as other CoC BLIs?	Yes. A VAWA BLI follows the same 25 percent match requirements CoC Program, except for the Leasing BLI, which has no match requi
Why does my project have a **VAWA BLI** added automatically to its summary budget, and why can I not remove it?	As stated in HUD's final rule implementing VAWA 2013, "The requ CFR part 5, subpart L (Protection for Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, or Stalking), implementing the requirements of VAV permanent housing and transitional housing for which CoC program acquisition, rehabilitation, new construction, leasing, rental assistanc While projects can choose to use other funds to meet these requireme the costs associated with emergency transfers cannot be fully predict advance. To allow for the flexibility to meet VAWA emergency transfer requi effectively for the safety of project participants experiencing domest violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking, all projects are required to h (even a $0 BLI) in case of the need for an emergency transfer reques need.

How is the CoC **VAWA budget** funded, for new project applications, specifically in Renewal projects that have set budgets already?	For New project applications you can add funding requests for a new Line Item (BLI) the same as any other BLI request in *e-snaps*. For Renewal projects, including all YHDP projects, HUD will not be projects to fund the CoC VAWA BLI; however, CoC funding for the renewal projects must come from shifting funds from existing BLIs expansion project with your VAWA BLI request.
Rural Budget Line item How is the CoC **Rural budget** line item funded for new project applications, specifically in Renewal projects that have set budgets already?	CoC Renewal projects are eligible this year to add the Rural BLI to to be used in eligible rural or tribal geocodes. There are three scenari occur: 1. The Renewal project was previously awarded a Rural BLI through the FY 2024 competition, and can now renew their project this year included in their project application 2. The project applicant applies in this competition for a New Expan grant, and within that New Expansion, they request a Rural BLI. 3. The Renewal project can select the Rural BLI on screen 6A in the answer a question related to the Rural BLI on the same screen, and s geocode on screen 3A. HUD SNAPS will determine if the project can be awarded a Rural B review. For New and all YHDP project applications, including expansion pro noted above, you can add funding requests for a new CoC Rural Bud same as any other new project BLI request in *e-snaps*.

	For reference, see Section 5707 of the James M. Inhofe National Def for Fiscal Year 2023 (PL 117-263, December 23, 2022, 136 Stat 239 423(a) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act to allow pr defined in section I.B.2.b.(26) of this NOFO] to use program funds t eligible CoC Program activities to include adding a Rural BLI to elig through expansion.
What are the eligible costs under the **Rural Budget** Line Item (BLI)?	The Rural BLI must be used only for eligible activities in eligible rur Under Section IV.B.5 of the NOFO, those eligible costs are: 1. Payment of short-term emergency lodging, including in motels through vouchers. 2. Repairs to units; a. (i) in which homeless individuals and families will be b. (ii) which are currently not fit for human habitation. 3. Staff training, professional development, skill development, an activities
How do I know if I'm in a CoC Program **Approved Rural Area**?	Within the New, Renewal and all YHDP applications, on Screen 3A that allow the applicant to determine whether their project qualifies a three tables are: 1. The state in which your project is based. 2. The rural geocodes that would fall under your project's work ar 3. Any tribal rural areas. HUD will be the final arbiter if your project qualifies for the CoC Ru
How do I complete the new **Rural** screens/questions (3A, 6A and Rural) in *e-snaps*?	In the New and YHDP CoC applications, the Rural Costs budget has 1. On screen 3A, you will select if you are requesting "rural costs application. If you select "Yes", the Rural costs budget will be application along with 3 tables related to rural geocodes to help determine rural eligibility.

	If the rural costs budget is activated, you will then be asked to fill ou process of filling out the budget is similar to how other BLI screens (supportive services, HMIS, Operating and VAWA). For Renewal, you will select your geocode areas on Screen 3A and t related question on screen 6A. There is no Rural Budget Detail scree field only exists in the summary budget.
Do the same match requirements for "**Rural Costs**" in *e-snaps* the same as for the match requirements for other approved budget line items (except leasing)?	Yes. Rural costs follow the same match rules as other BLIs in the Co for the Leasing BLI, which has no match requirement.)
What is the difference between the CoC **Rural** BLI and the **Rural Set Aside** BLI?	The CoC Rural BLI is an eligible cost that is available to all compon opportunities (excluding Planning and UFA funding opportunities). The Rural Set Aside BLI are eligible costs that are only available to projects.
FMR Years. Why are we being asked to apply with FY 2026 FMRs?	All projects that are eligible to apply for the FY 2026 CoC Competit FMRs in their project applications. The FMR amounts shown in the tables are accurate FY 2026 FMRs for the FMR areas you select.
FMRs and Actual Amounts less than FMRs. Can we change back to full FMR calculations rather than our Actual funding designation. Can this be done as part of a renewal project application.	No. The NOFO does not address changing project funding back to F decides to move to actual rent, as HUD addresses this issue on a case amendment is rarely approved. There are factors to consider when de allowable, including where the excess funds were moved to and docu the reason actual rent is no longer viable and validates the request to contact your local HUD Field Office Representative about amending from actual rent to full FMR. Keep in mind however, that existing fu would need to be shifted from another budget line to rental assistanc

	full FMR. If that is not feasible the number of units would need to de full FMR. The overall funding amount for the grant, the annual renev cannot be increased.
Cost of Living Adjustments (Supportive Services and HMIS Costs)	The Full-Year Continuing Appropriations and Extensions Act, 2026 make reasonable cost of living adjustments to renewal amounts to he cost of operations due to inflation. Your application should reflect B awarded amounts. HUD will adjust amounts for the supportive services and HMIS Cost renewing projects based on the most recent three-year average of ch Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) for the category Social 624). Please note that HUD is only authorized to make these adjustm projects. Supportive Services and HMIS budgets for all New project UFA, YHDP Replacement, and YHDP Reallocation, will not be adj
Can **Rental Assistance** funds be used to pay for security deposits? If so, how would I request rental assistance dollars specifically for security deposits or other approved costs?	Yes, security deposits are an eligible cost item within the rental assis (Section 578.51(a)(2)). Under rental assistance, a project recipient m security deposits in an amount not to exceed 2 months of rent so lon before the CoC Program participant exits from the program. Althoug security deposits come from the rental assistance budget in the *e-sna* there is not a way to enter a separate cost for security deposits since of the rent. A good practice would be to mention security deposits in Many applicants use the 30% rent income from participants to serve or cover security deposits.
Sponsor Based Rental Assistance (SRA) and Project Based Rental Assistance (PRA) spending	To expend funds within statutorily required deadlines, applicants fu and project-based rental assistance must execute the grant agreemen rental assistance within 2 years. However, HUD strongly encourages begin within 12 months of award. Applicants that are unable to begi within the 12-month period should consult with the local HUD CPD

Details of Costs and Renewal Budgets. Are renewal project applicants required to provide details beyond total cost requests for leased structures, supportive services, operating, or HMIS Budget Line Items (BLIs)?	No. HUD no longer requires applicants to list budget detail informat the total costs requested for leased structures, supportive services, op budget line items in renewal project applications. HUD expects the d budgets to be the baseline for renewal grant expenses (in line with 24 Though HUD does not collect detailed budget information as part of still expects that all costs expended will meet the requirements of the rule and 2 CFR Part 200. HUD will continue to verify budget inform compliance monitoring.
What are replacement reserves and how do I request funds for **operating and replacement reserve costs**?	Replacement reserves are scheduled payments to a reserve fund for t building systems and are an eligible cost for recipients of transitional supportive housing projects where the recipient or subrecipient owns building(s). The replacement reserve question is only applicable to p "Operating" budget line item (BLI) and have identified you are choo operating BLI following standard housing development practices for reserves. This question is not available for projects that do not have a First-Time Renewals: If you are renewing a project for the first time enter all data in the renewal project application as you cannot bring f new project application submitted initially and awarded. If the renew "Operating" BLI, you will check the box for "Operating" on-screen 6 *e-snaps*, enter the amount for "Operating" on the Summary Budget s Once this is completed, the new "Replacement Reserve" question wi and you must navigate to this screen to complete the additional quest submit the renewal project application. Regular Renewals – Renewal projects that are not first-time renewal "Operating" BLI will see the "Replacement Reserve" question on 3A BLI has already been recorded in the application since it was brough year's application. New project. To request CoC Program funds for "Replacement Rese application, go to Screen "6G Operating Budge," and answer the que

