Before Starting the CoC Application

The CoC Consolidated Application consists of three parts, the CoC Application, the CoC Priority Listing, and all the CoC's project applications that were either approved and ranked, or rejected. All three must be submitted for the CoC Consolidated Application to be considered complete.

 The Collaborative Applicant is responsible for reviewing the following:

 1. The FY 2019 CoC Program Competition Notice of Funding Available (NOFA) for specific application and program requirements.
 2. The FY 2019 CoC Application Detailed Instructions which provide additional information and guidance for completing the application.
 3. All information provided to ensure it is correct and current.
 4. Responses provided by project applicants in their Project Applications.
 5. The application to ensure all documentation, including attachment are provided.
 6. Questions marked with an asterisk (*), which are mandatory and require a response.

1A. Continuum of Care (CoC) Identification

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1A-1. CoC Name and Number: CA-501 - San Francisco CoC

1A-2. Collaborative Applicant Name: City and County of San Francisco

1A-3. CoC Designation: CA

1A-4. HMIS Lead: City and County of San Francisco

1B. Continuum of Care (CoC) Engagement

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1B-1. CoC Meeting Participants.

 For the period of May 1, 2018 to April 30, 2019, applicants must indicate whether the Organization/Person listed:
 1. participated in CoC meetings;
 2. voted, including selecting CoC Board members; and
 3. participated in the CoC's coordinated entry system.

Organization/Person	Participates in CoC Meetings	Votes, including selecting CoC Board Members	Participates in Coordinated Entry System
Local Government Staff/Officials			
CDBG/HOME/ESG Entitlement Jurisdiction			
Law Enforcement			
Local Jail(s)			
Hospital(s)			
EMS/Crisis Response Team(s)			
Mental Health Service Organizations			
Substance Abuse Service Organizations			
Affordable Housing Developer(s)			
Disability Service Organizations			
Disability Advocates			
Public Housing Authorities			
CoC Funded Youth Homeless Organizations			
Non-CoC Funded Youth Homeless Organizations			

Youth Advocates			
School Administrators/Homeless Liaisons			
CoC Funded Victim Service Providers			
Non-CoC Funded Victim Service Providers			
Domestic Violence Advocates			
Street Outreach Team(s)			
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender (LGBT) Advocates			
LGBT Service Organizations			
Agencies that serve survivors of human trafficking			
Other homeless subpopulation advocates			
Homeless or Formerly Homeless Persons			
Mental Illness Advocates			
Substance Abuse Advocates			
Other:(limit 50 characters)			

Applicants must select Yes, No or Not Applicable for all of the listed organization/person categories in 1B-1.

1B-1a. CoC's Strategy to Solicit/Consider Opinions on Preventing/Ending Homelessness.

 Applicants must describe how the CoC:
1. solicits and considers opinions from a broad array of organizations and individuals that have knowledge of homelessness, or an interest in preventing and ending homelessness;
 2. communicates information during public meetings or other forums the CoC uses to solicit public information;
3. takes into consideration information gathered in public meetings or forums to address improvements or new approaches to preventing and ending homelessness; and
 4. ensures effective communication with individuals with disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats, e.g., PDF.
(limit 2,000 characters)

1B-2. Open Invitation for New Members.

 Applicants must describe:
 1. the invitation process;
 2. how the CoC communicates the invitation process to solicit new members;
3. how the CoC ensures effective communication with individuals with disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats;
 4. how often the CoC solicits new members; and
  5. any special outreach the CoC conducted to ensure persons

**experiencing homelessness or formerly homeless persons are
encouraged to join the CoC.
(limit 2,000 characters)**

**1B-3. Public Notification for Proposals from Organizations Not Previously
Funded.**

**Applicants must describe:
1. how the CoC notifies the public that it is accepting project application
proposals, and that it is open to and will consider applications from
organizations that have not previously received CoC Program funding, as
well as the method in which proposals should be submitted;
2. the process the CoC uses to determine whether the project application
will be included in the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition process;
3. the date(s) the CoC publicly announced it was open to proposal;
4. how the CoC ensures effective communication with individuals with
disabilities, including the availability of accessible electronic formats; and
5. if the CoC does not accept proposals from organizations that have not
previously received CoC Program funding or did not announce it was
open to proposals from non-CoC Program funded organizations, the
applicant must state this fact in the response and provide the reason the
CoC does not accept proposals from organizations that have not
previously received CoC Program funding.
(limit 2,000 characters)**

1C. Continuum of Care (CoC) Coordination

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1C-1. CoCs Coordination, Planning, and Operation of Projects.

