



# **Multnomah Continuum of Care 2025 NOFO Competition Kickoff**

November 26, 2025

# Introductions

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# Agenda

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1. Overview of the 2025 HUD CoC NOFO
2. Renewal Project Funding
3. New Project Funding
4. Completing the Applications
5. Closing & Next Steps

# Tips & Reminders

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1. We'll cover a lot today – no need to memorize, but know where things are
2. Understand and listen for two parts of competition – national and local
3. We will share materials after, including a recording
4. Ask questions as they come up
5. Homebase and HSD are here to help

# Overview of the 2025 HUD CoC NOFO Competition

# Background

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U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has released a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)

- Funding competition among approximately 450 Continuums of Care (CoC)
- Released on November 13, 2025
- Due January 14, 2026

<https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/360861>

# 2025 HUD CoC Policy Priorities

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Ending the  
crisis of  
homelessness  
on our streets

Prioritize  
treatment and  
recovery

Advance  
public safety

Promote self-  
sufficiency

Improve  
outcomes

Minimize  
trauma



# Takeaways from Policy Shifts

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Competition is much more competitive

Permanent housing funding is limited. Most existing PSH and RRH projects will not be funded as is

HUD is prioritizing short-term and required services models

Moving away from Housing First model



# Funding Available

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Annual Renewal Demand:  
\$36,160,187

CoC Bonus:  
\$7,232,037

DV Bonus:  
\$1,376,656

Planning: \$1,500,000

# FY2025 Priority Listing Tiers

**Tier 1**  
(safe)

Equal to 30% of ARD  
**(\$10,848,056)**  
Likely to be fully  
funded

**Tier 2**  
(competitive)

Equal to 70% of ARD + CoC  
Bonus + DV Bonus amount  
**(\$33,920,823)**

Funded based on

- CoC app score
- List rank
- Service requirements

# 30% Cap on Permanent Housing

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- Our community can only request 30% of the ARD for permanent housing.
  - 30% of ARD = \$10,848,056
  - Permanent housing includes permanent supportive housing, rapid re-housing, and joint transitional housing and rapid re-housing
- With input from the CoC Board, CAC, and other community leadership, we will be prioritizing the following projects for permanent housing:
  - Renewal PSH with the highest performance outcomes,
  - Renewal PSH where the CoC funding is integral to the operation of a larger affordable housing project

# FY2025 Local Competition Changes

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## **Renewal project scoring tool:**

- Removed all qualitative measures
- Focused on quantitative performance (e.g., exits to permanent housing, grant spenddown, increase in client income)

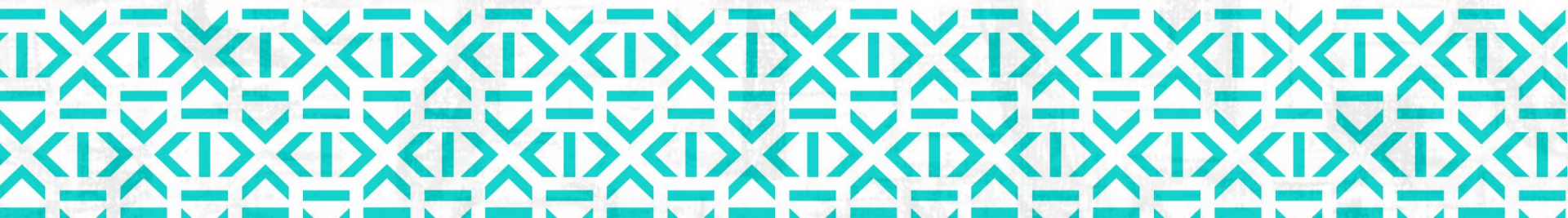
## **New project scoring tools:**

- Two new project types - transitional housing and street outreach
- Focus on HUD priorities to ensure our community can maximize funding from this federal source

## **Ranking process:**

- Ranking process mirrors NOFO requirements (i.e., permanent housing projects won't exceed 30% of funding on priority list)
- CE and HMIS projects may be auto-ranked at the bottom of Tier 1

# Renewal Project Funding



# Reallocate or Transition

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- Renewal PSH projects that will be asked to renew their funding were contacted yesterday.

All other permanent housing renewal projects may:

- Reallocate their grant
- Reallocate their grant and apply for a new project
- Apply for a transition grant

# Transition Grants

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Transition an eligible renewal project from one project type to another over 1 year

Starts the day after your renewal grants expires

Up to the full grant amount can be used to transition to new project type & rehouse current tenants

*\*As of now, we believe that grants with DV Bonus renewal funding are not eligible to use the transition grant process.\**



# Transition vs. Reallocation + New Project

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## Transition

- Gives you a 1 year period to transition the grant and exit your current clients
- Must keep or reduce grant amount
- Must keep operating dates
- Not currently available to DV renewal grants

## Reallocation + New Project

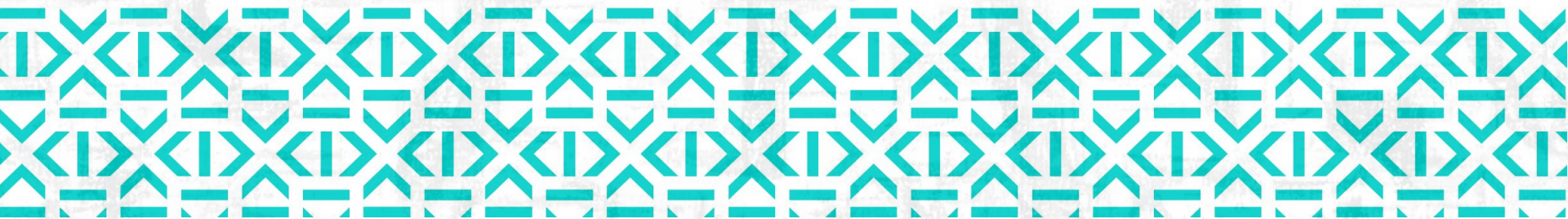
- Current program will end at the end of your operating period
- Clients will need to exit by end of the operating period
- Will need to close out the grant and start it back up (i.e., admin)
- Can adjust:
  - Grant amount
  - Operating dates (but HUD is unpredictable with awards)
- Potential funding gap (i.e., staffing issues)