	Project Detail. Additionally, if the project will use CoC Program Op replacement reserve, the applicant must attach documentation on Scr For further details, refer to instructions for Screen 3A (8) in the *FY 2* *Application Detailed Instructions.*
For the administration budget in a project application, can the **Indirect Cost Rate** PLUS the total of the other project administration budget line items exceed 10% of total direct cost expense?	No. CoC Program eligible administration costs cannot exceed 10 per other BLIs. CoC project "admin" costs and indirect costs are not syn program. Currently, eligible indirect costs cannot be identified as a li application's budget or within eLOCCS when recipients draw down Program interim rule allows for indirect costs to be added to the exis (BLI) within the eligible cost categories in the grant agreement's sco recipients to be able to draw down funds from eLOCCS that include eligible costs associated with the indirect costs within each existing I Per the CoC Program interim rule, the CoC Administration BLI is ca other BLI subtotals, up to the amount in your project application. Re reimbursement for administrative costs should review the CoC Progr 578.59 which details the project's administrative eligible costs. The r subrecipient may use up to 10 percent of the total of non-CoC admin awarded under this part.
What is the difference between project **administration** and **indirect costs**?	Please note that CoC project administration costs and indirect costs a Recipients seeking reimbursement for administrative costs should re interim rule Section 578.59 which details the project administrative e recipient or subrecipient may use up to 10 percent of any grant award excluding the amount for Continuum of Care Planning Activities and payment of project administrative costs related to the planning and e of Care activities. Note that Project Administrative costs do not inclu costs directly related to carrying out activities eligible under § 578.4 because those costs are eligible as part of those activities. Recipients seeking reimbursement for indirect costs should review 5 Program interim rule and OMB Circular Part 200, which allows for i

	added to direct costs within the eligible cost categories in the grant a work. If incorporated, recipients would be able to draw down funds f include direct costs as well as eligible costs associated with the 15 pe indirect cost rate, as modified for the CoC Program, within each exis Currently, eligible indirect costs cannot be identified as a line item in application's budget or within eLOCCS when recipients draw down Please see the following notices and resources for more information • Indirect Cost Toolkit for CoC and ESG Programs at https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Indirect-C and-ESG-Programs.pdf
Does HUD need to approve **an indirect cost rate** for that rate to be used in the project application?	No. An indirect rate must be submitted to and approved by your cogn the Federal agency that you receive the highest amount of Federal fu HUD or another agency. If your organization has a Federally approv agreement, it can be entered on the "Indirect Cost Form" screen in th Profile. Be sure to attach the approved indirect cost agreement to the
Can I enter **multiple indirect cost rates** in a project application if we have multiple subrecipients?	No. Indirect cost rates from subrecipients cannot be used for CoC fun can only have one indirect cost rate, which must be the approved rate organization. There is no requirement to enter the indirect cost rates o rates are <u>not</u> to be used with a CoC grant. All subrecipient organizati funds must use the recipient organization's indirect cost rate, or de m even if the subrecipient organization has a different rate. If subrecipi individual rate, they must become a direct CoC grant recipient.
My organization has an **expired indirect rate**. We applied for a new one and it is currently under review. Can we use our expired indirect rate until the new one is approved?	In this case, attach the letter in *e-snaps* that indicates that you reques approval (along with the expired documentation). Complete all the re *snaps* about indirect costs with the new information, as possible. A c appear. Hit "Save," and the caution message will disappear. If HUD conditional award, your HUD field office will ask for the attachment indirect cost rate. If you are using the de minimis 10 percent, an attac

How do I fill out the new **Indirect Cost Form** in *e-snaps*?	To fill out the Indirect Cost Form please access the following link: 4 This form provides instructions on what information to enter in each Cost Form. As a reminder, the Indirect Cost Form is provided in the Profile in *e-snaps*. It is there where the applicant will fill out the forn
When can **leasing funds** be used?	Leasing costs are eligible under the Permanent Supportive Housing (portion only), Transitional Housing (TH), and Supportive Services C components. Recipients and subrecipients may choose to use CoC Pr structure or a portion of a structure that will be used for PSH, TH, or Leasing funds may also be used to lease individual housing units for Leasing funds can pay for the following activities: • Rent for the unit or structure (§ 578.49(b)(1)) • Security deposits for up to 2 months (§ 578.49(b)(4)) • First and last month's rent (up to one month each, allowed as (§ 578.49(b)(4)) • Staff or related costs to carry out leasing activities including Quality Standards (HQS), paying landlords, etc. • Payments on unoccupied units while identifying a new progra
Can I apply for a **grant term** for a new project of more than one year?	Yes, per Section II.B.5.c of the NOFO, the initial grant term for new may be for 1 year, 2 years, 3 years, 4 years, 5 years, or 15 years. HU consistent with 2 CFR 200.308 and 2 CFR 200.309. HUD will allow 1 year of funding with a longer initial grant term not to exceed 18 mo this longer grant term is that HUD has determined that most new pro year of funding often take approximately 3 to 6 months to begin fully project (e.g., hiring staff, developing partnerships with landowners if Therefore, a new project requesting 1 year of funding may request a months to 18 months that will allow for the additional start-up proce requesting capital costs (i.e., new construction, acquisition, or rehabi for 1-year funding requests.

New projects (including YHDP Replacement and Reallocations) can request up to 6-month extended Grant Term. How do I request 13 to 18 months of funding for a new project application with an initial term of one year?	To submit a request for a 13-month to 18-month initial grant term th application screen "6A Funding Request," question 6 for the specific you are applying. First-time renewal eligibility will be dependent on end date.
Is the length of grant terms for new projects dependent on the budgets we select?	Yes! 1. Any new project that requests tenant-based rental assistance year, 3-year, 4-year, or 5-year grant term. 2. Any new project that selects project-based rental assistance year grant term. However, in e-snaps, you will only be funde Then every subsequent renewal will fund for 1 year. 3. Any new project that requests leasing costs - either leasing co costs plus other costs (e.g., supportive services, HMIS) - may grant term. 4. Any new project that requests operating costs, supportive ser project administrative costs may request 1-year, 2-year, 3-yea grant terms with funding for the same number of years 5. Any new project conditionally selected by HUD that request acquisition, or rehabilitation costs (capital costs) must reques year grant term and may request up to a 5-year grant term. A requesting capital costs are not eligible for 1-year funding re requests 1 year of funding with capital costs, HUD will incre years and the new project must spend the funds requested ov 6. All CoC Renewals, YHDP Renewals, YHDP Replacements Planning and UFA Costs applications all have grant terms of
Project Application Processes	
Reallocation Process.	CoCs may reallocate funding from any eligible renewal grant, includ previously renewed under the CoC Program so long as the project h agreement with an expiration date in Calendar Year 2027.Section III

What is the policy on projects eligible for reallocation as part of the renewal application process?	CoC Program NOFO provides additional information. To be eligible expiring project must be an eligible renewal project in this year's co Note: The House and Senate Committees on Appropriations express awarded for specific subpopulations (e.g., youth experiencing homel domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault or stalking), befor projects may be reallocated to other populations, HUD must consult stakeholders. **For the FY 2026 Funding Opportunity, HUD requi reallocated from projects previously funded with YHDP or DV used for projects serving the same subpopulation.** Therefore, prio reallocation of any project, HUD strongly recommends reviewing yo Inventory Worksheet (GIW) to determine the type of new project tha reallocated funding intended for the specific subpopulations.
Reallocation Process. What is reallocation, what can it fund and how does it work?	Section III.F.8 of the FY 2026 CoC Program Competition NOFO de process that CoCs use to shift funds in whole or part from existing el to create one or more new projects without affecting the CoC's Ann CoCs may use relocation to create new: • PH-PSH. • PH-RRH. • TH • Dedicated HMIS • SSO Non-Coordinated Entry; or • SSO-CE for Coordinated Entry. Reallocation funding is eligible to fund: • New Expansion projects. • Transition Projects. • CoC Bonus projects. Projects can combine CoC Bonus and R single project.

	Remember, reallocated in full or in part, should be correctly identifie listing in *e-snaps*.
Reallocation Process. Do reallocations need to be included in the priority listing for a CoC?	Yes, please ensure all reallocations and new projects are listed on yo
Reallocation Process. What is a "New Project Created through Reallocation" and where can I find a definition?	Section III.F.8 of the NOFO defines Reallocation as a process CoCs whole or in part from existing eligible CoC renewal projects or proje renewed to create one or more new projects without decreasing the C only reallocate eligible renewal projects so long as the renewal proje eliminated has a executed grant agreement with an expiration date in Additionally, new projects created through Reallocation must meet t and project quality thresholds established in sections V.A.4.a, and V For more information on the requirements for projects created throug sections II.B.3.e (DV Reallocation), II.B.3.f (CoC Reallocation), an Reallocation) of this NOFO. So, a "New Project Created through Reallocation" is a new project a use a CoC's funds previously used for one or more other CoC-funde project within the same CoC. For example, the CoC may decide to re project by $10,000 from an eligible renewal and use the $10,000 for through the reallocation process. Before submitting a project application for the FY 2026 CoC Progra recommend you contact your local CoC for more information. CoC be found at https://www.hudexchange.info/grantees/find-a-grantee/.
Reallocation Process. What are "DV Reallocations" and what should a CoC be aware of when reallocating projects	DV Reallocation Projects are projects created from the reallocation c projects (see Section II.B.3.e of the NOFO). CoCs may reallocate eli projects to create new DV Reallocation projects, so long as 100 perc served by the new DV Reallocation project are individuals and famil