Applicants must select the appropriate response for each federal, state, local, private, other organizations, or program source the CoC included in the planning and operation of projects that serve individuals experiencing homelessness, families experiencing homelessness, unaccompanied youth experiencing homelessness, persons who are fleeing domestic violence, or persons at risk of homelessness.

Entities or Organizations the CoC coordinates planning and operation of projects	Coordinates with Planning and Operation of Projects
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	
Runaway and Homeless Youth (RHY)	
Head Start Program	
Funding Collaboratives	
Private Foundations	
Housing and services programs funded through U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) Funded Housing and Service Programs	
Housing and services programs funded through U.S. Health and Human Services (HHS) Funded Housing and Service Programs	
Housing and service programs funded through other Federal resources	
Housing and services programs funded through State Government	
Housing and services programs funded through Local Government	
Housing and service programs funded through private entities, including foundations	
Other:(limit 50 characters)	

Applicants must select Yes, No or Not Applicable for all of the listed organizations in 1C-1.

1C-2. CoC Consultation with ESG Program Recipients.

Applicants must describe how the CoC:
1. consulted with ESG Program recipients in planning and allocating ESG funds;
2. participated in the evaluating and reporting performance of ESG Program recipients and subrecipients; and
3. ensured local homelessness information is communicated and addressed in the Consolidated Plan updates.
(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-2a. Providing PIT and HIC Data to Consolidated Plan Jurisdictions.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC provided Point-in-Time (PIT) and Housing Inventory Count (HIC) data to the Consolidated Plan jurisdictions within its geographic area.

1C-2b. Providing Other Data to Consolidated Plan Jurisdictions.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC ensured local homelessness information is communicated to Consolidated Plan Jurisdictions within its geographic area so it can be addressed in Consolidated Plan updates.

1C-3. Addressing the Safety Needs of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Survivors.

Applicants must describe:
1. the CoC's protocols, including protocols for coordinated entry and the CoC's emergency transfer plan, that prioritize safety and incorporate trauma-informed, victim-centered services; and
2. how the CoC, through its coordinated entry, maximizes client choice for housing and services while ensuring safety and confidentiality.
(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-3a. Training–Best Practices in Serving DV Survivors.

Applicants must describe how the CoC coordinates with victim services

providers to provide training, at least on an annual basis, for:
1. CoC area project staff that addresses safety and best practices (e.g., trauma-informed, victim-centered) on safety and planning protocols in serving survivors of domestic violence; and
2. Coordinated Entry staff that addresses safety and best practices (e.g., Trauma Informed Care) on safety and planning protocols in serving survivors of domestic violence.
(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-3b. Domestic Violence–Community Need Data.

Applicants must describe how the CoC uses de-identified aggregate data from a comparable database to assess the special needs related to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*1C-4. PHAs within CoC. Attachments Required.

Applicants must submit information for the two largest PHAs or the two PHAs with which the CoC has a working relationship within the CoC's geographic area.

Public Housing Agency Name	% New Admissions into Public Housing and Housing Choice Voucher Program during FY 2018 who were experiencing homelessness at entry	PHA has General or Limited Homeless Preference	PHA has a Preference for current PSH program participants no longer needing intensive supportive services, e.g., Moving On

1C-4a. PHAs' Written Policies on Homeless Admission Preferences.

Applicants must:
1. provide the steps the CoC has taken, with the two largest PHAs within the CoC's geographic area or the two PHAs the CoC has working relationships with, to adopt a homeless admission preference–if the CoC only has one PHA within its geographic area, applicants may respond for one; or
2. state that the CoC does not work with the PHAs in its geographic area.
(limit 2,000 characters)

1C-4b. Moving On Strategy with Affordable Housing Providers.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC has a Moving On Strategy with affordable housing providers in its jurisdiction.

1C-5. Protecting Against Discrimination.

Applicants must describe the actions the CoC has taken to address all forms of discrimination, such as discrimination based on any protected classes under the Fair Housing Act and 24 CFR 5.105(a)(2) – Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or -Insured Housing.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*1C-5a. Anti-Discrimination Policy and Training.

 Applicants must indicate whether the CoC implemented an anti-discrimination policy and conduct training:

1. Did the CoC implement a CoC-wide anti-discrimination policy that applies to all projects regardless of funding source?	
2. Did the CoC conduct annual CoC-wide training with providers on how to effectively address discrimination based on any protected class under the Fair Housing Act?	
3. Did the CoC conduct annual training on how to effectively address discrimination based on any protected class under 24 CFR 5.105(a)(2) – Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or -Insured Housing?	