# What happens to our current clients?

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- This NOFO will result in a historically large loss of CoC-funded permanent housing in our community.
- It's unclear if current PSH/RRH clients can move to TH under current program rules.
- The County is working with other local leaders to try to minimize the impact of this shift on current clients.
  - This is especially difficult in context of our local revenue reductions.
- Right now, we are focused on maximizing the beds and funding we can secure through the CoC competition, which has a very tight timeline.
- Our work will continue after the competition to find solutions for our clients.

# New Project Funding



# 2025 CoC NOFO Overview

## Population Served

- CoC Program grants can only serve those experiencing homelessness according to HUD's definition (p. 20 of NOFO):
  - Category 1 – Unsheltered, emergency shelter, transitional housing, hotel/motel paid for by charitable organization; or
  - Category 2 – Will lose housing in 14 days; or
  - Category 4 – Fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence
- Permanent and transitional housing projects must utilize Coordinated Entry to accept referrals (p. 18 of NOFO)
- All projects\* must enter data into the CoC's Homeless Management Information System database and follow all local policies (p. 53 of NOFO)

mebase \* Victim Service Providers must use comparable database



# Eligible **New** Project Types

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Permanent Supportive Housing

Rapid Re-Housing

Joint Transitional Housing and Rapid Re-Housing

Transitional Housing

Supportive Services Only – Street Outreach

Supportive Services Only – Coordinated Entry

Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)

# Transitional Housing

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- Time-limited housing intervention (1 to 24 months)
- Can be site-based or transition-in-place (scattered site)
- Eligible costs:
  - Acquisition, rehabilitation, and new construction
  - Leasing
  - Rental assistance
  - Operating costs
  - Supportive services

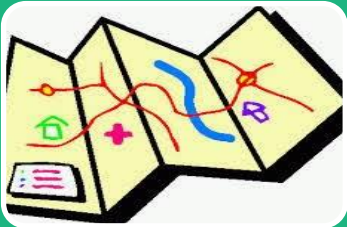
# All Housing Projects Must Offer:

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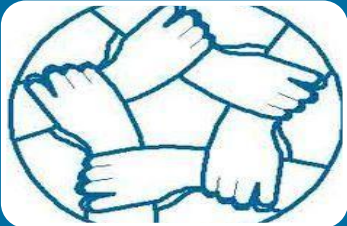
## Housing Assistance

- Subsidy
- Physical unit



## Case Management

- A person or team to help the client identify needs, identify goals, connect with resources to meet those needs & goals



## Other Services & Resources

- Medical & behavioral health care; employment training; transportation; childcare; parenting classes; education; life skills; credit repair; food; etc.



# HUD Threshold Factors - TH

**\*Need to score 7 out of 10 points to be eligible for funding**

Criteria	Points
Demonstrate that the project will provide and/or partner with other organizations to provide eligible supportive services that are necessary to assist program participants to obtain and maintain housing.	2
The applicant has prior experience operating transitional housing or other projects that have successfully helped homeless individuals and families exit homelessness within 24 months.	1
The applicant has previously operated or currently operates transitional housing or another homelessness project, or has a plan in place to ensure, that at least 50 percent of participants exit to permanent housing within 24 months and at least 50 percent of participants exit with employment income as reflected in HMIS or another data system used by the applicant.	1
The project will be supplemented with resources from other public or private sources, that may include mainstream health, social, and employment programs such as Medicare, Medicaid, SSI, and SNAP.	1

# HUD Threshold Factors - TH

**\*Need to score 7 out of 10 points to be eligible for funding**

Criteria	Points
Demonstrate that the proposed project will require program participants to take part in supportive services (e.g. case management, employment training, substance use treatment, etc) in line with 24 CFR 578.75(h) by attaching a supportive service agreement (contract, occupancy agreement, lease, or equivalent).	2
<p>Demonstrate that the proposed project will provide 40 hours per week of customized services for each participant (e.g. case management, employment training, substance use treatment, etc.).</p> <p>The 40 hours per week may be reduced proportionately for participants who are employed.</p> <p>The 40 hours per week does not apply to participants over age 62 or who have a physical disability/impairment or a developmental disability (24 CFR 582.5) not including substance use disorder.</p>	2
Demonstrate the average cost per household served for the project is reasonable, consistent with 2 CFR 200.404.	1

# Street Outreach

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**Goal:** Engage people experiencing unsheltered homelessness and support them in resolving their housing crisis as quickly as possible.