originally awarded with DV Bonus funding.	experiencing trauma or a lack of safety related to fleeing or attempti violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking who qualify und homeless at 24 CFR 578.3 or section 103(b) of the McKinney-Vento Act. When reallocating DV Renewal project(s), the new project(s), incluc projects, in their entirety must meet all the same requirements of a D including the inclusion of trauma informed and survivor-centered se planning. and the sum of all DV Reallocation applications must be fo Reallocation Projects are projects created from the reallocation of eli projects (See Section II.B.3.e). If a CoC reallocates funding from a DV Renewal grant and does not for new project(s) that are 100 percent dedicated to that subpopulatic the project applications to ensure the projects are serving the require The following restrictions also apply: • DV Renewal projects that have an SSO-CE component cann • Reallocated DV Renewal funding cannot be used to expand a
Reallocation Process. What restrictions exist for reallocating projects?	Restrictions regarding the reallocation of funding originally awarded populations are still in place. If a new project is being created with re were originally awarded to a YHDP or DV Bonus project, the new p serve the same population as the project being reallocated. YHDP, D Reallocation funds may not be combined with any other funding in a application. (See Sections II.B.3 of the NOFO for more information. also be aware of the following specific restrictions on using funding Renewal projects (projects originally awarded with, or subsequently Bonus funding): • DV Renewal projects that have an SSO-CE componer reallocated. • Reallocated DV Renewal funding cannot be used to e grant.

	• DV Renewal projects cannot be reallocated to create r projects.
Consolidation Process. What are the requirements and restrictions regarding consolidating project grants?	The FY 2026 CoC Program Competition process continues to allow consolidations and expansions. However, an applicant may not comb expansion into a single set of projects. Additionally, if you want your renewal project applications considere outlined in Section II.B.3.j of the NOFO, you will only submit the in project applications. The additional submission of a fully consolidate no longer required. HUD did not make any changes to the Consolidation process in the F For details of how to use the Consolidation process, please carefully the *Renewal Project Detailed Instructions* about consolidations. Her To be eligible for consolidation, renewal projects must meet the follo • The grant must be eligible for renewal and expire between D December 31, 2027. • The projects must have the same recipient as was previously amended. • The projects must have the same project component and pro PH-RRH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, TH, SSO, SSO-CE, or HMIS) There are some restrictions for consolidations: • Applicants are not allowed to use the consolidation process a within the same year. • **A single renewal project may not be part of a consolidati in the same application.** If an applicant submits a renewal a both consolidation and renewal, HUD will only accept the ap expansion and reject the consolidation.

	• A project with an existing TH component project cannot co a new or existing PH:RRH component project to create a Jo component project. • YHDP Replacement projects cannot consolidate with anoth • A Transition project cannot consolidate with another project application. Although YHDP Renewal projects can consolidate with each other, project cannot consolidate with a non-YHDP renewal. If your YHD consolidate, all YHDP full grant number will have a "Y" as the 7th c
Consolidation Process. Can a consolidated application be submitted under the "Submit Without Changes" Function (for a renewal application)?	Yes. The "Submit Without Changes" option is available for renewal with the consolidation. This option includes the surviving grant and grant(s). However, a renewal grant that contains a rental assistance line item t (instead of "fair market rents") <u>cannot</u> use the "Submit Without Cha addition, any renewal projects that are permanent housing projects w line item(s) cannot "Submit Without Changes."
Consolidation Process. What do the terms "surviving" and "terminating" mean in relation to the project applications? On the Renewal Grant Consolidation screen, question 2 asks for this information.	A "surviving" grant is the renewal grant with the earliest Period of P of a request for renewal project consolidation. A "terminating grant" grant(s) that will no longer exist if HUD approves the consolidation. applicants must submit renewal applications for the individual proje consolidation. Each project application must identify the grant numb (which must be the grant number with the earliest start date in Calen
Consolidation Process. If two or more renewal projects in a consolidation request have the same "earliest" start dates, which one should I use?	The renewal grant with the oldest and lowest Project Identification N identified as the surviving PIN to be entered into the *e-snaps* table.

Consolidation Process. How do applicants use the grant consolidation process to submit consolidated project applications?	To request the consolidation of eligible renewal projects, project app renewal projects for each project to be included in the consolidation. application must identify the grant number that will survive (which r number with the earliest start date in CY 2027). Project applications for the grants that are proposed to be part of the ranked with a unique rank number for each project. If all of those gra funding, HUD will conditionally award the single surviving grant ba position to include the amount of funding of all grants included in th will then remove all other project applications included in the surviv the project applications that are below it will move up one ranked po Project applicants must not submit a consolidated project application different components (e.g., permanent housing and Transitional Hou To be eligible for renewal grant consolidation, each grant must be un and be the same component. In addition, the grants must not have an issues as outlined in the FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO. Be sure to complete the "Renewal Grant Consolidation" screen to re renewal request. This screen is toward the beginning of the applicati immediately follows the "Recipient Performance" screen. Question 1 application is requesting to be part of a renewal grant consolidation. responds "Yes," a series of questions regarding the consolidation wil
Consolidation Process. What screens do I need to complete for each renewal project to indicate it is part of a consolidation?	Begin by completing the "Renewal Grant Consolidation" screen. It f Performance" screen. Question 1 asks if the project application is re renewal grant consolidation. If the applicant responds "Yes," a series the consolidation will appear. To identify the individual renewal grants to be included in a consolid the drop-down box that states "terminating." Then, identify the grant

	consolidated grant as the "surviving" grant. When "surviving" is sele ask for additional information for all the renewal grants that are bein The required information that must be completed for each screen inc 1. Project Identification Number (PIN). 2. Total Requested Amount. 3. Surviving PIN or Terminating PIN. 4. Operating Start Date. 5. Expiration Date.
Consolidation Process. When will the start date of a consolidated project grant begin?	The start date for the consolidated grant, if conditionally awarded, w expiration date of the eligible renewal project with the earliest expira calculate the expiration date for the consolidated grant by averaging all expiring grants included in the consolidated grant weighted by th grant. If that date falls on the first through the fifteenth of a month, t will be the last day of the previous month. If the date falls on the six of the month, then the expiration date will be the last day of the mon CoC NOFO for more details.
Consolidation Process. Is a consolidated grant from last year considered a new or renewal grant for this year's competition?	A consolidated project grant from a prior year is a renewal project a project. A consolidated project is the same as any renewal project in application processes.
Consolidation Process. Can we include a renewal grant that we expanded last year into a consolidation for this year's competition?	Yes. Any renewal grant (including one that was expanded last year) outlined in the FY 2026 NOFO may be included in a project consoli
How many projects can I **consolidate**?	Project applicants can consolidate two but no more than ten eligible the application process

Can two or more RRH projects be consolidated? What if one is a **DV Bonus** Project?	Yes, two RRH grants may be consolidated for the FY 2026 CoC con beds and units that are part of the project funded by the DV Bonus m the same subpopulation as in the original DV Bonus grant. The best way to keep track of these numbers is in the Project Descrip grant, which is the grant with the earliest start date.
Can PSH projects with two types of rent be **consolidated**?	Yes, you can consolidate PSH projects with two different types of re FMR and Actual rent) provided all Budget Line Items stay consisten continue to serve the same number of people as your previous applic When submitting the Project Application, you must complete two se line items on the renewal form Rental Assistance Budget Screen. If y one, it will need to be all as Actual Rent, not FMR.
What if I want to include two or more projects in a **consolidation** application with the same operating start dates?	If the individual projects that are part of the consolidation have the s dates, enter the oldest PIN as the terminating grant. For example, if A are both PH-PSH projects that are requesting consolidation approval the same operating start date of April 1, then AK0001 will be identif PIN (lowest# and oldest PIN), and AK0005 will be identified as the (highest and newer PIN).
Is my renewal project eligible for **consolidation**?	To be eligible for consolidation, renewal projects must meet all four below: • The grant period must expire between December 31, 2026, ar • The projects must have the same recipient. • The projects must have the same component and project type RRH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, TH, SSO, SSO-CE, or HMIS). • The projects must not have any serious operational issues, as 2026 Continuum of Care NOFO.