Applicants must select Yes or No for all of the listed policies in 1C-5a.

*1C-6. Criminalization of Homelessness.

 Applicants must select all that apply that describe the strategies the CoC implemented to prevent the criminalization of homelessness in the CoC's geographic area.

1. Engaged/educated local policymakers:	
2. Engaged/educated law enforcement:	
3. Engaged/educated local business leaders:	
4. Implemented communitywide plans:	
5. No strategies have been implemented:	
6. Other:(limit 50 characters)	

At least one box must be checked.

1C-7. Centralized or Coordinated Assessment System. Attachment Required.

 Applicants must:
 1. demonstrate the coordinated entry system covers the entire CoC geographic area;
 2. demonstrate the coordinated entry system reaches people who are least likely to apply for homelessness assistance in the absence of special outreach; and
 3. demonstrate the assessment process prioritizes people most in need of assistance and ensures they receive assistance in a timely manner. (limit 2,000 characters)

1D. Continuum of Care (CoC) Discharge Planning

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1D-1. Discharge Planning Coordination.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC actively coordinates with the systems of care listed to ensure persons who have resided in them longer than 90 days are not discharged directly to the streets, emergency shelters, or other homeless assistance programs. Check all that apply (note that when "None:" is selected no other system of care should be selected).

Foster Care:	
Health Care:	
Mental Health Care:	
Correctional Facilities:	
None:	

At least one box must be checked.

1E. Local CoC Competition

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*1E-1. Local CoC Competition–Announcement, Established Deadline, Applicant Notifications. Attachments Required.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC:

1. informed project applicants in its local competition announcement about point values or other ranking criteria the CoC would use to rank projects on the CoC Project Listings for submission to HUD for the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition;	
2. established a local competition deadline, and posted publicly, for project applications that was no later than 30 days before the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition Application submission deadline;	
3. notified applicants that their project application(s) were being rejected or reduced, in writing along with the reason for the decision, outside of e-snaps, at least 15 days before the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition Application submission deadline; and	
4. notified applicants that their project applications were accepted and ranked on the CoC Priority Listing in writing, outside of e-snaps, at least 15 days before the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition Application submission deadline.	

Applicants must select Yes or No for all of the questions in 1E-1.

1E-2. Project Review and Ranking–Objective Criteria.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC used the following to rank and select project applications for the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition:

1. Used objective criteria to review and rank projects for funding (e.g., cost effectiveness of the project, performance data, type of population served);	
2. Included one factor related to improving system performance (e.g., exits to permanent housing (PH) destinations, retention of PH, length of time homeless, returns to homelessness, job/income growth, etc.); and	
3. Included a specific method for evaluating projects submitted by victim services providers that utilized data generated from a comparable database and evaluated these projects on the degree they improve safety for the population served.	

Applicants must select Yes or No for all of the responses in 1E-2.

1E-3. Project Review and Ranking–Severity of Needs and Vulnerabilities.

Applicants must describe:
1. the specific severity of needs and vulnerabilities the CoC considered when reviewing and ranking projects; and
2. how the CoC takes severity of needs and vulnerabilities into account when reviewing and ranking projects.
(limit 2,000 characters)

1E-4. Public Postings–CoC Consolidated Application. Attachment Required.

Applicants must:
1. indicate how the CoC made public the review and ranking process the CoC used for all project applications; or
2. check 6 if the CoC did not make public the review and ranking process; and
3. indicate how the CoC made public the CoC Consolidated Application–including the CoC Application and CoC Priority Listing that includes all project applications accepted and ranked or rejected–which HUD required CoCs to post to their websites, or partners websites, at least 2 days before the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition application submission deadline; or
** 4. check 6 if the CoC did not make public the CoC Consolidated Application.**

Public Posting of Objective Review and Ranking Process		Public Posting of CoC Consolidated Application including: CoC Application, CoC Priority Listing, Project Listings	
1. Email	☐	1. Email	☐
2. Mail	☐	2. Mail	☐
3. Advertising in Local Newspaper(s)	☐	3. Advertising in Local Newspaper(s)	☐
4. Advertising on Radio or Television	☐	4. Advertising on Radio or Television	☐
5. Social Media (Twitter, Facebook, etc.)	☐	5. Social Media (Twitter, Facebook, etc.)	☐
6. Did Not Publicly Post Review and Ranking Process	☐	6. Did Not Publicly Post CoC Consolidated Application	☐

Applicants must check at least one box under each heading.

