

Before Starting the Project Listings for the CoC Priority Listing

The CoC Consolidated Application requires TWO submissions. Both this Project Priority Listing AND the CoC Application MUST be completed and submitted prior to the CoC Program Competition submission deadline stated in the NOFO.

The CoC Priority Listing includes:

- Reallocation forms – must be completed if the CoC is reallocating eligible renewal projects to create new projects or if a project applicant will transition from an existing component to an eligible new component.
- Project Listings:

- New;
- Renewal;
- UFA Costs;
- CoC Planning;
- YHPD Renewal; and
- YHDP Replacement.
- Attachment Requirement

- HUD-2991, Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan – Collaborative Applicants must attach an accurately completed, signed, and dated HUD-2991.

Things to Remember:

- New and Renewal Project Listings – all project applications must be reviewed, approved and ranked, or rejected based on the local CoC competition process.
- Project applications on the following Project Listings must be approved, they are not ranked per the FY 2021 CoC Program Competition NOFO:

- UFA Costs Project Listing;
- CoC planning Project Listing;
- YHPD Renewal Project Listing; and
- YHDP Replacement Project Listing.
- Collaborative Applicants are responsible for ensuring all project applications accurately appear on the Project Listings and there are no project applications missing from one or more Project Listings.
- For each project application rejected by the CoC the Collaborative Applicant must select the reason for the rejection from the dropdown provided.
- If the Collaborative Applicant needs to amend a project application for any reason, the Collaborative Applicant MUST ensure the amended project is returned to the applicable Project Listing AND ranked BEFORE submitting the CoC Priority Listing to HUD in e-snaps.

Additional training resources are available online on HUD's website.
https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition

1A. Continuum of Care (CoC) Identification

Instructions:

For guidance on completing this form, please reference the FY 2021 CoC Priority Listing Detailed Instructions and FY 2021 CoC Priority Listing Navigational Guide on HUD's website. https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition.

Collaborative Applicant Name: CARES of NY, Inc.

2. Reallocation

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2-1. Is the CoC reallocating funds from one or more eligible renewal grant(s) that will expire in calendar year 2022 into one or more new projects? No

Continuum of Care (CoC) New Project Listing

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EX1_Project_List_Status_field List Updated Successfully

Project Name	Date Submitted	Comp Type	Applicant Name	Budget Amount	Grant Term	Rank	PH/Realloc	PSH/RRH	Expansion
SCAP - PSH Expansion...	2021-10-06 11:44:...	PH	Schenectady Commu...	\$24,837	1 Year	E20	PH Bonus	PSH	Yes
Cara House 2021	2021-10-06 11:39:...	PH	Bethesda House of...	\$200,000	1 Year	19	PH Bonus	PSH	
YWCA DV BONUS 202...	2021-10-12 10:11:...	PH	YWCA of Schenectady	\$338,390	1 Year	D21	DV Bonus	RRH	

Continuum of Care (CoC) Renewal Project Listing

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The Collaborative Applicant certifies that there is a demonstrated need for all renewal permanent supportive housing and rapid re-housing projects listed on the Renewal Project Listing.

The Collaborative Applicant certifies all renewal permanent supportive housing and rapid rehousing projects listed on the Renewal Project Listing comply with program requirements and appropriate standards of quality and habitability.

The Collaborative Applicant does not have any renewal permanent supportive housing or rapid re-housing renewal projects.

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Project Name	Date Submitted	Grant Term	Applicant Name	Budget Amount	Rank	PSH/RRH	Comp Type	Consolidation Type	Expansion Type
Project Safe\Life ...	2021-09-22 15:41:...	1 Year	SAFE Inc. of Sche...	\$49,202	16		SSO		
YWCA DV BONUS REN...	2021-09-27 15:56:...	1 Year	YWCA of Schenectady	\$199,258	1	RRH	PH		