	There are some restrictions. • A TH project cannot consolidate with a PH:RRH project to c PH:RRH project. • YHDP Replacement projects cannot consolidate with another • Transition projects cannot consolidate with another project. • DV Renewal projects cannot consolidate with CoC Renewal While YHDP Renewal projects can consolidate with each other, a Y cannot consolidate with a non-YHDP renewal
May I **consolidate** one or more projects that are **transitioning**?	No. If you are using the transition grant process you cannot consolid project that is transitioning.
How many project applications do I need to submit for a **consolidation**?	A project applicant must submit one project application for each indi consolidated. The project applicant will NOT submit a separate rene that combines the project and budget information for all consolidatin approves the consolidation, HUD will conditionally award one grant budgets and project information for each project.
How can I determine if a project has the same project and **component type**?	To consolidate two or more projects, the projects must have the same the same component and type. Using a Permanent Housing (PH) Pro • The component is the first letters (PH), then the project ty (PSH). • A PH-PSH can only consolidate with another PH-PSH (n • It does NOT matter if one PH-PSH gets rent from the Co other PH-PSH gets leasing.
How do I complete the **consolidated project budget**?	When consolidating two projects, each budget line item must match projects specific budget line items. For example, the consolidated lea should equal the sum of the leasing budget line items of Project 1 an

	Applicants cannot shift funds in the project application from one BL shift is less than 10 percent, this includes the consolidation applicatio one BLI to another that is 10 percent or more must be requested and local HUD CPD field office via a grant agreement amendment. In the project applications, we ask that you do not combine the budg budgets remain unchanged when you submit. If the consolidation is combine the budgets under the "Surviving" grant.
Consolidation Process & UFAs. Do Unified Funding Agencies (UFAs) have any special requirements for project consolidations?	Collaborative Applicants designated by HUD as a Unified Funding A more flexibility in how they manage their CoC funded projects, mak project applications unnecessary. A Collaborative Applicant with UFA designation may consolidate p term, so long as the consolidations are not combining different comp projects are funded under the same grant (e.g., projects are currently renewal grant). If a UFA-designated Collaborative Applicant consol the grant term, it can apply to renew them during the FY 2026 CoC consolidated projects.
Expansion Process. What has changed in the FY 2026 Expansion Process since the FY 2025 CoC competition?	The FY 2026 CoC Program Competition process continues to allow consolidations and expansions. However, an applicant may not comb expansion into a single set of projects. As in previous years the CoC Program Competition will continue to request Expansion projects through the application process to expan project application as outlined in Section II.B.3.i of the NOFO by project application, you will only submit the individual renewal proj create and submit a separate new project application. The additional combined renewal project application is eliminated. The two project component (e.g., both the new and renewal project applications are the first time. YHDP renewals may now use the expansion process.

	YHDP Renewal will apply as the "Stand-Alone Renewal" and the Y apply as the "Stand-Alone New" in the expansion process. Special NOFO projects (Unsheltered or Rural Set Aside) are eligible Renewal, Renewing Unsheltered or Rural Set Aside projects may be identified as Stand-alone New projects in an expansion, to expand up NOFO projects. More details can be found under the Special NOFO Note: the same CoC Renewal, YHDP or Special NOFO project may consolidation and an expansion in the same application. If a renewal consolidation and renewal, HUD will treat the application only as an the consolidation. NOTE: JOINT projects are ineligible to be expanded
Expansion Process. Can I "expand" my CoC Renewal or YHDP Renewal project with a 'New' Expansion project and how is this accomplished in *e-snaps*?	For a regular CoC renewal and YHDP project, yes, as in previous ye applicants can apply for a new project that will expand an existing el renewal project (Section II.B.3.i of the NOFO). The two projects m component (e.g., both the new and renewal project applications are P Renewals follow the same process and rules, the only difference is th is where the new expansion request is based for the YHDP expansion For the details of how to utilize the Expansion process, please review directions in the 'Renewal Project Detailed Instructions', the 'New P Instructions', The YHDP Renewal and YHDP Replacement/Realloca Instructions. The most critical instruction to understand is your renew (CoC or YHDP) is submitted individually and then a new project app separately. AND each of those separate applications MUST correctly *e-snaps* questions as being part of your expansion request for the oth awarded, HUD will combine these two applications into one project process. Please ensure that budgets and proposed numbers of units, p are not duplicated between the Stand-alone New and Stand-alone Re order to ensure the accuracy of the final project.

	For basic *e-snaps* guidance see "Renewal Expansion Screen" to ente Renewal Application. Applicants must complete the questions as requested in e-snaps inclu identifying this project's name and PIN number of this renewal appli number should match the current renewal project you are entering. For entering a Stand-Alone New Application(s), in either the CoC N YHDP Reallocation Application, you must complete the questions o Project Expansion Information." Enter the project name (preferably, name of the renewal project with "Expansion" added at the end. Ente name and PIN of the renewal application (see above) that will be exp new project application(s). Answer the remaining questions on Scree As a reminder, expansion projects are only eligible when associated funded renewal project. Projects that do not receive CoC program fu will need to apply as a separate new project. NOTE: For YHDP projects, YHDP expansion projects are only eligi with an existing YHDP Renewal project. A YHDP Reallocation cann upon an existing CoC Renewal project or a YHDP Replacement proj NOTE: Only SSO, TH and HMIS projects are eligible to be expande
Expansion Process. What projects are eligible for the expansion process?	In the FY 2026 CoC Program Competition, the expansion process ap funded renewal project that is one of the following project types: PH CE, and HMIS. For YHDP projects, the eligible project types are: T HMIS. An example of an eligible expansion project is a new CoC or YHDP project that proposes to expand the number of units and beds to serv existing CoC or YHDP-funded project.

	The expansion process cannot propose providing existing program p same level of housing and services funded through the CoC Program expansion project must meet at least one of the following criteria: a. serve new program participants that meet the HUD definition YHDP, the project must continue to serve 100% youth partic b. provide existing program participants with an expanded level services. c. provide existing program participants with facilities that mee standards. d. provide the same activities that are CoC Program-eligible but for by a different eligible non-renewable source. Applicants a using CoC Program funds to replace state or local funds prev designated for use, to assist homeless persons; for more infor 578.87(a). e. provide expanded coordinated entry services to new and exis participants, only eligible for SSO-CE. f. provide expanded HMIS activities within the CoC's geograph only).
Expansion Process. Are other projects not funded by the CoC Program eligible for expansion?	No. Projects that do not receive CoC Program funds that wish to exp as a separate new project. An existing non-CoC-funded PH-PSH pro an expansion project. The applicant would need to submit a separate expansion project.
Transition Process. What is a transition project and how do I apply for a transition project?	A transition project is a request to transition eligible renewal project(component(s) to another eligible component. Eligible components fo transition process are PH-PSH, PH-RRH, , SSO-CE, and HMIS. See NOFO for additional information and requirements, including notific your organization's intent to use the transition grant process. For a new project to be considered a transition grant, the new project recipient listed on the current grant agreement for the eligible renewa eliminated and must include the grant number(s) of the project(s) bei

	the new project and attach a copy of the most recently awarded proje projects will attach a copy of the FY 2024/2025 CoC Program Comp application). To apply for a transition project, an applicant and CoC must choose reallocate the renewal project(s) funds that will transition to the new applicant must submit it as a new project application in following the Instructions for new project application data entry into *e-snaps*. YHDP projects are not eligible for transition projects.
Transition Process. How do renewal project applicants designate a project application as a transition grant in *e-snaps*?	To designate a project application as a transition grant in e-*snaps*, go application, then go to Screen 3A Project Detail. Question 7 asks if t as a transition project. A "Yes" response will open additional questio transition project. Transition projects must list the expiring grant nu transition and must attach a copy of the most recently approved proje Screen 7A. (e.g., if the expiring project was last funded in the FY 20 Competition, attach a copy of the FY 2024 CoC Program Competitio In question 7b of screen 3A, the project applicant must provide a des the scope of the proposed transition from the expiring component to during the first year of operation. Provide a detailed description of ho transitioned from the renewal project to the new project. The descrip 1. How the project will strategically wind down the eliminated 2. How the project will ensure existing program participants in do not become homeless and will be assisted in obtaining pe the project increases activities in the new component; and 3. The estimated timeline, within the 1-year grant period, that th operating as the newly awarded component. Note: If you are requesting to use the transition grant process you ca Consolidate and/or Expand a renewal project that is transitioning.
Transition Process. When is the operating start date for a transition project?	The operating start date of a transition project conditionally awarded Program Competition will be the day after the end of the previous gr

	expiring component, i.e., the transition project will have the same op expiring component project. For transition projects reallocated from more than one project, the op be the day after the end of the earliest expiring grant term. The grant consistent with 2 CFR 200.308 and 2 CFR 200.309. By the end of th which FY 2025 funds were awarded, the transition grant must be ful new component and will be eligible to apply for renewal in the next Competition under the component to which it transitioned.
Transition Process. How long does a transition grant have to fully transition to the new eligible activities?	Transition grants conditionally awarded in the FY 2026 CoC Prograr have one year to fully transition from the original component to the r the normal operating year (e.g., April 1, 2027, through March 31, 20 agreement is executed.
Transition Process. Does a recipient need to obtain approval from a CoC to apply for a transition grant?	Yes, due to the need the renewal portion of a transitioning project to reallocated to be eligible to receive a transition grant, the recipient m of its CoC as they will need to rank the new transition project on the the FY 2026 CoC Priority Listing.
Transition Process. Can a recipient 'transition' renewal projects to create a new project that replaces two existing renewals of different components into a third component? In other words, if a recipient has one PSH grant and one RRH grant, can a CoC fully reallocate both grants to create a new TH project?	Yes, a recipient may transition up to two projects with differing com project for a transition grant. Please be aware of the Transition grant 'transitioning' more than one grant, specifically the operating start da the requirements HUD will consider the following as CoC consent fo 1. The project application identifies the project as a transition proj 2. The CoC ranks the new transition grant project on the New Proj 2026 CoC Priority Listing. If HUD determines a new project submitted as a transition grant doe all other new project requirements, HUD may award the project as a grant project. If this occurs, the recipient will not be permitted to exp funds until the new project grant agreement is executed by the local