1E-5. Reallocation between FY 2015 and FY 2018.

Applicants must report the percentage of the CoC's ARD that was

reallocated between the FY 2015 and FY 2018 CoC Program Competitions.

Reallocation:

1E-5a. Reallocation–CoC Review of Performance of Existing Projects.

Applicants must:
1. describe the CoC written process for reallocation;
2. indicate whether the CoC approved the reallocation process;
3. describe how the CoC communicated to all applicants the reallocation process;
4. describe how the CoC identified projects that were low performing or for which there is less need; and
5. describe how the CoC determined whether projects that were deemed low performing would be reallocated.
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DV Bonus

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1F-1   DV Bonus Projects.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC is requesting DV Bonus projects which are included on the CoC Priority Listing:

Applicant Name	DUNS Number
This list contains no items	

2A. Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) Implementation

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2A-1. HMIS Vendor Identification.   Bitfocus

Applicants must review the HMIS software vendor name brought forward from FY 2018 CoC Application and update the information if there was a change.

2A-2. Bed Coverage Rate Using HIC and HMIS Data.

Using 2019 HIC and HMIS data, applicants must report by project type:

Project Type	Total Number of Beds in 2019 HIC	Total Beds Dedicated for DV in 2019 HIC	Total Number of 2019 HIC Beds in HMIS	HMIS Bed Coverage Rate
Emergency Shelter (ES) beds				0.00%
Safe Haven (SH) beds				0.00%
Transitional Housing (TH) beds				0.00%
Rapid Re-Housing (RRH) beds				0.00%
Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) beds				0.00%
Other Permanent Housing (OPH) beds				0.00%

All fields in 2A-2 must be completed. If a particular project type does not exist in the CoC then enter "0" for all cells in that project type.

2A-2a. Partial Credit for Bed Coverage Rates at or Below 84.99 for Any Project Type in Question 2A-2.

For each project type with a bed coverage rate that is at or below 84.99 percent in question 2A-2., applicants must describe:
1. steps the CoC will take over the next 12 months to increase the bed coverage rate to at least 85 percent for that project type; and
2. how the CoC will implement the steps described to increase bed coverage to at least 85 percent.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*2A-3. Longitudinal System Analysis (LSA) Submission.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC submitted its LSA data to HUD in HDX 2.0.

*2A-4. HIC HDX Submission Date.

Applicants must enter the date the CoC submitted the 2019 Housing Inventory Count (HIC) data into the Homelessness Data Exchange (HDX).
(mm/dd/yyyy)

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

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**2B-1. PIT Count Date.
Applicants must enter the date the CoC conducted its 2019 PIT count (mm/dd/yyyy).**

**2B-2. PIT Count Data–HDX Submission Date.
Applicants must enter the date the CoC submitted its PIT count data in HDX (mm/dd/yyyy).**

2B-3. Sheltered PIT Count–Change in Implementation.

**Applicants must describe:
1. any changes in the sheltered count implementation, including methodology or data quality methodology changes from 2018 to 2019, if applicable; and
2. how the changes affected the CoC's sheltered PIT count results; or
3. state "Not Applicable" if there were no changes.
(limit 2,000 characters)**

*2B-4. Sheltered PIT Count–Changes Due to Presidentially-declared Disaster.

Applicants must select whether the CoC added or removed emergency shelter, transitional housing, or Safe-Haven inventory because of funding specific to a

Presidentially-declared disaster, resulting in a change to the CoC's 2019 sheltered PIT count.

2B-5. Unsheltered PIT Count–Changes in Implementation.

Applicants must describe:
1. any changes in the unsheltered count implementation, including methodology or data quality methodology changes from 2018 to 2019, if applicable; and
2. how the changes affected the CoC's unsheltered PIT count results; or
3. state "Not Applicable" if there were no changes.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*2B-6. PIT Count–Identifying Youth Experiencing Homelessness.

Applicants must:

Indicate whether the CoC implemented specific measures to identify youth experiencing homelessness in their 2019 PIT count.

2B-7. PIT Count–Improvements to Implementation.

Applicants must describe the CoC's actions implemented in its 2019 PIT count to better count:
1. individuals and families experiencing chronic homelessness;
2. families with children experiencing homelessness; and
3. Veterans experiencing homelessness.
(limit 2,000 characters)

3A. Continuum of Care (CoC) System Performance

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*3A-1. First Time Homeless as Reported in HDX.