ROSA'S HOUSE CONS...	2021-09-27 16:27:...	1 Year	YWCA of Schenectady	\$360,847	4	PSH	PH		
Mohawk Opportun it...	2021-09-29 11:43:...	1 Year	Mohawk Opportun it...	\$164,067	3	PSH	PH		
Mohawk Opportun it...	2021-09-29 11:43:...	1 Year	Mohawk Opportun it...	\$151,005	11	PSH	PH		
Liberty Consolid a...	2021-10-01 10:55:...	1 Year	Bethesda House of...	\$299,443	10	PSH	PH		
Beacon Residenti a...	2021-10-01 10:49:...	1 Year	Bethesda House of...	\$107,759	15	PSH	PH		
The Lighthouse 2021	2021-10-01 10:58:...	1 Year	Bethesda House of...	\$205,949	12	PSH	PH		
Pathways to the F...	2021-10-01 10:57:...	1 Year	Bethesda House of...	\$150,718	13	PSH	PH		
Coordinated Entry...	2021-10-04 09:42:...	1 Year	Bethesda House of...	\$53,419	17		SSO		
Schenectady Count...	2021-10-05 16:54:...	1 Year	CARES of NY, Inc.	\$30,571	18		HMIS		
SCAP-Sojourn Hou...	2021-10-07 08:57:...	1 Year	Schenectady Commu..	\$169,065	6		TH		
SCAP-CoC RRH (FY...	2021-10-07 08:56:...	1 Year	Schenectady Commu..	\$371,484	5	RRH	PH		
SCAP-PSH 27 (FY2...	2021-10-07 08:55:...	1 Year	Schenectady Commu..	\$606,321	E9	PSH	PH		Expansion
Shelter Plus Care...	2021-10-12 15:59:...	1 Year	Schenectady Munic...	\$613,145	8	PSH	PH		
YMCA SCHENE CTADY ...	2021-10-12 20:08:...	1 Year	City of Schenectady	\$76,981	7	PSH	PH		
YMCA SCHENE CTADY ...	2021-10-12 20:11:...	1 Year	City of Schenectady	\$153,962	14	PSH	PH		
Renewal Project A...	2021-10-18 09:48:...	1 Year	New Choices Recov...	\$733,540	2	PSH	PH		

Continuum of Care (CoC) Planning Project Listing

Instructions:

Prior to starting the CoC Planning Project Listing, review the CoC Priority Listing Detailed Instructions and CoC Priority Listing Navigational Guide available on HUD's website.

To upload the CoC planning project application submitted to this Project Listing, click the "Update List" button. This process may take a few minutes while the project is located in the e-snaps system. You may update each of the Project Listings simultaneously. To review the CoC Planning Project Listing, click on the magnifying glass next to view the project details. To view the actual project application, click on the orange folder. If you identify errors in the project application, you can send the application back to the project applicant to make necessary changes by clicking the amend icon. It is your sole responsibility for ensuring all amended projects are resubmitted, approved and ranked or rejected on this project listing BEFORE submitting the CoC Priority Listing in e-snaps.

Only one CoC planning project application can be submitted and only by the Collaborative Applicant designated by the CoC which must match the Collaborative Applicant information on the CoC Applicant Profile.

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EX1_Project_List_Status_field List Updated Successfully

Project Name	Date Submitted	Grant Term	Applicant Name	Budget Amount	Accepted?
Schenectady Count...	2021-11-02 10:09:...	1 Year	CARES of NY, Inc.	\$134,902	Yes

Continuum of Care (CoC) YHDP Renewal Project Listing

Instructions:

Prior to starting the YHDP Renewal Project Listing, review the CoC Priority Listing Detailed Instructions and CoC Priority Listing Navigational Guide available on HUD's website.

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Project Name	Date Submitted	Applicant Name	Budget Amount	Comp Type	Grant Term	Accepted ?	PSH/RRH	Consolidation Type
This list contains no items								

Continuum of Care (CoC) YHDP Replacement Project Listing

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Funding Summary

Instructions

This page provides the total budget summaries for each of the project listings after the you approved, ranked (New and Renewal Project Listings only), or rejected project applications. You must review this page to ensure the totals for each of the categories is accurate. The "Total CoC Request" indicates the total funding request amount your CoC's Collaborative Applicant will submit to HUD for funding consideration. As stated previously, only 1 UFA Cost project application (for UFA designated Collaborative Applicants only) and only 1 CoC Planning project application can be submitted and only the Collaborative Applicant designated by the CoC is eligible to request these funds.