Could connect people experiencing unsheltered homelessness to:

- Address immediate needs,
- Assess for behavioral health and primary health concerns, and
- Housing and other solutions like
  - Family reconnection,
  - Connections to benefits or workforce development to increase incomes to self-resolve homelessness, or
  - Short-term targeted assistance like deposits.
- Legal assistance to help resolve barriers to housing

# HUD Threshold Factors - SO

**\*Need to score 5 out of 6 points to be eligible for funding**

Criteria	Points
The project will be supplemented with resources from other public or private sources, that may include mainstream health, social, and employment programs such as Medicare, Medicaid, SSI, and SNAP.	1
The proposed project has a strategy for providing supportive services to eligible program participants including those with histories of unsheltered homelessness and those who do not traditionally engage with supportive services.	2
Demonstrate that the applicant has a history of partnering with first responders and law enforcement to engage people living in places not meant for human habitation to access emergency shelter, treatment programs, reunification with family, transitional housing or independent living. The applicant must cooperate, assist, and not interfere or impede with law enforcement to enforce local laws such as public camping and public drug use laws.	1

# HUD Threshold Factors - SO

**\*Need to score 5 out of 6 points to be eligible for funding**

Criteria	Points
The applicant has experience providing outreach services consistent with the activity description at 24 CFR 578.53(e)(13) and has demonstrated effectiveness at helping people successfully exit from places not meant for human habitation to emergency shelter, treatment programs, transitional housing or permanent housing programs.	1
The services provided are cost-effective consistent with 2 CFR 200.404.	1

# Spotlight: Service Participation NOFO Requirements

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- 25% of a new project's total score comes from performance on returns to homelessness, employment, income, and **service participation requirements**.
- One of the threshold requirements for new projects (2 points): Demonstrate that the **proposed project will provide 40 hours per week of customized services for each participant** (e.g. case management, employment training, substance use treatment, etc.).
  - The 40 hours per week may be reduced proportionately for participants who are employed.
  - The 40 hours per week does not apply to participants over age 62 or who have a physical disability/impairment or a developmental disability (24 CFR 582.5) not including substance use disorder.

# Spotlight: Customized Services

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- In addition to 1:1 case management, service participation could cover various categories:
  - **Skill Development:** Teaching practical skills like couponing, budgeting, cooking and job readiness to help individuals live more independently.
  - **Social Skills Development:** Helping participants improve their ability to interact with others, make friends and build relationships.
  - **Supportive Counseling:** Providing emotional support and guidance to help individuals cope with their mental health challenges.
  - **Goal Setting:** Assisting participants in setting and achieving personal goals related to their recovery and daily living.
  - **Community Integration:** Encouraging participation in community activities and resources to foster a sense of belonging and support.
  - **Group Activities:** Offering group sessions for social interaction, shared experiences and peer support



# Funding Options for New Project Types

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## CoC Bonus

Transitional  
Housing

Street  
Outreach

## DV Bonus

Transitional  
Housing

# Q&A and Discussion

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1. What questions do you have about these new requirements?
2. How has your organization been thinking about these changes?

# Completing the Applications

# Two-Part Funding Competition Process

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## Part 1: Local Competition

1. CoC creates a local scoring process
2. Agencies submit **local applications** for new and renewal projects
3. Local applications are “reviewed & ranked” by a panel, creating a Priority Listing

## Part 2: National Competition

1. Applicants submit HUD **e-snaps applications**
2. CoC submits Priority Listing to HUD
3. HUD decides what to fund, honoring Priority Listing order

# Before You Apply!

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- Be a non-profit or local government
- Have an active SAM.gov registration
- Have a SAM.gov Unique Entity Identifier
- Have an Applicant Profile for your organization in e-snaps
- Have a compliant Code of Conduct
- Get Match commitment(s)

# Understand Grant Compliance Requirements

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Written policies & procedures

Participant eligibility

Fiscal controls & accounting procedures

Match contribution & expenditure documentation

Environmental review

Housing Quality Standards inspections

Rent limits (FMR and Rent Reasonableness)

Program performance

# Local Process Overview

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Scoring and Selection of  
Projects by CAC