Match	
What is **"Match"** for a CoC project application and how should it be included in an application?	Statutory provisions of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance A CoC Program funds to "match" a portion of the CoC funds they rece categories except the leasing budget category. Simply put, "match" i of costs that the recipient is required to contribute to accomplish the Match in the CoC Program can be actual cash or in-kind resources co All costs paid for with matching funds must be for activities that are Program, even if the recipient is not receiving CoC Program grant fu The CoC Program requires a 25 percent match of the awarded grant leasing. Another way to state this is that the leasing budget line item included in the grant's match calculation. Cash or in-kind resources requirement. For additional match requirement information please re https://www.hudexchange.info/homelessness-assistance/coc-esg-virt match/match-requirements/
Is the CoC program **match** requirement specific to each project application?	Yes, for CoCs that have more than one recipient, each grant recipien on a grant-by-grant basis. However, when a CoC has been designated Agency (UFA) status or is identified as sole grant recipient, in those funds may be provided by the recipient/UFA on a CoC-wide basis. F the CoC Interim Rule at 24 CFR 578.73.
Can **program income** be used as cash match for a project application?	Yes. Although the CoC Program Interim Rule does not directly state income is an eligible source of match, it has been determined to be e match until a permanent decision regarding this provision is made. U Program grant recipients will be permitted to count program income by the corresponding congressional appropriation, which includes fu 2026 CoC NOFO.

Match. What are HUD's requirements for documentation of third-party in-kind match contributions in the project application?	The CoC Interim Rule at 24 CFR 578.73(c)(3) requires that in-kind s a third party, be documented by a memorandum of understanding (M document, between the recipient (or subrecipient) and the third party provided before grant execution. In the Sources of Match Detail Screen in *e-snaps,* if the applicant has response to question 1 on Screen 6I (New Projects) or 6D (Renewal) appear to attach the MOU. Note: screen 7A only appears if the applic in response to question 1 on Screen 6I (New Projects) or 6D (Renew HUD strongly recommends that project applicants attach the MOU t *snaps* if available at the time of application. If project applicants do n documents in-kind match HUD will place a condition on the project. conditional award, the project applicant must provide the MOU to th representative before the grant agreement execution. This issue may agreement processing.
Match from Program Income. Can program income be as match, and are project applicants required to provide any information as part of their project application?	Yes. Although the CoC Program Interim Rule does not directly state income is an eligible source of match, it has been determined to be e match until a permanent decision regarding this provision is made. U Program grant recipients will be permitted to count program income project expects to use program income as match, complete questions Match screen in *e-snaps.*
Match. Can ESG be used as match for a CoC project?	Yes, Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) and ESG-CV funds may be CoC Program if the matching funds are contributed to the CoC Progr the recipient's or subrecipient's allowable CoC Program costs, and al requirements are met. For example, as indicated in the CoC Program 578.75(b), housing leased with CoC Program funds, or for which ren are made with CoC Program funds must meet the applicable housing (HQS) under 24 CFR 982.401.

	Match is actual cash or in-kind resources contributed and expended c Program costs. According to 578.73 of the CoC Program interim rul recipients or subrecipients must match all grant funds (except for lea less than 25 percent of funds or in-kind contributions from other sou may be from public (not statutorily prohibited from the funding agen resources. Recipients are responsible for determining if non-program be used as a match for the CoC Program. Keep in mind that ESG funds must be used for allowable ESG Progr meet all other ESG Program requirements. For allowable ESG/ESG- costs, be sure to review section 576.107 of the ESG Program Interim alternative requirements established by Notice CPD-21-08, Section I
Match. Under which circumstances can Medicaid be used as match in CoC Program-funded projects?	A Project Applicant can use the value of services reimbursed through match in your renewal project if the Medicaid services are contribute (e.g., if the project has one or more staff persons who provide servic participants and those services are funded through Medicaid). Count the applicant must demonstrate that the services are being contribute project. The match can be done through a Memorandum of Understa contract with a partner organization that provides services reimburse program participants. The Project Applicant should attach the MOU the application on Screen 7A in *e-snaps* "In-Kind MOU Attachment time of project application. If the Medicaid services are not being contributed to the project, mea provided directly to program participants regardless of their participa Program project, or there is no MOU or contract in place, then these cannot be considered a match for the project. Several resources provide general information on the match requiren services should be handled. Please refer to the following: • Section 578.73(c)(1) of the CoC Program interim rule – "The subrecipient may use the value of any real property, equipme

	contributed to the project as match, provided that if the recipi to pay for them with grant funds, the costs would have been e D, or, in the case of HPCs, eligible under 578.71." • The Importance of Documenting Match Under the CoC Prog podcast is available on HUD Exchange and includes both aud https://soundcloud.com/hudexchange/importance-of-documenting-m program https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/CoC-Importance Match-Transcript.pdf https://www.hudexchange.info/homelessness-assistance/coc-esg-virt match/match-requirements/
Permanent Supportive Housing Requirements	
If a renewal project is already 100% dedicated to serving chronically homeless persons, can we change the project to **DedicatedPLUS** in a renewal application?	Yes, Project applicants may change any eligible renewal project that dedicated to DedicatedPLUS in the CoC Program renewal applicatio amendment by using the single drop-down on Screen 3C and selectin However, these projects cannot begin serving program participants u DedicatedPLUS definition until the FY 2026 grant begins.
What is a **DedicatedPlus** project?	A DedicatedPLUS project is a permanent supportive housing (PH-PS entire project will serve individuals and families that meet one of the project entry (See also Section III.G.10 of the FY 2026 CoC Progran 1. Experiencing chronic homelessness as defined in 24 CFR 578 2. Residing in a transitional housing project that will be elimina definition of chronically homeless in effect at the time in whi family entered the transitional housing project. 3. Residing in a place not meant for human habitation, emergen Haven and had been admitted and enrolled in a permanent ho the last year but were unable to maintain a housing placemen of chronic homeless as defined in 24 CFR 578.3 prior to ente 4. Residing in transitional housing funded by a Joint Transitiona Permanent Housing-rapid rehousing (PH-RRH) (Joint TH an

	project and who were experiencing chronic homelessness as c 578.3. 5. Residing and has resided in a place not meant for human hab emergency shelter for at least 12 months in the last three year on four separate occasions and the individual or head of hous definition of "homeless individual with a disability": or 6. Receiving assistance through a Department of Veterans Affai homeless assistance program and met one of the above criteri VA's homeless assistance system. A renewal project where 100 percent of the beds were dedicated to c individuals and families, may either become a DedicatedPLUS proje dedicate 100 percent of its beds to chronically homeless individuals a renewal project that has 100 percent of its beds dedicated to chronica individuals and families elects to become a DedicatedPLUS project, required to adhere to all fair housing requirements in 24 CFR 578.93 Also noted in Section III.G.7.c of the FY 2026 NOFO, projects that v DedicatedPLUS in a previous CoC Program Competition are require with children to qualify as a DedicatedPLUS project.
For **DedicatedPLUS** projects, are there any requirements for how recipients must prioritize households for assistance, including if there are No households meeting the eligibility requirements outlined in the NOFO?	Yes, some requirements exist for prioritizing households in Dedicate response explains how to prioritize eligible households in Dedicated explains prioritizing in DedicatedPLUS projects when there are not a Prioritizing Eligible Households in DedicatedPlus Projects: HUD's o DedicatedPLUS provides CoCs with more flexibility to serve vulner more effectively and more immediately address the needs of persons homelessness, at risk of experiencing chronic homelessness, or who homeless prior to being housed and who have recently become home households that meet any of the criteria established in the FY 2026 C may be served in any order established by the CoC, though the CoC orders of priority into their written standards for prioritizing assistanc

making changes to their written standards, HUD encourages CoCs to
prioritization standards based on the length of time a potential progra
on the streets, in an emergency shelter, or in a safe haven along with
service needs.

For dedicated PSH beds–as defined in Section III.G.10of the FY 202
CoCs must follow existing CoC written standards for prioritizing ass
experiencing chronic homelessness in those beds (i.e., if the CoC has
priority in Notice CPD-16-11, the recipient will be required to fill the
consistent with section III.A of that Notice).

