**2022 Supplemental CoC Program New Project Application Scoring Questions**

**NH-500 Balance of State CoC**

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Agency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Total Score: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Reviewer (s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

All new projects must meet HUD threshold requirements

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| 1. **Project proposes to serve an eligible population for the project type?** | Yes No |
| 1. **Project proposes to use eligible costs for the project type?** | Yes No |
| 1. **Project applicant and subrecipient(s) are eligible entities?** | Yes No |
| 1. **Match is greater than or equal to 30%?** | Yes No |
| 1. **Project agrees to participate in CoC Coordinated Entry System (CES), and Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) or other comparable system for DV providers?** | Yes No |
| 1. **Project agrees to use Housing First principles and be low barrier?** | Yes No |
| 1. **Recipient and subrecipient meet CoC Program Eligibility requirements?** | Yes No |

**If any of the above answers are NO, project does not meet threshold and is not eligible for funding consideration.**

**PROJECT TYPE**

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| 1. What type of project(s) is being applied for? | Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) OR Supportive Services Only (SSO)  10 points | Rapid Rehousing (RRH)  5 points | Transitional Housing-Rapid ReHousing  (TH-RRH)  1 point |

**EXPERIENCE**

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| 1. Does the applicant have experience in effectively utilizing HUD, State, or other Federal grants for the proposed activities? | Yes  8 points | No  0 points |
| 1. Does applicant describe basic organization and management structure to successfully implement the project? | Up to 9 points | No  0 points |
| *NOTE: DV Projects must also address how participant safety has been improved in the past* | |  |

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND BUDGET**

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| 1. Did the project application provide a clear description of the project type, scale, location, and supportive services to obtain or remain in permanent housing? | Up to 9 points |
| 11a. For Permanent Housing Projects - clearly described how participants will be assisted in obtaining and maintaining permanent housing? | Up to 9 Points |
| 11b. If SSO-(CE, street outreach or stand alone), does the application specifically describe linkages to permanent housing opportunities through in the SSO Project? | Up to 9 Points |
| 1. Project clearly describes specific plan to coordinate and integrate with other mainstream health, social services, and employment program for which program participants may be eligible? | Up to 9 points |
| 1. Is the proposed budget clear and realistic to carryout proposed activities? | Up to 9 points |

**CoC Participation (BoS Meetings)**

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| 1. Attendance of BoSCoC meetings in past year? | 6 meetings  5 points | 5 meetings  4 points | 4 meetings  3 points | 3 or less meetings  0 points |

**Rural Set Aside Projects ONLY**

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| 1. Does the project describe a plan to serve Structurally Disadvantaged Areas\*? | Yes  2 points | No  0 points |

**Unsheltered and Rural Set Aside Projects ONLY**

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| 1. Is there a clear plan to serve Individuals and Families Experiencing Homelessness with Severe Service Needs\*? | Yes  Up to 5 points | No  0 points |

**EQUITY FACTORS**

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| 1. Agency management and leadership positions include representation from any of the following groups: black, indigenous, people of color, people who identify as LGBTQIA+? | Yes  1 point | No  0 Points |
| 1. Board of Directors (or equivalent decision making entity) includes representation from any of the following groups: black, indigenous, people of color, people who identify as LGBTQIA+? | Yes  1 point | No  0 Points |
| 1. Board of Directors (or equivalent decision making entity) include representation from persons with lived experience? | Yes  1 point | No  0 Points |
| 1. Subrecipient Agency will commit to working with HMIS lead to develop a schedule for reviewing HMIS/ Comparable database data with disaggregation by race, ethnicity, gender identity, and/ or age within the next year. | Yes  1 point | No  0 Points |
| 1. Does your agency have process for receiving and incorporating feedback from persons with lived experience? | Yes  1 point | No  0 points |
| 1. Has your agency reviewed participant outcomes in your current projects with an equity lens? (including disaggreagation by race, ethnicity, gender identify, and/or age) | Yes  1 Point | No  0 points |

**PARTNERING WITH HEALTH CARE RESOURCES AND HOUSING RESOURCES**

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| 1. Project has a least one formal written agreement with a health care organization to provide services to participants?[[1]](#footnote-1) | 25% of units  5 points | Under 25% of units  2 points | No  0 points |
| 1. Project has at least one written document committing subsidy/units to the project that is not funded through COC or ESG programs?[[2]](#footnote-2) | 25% of units  5 points | Under 25% of units  2 points | No  0 points |

**Term Definitions**

**Structurally Disadvantaged Areas:**

Geographic areas that have high levels of homelessness, housing distress, or poverty, and are located in areas where CoC services  been unavailable.

**Severe Service Needs:**

Severe Service Needs means any combination of the following factors:

* Facing, significant challenges or functional impairments, including any physical, mental, developmental or behavioral health disabilities regardless of the type of disability, which require a significant level of support in order to maintain permanent housing (this factor focuses on the level of support needed and is not based on disability type);
* HHigh utilization of crisis or emergency services to meet basic needs, including but not limited to emergency rooms, jails, and psychiatric facilities;
* Currently living in an unsheltered situation or having a history of living in an unsheltered situation;
* Experiencing a vulnerability to illness or death;
* Having a risk of continued or repeated homelessness; and a vulnerability to victimization, including physical assault, trafficking or sex work.

1. *Access to treatment or recovery services for all program participants who qualify and choose services* ***OR*** *25% of funding being requested for the project will be covered by the healthcare organization. Must be direct contributions, provision of heath services to be tailored to program participants, and eligibility must comply with HUD program and Fair housing requirements.* [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. *PSH projects where at least 25 percent of units included in projects* ***OR*** *RRH projects 25 percent of the anticipated participants will be housed with funds other than CoC or ESG.* [↑](#footnote-ref-2)