

606-MO BoS CoC HUD NOFA 2018 Guide

Overview:

Each year, the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) makes available federal resources for homeless housing and services to communities around the nation through the Continuum of Care Program Competition. CoC's access these funds by completing a collaborative application on behalf of the local homeless service provider agencies, as well as individual project applications. The Missouri Balance of State Continuum of Care's (Mo BoS CoC) collaborative applicant Missouri Housing Development Commission coordinated the submission of the Collaborative Application, Rank & Review Process, and Project Applications with the Grants Committee.

All information, required documents, approved policies and other communication regarding the Mo BoS CoC FY2018 Competition will be publically posted on www.moboscoc.org/cocprograminfo.

Rank & Review:

The Mo BoS CoC has established a committee of 5 CoC member volunteers who do not receive CoC funding to comprise the committee that reviews, ranks, and finalizes the project priority listing for the CoC. In accordance with HUD, Tier One will be in an amount up to 94% of the CoC's Annual Renewal Demand. The CoC has agree to prioritize new Rapid Rehousing Programs in 2018. Because of HUD priorities and CoC needs, one new RRH project, one new DV project, and HMIS will all be placed fully funded in tier 1. Remaining renewal and new projects will be placed in tier 2 and placed in order until the CoC reaches the maximum amount it's eligible for.

Missouri Balance of State Continuum of Care (Mo-606)

Annual Renewal Demand	\$4,978,996
Annual Renewal Demand at 94%	\$4,680,256
CoC Planning	\$168, 530
Bonus Funding	\$337,061
DV Bonus	\$561,768

Click this link to review the FY2018 Notice of Funding Availability

Eligible Project Types:

- ✓ Permanent Supportive Housing (new, renewal, expansion*)
- √ Rapid Re-Housing (new, renewal, expansion*, New DV Bonus)
- ✓ Joint PH: Transitional Housing & Rapid Re-Housing (new)
- ✓ HMIS (limited to HMIS Lead only)

- ✓ Planning (limited to Collaborative Applicant only)
- ✓ Supportive Services Coordinated Entry (limited to DV Bonus Projects)

Policies & Important Documents (click the title to read more on the Mo BoS CoC Website at www.moboscoc.org):

<u>Housing First</u>- The Missouri Balance of State Continuum of Care has adopted a priority for Low Barrier and Housing First for all programs regardless of funding source.

<u>Data Policy-</u> For the purposes of performance based scoring during the CoC competition, agencies will be scored based on data reports frin HMIS that are pulled at the time of submission for CoC System Performance Measures for the date range of October 1, 2016 to September 30, 2017

Grievance and Appeals Process- outlines the process by which agencies can file a grievance if they are not put forward in the final CoC listing.

Reallocation & Prioritization- *establishes the CoC's priority for creating and ranking new projects, including DV bonus projects.*

Approved Scoring Tools- *approved scoring tools to be utilized by the Rank & Review Committee.*

Scoring Matrix DV Bonus
Scoring Matrix Renewal
Scoring Matrix New Projects

Letter of Intent Template- required for all projects to notify CoC of intent to apply for funds

Grant Checklist Documents- required for all projects

DV Bonus
Renewal
New & Reallocation

^{*}Expansion projects will be reviewed as New Projects.

Important Dates:

New & Renewal Project Training Columbia, MO (Encouraged New &
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Renewal Projects)
Letter of Intent (Required by both new & renewal project)
Data Quality Report Sent to MHDC(encouraged renewal projects only.
Required with final renewal project submission on August 13)
Project Applications Due to MHDC (Required new & renewal)
Both In eSnaps & outside of eSnaps
Collaborative Applicant Review & Confirm eSnaps Information with
agencies (<mark>required new & renewal</mark>)
Rank & Review (Project Applicants must make available a staff person to
be open for questions and responses during this time period)
Final Project Listing Uploaded/ Notifications Sent to Agencies outside of
eSnaps
Grievance Period after public posting
Final Submission of full CoC Application