



# FY 2021 CoC Program Competition Now Open

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The Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Continuum of Care (CoC) Program Competition has been posted on [Grants.gov](#) and will be available on the HUD.gov [Funding Opportunities page](#) later today.

## **Availability in e-snaps**

The CoC Application, CoC Priority Listing, and Project Applications will be available in [e-snaps](#) no later than Thursday, August 19, 2021. Collaborative Applicants and project applicants will be able to access the applications to review, update, and enter required information for the application process.

Resources are available on the HUD.gov [CoC Program Competition page](#) and the HUD Exchange [e-snaps Resources page](#).

**Submission Deadline:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021 at 8:00 PM EST

## **Collaborative Applicants**

- The CoC Application and CoC Priority Listing, which include all project applications that will be submitted to HUD, are separate submissions in *e-snaps*. Collaborative Applicants must submit both parts of the CoC Consolidated Application by the application submission deadline for HUD to consider the CoC Consolidated Application to be complete.
- There are six Project Listings in the CoC Priority Listing; however, only the New and Renewal Project Listings require unique rank numbers. The remaining four Project Listings only require Collaborative Applicants to accept or reject project applications.
- The CoC Competition Report that includes data reported in the Homelessness Data Exchange (HDX) is available for use by Collaborative Applicants to complete portions of the FY 2021 CoC Application.

## Project Applicants

- Project applicants renewing projects can choose to import information from the project's FY 2019 renewal project application. This option is **not** available for projects renewing in *e-snaps* for the first time. Importing must occur during the funding opportunity registration step in *e-snaps* and is only available if you submitted a renewal project application in the FY 2019 CoC Program Competition. Imported responses must be carefully reviewed to ensure accuracy.
- Project applicants renewing a project for the first time in *e-snaps* will not be able to import information from a previous application. These applicants must complete the entire renewal project application. This situation includes projects that renewed for the first time and were awarded renewal funds under the FY 2020 CoC Program Non-Competitive Funding Notice.

- New project applications must be completed in full and in accordance with the new project application components permitted in this year's Competition.
- Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program (YHDP) replacement project applications must be completed in full and in accordance with the YHDP replacement project application process outlined in the NOFO.
- CoC planning and Unified Funding Agency (UFA) Costs applications will only be reviewed if submitted by the CoC's designated Collaborative Applicant identified in the CoC Applicant Profile in *e-snaps*.
- Dedicated Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) projects (renewal and new) can only be submitted by the CoC's designated HMIS Lead as identified in the CoC Applicant Profile in *e-snaps*.

## Resources

New resources will be posted on the HUD.gov [CoC Program Competition page](#) between today, August 18, 2021 and Monday, August 23, 2021, including:

- FY 2021 CoC Estimated Annual Renewal Demand (ARD) Report
- Detailed instructions for the CoC Application, CoC Priority Listing, and all Project Application types
- Navigational guides for the New, Renewal, CoC Planning, and UFA Costs Project Applications, as well as the CoC Priority Listing

Additional guidance will be posted to the CoC Program Competition page within the next two weeks.

Resources currently available on the HUD Exchange [e-snaps Resources page](#) include:

- [e-snaps 101 Toolkit](#)
- [e-snaps 201 Toolkit](#)

## Questions?

Questions about the CoC Program Competition must be submitted to the appropriate HUD.gov email address, as follows:

- [cocnofo@hud.gov](mailto:cocnofo@hud.gov) for questions about the NOFO, competition, and applications.
- [e-snaps@hud.gov](mailto:e-snaps@hud.gov) for questions about *e-snaps* technical issues, including creating an individual user profile, lockouts/password resets, requesting access to a CoC's or project applicant's *e-snaps* account, navigating *e-snaps*, updating the Applicant Profile, identifying the funding opportunity, creating a project, and accessing the application on the Submissions screen.

Note: Questions about policy and program implementation should continue to be submitted to the HUD Exchange [Ask A Question \(AAQ\) portal](#). In Step 2 of the question submission process, select "CoC Program" from the "My question is related to" drop down list. Do not submit Competition questions or questions about *e-snaps* to the CoC Program AAQ.

## SNAPS Mailing List Subscription

SNAPS is now using two different listservs to communicate competition and program updates:

- **Subscribe to the HUD.gov listserv** for information developed by HUD/SNAPS regarding the CoC program, ESG program, YHDP, Notices of Funding Opportunity (NOFOs) developed by SNAPS, and any other information related to SNAPS programs and the work to end homelessness.
  - [Sign up for SNAPS Competition Information](#)
  - [Sign up for SNAPS Program Information](#)
- **Subscribe to the HUD Exchange listserv** for information and guidance produced by HUD technical assistance providers regarding SNAPS programs.
  - [Sign up for HUD Exchange updates](#)

SNAPS grantees and interested stakeholders should consider subscribing both to the HUD Exchange mailing list and HUD.gov mailing lists. Please communicate this information to your homeless organizations, local government contacts, and other interested stakeholders.



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General Information

<b>Document Type:</b> Grants Notice	<b>Version:</b> Synopsis 3
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b> FR-6500-N-25	<b>Posted Date:</b> Aug 18, 2021
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b> Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Continuum of Care Competition and Noncompetitive Award of Youth Homeless Demonstration Program Renewal and Replacement Grants	<b>Last Updated Date:</b> Sep 21, 2021
<b>Opportunity Category:</b> Discretionary	<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> Nov 16, 2021 Electronically submitted CoC Consolidated applications (includes the CoC Application, project applications, and CoC Priority Listing) plus any solo applications must be submitted via e-snaps no later than 8:00 PM., EST, on the listed application due date.
<b>Opportunity Category Explanation:</b>	<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b> Nov 16, 2021 Electronically submitted CoC Consolidated applications (includes the CoC Application, project applications, and CoC Priority Listing) plus any solo applications must be submitted via e-snaps no later than 8:00 PM., EST, on the application due date.
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b> Grant	
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b> Housing	
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b> 7500	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b> 14.267 – Continuum of Care Program	
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b> Yes	<b>Archive Date:</b>
	<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b> \$2,656,000,000
	<b>Award Ceiling:</b> \$2,000,000
	<b>Award Floor:</b> \$2,500

Eligibility

**Eligible Applicants:** Special district governments  
State governments  
City or township governments  
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
County governments

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Eligible project applicants for the CoC Program Competition are found at 24 CFR 578.15 and include nonprofit organizations; state governments; local governments; instrumentalities of state and local governments; Indian Tribes and tribally designated housing entities, as defined in section 4 of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4103); and public housing agencies, as such term is defined in 24 CFR 5.100, are eligible without limitation or exclusion. Individuals, foreign entities, and sole proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Additional Information

**Agency Name:** Department of Housing and Urban Development

**Description:** The CoC Program (24 CFR part 578) is designed to promote a community-wide commitment to the goal of ending homelessness; to provide funding for efforts by nonprofit organizations, state governments, local governments instrumentalities of state and local governments, Indian Tribes, tribally designated housing entities, as defined in section 4 of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4103), and public housing agencies, as such term is defined in 24 CFR 5.100, are eligible without limitation or exclusion, to quickly re-house homeless individuals, families, persons fleeing domestic violence, and youth while minimizing the trauma and dislocation caused by homelessness; to promote access to and effective utilization of mainstream programs by homeless; and to optimize self-sufficiency among those experiencing homelessness.

**Link to Additional Information:** [https://www.hud.gov/program\\_offices/spm/gmomgml/grantsinfo/fundingopps/fy21\\_coc](https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/spm/gmomgml/grantsinfo/fundingopps/fy21_coc)

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