Title	Total Amount
Renewal Amount	\$4,496,736
New Amount	\$563,227
CoC Planning Amount	\$134,902
YHDP Amount	\$0
Rejected Amount	\$0
TOTAL CoC REQUEST	\$5,194,865

Attachments

Document Type	Required?	Document Description	Date Attached
Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan (HUD-2991)	Yes	HSPB 2991	11/03/2021
FY 2021 Rank Tool (optional)	No	HSPB 2021 Rank Tool	11/03/2021
Other	No		
Other	No		

Attachment Details

Document Description: HSPB 2991

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Submission Summary

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Page	Last Updated
Before Starting	No Input Required
1A. Identification	09/09/2021
2. Reallocation	10/29/2021
5A. CoC New Project Listing	10/22/2021
5B. CoC Renewal Project Listing	10/22/2021
5D. CoC Planning Project Listing	11/02/2021
5E. YHDP Renewal	No Input Required
5F. YHDP Replace	No Input Required
Funding Summary	No Input Required
Attachments	11/03/2021
Submission Summary	No Input Required

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Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan

This attachment contains the following:

1. Signed Certificate of Consistency: **State of New York**
 - a) NY- 507's Project Listing for Certificate of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan 2021

2. Signed Certificate of Consistency: **City of Schenectady, NY**
 - a) NY- 507's Project Listing for Certificate of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan 2021

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(Type or clearly print the following information:)

Applicant Name: CARES of NY, Inc. - Homeless Services Planning Board

Project Name: Schenectady City & County Continuum of Care (NY-507)

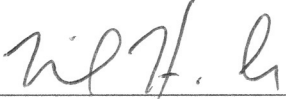
Location of the Project: CoC for Schenectady County, New York
Including the City of Schenectady, New York

Name of the Federal
Program to which the
applicant is applying: HUD Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Program

Name of
Certifying Jurisdiction: New York State

Certifying Official
of the Jurisdiction
Name: Michael Weber

Title: Deputy Commissioner of Strategic Management

Signature: 

Date: October 19, 2021

NEW PROJECTS

Schenectady Community Action Program (SCAP)

SCAP PSH Expansion

Project Description: This project expands SCAP's established PSH to target households experiencing chronic homelessness where the head of the household has a disability. SCAP's goal is to provide permanent housing through subsidized rent, and assistance in building social and economic support systems.

YWCA of Schenectady dba YWCA Northeastern NY

YWCA DV Bonus Expansion

Project Description: The YWCA proposes to expand its current RRH services to provide housing for survivors of Domestic Violence in the Capital Region. The YWCA screens potential clients, collects pertinent data from clients accepted to the program, locates appropriate housing, and ensures that the client is prepared to maintain housing with case management as needed. The program provides funding for deposits and 9 months of rent on a step-down basis.

CARES of NY, Inc.

Schenectady County CoC Planning Project

Project Description: CARES is requesting funding to support the operations of the CoC. Proposed funds will support coordination and facilitation of the CoC's processes; including strengthening the current CoC system, assisting with the development and implementation of a coordinated assessment system, conducting project evaluation and monitoring, conducting an annual gaps analysis and Point-in-Time Count, participating in the Consolidated Plan, and preparing and submitting the CoC's application to HUD.

Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.

Cara House

Project Description: BH is requesting funding to support operations costs related to 26 permanent supportive housing (PSH) units/beds that will be located on the second and third floor of the agency's new soon-to-be-constructed facility, Cara House. The PSH target populations are individuals who are CH as defined by HUD, including individuals who are re-entering the community from incarceration, with an emphasis on those with one or more disabling conditions. Cara House will provide on-site supportive services addressing the whole person to ensure housing stability and encourage independence. Schenectady County DSS staff will triage clients, identify needs, and directly refer clients to emergency shelters and subsequently will be in the Coordinated Entry system.

RENEWAL PROJECTS

CARES of NY, Inc.

Schenectady County of the Capital Region HMIS

Grant PIN: NY0106

Project Description: CARES requests continued funding to support an HMIS program for CoC NY-507. This is a data collection program that holds client level data. Participation in the HMIS is a requirement for all recipients of CoC and Emergency Solutions Grant funds.

New Choices Recovery Center

New Choices Recovery Center – S Plus C

Grant PIN: NY0102

Project Description: New Choices Recovery Center requests continued funding to support a 68 bed Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program. This rental project provides housing assistance and case management services for permanent housing for individuals/families with disabilities. The focus population is individuals with substance abuse histories.

Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.

Bethesda House - Pathways to the Future

Grant PIN: NY0801

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support 12 single units of PSH in Schenectady. This project provides leasing, operating, and support services for clients. The project follows the Housing First model with a number of supportive services available upon client request. The project includes some units designated for chronically homeless disabled adults.

Bethesda House - The Lighthouse

Grant PIN: NY0113

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support a PSH program in Schenectady. The Lighthouse residence provides permanent supportive housing for seven formerly chronically homeless disabled adults. The Lighthouse is a Housing First model with a ninety-five percent success rate of participants remaining continuously housed for more than three years.

Bethesda House - Liberty Consolidated

Grant PIN: NY0097

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support a PSH program in Schenectady. This project provides leasing, operating, and support services for residents in PSH. The project follows the Housing First model with a number of supportive services available upon client's request. The project includes some units designated for chronically homeless disabled adults.

Bethesda House – Coordinated Entry Schenectady Co.

Grant PIN: NY1034

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support the CoC CE system. All CoC-funded programs are required to participate in the CE system. The referral and housing placement process ensures all households experiencing homelessness will receive rapid and appropriate assistance. Schenectady CoC's Coordinated Entry System operates as a “no wrong door” approach. The system ensures client centered services are allocated as effectively as possible and are easily accessible no matter where people present.

Bethesda House - Beacon Residential Program

Grant PIN: NY1131

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support a PSH program in Schenectady. Beacon Residential Program will provide PSH to 16 single adults (16 units) who are of very low or no-income and who are chronically homeless as defined by HUD. Bethesda House serves the hardest to serve individuals, often barred from other agencies due to severe and persistent mental ill, chemical dependency or cognitive impairments. The project plan for addressing identified housing and supportive service needs follows the Housing First model, focusing on moving people into housing directly from streets and shelters without preconditions of treatment acceptance or compliance.

SAFE Inc. of Schenectady

SAFE Inc of Sch'dy – Project Safe/Life Skills Program

Grant PIN: NY0105

Project Description: SAFE Inc. of Schenectady requests continued funding for their support services program. This program serves 80 individuals (youths) annually who have a dual diagnosis of substance abuse, mental health disorders and are homeless. The individuals in the program are provided with advocacy to ensure that they find and remain in safe permanent housing. These individuals are also provided with supportive services to ensure that they are able to increase their skills and/or income to help them become more self-sufficient.

YWCA of Schenectady

YWCA Schenectady - Rosa's House Expansion

Grant PIN: NY0664

Project Description: Rosa's House requests continued funding to support its Permanent PSH program. Case management services are provided to assist the residents with skills necessary to maintain permanent housing, obtain employment, and continue treatment for mental health and addiction issues.

YWCA DV Bonus

Grant PIN: NY1254

Project Description: YWCA NENY is proposing a Rapid Rehousing Project to serve a minimum of 17 households. With the help of these funds, we will be able to impact and address the gap of affordable housing opportunities in our community for survivors of domestic violence. The Rapid Rehousing Case Manager will participate in the Coordinated Entry, processing referrals from the Coordinated Entry and serve as a domestic violence expert for the group to assist and consult on domestic violence cases. The RRH Case Manager will use a housing first approach with qualifying individuals and families to address any barriers or areas that the client identifies as inhibiting stable long-term housing.

Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority

SMHA – Shelter Plus Care

Grant PIN: NY0109

Project Description: Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority requests funding to continue support of its PSH program in Schenectady County. This program helps residents who are homeless and disabled due to serious mental illness, chronic substance abuse, and/or HIV/AIDS. The program is funded to provide 46 units of housing.

Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.

SCAP - Sojourn House

Grant PIN: NY0110

Project Description: Schenectady Community Action Program requests continued funding for their 7-unit Transitional Housing (TH) program in Schenectady County. This is a transitional housing program for homeless pregnant and/or parenting women and their children--the only program of its kind in Schenectady County. Sojourn is a congregate care facility that provides comprehensive services including meals, transportation, case management, housing location, and supportive services.

SCAP – PSH 27

Grant PIN: NY0104

Project Description: Schenectady Community Action Program requests continued funding for their PSH program in Schenectady County. This project provides 27 units of housing and comprehensive support services to homeless families with a diagnosed mental illness, substance abuse, or HIV/AIDS condition who live in scattered site apartments. HUD funding pays for rental subsidies and case management.

