

NEW PROJECTS

CARES of NY, Inc.

Columbia/Greene CoC Planning Project

Project Description: CARES of NY, Inc. requests funds 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.

Columbia Greene DV Coordinated Entry Expansion (2023): CARES of New York Inc. requests funds to expand the DV Coordinated Entry, serving both counties, to allow for dedicated Domestic Violence and Homeless Housing Navigator staff conduct outreach to the increasing number of DV victims currently experiencing homelessness. This staff will assist clients with the CE application process, maintain the DV CE eligibility list and work in tandem with DV Housing Navigator, shelter and housing case managers and other DV (and non-DV) homeless and housing providers to assist with locating and facilitating access to safe affordable housing.

St Catherine's Center for Children (SCCC)

Columbia Greene/Permanent Supportive Project (PSH) Expansion: SCCC requests funds to support an expansion of its existing PSH program which currently serves 4 family and 4 individual units with supportive services. This expansion will add one additional unit to the program. All beds are dedicated to Chronic Homeless with severe service needs. The program will target households with Substance Abuse Disorder or Serious Mental Illness. Supportive services focus on recovery, financial budgeting and parenting. Using a Housing First Model, services are voluntary, recovery focused, and client driven. Through our scattered sites, participants have a flexible array of support services that case managers connect clients to throughout both Columbia and Greene Counties.

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CARES of NY, Inc.

Columbia Greene DV Coordinated Entry Project

Grant PIN: NY1444

Project Description: CARES of NY, Inc. requests continued funding to provide resources necessary for CARES to continue the review, development and implementation of policies, procedures, and practices to equip the CoC's current Coordinated Entry system to more safely and effectively meet the needs of survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault and/or stalking. With funding, CARES plans to complete a thorough review of current CE to identify all current safety, confidentiality and access issues and barriers; research and review best practices for the inclusion of domestic violence survivors into the larger CE system; create and implement appropriate and sustainable policies, procedures and protocols that are trauma informed, client centered, and align with the Housing First model.

Columbia Greene HMIS

Grant PIN: NY0590

Project Description: CARES of NY, Inc. requests continued funding for the HMIS program. This is a data collection program which holds client level data. Participation in HMIS is a federal requirement for all recipients of CoC and Emergency Solutions/Solutions to End Homelessness Program (STEHP) funds.

St. Catherine's Center for Children

CG PSH

Grant PIN: NY0175

Project Description: St. Catherine's Center for Children requests continued funding to support a Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program in Columbia-Greene County. This will be a Permanent Supportive Housing program for a total of seven households including two individuals and five families in scattered site apartments.

The Mental Health Association of Columbia - Greene Counties (MHACG)

MHA Columbia Greene - P16

Grant PIN: NY0591

Project Description: MHACG requests continued funding to support a Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program that serves Columbia-Greene County. The project provides Permanent Supportive Housing for a total of eleven households including nine individuals (one chronically homeless individual) and two families in seven scattered site apartments.

MHA Columbia Greene - P2S

Grant PIN: NY0671

Project Description: MHACG requests continued funding to support a Permanent Supportive (PSH) program that serves Columbia-Greene County. The target population of this grant consists of 16 household units: 3 households are dedicated to homeless families with at least one parent disabled by mental illness (SMI) and their children; 7 are dedicated to individuals with SMI who meet the HUD criteria for chronic homelessness; and 6 are for 6 individuals who are literally homeless and are disabled by mental illness.

Community Action of Greene County, Inc.

PSH Chronic

Grant PIN: NY0593

Project Description: Community Action of Greene County requests continued funding to support a Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program in Greene County. The project provides Permanent Supportive Housing for two chronically homeless single adults in two scattered site apartments.

Supportive Housing for Homeless Families

Grant PIN: NY0782

Project Description: Community Action of Greene County requests continued funding to support a Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program in Greene County. The project provides Permanent Supportive Housing for three families (women and children only) affected by domestic violence. This project includes subsidies and supportive services.

RR for Victims of Domestic Violence

Grant PIN: NY1267

Description: Community Action of Greene County requests continued funding to assist single victims of domestic violence obtain permanent housing. The project provides first month's rent and security, as well as rental assistance up to 24 months for x number of single individuals. Through this rapid rehousing program, long term support will be available allowing the survivors more time to seek supports and stabilize in their communities.

Columbia Opportunities, Inc.

COI Chronic Homeless Project

Grant PIN: NY0174

Project Description: Columbia Opportunities requests continued funding to support a Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program in Columbia County. This is a Permanent Supportive Housing program for one chronically homeless adult in one apartment.