

# NY-501 Continuum of Care: New Project RFP 2018 (Reallocation and/or Bonus Projects)

APPLICATION MUST NOT EXCEED THREE (3) PAGES

1. Applicant/Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Agency Point of Contact: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Proposed Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Is the applicant a current member of NY-501 Continuum of Care (CoC)?  Yes – 10 points  No – 0 points
  - a. If no, what is the agency's current involvement with NY-501 Continuum of Care?
5. Is the agency applying a current CoC funded grantee?  Yes – 5 points  No – 10 points
  - b. If yes, are there any unresolved monitoring or audit findings from HUD or the CoC?  Yes – 0 points  No – 5 points
6. Please provide a detailed description of the agency's experience in administering projects dedicated to serving an underserved population. Please specify the name of current or past programs and note the funding sources. (10 points)
7. Please provide a project *description* **AND** *budget* that addresses the entire scope of your project. Please include the target population that will be served **and** the outreach plan. (0 – 15 points)
  - 2 points if a specific priority population mentioned in the 10 Year Plan is noted
  - 1 points if the project clearly states the number of units/beds requested
  - 4 points if an outreach plan is noted and the extent of coordinated the agency will have with the local DSS.
  - 8 points if the budget notes at least 80 percent of the requested funds are dedicated to housing
8. Please describe the project's understanding of and willingness to participate in the Coordinated Entry Process that is being implemented by the Continuum (5 points).
9. Will the project be able to begin within 12 months?  Yes- 5 points  No – 0 points

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10. Please describe how the need for this project within this geographic area was identified.

5 points for referencing Opening Doors

11. Document potential sources that will allow the program to meet HUD's match requirement (25 percent match).(0-20 points)

20 Points if match requirements are met

12. The CoC prioritizes a Housing First model. Please indicate with a check mark if the proposed project will meet the following criteria. Please note all of the below criteria must be selected in order to meet the Housing First definition. 20 points

a. Will the project ensure that participants are not screened out based on the following items?  Yes, we will not screen out based on any of the below  No

- i. Having too little or no income
- ii. Active or history of substance abuse
- iii. Having a criminal record with exceptions for state-mandated restrictions
- iv. History of domestic violence (e.g. lack of a protective order, period of separation from abuser, or law enforcement involvement)

**AND**

- b. Will the project ensure that participants are not terminated from the program for the following reasons?  Yes  No
- i. Failure to participate in supportive services
  - ii. Failure to make progress on a service plan
  - iii. Loss of income or failure to improve income
  - iv. Being a victim of domestic violence
  - v. Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically found in the project's geographic area.