SCAP – CoC RRH

Grant PIN: NY1035

Project Description: Schenectady Community Action Program requests continued funding RRH program serving approximately 76 individuals in Schenectady County. SCAP in partnership with the Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York administers a Rapid Rehousing project in

Schenectady County that serves homeless households coming directly from the streets or emergency shelters. SCAP will assist households move into stable housing quickly, utilizing a Housing First approach. Program components involve identifying a housing location, providing legal and eligible financial assistance (including short and/or medium term tenant-based rental assistance; security deposits not to exceed two months of rent; advance payment of last month's rent), tenant rights and responsibilities education, landlord/tenant mediation services, habitability inspections, case management services and connection to support services.

Mohawk Opportunities, Inc.

Mohawk Opportunities - PSH

Grant PIN: NY0575

Project Description: Mohawk Opportunities is requesting funding to support their PSH program in Schenectady County. This program provides rental subsidies for thirteen formerly homeless individuals with disabilities related to mental illness. This program utilizes a Housing First approach.

Mohawk Opportunities - CoC 14 Units

Grant PIN: NY0111

Project Description: Mohawk Opportunities is requesting funding to support their PSH program in Schenectady County. In the past year, this program served eight individuals with histories of chronic homelessness and diagnoses of severe mental illness through the provision of rental subsidies and supportive services. This program utilizes a Housing First approach.

City of Schenectady

YMCA Schenectady - S Plus C DUP09A 10 unit

Grant PIN: NY0107

Project Description: The City of Schenectady requests funds to continue support for their Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program. This project serves ten men ages eighteen and up who are Schenectady County Residents and are currently homeless with a disability. Each YMCA resident receives a room and case management services. All the men of the Shelter plus Care program are connected to an outpatient provider to address their disability. The case managers at the YMCA have weekly conferences with the clinical provider to ensure attendance and the follow through of the clinical requirements at the Residence Program.

YMCA Schenectady - S Plus C DUP09B 20 unit

Grant PIN: NY0108

Project Description: The City of Schenectady requests funds to continue support for their Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program. This project serves twenty men ages eighteen and up who are Schenectady County Residents and are currently homeless with a disability. Each YMCA resident receives a room and case management services. All the clients are connected to an outpatient provider to address their disability. The case managers at the YMCA have weekly

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Location of the Project: CoC for Schenectady County, New York
Including the City of Schenectady, New York

Name of the Federal Program to which the applicant is applying: HUD Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Program

Name of Certifying Jurisdiction: City of Schenectady

Certifying Official of the Jurisdiction Name: Gary McCarthy

Title: Mayor

Signature: *Gary H. McCarthy* *Kend*

Date: 10/20/2011

NEW PROJECTS

Schenectady Community Action Program (SCAP)

SCAP PSH Expansion

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RENEWAL PROJECTS

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New Choices Recovery Center

New Choices Recovery Center – S Plus C

Grant PIN: NY0102

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Bethesda House - Pathways to the Future

Grant PIN: NY0801

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support 12 single units of PSH in Schenectady. This project provides leasing, operating, and support services for clients. The project follows the Housing First model with a number of supportive services available upon client request. The project includes some units designated for chronically homeless disabled adults.

Bethesda House - The Lighthouse

Grant PIN: NY0113

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support a PSH program in Schenectady. The Lighthouse residence provides permanent supportive housing for seven formerly chronically homeless disabled adults. The Lighthouse is a Housing First model with a ninety-five percent success rate of participants remaining continuously housed for more than three years.

Bethesda House - Liberty Consolidated

Grant PIN: NY0097

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support a PSH program in Schenectady. This project provides leasing, operating, and support services for residents in PSH. The project follows the Housing First model with a number of supportive services available upon client's request. The project includes some units designated for chronically homeless disabled adults.

Bethesda House – Coordinated Entry Schenectady Co.

Grant PIN: NY1034

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support the CoC CE system. All CoC-funded programs are required to participate in the CE system. The referral and housing placement process ensures all households experiencing homelessness will receive rapid and appropriate assistance. Schenectady CoC’s Coordinated Entry System operates as a “no wrong door” approach. The system ensures client centered services are allocated as effectively as possible and are easily accessible no matter where people present.