Prioritizing in DedicatedPLUS Projects When There Are No Eligible
Consistent with HUD's expectations for recipients of dedicated perm
housing (PSH) projects, recipients of DedicatedPLUS projects will b
due diligence when conducting outreach and assessment to locate an
households as outlined in Section III.G.10 of the FY 2026 CoC Prog
recognizes that some persons might require significant engagement a
entering or re-entering housing and recipients are not required to kee
indefinitely while waiting for an identified eligible individual or fam
PSH. However, please note that street outreach providers are expecte
attempts to engage those persons that have been resistant to acceptin

At the point in which a vacancy occurs, if there are No eligible hous
are ready to accept assistance, recipients should consider the followi

- Where there are No chronically homeless persons identified,
  included in DedicatedPLUS projects may fill the vacancy eith
  section III.B.1(b)-(d) of Notice CPD-16-11 or households eli
  DedicatedPLUS as outlined in Section III.G.7 of the NOFO.
  document how these beds will be prioritized in the event of s
  CoC's written standards.
- Where there are no persons meeting the eligibility criteria for
  outlined in Section III.G.1010of the FY 2026 CoC Program C
  recipients are encouraged to follow the order of priority outli
  III.B.1(b)-(d) of Notice CPD-16-11 to fill any vacancies.

	• https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Virtual-B Chronic-Homelessness-Status.pdf. At a minimum, the CoC s length of time the potential program participant has been resi meant for human habitation, emergency shelter, or safe haven service needs. The CoC must document how these beds will l event of such a vacancy in the CoC's written standards. • The recipient must always continue to prioritize households t DedicatedPLUS (and dedicated PSH, if applicable). This mea a new vacancy, the recipient must always first seek to fill it w household even if it was most recently used to serve a househ otherwise be eligible due to the circumstances outlined above The recipient of DedicatedPLUS PSH projects must maintain record locate persons meeting the eligibility criteria in Section III.G.10 of th Program NOFO. Ideally, the CoC should have comprehensive and hi households that are currently presenting for assistance within the Co comprehensive outreach strategy. To justify serving a non-eligible ho DedicatedPLUS projects must have documentation from the CoC tha outreach is occurring regularly and that the CoC is making reasonabl identify all persons experiencing homelessness within the communit
Who has the qualifying disability in PSH?	Per 24 CFR 578.3 and 24 CFR 578.37(a)(1)(i), all PSH projects mus families with a qualifying disability as defined at 42 U.S.C. 11360(9) are dedicated to individuals and families experiencing chronic homel classified as DedicatedPLUS, the head of household must have the q PSH projects not classified as dedicated or DedicatedPLUS any mem may have the qualifying disability.
Has the Prioritization process for CH individuals changed?	Yes, HUD has rescinded the **Notice on Prioritizing Persons Experi Homelessness and Other Vulnerable Persons in Permanent Supp** the 2014 notice of the same name that preceded it. **What does this mean?**

	HUD no longer requires that all CoC Program-funded Permanent Su (PSH) must be dedicated to individuals and families that meet the de Homeless." Projects operating under prior year's funding must conti and families that meet the eligibility criteria identified in the project' agreement. With this change, HUD is providing local communities t prioritize resources based on their unique, local needs. **How does this affect Coordinated Entry?** The notice CPD-17-01- Establishing Additional Requirements for a Centralized or Coordinated Assessment System remains effective. C Coordinated Entry practices in order to comply with the requirement dedicated to chronic homelessness are no longer held to that requirer their Coordinated Entry practices. **How should CoCs prioritize available PSH units?** PSH can only provide assistance to individuals with a disability or fa adult or child has a disability in accordance with 24 CFR 578.37(a)(CoCs to prioritize homelessness assistance in a way that meets local with federal anti-discrimination and civil rights laws. This should in individuals as quickly as possible with substance use disorder and m shelter, and Transitional Housing programs to facilitate recovery and **Do PSH projects have to keep units vacant while waiting household to accept an offer of PSH?** No. HUD recognizes that some persons, particularly those in places not meant for human habitation- require significant engag entering housing. Recipients of CoC-funded PSH are not required to vacant indefinitely while waiting for an eligible household (as identi agreement) to accept the offer of PSH. Instead, CoCs must exercise conducting outreach and assessment to ensure eligible households ar prioritized for assistance in accordance with their local prioritization eligible household is not yet ready to accept a PSH referral, the CoC the next prioritized household.

Am I required to serve 100% Dedicated or DedicatedPLUS in my PSH project (new or renewal)?	No. New and renewal PSH projects may serve 100% dedicated, Ded dedicated PSH participants. A non-dedicated PSH bed is a Permaner bed within a CoC's geographic area that is not currently classified as chronically homeless individuals and families or as DedicatedPLUS.
Solo Projects (including solo project appeals)	
What is a **Solo Applicant**?	A Solo Applicant is a project applicant that: (1) has a project applica during the local CoC competition prior to the close of the annual Co Competition, (2) believes that it was denied the right to participate in process and (3) wants to submit the application to HUD anyway.
How can a **Solo Applicant** apply for funding?	A project applicant may submit a Solo Application during the CoC F when the applicant attempts to participate in the CoC's planning pro denied the right to participate in a reasonable manner. In such a case may apply for a project grant to HUD but only if HUD determines th was not reasonably permitted to participate in your CoC's planning p To apply as a solo applicant, the project applicant must submit a Sol Application in *e-snaps* by the application submission deadline. Addi applicant, Collaborative Applicant, and HUD must take the followin 578.35 for more information): 1. Written Notice of Intent to Appeal. The solo applicant must sub intent to appeal, with a copy to the CoC, with their funding app 2. No later than 30 days after the date that HUD announces the aw shall submit in writing, with a copy to the Collaborative Applic evidence supporting its claim. The submission shall be emailed snapsappeals@hud.gov. 3. The CoC shall have 30 days from the date of its receipt of the so to respond to HUD in writing, with a copy to the solo applicant be emailed to snapsappeals@hud.gov. 4. HUD will notify the solo applicant and the CoC of its decision receipt of the CoC's response.

	5. If HUD finds that the solo applicant was not permitted to partici planning process in a reasonable manner, then HUD may awarc applicant when funds next become available and may direct the steps to ensure reasonable participation. Note: This process is not for project applicants and CoC Collaborativ appealing an award decision by HUD after applications have been su seeking an award decision appeal must follow the instructions in the applicable CoC Program Competition.
Special NOFO Projects	
Are **Special NOFO** projects eligible for renewal in the FY26 CoC Competition?	Yes, grants originally awarded funding under the Special NOFO to A and Rural Homelessness, that are expiring in Calendar year 2027 are this NOFO.
Can I apply for a "New" **Special NOFO** project in the FY 2026 CoC Competition?	No, Special NOFO projects can only be renewed under the FY26 Co Projects are also eligible to be consolidated or expanded.

What are the rules governing consolidations and expansions for renewing **Special NOFO** projects?	There are some important rules regarding consolidations and expansi
	Special NOFO projects:
	
	• Consolidations
	    o Unsheltered Set Aside projects may consolidate with
	      Aside projects or CoC Renewal projects. Unsheltered
	      consolidate with DV Renewals or YHDP Renewals
	    o Rural Set Aside Project can ONLY consolidate with c
	      projects
	• Expansions
	    o Unsheltered Set Aside and Rural Set Aside projects ar
	      expansion and follow normal expansion rules

Do **Rural Set Aside** projects still have the ability to request the specialized Rural Set Aside BLIs?	No, Rural Set Aside projects can no longer request the specialized lis • Rent or Utility Assistance after 2 months of nonpayment of r • Repairs necessary to make housing habitable to be used for tr permanent housing • Emergency Food and clothing assistance • Costs associated with making use of Federal Inventory prope homeless individuals and families Rural Set Aside Capacity Budget NOTE: Projects originally awarded under the Rural Set Aside throug NOFO Competition that are applying for renewal may only request c under the CoC Program. This means the following costs are no longe originally awarded under the Rural Set Aside: a. Rent or utility assistance after 2 months of nonpayment of rent or u eviction or loss of utility service are no longer eligible. Funds may n rent or utility arrear payments up to 6 months on behalf of program p permanent housing. b. Emergency food and clothing assistance. Costs for providing cloth participants are not eligible. Costs for providing meals or groceries a supportive service (24 CFR 578.53(e)(7) and must now be classified services budget line item. c. Costs associated with making use of Federal Inventory property pr individuals and families experiencing homelessness are no longer eli Inventory property programs means the Use of Federal Real Property Homeless program authorized by title V of the Act, and implemented and the Single-Family Property Disposition Program authorized by s National Housing Act (12. U.S.C. 1710(g)) and implemented at 24 C Applicants may move funds currently allocated to these costs in thei agreement to other eligible CoC Program costs through the project ap Costs for funding repairs, repairs necessary to make housing habitab transitional or permanent housing, emergency short-term lodging cos

	building activities remain eligible; however, these costs must now be Costs (as identified in paragraph 5 below). Applicants may move fur to these costs in their current grant agreement to the Rural Costs BL application.
Can I reallocate an **Unsheltered or Rural Set Aside** project?	Unsheltered and Rural Set Aside projects may be reallocated in the C • Unsheltered and Rural Set Aside projects can be reallocated i and New Expansion projects • Once an Unsheltered or Rural Set Aside project is reallocated identified as an Unsheltered or Rural Set Aside project • Unsheltered and Rural Set Aside project cannot reallocate int or Rural Set Aside projects.
Submit Without Changes in *e-snaps*	
How do I submit a renewal grant that doesn't have any **changes**?	A CoC project's FY 2026 renewal project information must match th project application unless HUD required changes to the grant before execution, or if the recipient requested and received a grant agreeme If a project does not have changes from the FY 2025 submission, it c FY 2026 renewal project application with No changes (other than th If a project is a first-time renewal, the applicant must complete the e application. An applicant <u>cannot</u> use the "submit without changes" process if: • HUD placed a condition on your FY 2025 application requiri adjust information (e.g., units, unit configuration, BLIs, proje • You executed a grant agreement amendment resulting in char renewal project application (e.g., units, unit configuration, po