 Applicants must:

Report the Number of First Time Homeless as Reported in HDX.	

3A-1a. First Time Homeless Risk Factors.

 Applicants must:
 1. describe the process the CoC developed to identify risk factors the CoC uses to identify persons becoming homeless for the first time;
 2. describe the CoC's strategy to address individuals and families at risk of becoming homeless; and
 3. provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing the CoC's strategy to reduce the number of individuals and families experiencing homelessness for the first time. (limit 2,000 characters)

*3A-2. Length of Time Homeless as Reported in HDX.

 Applicants must:

Report Average Length of Time Individuals and Persons in Families Remained Homeless as Reported in HDX.	

3A-2a. Strategy to Reduce Length of Time Homeless.

Applicants must:
1. describe the CoC's strategy to reduce the length of time individuals and persons in families remain homeless;
2. describe how the CoC identifies and houses individuals and persons in families with the longest lengths of time homeless; and
3. provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing the CoC's strategy to reduce the length of time individuals and families remain homeless.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*3A-3. Successful Permanent Housing Placement and Retention as Reported in HDX.

Applicants must:

	Percentage
1. Report the percentage of individuals and persons in families in emergency shelter, safe havens, transitional housing, and rapid rehousing that exit to permanent housing destinations as reported in HDX.	
2. Report the percentage of individuals and persons in families in permanent housing projects, other than rapid rehousing, that retain their permanent housing or exit to permanent housing destinations as reported in HDX.	

3A-3a. Exits to Permanent Housing Destinations/Retention of Permanent Housing.

Applicants must:
1. describe the CoC's strategy to increase the rate at which individuals and persons in families in emergency shelter, safe havens, transitional housing and rapid rehousing exit to permanent housing destinations;
2. provide the organization name or position title responsible for overseeing the CoC's strategy to increase the rate at which individuals and persons in families in emergency shelter, safe havens, transitional housing and rapid rehousing exit to permanent housing destinations;
3. describe the CoC's strategy to increase the rate at which individuals and persons in families in permanent housing projects, other than rapid rehousing, retain their permanent housing or exit to permanent housing destinations; and
4. provide the organization name or position title responsible for overseeing the CoC's strategy to increase the rate at which individuals and persons in families in permanent housing projects, other than rapid rehousing, retain their permanent housing or exit to permanent housing destinations.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*3A-4. Returns to Homelessness as Reported in HDX.

Applicants must:

	Percentage
1. Report the percentage of individuals and persons in families returning to homelessness over a 6-month period as reported in HDX.	
2. Report the percentage of individuals and persons in families returning to homelessness over a 12-month period as reported in HDX.	

3A-4a. Returns to Homelessness–CoC Strategy to Reduce Rate.

Applicants must:
1. describe the strategy the CoC has implemented to identify individuals and persons in families who return to homelessness;
2. describe the CoC's strategy to reduce the rate of additional returns to homelessness; and
3. provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible for overseeing the CoC's strategy to reduce the rate individuals and persons in families return to homelessness.
(limit 2,000 characters)

*3A-5. Cash Income Changes as Reported in HDX.

Applicants must:

	Percentage
1. Report the percentage of individuals and persons in families in CoC Program-funded Safe Haven, transitional housing, rapid rehousing, and permanent supportive housing projects that increased their employment income from entry to exit as reported in HDX.	
2. Report the percentage of individuals and persons in families in CoC Program-funded Safe Haven, transitional housing, rapid rehousing, and permanent supportive housing projects that increased their non-employment cash income from entry to exit as reported in HDX.	

3A-5a. Increasing Employment Income.

Applicants must:
1. describe the CoC's strategy to increase employment income;
2. describe the CoC's strategy to increase access to employment;
3. describe how the CoC works with mainstream employment organizations to help individuals and families increase their cash income; and
4. provide the organization name or position title that is responsible for overseeing the CoC's strategy to increase jobs and income from employment.
(limit 2,000 characters)

3A-5b. Increasing Non-employment Cash Income.

Applicants must:
1. describe the CoC's strategy to increase non-employment cash income;
2. describe the CoC's strategy to increase access to non-employment cash sources;
3. provide the organization name or position title that is responsible for

overseeing the CoC's strategy to increase non-employment cash income.

3A-5c. Increasing Employment. Attachment Required.