Bethesda House - Beacon Residential Program

Grant PIN: NY1131

Project Description: Bethesda House requests continued funding to support a PSH program in Schenectady. Beacon Residential Program will provide PSH to 16 single adults (16 units) who are of very low or no-income and who are chronically homeless as defined by HUD. Bethesda House serves the hardest to serve individuals, often barred from other agencies due to severe and persistent mental ill, chemical dependency or cognitive impairments. The project plan for addressing identified housing and supportive service needs follows the Housing First model, focusing on moving people into housing directly from streets and shelters without preconditions of treatment acceptance or compliance.

SAFE Inc. of Schenectady

SAFE Inc of Sch’dy – Project Safe/Life Skills Program

Grant PIN: NY0105

Project Description: SAFE Inc. of Schenectady requests continued funding for their support services program. This program serves 80 individuals (youths) annually who have a dual diagnosis of substance abuse, mental health disorders and are homeless. The individuals in the program are provided with advocacy to ensure that they find and remain in safe permanent housing. These individuals are also provided with supportive services to ensure that they are able to increase their skills and/or income to help them become more self-sufficient.

YWCA of Schenectady

YWCA Schenectady - Rosa's House Expansion

Grant PIN: NY0664

Project Description: Rosa's House requests continued funding to support its Permanent PSH program. Case management services are provided to assist the residents with skills necessary to maintain permanent housing, obtain employment, and continue treatment for mental health and addiction issues.

YWCA DV Bonus

Grant PIN: NY1254

Project Description: YWCA NENY is proposing a Rapid Rehousing Project to serve a minimum of 17 households. With the help of these funds, we will be able to impact and address the gap of affordable housing opportunities in our community for survivors of domestic violence. The Rapid Rehousing Case Manager will participate in the Coordinated Entry, processing referrals from the Coordinated Entry and serve as a domestic violence expert for the group to assist and consult on domestic violence cases. The RRH Case Manager will use a housing first approach with qualifying individuals and families to address any barriers or areas that the client identifies as inhibiting stable long-term housing.

Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority

SMHA – Shelter Plus Care

Grant PIN: NY0109

Project Description: Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority requests funding to continue support of its PSH program in Schenectady County. This program helps residents who are homeless and disabled due to serious mental illness, chronic substance abuse, and/or HIV/AIDS. The program is funded to provide 46 units of housing.

Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.

SCAP - Sojourn House

Grant PIN: NY0110

Project Description: Schenectady Community Action Program requests continued funding for their 7-unit Transitional Housing (TH) program in Schenectady County. This is a transitional housing program for homeless pregnant and/or parenting women and their children--the only program of its kind in Schenectady County. Sojourn is a congregate care facility that provides comprehensive services including meals, transportation, case management, housing location, and supportive services.

SCAP – PSH 27

Grant PIN: NY0104

Project Description: Schenectady Community Action Program requests continued funding for their PSH program in Schenectady County. This project provides 27 units of housing and comprehensive support services to homeless families with a diagnosed mental illness, substance abuse, or HIV/AIDS condition who live in scattered site apartments. HUD funding pays for rental subsidies and case management.

SCAP – CoC RRH

Grant PIN: NY1035

Project Description: Schenectady Community Action Program requests continued funding RRH program serving approximately 76 individuals in Schenectady County. SCAP in partnership with the Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York administers a Rapid Rehousing project in

Schenectady County that serves homeless households coming directly from the streets or emergency shelters. SCAP will assist households move into stable housing quickly, utilizing a Housing First approach. Program components involve identifying a housing location, providing legal and eligible financial assistance (including short and/or medium term tenant-based rental assistance; security deposits not to exceed two months of rent; advance payment of last month's rent), tenant rights and responsibilities education, landlord/tenant mediation services, habitability inspections, case management services and connection to support services.

Mohawk Opportunities, Inc.

Mohawk Opportunities - PSH

Grant PIN: NY0575

Project Description: Mohawk Opportunities is requesting funding to support their PSH program in Schenectady County. This program provides rental subsidies for thirteen formerly homeless individuals with disabilities related to mental illness. This program utilizes a Housing First approach.