	Ensure that the FY 2026 renewal project application mirrors the fina information in either the grant agreement or grant agreement amendr Data can be imported (brought forward) into a FY 2026 renewal proj FY 2025 new or renewal project application. However, it is importar imported data will be exactly as it was submitted in the FY 2025 pro will not show any updates to a project application that occurred in F Award (C1.9a) or any *e-snaps* amendment data from (C1.9b). For a did not import last year's FY 2025 information, *e-snaps* will automa Changes" and all questions on each screen must be updated. Then, navigate to the Submit Without Changes Screen in *e-snaps*. 1. Are the requested renewal funds reduced from the previous awa • Select: Yes, if this renewal project will be submitted with the previous award due to partial reallocation. No, if the b the same as the previous Competition year. 2. Do you wish to submit this application without making changes • Select "Submit without Changes" if no changes are neede year's application submission reviewed and approved by Parts 2 through 6 of the application in read-only mode and you have not made changes and are requesting to renew y per the project details as imported from your prior year's application into the FY 2025 project application. • Select "Make Changes" if you did not import last year's a question will automatically be set and cannot be edited. If changes due to a condition(s) placed on last year's applica renewal information (e.g., BLIs, 100 percent dedicated be executed grant agreement amendment affecting the renew 3. Specify which screens require changes by clicking the checkbo then click the "Save" button: This screen has a list that includes available to your project in Parts 2 through 6. Select the checkb where you will make changes. Once "Save" is selected, the che will be available for edit. As needed, the following description

If you checked a box in error, and did not actually make any ch
the text box.

You have selected "Make Changes" to Question 2 above. Provi
of the changes that will be made to the project information scre
appropriate). Enter a description of the changes being made to t
and include the reason (e.g., result of a condition placed by HU
due to an executed grant agreement amendment).

The following *e-snaps* screens <u>can</u> be edited for required annua
affect your ability to "Submit without Changes:"

- Submission Without Changes Screen
  - Questions 1 and 2
- Recipient Performance Screen
  - Review and update all questions.
- Renewal Grant Consolidation or Renewal Grant Expans
  - Question 1
- 3A. Project Detail Screen
  - Question 2b
- 6A. Funding Request Screen
  - Questions 1, 2, and 6
- 6D. Sources of Match Screen
  - Update match amount / match type if needed.
- 6J. Summary Budget Screen
- 7A. Attachments Screen
  - See checklist to determine if you need to includ
- 7B. Certification Screen
  - Review all information on the screen and certify

4. All other screens in Part 2 through Part 6 are "Read-Only" and
accuracy, including any updates that were made to the 2025 pro
Post Award Issues and Conditions process or as amended. If all
accurate and No edits are needed to any screens other than the r

	questions noted above, you should select "Submit Without Cha imported data and need to make updates to the information on navigate to Part 8: "Submission Without Changes" Screen, sele and check the box next to the screen title(s) to unlock the screen you select the screen(s) you want to edit, click "Save" and the s available for editing. Once you check a box and click "Save," y box.
Subrecipients	
Can a project **subrecipient** submit a Project Application in *e-snaps* on behalf of the Applicant?	No, a subrecipient cannot submit a project application. The direct re organization and authorized representative are legally responsible fo application in *e-snaps.* However, the project subrecipient may assist in entering data into th *e-snaps*. To assist in completing the project application, the applican Representative must give the project subrecipient access to the proje must add the person as a 'registered user' who is associated with the not award funding to projects if the project application refers to the s organization as the project applicant. Refer to the 'Adding and Deleting Registrants' resource for instructi [https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Give-Staff-Acce Organizations-e-snaps-Account.pdf](https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Give-Staff-Acce)
Does an applicant need to list all the **subrecipient** information in *e-snaps* for its application?	If a project application includes one or more subrecipients that will p the activities, the applicant must include the subrecipient(s) informat attach a copy of the subrecipient(s) nonprofit documentation on the will not include subrecipient(s), an applicant should not enter data o
What is the difference between a **subrecipient** and a contractor?	For more information on the use of subrecipients and the difference and a contractor, review the definition in 24 CFR 578.3, recipient re

	578.23(c)(4), and the Characteristics Indicative of a Subrecipient in t Using Contractors in ESG and CoC Programs located on the HUD E
Can a project **subrecipient** be a "for-profit" entity?	No. For-profit entities are not eligible to be Project Applicants or sub
Tribes & Tribally Designated Housing Agencies	
Are **Indian tribes and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs)** eligible to apply for a project grant in the FY 2026 CoC NOFO?	Yes. Eligible applicants include Indian tribes and Tribally Designate (TDHEs), as defined in section 4 of the Native American Housing A Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4103). Such tribal agencies sh CoC and can apply for projects in the same way as any other applica note that tribes and TDHEs are eligible to apply for projects within t geography regardless of whether the tribal entity participated in the C process.
Are there any special or different procedures for **Indian tribes or TDHEs** applying for a project grant in the FY 2026 CoC competition?	No, all eligible project applicants, including tribes and TDHEs, use t process. Please refer to the Project Application Detailed Instructions The project application in *e-snaps* includes a few items (such as a dr the applicant will need to indicate that it is a tribal agency. For more for a project, consult the FY 2026 CoC New Project Application Det
What is a **Tribally Designated Housing Entity (TDHE)?**	A TDHE is defined in Section 4 of the Native American Housing and Act of 1996 (24 U.S.C 4103). The Consolidated Appropriations Act language allowing the participation of Indian Tribes and Tribally De Entities (TDHEs) in the CoC Program, which is one of two primary programs to address homelessness.
Unified Funding Agency (UFA)	

What is a UFA?	A Unified Funding Agency (UFA) (§ 578.11) is a Collaborative App CoC (and approved by HUD) to apply for, receive, and distribute fur a CoC. The UFA is the sole grant recipient for the CoC; HUD signs the UFA and the UFA signs separate grant agreements with each sub the CoC-funded projects. Learn more at CoC UFAs - Overview - HUD Exchange; Discussion for Continuums of Care (CoCs) Considering Unified Funding Agenc
Can UFAs consolidate projects?	Yes. A Collaborative Applicant with UFA designation can consolida grant term, so long as the consolidations are not combining different the projects are funded under the same grant (e.g., projects are curren same renewal grant). If a UFA-designated Collaborative Applicant c during the grant term, it can apply to renew them during the CoC Pro consolidated projects. UFAs can also consolidate projects during the competition using the UFA grantees
Can UFAs move funds out of YHDP projects into non YHDP projects and vice versa?	No. Unified Funding Agencies (UFAs) are prohibited from moving f YHDP-funded projects and mixing funding from any other non-YHI
YHDP Renewal and YHDP Replacements Project Applications	
How should our **Youth Homeless Demonstration Project (YHDP)** recipients that are renewing in the CoC Competition apply?	Youth Homeless Demonstration Project (YHDP) recipients should co officer at HUD headquarters to determine if a project is eligible to be FY 2026 CoC Program Competition. For information on how to appl renewal, go to the HUD.gov FY 2026 CoC Competition website for Instructions and *e-snaps* Renewal YHDP Navigational Guide. https://www.hud.gov/hud-partners/community-coc

If **YHDP** applicants apply for renewal funding under an incorrect funding opportunity in the FY 2026 CoC Program Competition, could this affect the CoC's overall funding?	Yes. Requesting renewal funding for a Youth Homeless Demonstrati project incorrectly could have adverse consequences on the CoC's o YHDP applicants must use *e-snaps* to create renewal project applica YHDP Renewal Project Application from the Funding Opportunity s *snap*s. See the How to Access the Project Application guide for mor submit renewal projects under incorrect funding opportunities, the fo taken to remedy the problem: 1. The YHDP renewal project applicant must inform their CoC th renewal project under the incorrect funding opportunity. 2. The YHDP renewal project applicant must submit a new renew under the YHDP Renewal Project Application funding opportu 3. The CoC must reject/remove the original project applied for un funding opportunity. 4. The CoC reviews the renewal project applied for under the corr opportunity, based on actions in step 2 of this list, which placed the YHDP Project Listing.
Who can apply for the **YHDP Replacement** funding opportunity?	Only Youth Homeless Demonstration Project (YHDP) communities project that is eligible to be replaced can apply for the YHDP Replac opportunity. The YHDP Replacement funding opportunity is a fundi YHDP communities to replace old YHDP projects with new YHDP II.B.3.h of the FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO for more information.
What is the **YHDP Replacement** funding opportunity?	The Youth Homeless Demonstration Project (YHDP) Replacement f funding mechanism to allow YHDP communities to replace old YH YHDP projects. See Section II.B.3.h of the FY 2026 CoC Program N information. In the past, YHDP communities have not been able to r performing projects (i.e., projects that have not been able to meet sys measures as set by the CoC and HUD). The YHDP Replacement fun allows YHDP communities to replace under-performing projects and have shown more success in their communities or innovative project seen in the community before.