Applicants must describe how the CoC:
1. promoted partnerships and access to employment opportunities with private employers and private employment organizations, such as holding job fairs, outreach to employers, and partnering with staffing agencies; and
2. is working with public and private organizations to provide meaningful, education and training, on-the-job training, internship, and employment opportunities for residents of permanent supportive housing that further their recovery and well-being.
(limit 2,000 characters)

3A-5d. Promoting Employment, Volunteerism, and Community Service.

Applicants must select all the steps the CoC has taken to promote employment, volunteerism and community service among people experiencing homelessness in the CoC's geographic area:

1. The CoC trains provider organization staff on connecting program participants and people experiencing homelessness with education and job training opportunities.	☐
2. The CoC trains provider organization staff on facilitating informal employment opportunities for program participants and people experiencing homelessness (e.g., babysitting, housekeeping, food delivery).	☐
3. The CoC trains provider organization staff on connecting program participants with formal employment opportunities.	☐
4. The CoC trains provider organization staff on volunteer opportunities for program participants and people experiencing homelessness.	☐
5. The CoC works with organizations to create volunteer opportunities for program participants.	☐
6. The CoC works with community organizations to create opportunities for civic participation for people experiencing homelessness (e.g., townhall forums, meeting with public officials).	☐
7. Provider organizations within the CoC have incentives for employment.	☐
8. The CoC trains provider organization staff on helping program participants budget and maximize their income to maintain stability in permanent housing.	☐

3A-6. System Performance Measures Data–HDX Submission Date

Applicants must enter the date the CoCs submitted its FY 2018 System Performance Measures data in HDX. (mm/dd/yyyy)

3B. Continuum of Care (CoC) Performance and Strategic Planning Objectives

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3B-1. Prioritizing Households with Children.

 Applicants must check each factor the CoC currently uses to prioritize households with children for assistance during FY 2019.

1. History of or Vulnerability to Victimization (e.g. domestic violence, sexual assault, childhood abuse)	☐
2. Number of previous homeless episodes	☐
3. Unsheltered homelessness	☐
4. Criminal History	☐
5. Bad credit or rental history	☐
6. Head of Household with Mental/Physical Disability	☐

3B-1a. Rapid Rehousing of Families with Children.

 Applicants must:
 1. describe how the CoC currently rehouses every household of families with children within 30 days of becoming homeless that addresses both housing and service needs;
 2. describe how the CoC addresses both housing and service needs to ensure families with children successfully maintain their housing once

assistance ends; and
 3. provide the organization name or position title responsible for
overseeing the CoC's strategy to rapidly rehouse families with children
within 30 days of them becoming homeless.
(limit 2,000 characters)

3B-1b. Antidiscrimination Policies.

 Applicants must check all that apply that describe actions the CoC is
taking to ensure providers (including emergency shelter, transitional
housing, and permanent housing (PSH and RRH)) within the CoC adhere
to antidiscrimination policies by not denying admission to or separating
any family members from other members of their family or caregivers
based on any protected classes under the Fair Housing Act, and
consistent with 24 CFR 5.105(a)(2) – Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or -
Insured Housing.

1. CoC conducts mandatory training for all CoC- and ESG-funded housing and services providers on these topics.	☐
2. CoC conducts optional training for all CoC- and ESG-funded housing and service providers on these topics.	☐
3. CoC has worked with ESG recipient(s) to adopt uniform anti-discrimination policies for all subrecipients.	☐
4. CoC has worked with ESG recipient(s) to identify both CoC- and ESG-funded facilities within the CoC geographic area that might be out of compliance and has taken steps to work directly with those facilities to come into compliance.	☐

3B-1c. Unaccompanied Youth Experiencing Homelessness–Addressing Needs.

 Applicants must indicate whether the CoC's strategy to address the
unique needs of unaccompanied youth experiencing homelessness who
are 24 years of age and younger includes the following:

1. Unsheltered homelessness	
2. Human trafficking and other forms of exploitation	
3. LGBT youth homelessness	
4. Exits from foster care into homelessness	
5. Family reunification and community engagement	
6. Positive Youth Development, Trauma Informed Care, and the use of Risk and Protective Factors in assessing youth housing and service needs	

3B-1c.1. Unaccompanied Youth Experiencing Homelessness–Prioritization Based on Needs.

 Applicants must check all that apply that describes the CoC's current
strategy to prioritize unaccompanied youth based on their needs.

1. History of, or Vulnerability to, Victimization (e.g., domestic violence, sexual assault, childhood abuse)	☐
2. Number of Previous Homeless Episodes	☐
3. Unsheltered Homelessness	☐
4. Criminal History	☐
5. Bad Credit or Rental History	☐

3B-1d. Youth Experiencing Homelessness–Housing and Services Strategies.

