

MDHI NOFO Grantee Meeting July 26th, 2023

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Please post your questions in the chat or Q&A section. We'll answer as many as we can today and will post others in an FAQ at mdhi.org.

Agenda

WELCOME

NOFO OVERVIEW

SCORING TOOL

TIMELINE

Q & A

CLOSING REMARKS

MDHI Role

Collaborative Applicant

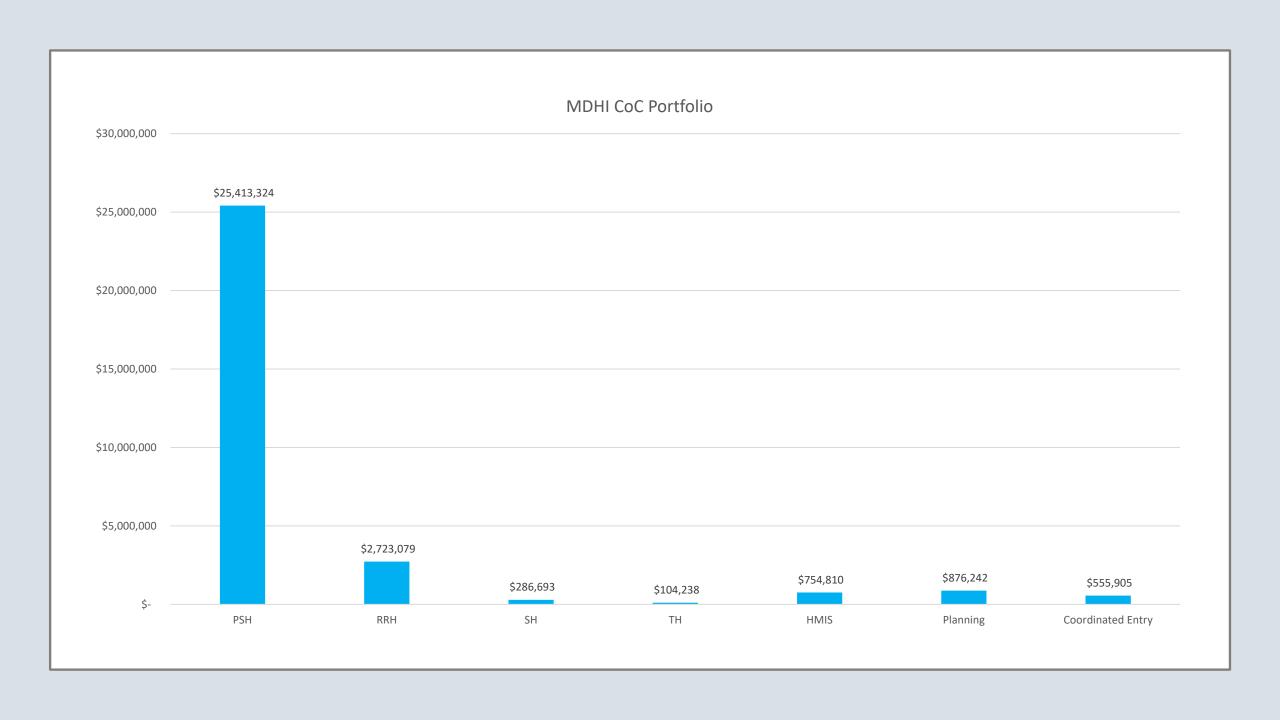
CoC Consolidated
Application

Project Ranking
(Renewal, New, DV
Bonus)

MDHI Applications (Planning, HMIS, CE)

Currently Funded Agencies

Aurora Mental Health Center **Boulder County Housing Authority Boulder Housing Partners** City and County of Denver – Department of Housing Stability Colorado Coalition for the Homeless Del Norte Neighborhood Development Corporation **Division of Housing** Family Tree Second Chance Center St. Francis Center Volunteers of America Colorado Branch



Overview

- **❖** FY2023 CoC Allocations
 - ❖ Tier I is equal to 93% of combined ARD amounts (Annual Renewal Demand) -\$27,749,386
 - ❖ Tier II is the difference between Tier I and the max amount a CoC can apply - \$2,088,663
 - **❖** DV Bonus \$1,373,705
 - **♦** CoC Planning \$1,491,902
- ❖ Project applications must be submitted to the CoC and all projects must be rated and ranked on the CoC Priority Listing.
- ❖ The deadline is September 28th with project applications due August 28th

Getting Started



Read the full HUD NOFO



Utilize the HUD guidance provided to complete the application AND the guidance to navigate e-snaps.

Getting Started

HUD will review each program application and even if the CoC recommends a program for funding, HUD may reject it. Please ensure the following:

- 1. all proposed program participants will be eligible for the program component type selected,
- 2. the information provided in the project application and proposed activities are eligible and consistent with program requirements in the Rule;
- 3. each project narrative is fully responsive to the question being asked and that it meets all the criteria for that question as required by this NOFO;
- 4. the data provided in various parts of the project application are consistent; and
- 5. all required attachments correspond to the list of attachments in e-snaps that must contain accurate and complete information that are dated between May 1, 2023 and September 28, 2023.