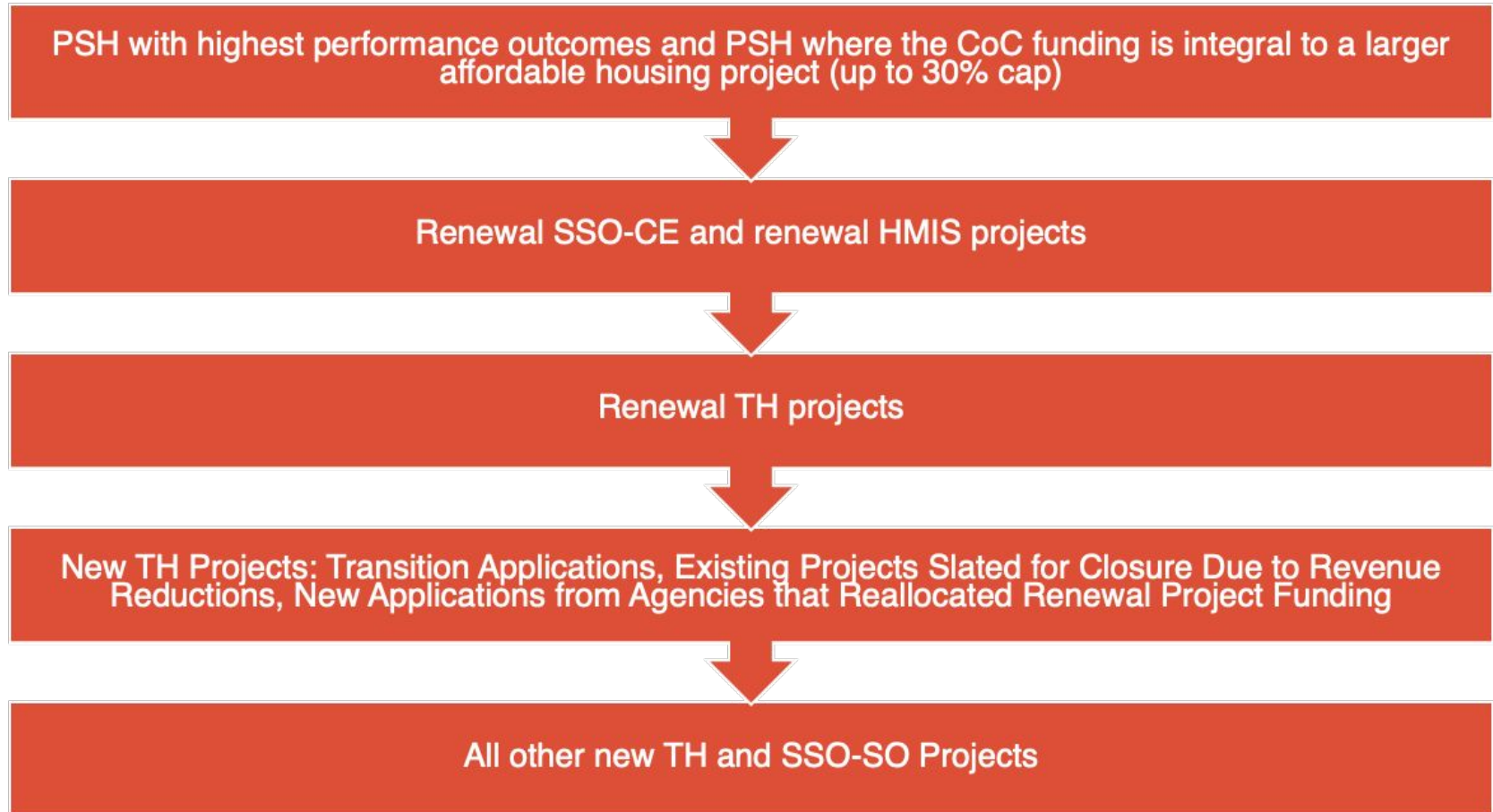


Submission of e-snaps  
applications to HUD



# Priority Listing Policy

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# Local Scoring Factors for New Projects

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- HUD Threshold Factors for transitional housing or street outreach
  - Including 40 Hours of Services Available\*
- Program Design
- Expected Outcomes
- Services Participation Requirement
- On-site substance use treatment\*
- Healthcare or Non-CoC Leverage\*
- Budget

*\*TH only*

# Spotlight: Match Requirements

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- Federal regulation requires that all eligible funding costs, except leasing, be matched with no less than 25% cash or in-kind match.
- Multnomah County's Homeless Services Department (HSD) intends to provide the required match for projects awarded by HUD through the 2025 CoC NOFO as long as the organization has qualified through a Multnomah County or Tri County Procurement event in the categories of Outreach & Engagement, Shelter & Transitional Housing, Connections to Stable Housing or Supportive Housing Stabilization services.
- HSD will also explore opportunities to provide match for organizations awarded by HUD that are not currently qualified through a Multnomah County or Tri County Procurement in the future, but cannot commit to that at this time.
- Organizations that are not qualified through a Multnomah County or Tri County Procurement at time of application to HUD will be required to demonstrate match that adds up to at least 25% of the federal funding requested.

# Spotlight: Housing Partnerships

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HUD is encouraging projects to partner with housing agencies.

- At least 25 percent of the units (PSH) or participants (RRH) supported with non-CoC funded housing (documentation of commitment is required)

The HSD will support the applicant to meet this preference so long as the organization is a qualified provider through any of the Tri-County RFPQs in the eligible categories.

# Spotlight: Health Partnerships

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HUD is encouraging projects to partner with health agencies

- Required: a written commitment from a health care organization to:
  - Provide **direct contributions** from a public or private health insurance provider to the project; OR
  - Provide **health care services** (equal to 25% of the funding being requested by the project) by a private or public organization **tailored to the program participants** of the project (if the services are from a substance abuse treatment or recovery provider, the project must provide access to treatment or recovery services for all program participants who qualify and choose those services).

# Spotlight: Health Partnerships

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**The HSD *strongly* encourages new project applicants to pursue health partnerships.**

Examples of services include:

- Behavioral health
- General medical care
- Substance use treatment
- HIV care
- Occupational therapy

Remember:

- There needs to be a *direct link to the program participants* for it to count towards the 25%
- Services must be *tailored to the project participants*

# Spotlight: On-Site Substance Use Treatment

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Project must commit to having substance use treatment available on-site and/or availability of 24/7 detox services.

By the end of December, the project must have written evidence of this commitment outlined in program policies, agreements, letters of commitment, etc.