Applicants must describe how the CoC increased availability of housing and services for:
 1. all youth experiencing homelessness, including creating new youth-focused projects or modifying current projects to be more youth-specific or youth-inclusive; and
 2. youth experiencing unsheltered homelessness including creating new youth-focused projects or modifying current projects to be more youth-specific or youth-inclusive.
(limit 3,000 characters)

3B-1d.1. Youth Experiencing Homelessness–Measuring Effectiveness of Housing and Services Strategies.

Applicants must:
 1. provide evidence the CoC uses to measure each of the strategies in question 3B-1d. to increase the availability of housing and services for youth experiencing homelessness;
 2. describe the measure(s) the CoC uses to calculate the effectiveness of both strategies in question 3B-1d.; and
 3. describe why the CoC believes the measure it uses is an appropriate way to determine the effectiveness of both strategies in question 3B-1d.
(limit 3,000 characters)

3B-1e. Collaboration–Education Services.

Applicants must describe:

 1. the formal partnerships with:
   a. youth education providers;
   b. McKinney-Vento LEA or SEA; and
   c. school districts; and

 2. how the CoC collaborates with:
   a. youth education providers;

**b. McKinney-Vento Local LEA or SEA; and
c. school districts.
(limit 2,000 characters)**

3B-1e.1. Informing Individuals and Families Experiencing Homeless about Education Services Eligibility.

**Applicants must describe policies and procedures the CoC adopted to inform individuals and families who become homeless of their eligibility for education services.
(limit 2,000 characters)**

3B-1e.2. Written/Formal Agreements or Partnerships with Early Childhood Services Providers.

Applicant must indicate whether the CoC has an MOU/MOA or other types of agreements with listed providers of early childhood services and supports and may add other providers not listed.

	MOU/MOA	Other Formal Agreement
Early Childhood Providers		
Head Start		
Early Head Start		
Child Care and Development Fund		
Federal Home Visiting Program		
Healthy Start		
Public Pre-K		
Birth to 3 years		
Tribal Home Visting Program		
Other: (limit 50 characters)		

Applicants must select Yes or No for all of the agreements listed in 3B-1e.2.

3B-2. Active List of Veterans Experiencing Homelessness.

Applicant must indicate whether the CoC uses an active list or by-name list to identify all veterans experiencing homelessness in the CoC.

3B-2a. VA Coordination–Ending Veterans Homelessness.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC is actively working with the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) and VA-funded

programs to achieve the benchmarks and criteria for ending veteran homelessness.

3B-2b. Housing First for Veterans.

Applicants must indicate whether the CoC has sufficient resources to ensure each veteran experiencing homelessness is assisted to quickly move into permanent housing using a Housing First approach.

3B-3. Racial Disparity Assessment. Attachment Required.

Applicants must:
1. select all that apply to indicate the findings from the CoC's Racial Disparity Assessment; or
2. select 7 if the CoC did not conduct a Racial Disparity Assessment.

1. People of different races or ethnicities are more likely to receive homeless assistance.	☐
2. People of different races or ethnicities are less likely to receive homeless assistance.	☐
3. People of different races or ethnicities are more likely to receive a positive outcome from homeless assistance.	☐
4. People of different races or ethnicities are less likely to receive a positive outcome from homeless assistance.	☐
5. There are no racial or ethnic disparities in the provision or outcome of homeless assistance.	☐
6. The results are inconclusive for racial or ethnic disparities in the provision or outcome of homeless assistance.	☐
7. The CoC did not conduct a racial disparity assessment.	☐

3B-3a. Addressing Racial Disparities.

Applicants must select all that apply to indicate the CoC's strategy to address any racial disparities identified in its Racial Disparities Assessment:

1. The CoC is ensuring that staff at the project level are representative of the persons accessing homeless services in the CoC.	☐
2. The CoC has identified the cause(s) of racial disparities in their homeless system.	☐
3. The CoC has identified strategies to reduce disparities in their homeless system.	☐
4. The CoC has implemented strategies to reduce disparities in their homeless system.	☐

5. The CoC has identified resources available to reduce disparities in their homeless system.	☐
6: The CoC did not conduct a racial disparity assessment.	☐

4A. Continuum of Care (CoC) Accessing Mainstream Benefits and Additional Policies

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4A-1. Healthcare–Enrollment/Effective Utilization

Applicants must indicate, for each type of healthcare listed below, whether the CoC assists persons experiencing homelessness with enrolling in health insurance and effectively utilizing Medicaid and other benefits.