	The components eligible to be funded under the YHDP Replacen Reallocation funding opportunity to create new projects are: TH Coordinated Entry or HMIS. NOTE: All YHDP Consolidations can only be done in the YHDP Re All component types are eligible to consolidate except for JOINT pr
How does the **YHDP Replacement** funding opportunity work?	A Youth Homeless Demonstration Project (YHDP) Replacement pro replace a YHDP Renewal project. An applicant cannot apply for a Y project and maintain all their YHDP Renewal projects. <u>At least one</u> be replaced. Multiple YHDP Renewals can be replaced and combine Replacement. Additionally, one YHDP Renewal can be replaced and Replacement projects. <u>In all instances, the recipients must be the sam must match.</u> YHDP Project applicants do not have to go through reallocation to a Replacement project. Project applicants can apply under the YHDP opportunity, select "YHDP Replacement" on screen 3A, and ensure "YHDP Replacement" has been selected as the funding type. Once t and all other project application questions have been answered, you If an application is submitted for both a YHDP Replacement and the replaced, HUD HQ will determine which project will be awarded. O awarded, never both. A YHDP Replacement cannot request more funding than the YHDP for in the most recent CoC competition. For example, if the YHDP P total budget of $100,000 the YHDP Replacement can apply for up to Replacement can apply for less than $100,000, but it cannot apply fo YHDP Replacement projects can apply for component types and co currently allowed under the Youth Demo program. Please refer to Se

	FY 2026 CoC Program NOFO for more details. In addition, YHDP I can only apply for 1-year grant terms.
I have a **YHDP Renewal** that I need to make changes to; will these changes require me to apply as a **YHDP Replacement** instead?	Not necessarily. Under the FY 2026 CoC Competition, minor chang Demonstration Project (YHDP) Renewal project, such as small Budg shifts, small unit configuration or small shifts to populations being se year under the YHDP Renewal application. Additionally, YHDP Re remove Special YHDP Activities without the need for applying as a However, if your project plans on making significant project change component or subtype, major changes to the project description, larg you will need to apply as a YHDP Replacement.
Can I **reallocate** my YHDP grant to a new project that doesn't serve youth?	No. If a new project is being created with reallocated funds that were a YHDP project, the new project must continue to serve the same po being reallocated. See Section II.B.3.g of the NOFO for more inform
Can **YHDP Renewal Projects Reallocate** in the FY 2026 Competition?	Yes, a YHDP Renewal project can be reallocated in the FY 2026 Co However, there are restrictions on what this project can be reallocate Renewals can only be reallocated into another YHDP project. This p a YHDP Reallocation. See Section II.B.3.g of the NOFO for more in
What makes **YHDP Reallocations** different from **YHDP Replacements**?	This is a great question, and there are many similarities between YH YHDP Replacement projects. However, the three major differences a Reallocations can change the applicant from the YHDP Renewal bei YHDP Replacements cannot change the applicant from the YHDP R Additionally, YHDP Reallocations can apply to be a part of the Expa YHDP Replacements cannot. Lastly, YHDP Replacements are to be used to process consolidation Reallocations are not allowed to process consolidations.

If we replace or reallocate a YHDP housing project into a SSO project, can the SSO project pay for housing during the transition period?	No. YHDP grants changing component types that include housing co RRH, or TH) to an SSO grant may not pay for rental assistance or le grant funding during the transition period. While the project is transi the 1-year period after award, the project must use other funding to c while it transitions to the new component
Do I need to rank my **YHDP** projects this year?	Yes, you will be required to rank your YHDP projects in the FY 202 will competitively award all YHDP projects, including renewal and r projects. CoCs seeking to reallocate YHDP projects may only realloc projects. See section II.B.3.h. of this NOFO for additional informatio
Are YHDP projects eligible to use the **expansion** process?	Yes, under the FY 2026 competition, YHDP projects may participate process. However, only certain YHDP projects may apply for the ex 1. YHDP Renewals and YHDP Reallocations may take part in the ex 2. YHDP Replacements are NOT eligible for the expansion process
How does the **YHDP expansion** process work?	The YHDP expansion process follows a similar pattern as the CoC e (please reference the expansion FAQs in this document), with some 1. The YHDP Renewal will apply as the "Stand-Alone Renewal process. The YHDP Reallocation will apply as the "Stand-Al YHDP Renewal Application, the project applicant will need t involved in the Expansion. Within the YDHP Reallocation ap will list the YHDP Renewal it is expanding upon, and what s expanded (units/beds, supportive services, HMIS, etc.) The YHDP Expansion process is allowed to expand upon ONLY YH Component types that are eligible to be expanded are TH, , SSO, SS

Are there any new Special Activities that have been included in the FY26 Competition?	Yes, there are a few new activities that are available to only YHDP a refer to NOFO section IV.B.2. The new activities cover TH projects, administration of rental assistance, and match.

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Questions and Answers from June 25 Webinar	
Does a Transition Grant going from Permanent Housing to Transitional Housing count as PH or TH for the purpose of Tier 2 preferences?	A Transition Grant going from Permanent I Transitional Housing (TH) would be consic selection process.
If we have a SNOFO project expiring in January, will it be considered new or a renewal? Thank you.	A Special NOFO project expiring in Januar the FY 2026 CoC Competition would be a
Can SSO Standalone projects continue serving participants that become housed?	TH, PH-RRH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SSO pro must serve persons who qualify as homeles (2), or (4) of 24 CFR 578.3 or Section 103(Vento Homeless Assistance Act with the fo RRH, TH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SSO- may se as homeless under paragraph (3) of 24 CFR approved to serve persons in paragraph (3).
Per recent HUD email/notice, please confirm that FY27 PSH projects will be no longer required to serve chronically homeless households?	PH-PSH projects awarded CoC funds must following: (1) persons who qualify as homeless under of 24 CFR 578.3 or Section 103(b) of the M Homeless Assistance Act where the head o qualifying disability as defined section 401 McKinneyVento Homeless Assistance Act; (2) for renewal projects, the same populatio families indicated in the expiring grant agre projects originally awarded under the Speci projects through the Unsheltered Set Aside

	and families who qualify under paragraph (of homeless).
Is there a period of time that an SSO project can provide Case Management to clients in housing after they transition from unsheltered or sheltered?	No. TH, PH-RRH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SS funds must serve persons who qualify as ho (1), (2), or (4) of 24 CFR 578.3 or Section Vento Homeless Assistance Act with the fo RRH, TH, Joint TH/PH-RRH, SSO- may s as homeless under paragraph (3) of 24 CFR approved to serve persons in paragraph (3).
What did he just say about DV SSO-CE projects being reallocated? You cannot relocate DV SSO-CE projects at all? Not even to another Dedicated DV project that is eligible under the NOFO?	Correct. DV Renewal projects that have a cannot be reallocated.
Can we reduce an existing YHDP RRH project through reallocation (assuming the funding is reallocated to another YHDP eligible project type)?	Yes
YHDP Joint can be reallocated to TH right?	Yes. HUD will only fund new YHDP Reall the YHDP Replacement process as describ IV.B.2 of this NOFO: (a) TH or Crisis Res Housing, which is a form of transitional ho low-barrier, using a congregate living setti the following supportive services in particu and unification, case management, emerge other supportive services whose purpose is into stable housing. (b) SSO, including, bu search and placement services, case manag (c) SSO-CE. (d) SSO - Host Home and Ki which a family agrees to permit a youth to Recognizing that the addition of another pe increase costs to the family, HUD will ente propose to house youth with families and t costs attributable to housing the youth. The community-based setting. The family coul and the length of stay may be time-limited

	YHDP funds may be used to subsidize the r family that are attributable to housing the y eligible costs would be additional food or tr which are eligible supportive services unde 24 CFR 578.53(e)(15). Recipients must kee determination by the recipient for HUD rev HMIS.