# Local Pre-Application Resources

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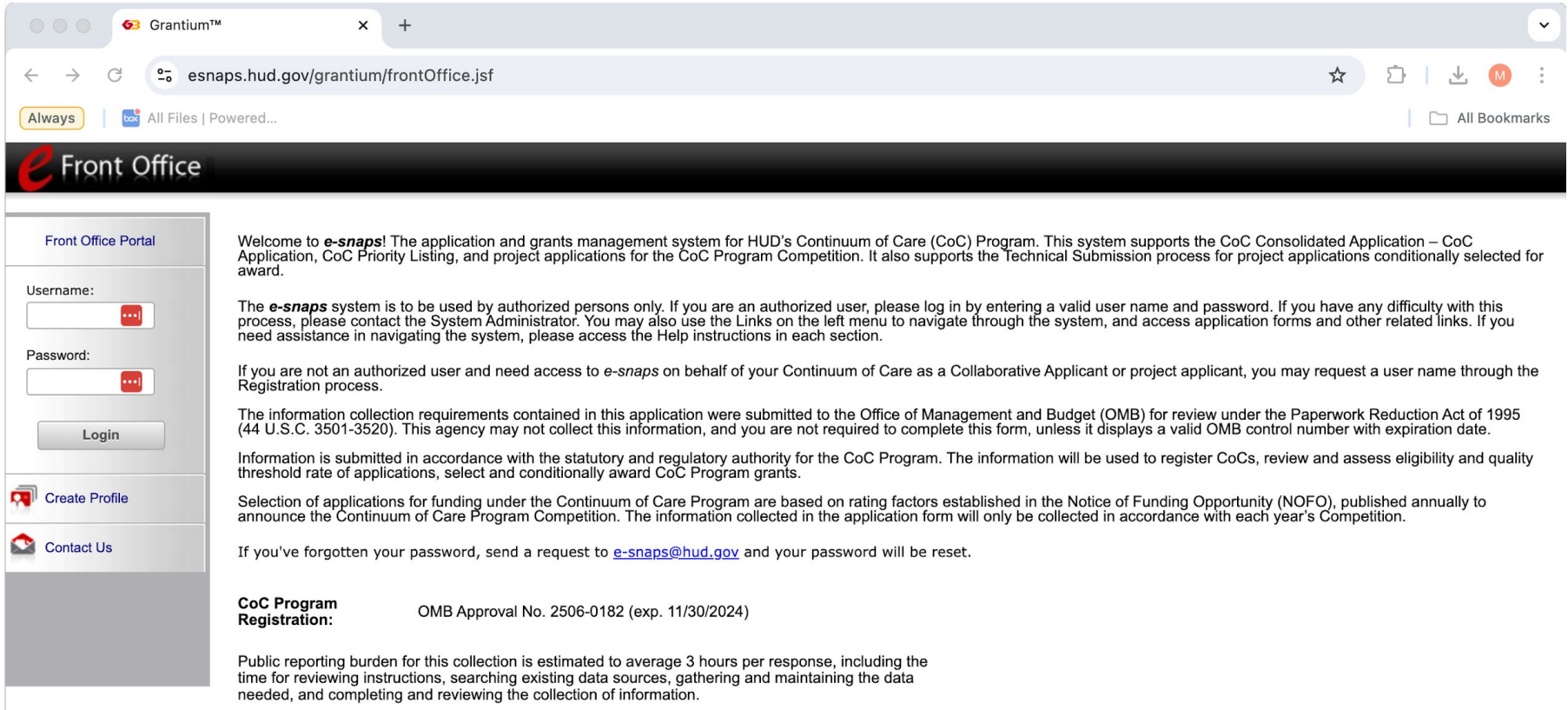
## Start here:

- Local CoC Program Competition NOFO webpage:
  - <https://hsd.multco.us/continuum-of-care/competition-resources/>

## Pre-Application for all new projects:

- 2025 CoC Bonus Reallocation Project Pre-Application and 2025 DV Bonus Pre-Application
  - <https://hsd.multco.us/continuum-of-care/new-projects/>

# Submission of e-snaps applications to HUD



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Welcome to **e-snaps**! The application and grants management system for HUD's Continuum of Care (CoC) Program. This system supports the CoC Consolidated Application – CoC Application, CoC Priority Listing, and project applications for the CoC Program Competition. It also supports the Technical Submission process for project applications conditionally selected for award.

The **e-snaps** system is to be used by authorized persons only. If you are an authorized user, please log in by entering a valid user name and password. If you have any difficulty with this process, please contact the System Administrator. You may also use the Links on the left menu to navigate through the system, and access application forms and other related links. If you need assistance in navigating the system, please access the Help instructions in each section.

If you are not an authorized user and need access to **e-snaps** on behalf of your Continuum of Care as a Collaborative Applicant or project applicant, you may request a user name through the Registration process.

The information collection requirements contained in this application were submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520). This agency may not collect this information, and you are not required to complete this form, unless it displays a valid OMB control number with expiration date.

Information is submitted in accordance with the statutory and regulatory authority for the CoC Program. The information will be used to register CoCs, review and assess eligibility and quality threshold rate of applications, select and conditionally award CoC Program grants.

Selection of applications for funding under the Continuum of Care Program are based on rating factors established in the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO), published annually to announce the Continuum of Care Program Competition. The information collected in the application form will only be collected in accordance with each year's Competition.

If you've forgotten your password, send a request to [e-snaps@hud.gov](mailto:e-snaps@hud.gov) and your password will be reset.

**CoC Program Registration:** OMB Approval No. 2506-0182 (exp. 11/30/2024)

Public reporting burden for this collection is estimated to average 3 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

# e-snaps Application Resources

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## Start here:

- [HUD CoC New Project Guidance](#) (shortcuts to resources, and tips/tricks)
- Homebase's [2025 CoC NOFO TA Handbook](#)
- e-snaps 101 toolkit:
  - <https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/6170/esnaps-101-toolkit/>