Type of Health Care	Assist with Enrollment	Assist with Utilization of Benefits?
Public Health Care Benefits **(State or Federal benefits, Medicaid, Indian Health Services)**		
Private Insurers:		
Non-Profit, Philanthropic:		
Other: (limit 50 characters)		

4A-1a. Mainstream Benefits.

 Applicants must:
1. describe how the CoC systematically keeps program staff up to date regarding mainstream resources available for program participants (e.g., Food Stamps, SSI, TANF, substance abuse programs) within the geographic area;
 2. describe how the CoC disseminates the availability of mainstream resources and other assistance information to projects and how often;
 3. describe how the CoC works with projects to collaborate with healthcare organizations to assist program participants with enrolling in

health insurance;
4. describe how the CoC provides assistance with the effective utilization
of Medicaid and other benefits; and
5. provide the name of the organization or position title that is responsible
for overseeing the CoC's strategy for mainstream benefits.
(limit 2,000 characters)

4A-2. Lowering Barriers to Entry Data:

Applicants must report:

1. Total number of new and renewal CoC Program-funded PSH, RRH, SSO non-coordinated entry, Safe-Haven, and Transitional Housing projects the CoC has ranked in its CoC Priority Listing in FY 2019 CoC Program Competition.	
2. Total number of new and renewal CoC Program-funded PSH, RRH, SSO non-coordinated entry, Safe-Haven, and Transitional Housing projects the CoC has ranked in its CoC Priority Listing in FY 2019 CoC Program Competition that reported that they are lowering barriers to entry and prioritizing rapid placement and stabilization to permanent housing.	
Percentage of new and renewal PSH, RRH, Safe-Haven, SSO non-Coordinated Entry projects the CoC has ranked in its CoC Priority Listing in the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition that reported that they are lowering barriers to entry and prioritizing rapid placement and stabilization to permanent housing.	0%

4A-3. Street Outreach.

Applicants must:
1. describe the CoC's street outreach efforts, including the methods it
uses to ensure all persons experiencing unsheltered homelessness are
identified and engaged;
2. state whether the CoC's Street Outreach covers 100 percent of the
CoC's geographic area;
3. describe how often the CoC conducts street outreach; and
4. describe how the CoC tailored its street outreach to persons
experiencing homelessness who are least likely to request assistance.
(limit 2,000 characters)

4A-4. RRH Beds as Reported in HIC.

Applicants must report the total number of rapid rehousing beds available
to serve all household types as reported in the Housing Inventory Count
(HIC) for 2018 and 2019.

	2018	**2019**	**Difference**
RRH beds available to serve all populations in the HIC			0

4A-5. Rehabilitation/Construction Costs–New Projects.

Applicants must indicate whether any new
project application the CoC ranked and
submitted in its CoC Priority Listing in the FY
2019 CoC Program Competition is requesting

**$200,000 or more in funding for housing
rehabilitation or new construction.**

**4A-6. Projects Serving Homeless under Other
Federal Statutes.**

**Applicants must indicate whether the CoC is
requesting to designate one or more of its
SSO or TH projects to serve families with
children or youth defined as homeless under
other federal statutes.**

4B. Attachments

Instructions:

Multiple files may be attached as a single .zip file. For instructions on how to use .zip files, a reference document is available on the e-snaps training site:
https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/3118/creating-a-zip-file-and-capturing-a-screenshot-resource

Document Type	Required?	Document Description	Date Attached
_FY 2019 CoC Competition Report (HDX Report)	Yes		
1C-4.PHA Administration Plan–Moving On Multifamily Assisted Housing Owners' Preference.	No		
1C-4. PHA Administrative Plan Homeless Preference.	No		
1C-7. Centralized or Coordinated Assessment System.	Yes		
1E-1.Public Posting–15-Day Notification Outside e-snaps–Projects Accepted.	Yes		
1E-1. Public Posting–15-Day Notification Outside e-snaps–Projects Rejected or Reduced.	Yes		
1E-1.Public Posting–30-Day Local Competition Deadline.	Yes		
1E-1. Public Posting–Local Competition Announcement.	Yes		
1E-4.Public Posting–CoC-Approved Consolidated Application	Yes		
3A. Written Agreement with Local Education or Training Organization.	No		
3A. Written Agreement with State or Local Workforce Development Board.	No		
3B-3. Summary of Racial Disparity Assessment.	Yes		
4A-7a. Project List-Homeless under Other Federal Statutes.	No		
Other	No		
Other	No		

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