Key Updates for Scoring (Renewals)

- Scores will be derived from APRs submitted to SAGE
- Method used in the calculations for score will be the same as last year (Dynamic Scoring)
 - Dynamic Scoring Multiplies percentage received on each metric by available points
 - Ex. If you scored 64% on increased total income you will receive 6.4 out of the 10 points available
- Scoring Element Changes
 - Housing First will be removed as a scoring element and is now a threshold requirement.
 - Adding a new scoring element around racial equity (follow up to racial equity assessments submitted in FY21)
 - If APR is not submitted to HUD by the due date or if APR is in rejection status and feedback has not been provided back to HUD within 30 days, there will be a 5-point reduction of total score.
- Process Changes
 - Only HMIS and CE grants will be considered essential. All other projects will be ranked according to their score.
 - First time renewals or projects that have not yet submitted data to HUD will be ranked between the higher and lower scoring projects using 20% threshold.

Scoring Tool (Renewal)

Metric	Score	Earned	Possible
Housing Retention Results			
% of Project Leavers Exiting to Homelessness			
Housing Utilization Results			
% of Adults who Increased Income			
% of Adults who Increased non-earned Income			
% of Adults who Retained or Acquired Non-Cash Benefits			
Data Quality Score			
Data Timeliness			
OneHome Participation			
Racial Equity			
Grant Expenditures			

Housing Retention Results

Anyone who has exited the program to a permanent or temporary destination, or are still enrolled in the program

Percent Project Leavers Exiting to Homelessness

Who was enrolled in the program and is exiting into homelessness

Housing Utilization Results

Number of beds available in the program and how many are used on an average basis

Percentage of Adults who Increased Income

Comparison of people who have increased overall income from project start date to assessment/exit

Percentage of Adults who Increased non-earned Income

Comparison of people who have increased overall non-Earned Income from project start date to assessment/exit

Percentage of Adults who Retained or Acquired Non-Cash Benefits

Comparison of people who have gained non-cash benefits since project start date

Data Quality Score

Completion of HUD-required fields in HMIS

Data Timeliness

Percentages of Entries/Exits Entered within 0-10 Days

OneHome Participation

Percentage of newly enrolled with a OneHome connected referral

Grant Expenditures

Percentage of grant funds spent

Racial Equity

Follow up questions from racial equity assessment submitted in FY21

New Project Applications

CoCs may submit new projects created through reallocation, CoC Bonus, or a combination of both

Eligible Project Types

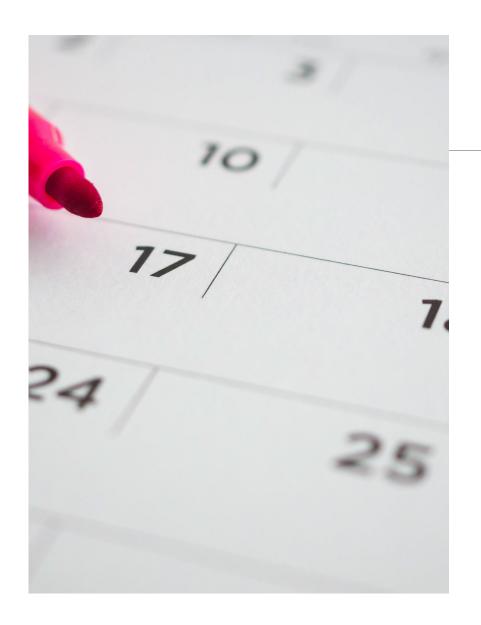
- ➤ Permanent Housing
 - Permanent Supportive Housing (PH-PSH)
 - Permanent Housing Rapid Re-housing (PH-RRH)
- ➤ Joint TH and PH-RRH



New Project Scoring

The Committee will be looking at 4 key metrics

- Experience working with proposed population
- Design of Housing & Supportive Services
- Timeliness
- Financial



Important Dates

- August 1st: Letters of Intent Due
- OAugust 28th by 2pm: Project applications submitted in esnaps
- OSeptember 13th: CoC notifies project applicants about whether their application will be accepted and ranked, rejected, or reduced
- OSeptember 18th: CoC posts online all parts of the Annual Program NOFO Consolidated Application for public viewing
- OSeptember 28th: Submission Deadline

Resources

- <u>CoC Program Competition | HUD.gov / U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)</u>
- e-snaps : CoC Program Applications and Grants Management System HUD Exchange
- All recordings, links, to-dos, etc. For MDHI can be found on our webpage here: https://www.mdhi.org/blog/annual-coc-notice-of-funding-opportunity-nofo-for-the-fiscal-year-fy-2023-released
 - No need to surf the web! Just head to our Updates page!

Email questions to:

<u>CocNOFO@hud.gov</u> - questions regarding the FY 2023 CoC Program Competition process; or

- <u>e-snaps@hud.gov</u> questions related to *e-snaps* functionality (e.g., password lockout, access to user's application account, updating Applicant Profile)
- NOFA@mdhi.org



Thank you!