Mohawk Opportunities - CoC 14 Units

Grant PIN: NY0111

Project Description: Mohawk Opportunities is requesting funding to support their PSH program in Schenectady County. In the past year, this program served eight individuals with histories of chronic homelessness and diagnoses of severe mental illness through the provision of rental subsidies and supportive services. This program utilizes a Housing First approach.

City of Schenectady

YMCA Schenectady - S Plus C DUP09A 10 unit

Grant PIN: NY0107

Project Description: The City of Schenectady requests funds to continue support for their Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program. This project serves ten men ages eighteen and up who are Schenectady County Residents and are currently homeless with a disability. Each YMCA resident receives a room and case management services. All the men of the Shelter plus Care program are connected to an outpatient provider to address their disability. The case managers at the YMCA have weekly conferences with the clinical provider to ensure attendance and the follow through of the clinical requirements at the Residence Program.

YMCA Schenectady - S Plus C DUP09B 20 unit

Grant PIN: NY0108

Project Description: The City of Schenectady requests funds to continue support for their Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program. This project serves twenty men ages eighteen and up who are Schenectady County Residents and are currently homeless with a disability. Each YMCA resident receives a room and case management services. All the clients are connected to an outpatient provider to address their disability. The case managers at the YMCA have weekly

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conferences with the clinical provider to ensure attendance and the follow through of the clinical requirements at the Residence Program.

HSPB 2021 Ranking and Tiering

Rank	Score	Applicant Name	Program Name	Funding Amount	Grant Number
1		YWCA of Schenectady	DV Bonus 2020-21	\$199,258	NY1254D2C072001
2	181	New Choices Recovery Center	New Choices Recovery Center - S Plus C (2019)	\$733,540	NY0102L2C071811
3	171	Mohawk Opportunities, Inc.	Mohawk Opportunities- PSH (2019)	\$164,067	NY0575L2C071810
4	170	YWCA of Schenectady	YWCA of Schenectady-Rosa's House Expansion (2019)	\$360,847	NY0664L2C071807
5	169.5	Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.	SCAP - CoC RRH (2019)	\$371,484	NY1035L2C071803
6	169	Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.	SCAP - Sojourn House (2019)	\$169,065	NY0110L2C071811
7	166	City of Schenectady	YMCA Schenectady - S Plus C DUP09A 10 unit (2019)	\$76,981	NY0107L2C071811
8	165	Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority	SMHA Shelter Plus Care (2019)	\$613,145	NY0109L2C071811
9	164	Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.	SCAP - PSH 27 (2019)	\$606,321	NY0104L2C071811
10	163	Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.	Liberty Consolidated 2019	\$299,443	NY0097L2C071811
11	162	Mohawk Opportunities, Inc.	Mohawk Opportunities- CoC 14 Unit (2019)	\$151,005	NY0111L2C071811
12	161	Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.	The Lighthouse 2019	\$205,949	NY0113L2C071811
13	157	Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.	Pathways to the Future 2019	\$150,718	NY0801L2C071808
14	154	City of Schenectady	YMCA Schenectady - S Plus C DUP09B 20 unit (2019)	\$153,962	NY0108L2C071811
15	151	Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.	Beacon Residential Program 2019	\$107,759	NY1131L2C071802
16	102	Safe Inc., of Schenectady	Safe Inc. of Sch'dy - Project Safe/LifeSkills Program (2019)	\$49,202	NY0105L2C071811
17		Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.	Coordinated Entry Schenectady Co 2019	\$53,419	NY1034L2C071803
18		Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc.	Schenectady County Portion of the Capital Region HMIS (2019)	\$30,571	NY0106L2C071811
B1	96	Bethesda House of Schenectady, Inc.	Cara House	\$200,000	
B2	95	Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.	PSH Expansion	\$24,837	
DV1	93	YWCA of Schenectady	YWCA DV Bonus Expansion	\$338,390	

Annual Renewal Demand	\$4,496,736
Tier 1	\$4,496,736
Tier 2	\$563,227
Planning	\$134,902
Bonus	\$224,837
DV	\$338,390

Expansions	Applicant Name	Renewal Project	Expansion Project
	Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.	SCAP - PSH 27 (2019)	PSH Expansion
	YWCA of Schenectady	YWCA DV Bonus 2020-2021	YWCA DV Bonus Expansion

Consolidations	Surviving Pin	Applicant Name	Renewal Project 1	Renewal Project 2	Consolidated Project Name	Consolidated Funding Request