## Have open as you complete your e-snaps application

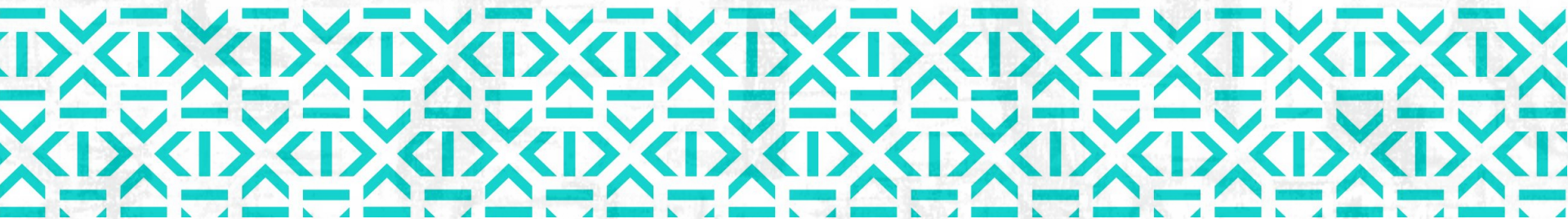
- [HUD's New Project Application Detailed Instructions](#) (how to answer HUD's questions)
- HUD's New Project Application Navigational Guide (e-snaps step-by-step guide) *[not yet posted]*

# Q&A and Discussion

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1. What questions do you have about the applications?
2. How is your organization planning to meet these deadlines?

# Closing & Next Steps



# Next Steps

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## Immediate Next Steps:

- Look out for a follow up email with materials.
- Reach out to [multnomahnofo@homebaseccc.org](mailto:multnomahnofo@homebaseccc.org) with questions

# Next Steps

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## Upcoming Dates:

- Project Office Hours via Zoom
  - December 1 from 11 AM - 12 PM
  - December 4 from 2 - 3 PM
  - December 9 from 10 - 11 AM
  - December 11 from 11 AM - 12 PM
- New Project Letters of Intent Due – December 3, 2025
- Project Applications Due – December 12, 2025 (11:59 PM)



# Letter of Intent Instructions

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- [Letter of Intent for Providers Who are Current Recipients of CoC Funding](#)
- [Letter of Intent for Providers Who are NOT Current Recipients of CoC Funding](#)

*It is okay if information changes between LOI submission and submission of new project application(s) (due 12/12/25). The information you provide will help Multnomah County's Homeless Services Department and Homebase (a nonprofit providing CoC NOFO Technical Assistance) prepare for next steps.*

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# Application Process

# CAC Scoring Criteria

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Address housing and service needs of the CoC identified priority populations

Achieve racially equitable outcomes

Provide culturally-responsive and/or culturally-specific services

Help the community achieve positive system performance measures

Align housing with other systems and leverage community resources (i.e., healthcare)

Demonstrate previous experience and success in carrying out similar housing programs and as a grantee

Seek renewable activities with a one-year grant term

# FY 2025 Priority Listing Tiers

## Tier 1

(relatively safe)

- Up to **\$30,354,640** (90% of ARD)
- Likely to be fully funded

## Tier 2

(more competitive)

- The remaining competitive funding
- Funded based on
  1. CoC App
  2. Rank on list
  3. **Housing First**

# Project Selection: “DV Bonus”

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The CoC will score & rank DV Bonus applications



HUD reviews DV Bonus projects nationally & funds based on HUD points




Projects not funded through DV Bonus remain on the CoC's list



HUD selects projects based on Tier 1 and Tier 2 criteria

# Project Design Considerations

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- What project type fits your org?
  - Who will you serve?
  - ALL referrals will come from Coordinated Entry
  - Required HMIS data entry
  - Annual competitive renewal based on performance
  - Federal grant compliance
  - 25% Match requirement (except Leasing grant funds)

# CoC Application Points Matter!

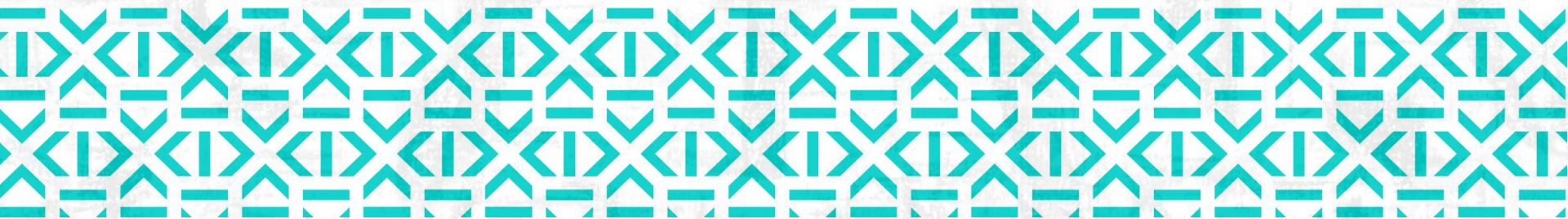
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4 out 130 points for submitting:

- At least one new TH, PSH or RRH project that that utilizes housing and healthcare resources not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs.
- Letters of commitment or contracts must be attached
- Note: Commitment must reach a threshold amount for full points (i.e., 25% of units/funding)



# New Project Funding



# Funding Available: New Projects

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## People Experiencing Homelessness Under HUD Definition

- CoC Bonus
  - \$422,731
- Reallocation
  - \$???

## People Fleeing DV Under HUD Definition

- DV Bonus
  - \$50,000
  - May increase

# What can I do with this money?

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Serve those who meet HUD's definition of "homeless"

Specialize in a subpopulation, (within limits of Fair Housing)

Provide housing through master leasing or rental assistance

Pay for staff (case managers, supervisors, some admin funds)

Pay for supportive services

# Housing Projects Components:

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## Housing Assistance

- Subsidy
- Physical unit

## Case Management

- A person or team to help the client identify needs, identify goals, connect with resources to meet those needs & goals

## Other Services & Resources

- Medical & behavioral health care; employment training; transportation; childcare; parenting classes; education; life skills; credit repair; food; etc.

