# Southern Tier Homeless Coalition (STHC)

# Rank & Review Application 2021 Part II – Project / System Performance Narratives

**\*New projects will be weighted during scoring.**

#### PROJECT INFORMATION

*Informational Only*

**1.** Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**2.** Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**3.** Application Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**4.** Project Type:PSH RRH TH SSO (regular)

**5.** FY21 Funding Request: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Leasing $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Rental Assistance $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Supportive Services $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Operations $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Admin $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

#### 6. PROJECT DESCRIPTION In a separate document, provide a brief project overview clearly describing the project’s unique characteristics. Please be as descriptive as possible by using data stated in the project application and the project’s most recent APR as submitted in Sage before March 31, 2021. Response must be 750 words or less.

Please include:

* The target population/s and number of participants served
* Number of contracted beds/units/vouchers and cost per bed
* How participants access the project, as well as project goals and achievements

Please explain:

* The primary services provided to participants
* Supplementary services available to participants
* Barriers to Direct Participation in Coordinated Entry (if applicable) and how you engage with partners involved
* How your project coordinates services with other funded and non-funded providers to leverage services (if applicable.) Please explain any barriers to leveraging and coordination of services
* How collaboration among providers affected the project’s housing stability and/or impacted participant income growth to include non-cash benefits (if applicable)
* How the project is meeting a noted gap in services (either current or prior; including housing) as noted in the Southern Tier Homeless Coalition CoC’s Strategic Plan
* Your FY21 move-on strategy plan.  HUD-defined Move-On Strategy refers to how agencies move participants no longer needing intensive services from CoC funded PSH project to other housing assistance programs (including, but not limited to, HCV and Public Housing) to free up beds for persons experiencing homelessness.

**7. Housing First (0-5 pts)**Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals **without** screening out or terminating based on any of the below criteria. Does your project screen out or terminate based on any of the following: ***Any Yes -*** ***0 All No - 5 pts***

**Yes No**

Having too little or no income

Current or past substance use

Criminal record (except for state-mandated restrictions)

History of domestic violence

Failure to participate in supportive services

Failure to make progress on a service plan

Loss of income or failure to improve income

Being a victim of domestic violence

Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically

found in the project's geographic area.

**8***.* **Continuum Participation (0-5 pts)**

Does the project or agency staff regularly participate in any of the following CoC standing or ad hoc committees (your agency must be represented at a minimum of 9 coalition and/or committee meetings)? *(CARES will verify via attendance sheets*) **□ Yes 5 pts □ No 0 pts**

Board  Governance  Membership

NOFA  HMIS/CE  Community Awareness

SOAR  Jobs Fair  Youth

Integrated Housing

**9. DedicatedDomestic Violence Projects *Only* (0-5 pts)**Outcomes considered positive for DV programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. That said, how does your agency contribute to housing stability across the CoC?

**10. Dedicated Youth Projects *Only* (0-5 pts)**Permanent supportive and transitional housing programs dedicated to youth generally struggle with increasing income for participants. That said, how does your agency support youth in achieving income growth? Please note barriers encountered.