## **NEW** Service Participation Requirements

- Requirements in lease or occupancy agreements mandating participants take part in supportive services

# Supportive Services Only Components

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## Access to Services

- Connections to services, such as case management, housing navigation, health services, basic needs, etc.
- Can be a street outreach focus
- **No housing assistance**

## Focus on Unsheltered

- Strategy for engaging people experiencing unsheltered homelessness

## Connections to Shelter and Housing

- Effective at helping people exit to shelter, treatment, transitional housing, or permanent housing programs

## Partnerships

- For street outreach only, preferred partnership with law enforcement to engage individuals experiencing homelessness

# Participant Eligibility Criteria for Reallocation & CoC Bonus

<b>Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Category 1, 2, or 4 under HUD's "homeless" definition OR</li><li>• DedicatedPLUS</li></ul>
<b>Rapid Re-Housing (RRH)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Category 1, 2, or 4 under HUD's "homeless" definition</li></ul>
<b>Transitional Housing (TH)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Category 1, 2, or 4 under HUD's "homeless" definition</li></ul>
<b>Supportive Services Only (SSO)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Category 1, 2, or 4 under HUD's "homeless" definition</li></ul>

# Project Selection: DV Bonus

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The CoC will score & rank DV Bonus applications



HUD selects projects based on Tier 1 and Tier 2 criteria, which may include DV Bonus projects



If funding for DV Bonus projects remains...



HUD reviews DV Bonus projects nationally & funds additional projects based on HUD points

# Eligible Project Types: DV Bonus

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People fleeing domestic violence, human trafficking, sexual assault, or stalking (HUD Category 4):

**Rapid Re-Housing (RRH)-  
Part of the 30% PH cap**

**Transitional Housing (TH)**

**Coordinated Entry (SSO-CE)**



# Understand Grant Compliance Requirements

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Coordinated Entry

Use of Homeless  
Management  
Information  
System (HMIS)

FMR and other  
funding limits

Heavy  
Recordkeeping &  
Documentation  
Requirements

25% Match

# Transitional Housing Components:

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Transitional Housing should specifically plan for....

## Connections to Housing and Income

- Plan for at least 50% of participants to exit to permanent housing within 24 months
  - 20% to unsubsidized housing
- Plan for at least 25% of participants to exit with employment income

## Services Thresholds Per Participant

- Provide 40+ hours per week of customized services per participant (may be through a partner)
- 40 hours may be reduced proportionately for employed participants
- 40 hours does not apply to participants aged 62+ and/or those with a disability

# What Can't I do with This Funding?

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Emergency  
Shelter

New Joint  
TH-RRH

Homelessness  
Prevention

# Estimated Funding Available

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Annual Renewal Demand  
(ARD): \$2,113,655

CoC Bonus:  
\$422,731

DV Bonus:  
\$50,000

Planning: \$105,683

# FY2025 CoC NOFO Changes

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- **Tier 1 funding is smaller** (30% of ARD in 2025 vs. 90% in 2024)
- **CoC Bonus amounts are higher** for new projects (20% of Final Pro Rata Need vs. 12% in 2024)
- **New cap on Permanent Housing.** No more than 30% of a CoC's ARD can fund PH projects, including PSH, RRH and Joint TH-RRH
- **New eligible project types:** Transitional Housing (TH), Supportive Services Only (SSO) – Standalone, and Supportive Services Only (SSO) – Street Outreach
- Projects with **service participation requirements** will be scored higher in Tier 2
- All projects must **not** conduct activities that facilitate racial preferences, use a definition of sex other than as binary in human, or operate certain programming under “harm reduction”

# NOFO Threshold Criteria

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- Street Outreach project applications must receive at least **5 out of the 6 points** available for this project type. Projects that do not receive at least 5 points will be rejected.
  - 1 point: The project will be supplemented with resources from other public or private sources, that may include mainstream health, social, and employment programs such as Medicare, Medicaid, SSI, and SNAP.
  - 2 points: The proposed project has a strategy for providing supportive services to eligible program participants including those with histories of unsheltered homelessness and those who do not traditionally engage with supportive services.
  - 1 point: Demonstrate that the applicant has a history of partnering with first responders and law enforcement to engage people living in places not meant for human habitation to access emergency shelter, treatment programs, reunification with family, transitional housing or independent living. The applicant must cooperate, assist, and not interfere or impede with law enforcement to enforce local laws such as public camping and public drug use laws.

# NOFO Threshold Criteria

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- Street Outreach project applications must receive at least **5 out of the 6 points** available for this project type. Projects that do not receive at least 5 points will be rejected.
  - 1 point: The applicant has experience providing outreach services consistent with the activity description at 24 CFR 578.53(e)(13) and has demonstrated effectiveness at helping people successfully exit from places not meant for human habitation to emergency shelter, treatment programs, transitional housing or permanent housing programs.
  - 1 point: The services provided are cost-effective consistent with 2 CFR 200.404.

# Housing Project Types - Renewals

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## Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)

- **Long-term** housing subsidy & case management
- Client has a lease

## Rapid Rehousing (RRH)

- **Time-limited** housing subsidy & case management
- Client has a lease



# Other Project Types - Renewals

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## Coordinated Entry (CE)

- Program to develop or operate coordinated entry system

## HMIS (only for HMIS lead)

- Costs to carry out activities of Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) lead

# Project Types - New

## Transitional Housing (TH)

- **Temporary housing** that provides residential stability and supportive services (no more than 24 months)
- Goal is to move participants to permanent housing

## Supportive Services Only (SSO) - Street Outreach

- Programs that provide supportive services but **do not operate housing** or provide rental assistance
- May include street outreach, case management, etc.

# Overview - Transition Grants

- A Transition grant is an application to fund a new CoC project through the reallocation **process to transition an eligible CoC renewal project from one program component to another eligible component over a 1-year period.**
  - After the first operating year for which FY 2025 funds are awarded, the transition grant must be fully operating under the new component.
- The project's operating start date will be the day after the end of the previous grant term for the expiring component, i.e., the transition grant will have the same operating year as the expiring component project.
- The new project application must meet project eligibility and project quality thresholds established by HUD
- Grants with DV Renewal funding are not eligible to use the transition grant process.\*

# Eligible Project Types

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Permanent Supportive Housing

Rapid Re-Housing

Joint Transitional Housing and Rapid Re-Housing

Transitional Housing

Supportive Services Only – Street Outreach

Supportive Services Only – Coordinated Entry

Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)

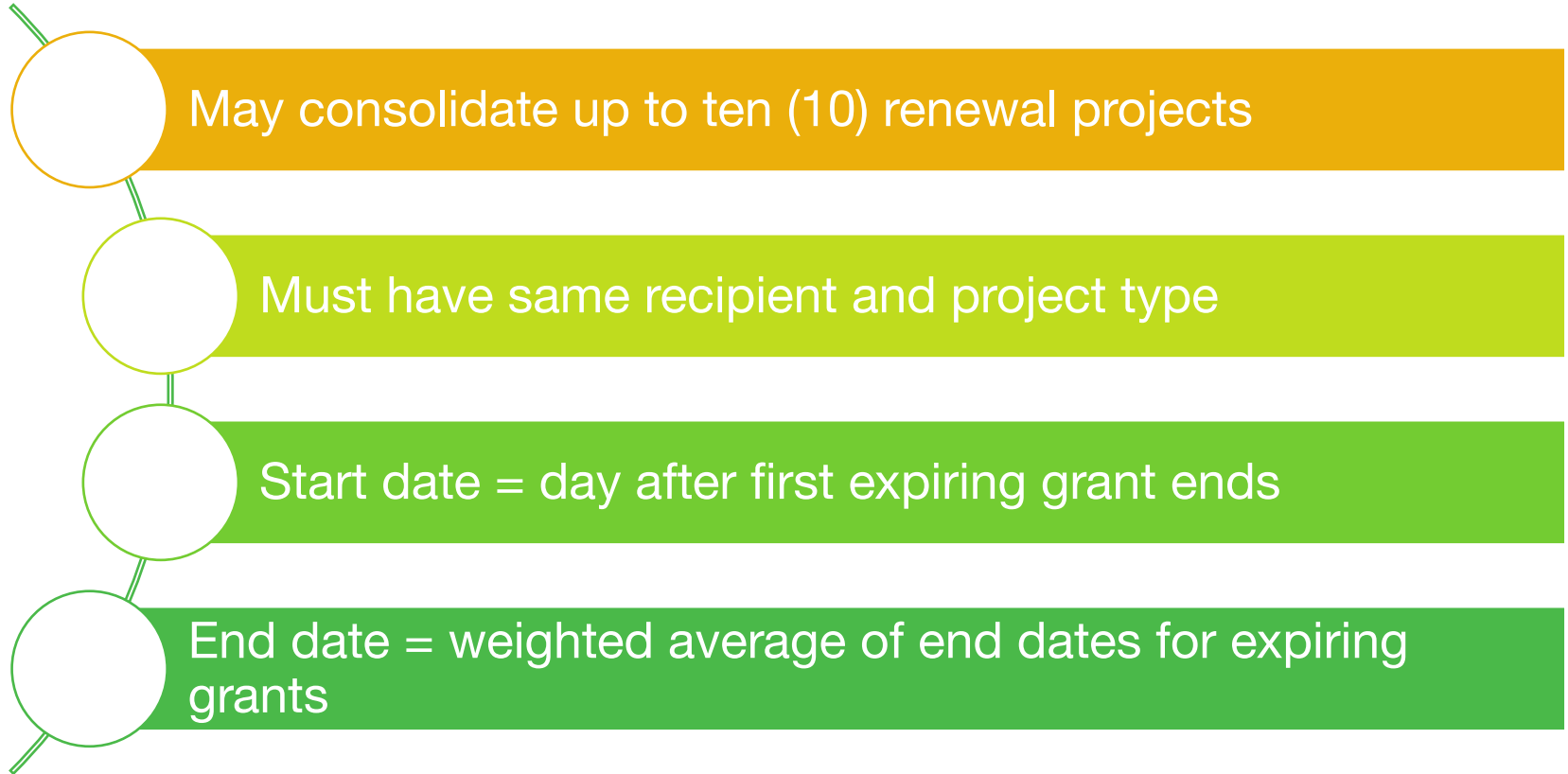
# High Performing Renewal Projects

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- Meet HUD's Thresholds (new and old)
- Capacity
- HMIS & CE Compliance
- CoC Participation
- Unexpended Funds
- System Performance Outcomes
  - Housing Destination>Returns to Homelessness
  - Housing Retention
  - Income
  - Benefits
- Service Participation Requirements
- Utilization Rate

# Consolidations

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# Expansion Grants

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Can use a new project application to expand an existing project by:

- Adding new units or persons served AND/OR
- Expanding services for existing participants

If expanding a CoC-funded project:

- Submit one (1) renewal project application and one (1) new project application
- Expansion will not be funded unless the renewal is

# Collaborative Application

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