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1C-7. PHA Homeless Preference	No	PHA Homeless Pref...	10/24/2024
1C-7. PHA Moving On Preference	No	PHA Moving On Pre...	10/24/2024
1D-10a. Lived Experience Support Letter	Yes	Lived Experience ...	10/24/2024
1D-2a. Housing First Evaluation	Yes	Housing First Eva...	10/25/2024
1E-2. Local Competition Scoring Tool	Yes	Local Competition...	10/25/2024
1E-2a. Scored Forms for One Project	Yes	Scored Forms for ...	10/25/2024
1E-5. Notification of Projects Rejected-Reduced	Yes	Notification of P...	10/25/2024
1E-5a. Notification of Projects Accepted	Yes	Notification of P...	10/24/2024
1E-5b. Local Competition Selection Results	Yes	Local Competition...	10/24/2024
1E-5c. Web Posting—CoC-Approved Consolidated Application	Yes	Web Posting—CoC-A...	10/24/2024
1E-5d. Notification of CoC-Approved Consolidated Application	Yes	Notification of C...	10/24/2024

2A-6. HUD's Homeless Data Exchange (HDX) Competition Report	Yes	Homeless Data Exc...	10/24/2024
3A-1a. Housing Leveraging Commitments	No	Housing Leveragin...	10/24/2024
3A-2a. Healthcare Formal Agreements	No	Healthcare Formal...	10/24/2024
3C-2. Project List for Other Federal Statutes	No		
Other	No		

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Submission Summary

Ensure that the Project Priority List is complete prior to submitting.

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Submission Summary	No Input Required

1C-7. Public Housing Agencies within Your CoC's Geographic Area–New Admissions–
General/Limited Preference

This attachment contains the following:

1. **Albany Housing Authority** – PHA
 - a. Administrative Plan – Limited Preference - Highlighted Section: Homeless Preference
2. **Town of Colonie** - HCV Administrator
 - a. Administrative Plan – General Preference - Highlighted Section: Homeless Preference

1C-7. Public Housing Agencies within Your CoC's Geographic Area–New Admissions–
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- a. Administrative Plan – Limited - Up to 20 families per year -
Highlighted Section: Homeless Preference

4-III.C. SELECTION METHOD

PHAs must describe the method for selecting applicant families from the waiting list, including the system of admission preferences that the PHA will use [24 CFR 982.202(d)].

Local Preferences [24 CFR 982.207; HCV p. 4-16]

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PHA Policy

In the case of a Federally declared disaster, the PHA reserves the right for its Executive Director to suspend its preference system for whatever duration the Executive Director feels is appropriate and to admit victims of the disaster to the program instead of those who would be normally admitted.

Any other provisions of this policy can also be suspended during the emergency at the discretion of the Executive Director so long as the provision suspended does not violate a law. If regulatory waivers are necessary, they shall be promptly requested of the HUD Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

The PHA has a number of vouchers that are set-aside for special programs and preferences for those will be dictated by the program and addressed in the amendment to the policy for each program.

The PHA will select all other families based on the following preferences:

#1 A-F are equally weighted and will take preference over all other admissions. If funding is available, they will be considered special admissions and will be briefed and qualified for a voucher immediately.

#1A: Individuals and families referred by the New York State Solutions to End Homelessness (STEHP) and the City of Albany Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Programs. The PHA will accept a total of up to a combined 20 STEHP and ESG participant applications for public housing or Section 8 assistance in a calendar year (including both programs combined). Where all other considerations are equal, residents of the City of Albany will be selected before non-residents. These ESG applications may be accepted even when the waiting list is closed.

#1B: Federal Safe Home Program Participants

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2. Town of Colonie - HCV Administrator

- a. Administrative Plan – Limited - Only given preference over single non-disabled non-elderly - Highlighted Section: Homeless Preference



Housing Choice Voucher Administrative Plan

CARES NY

JOSEPH E. MASTRIANNI, INC.

1/1/2015

Amended 1/1/2017 & 8/1/2017 & 8/9/2019

If an applicant is claiming a preference because the applicant or another family member works or has been hired to work in the PHA's jurisdiction, proof of place of work is required. Lack of such proof does not render the preliminary application incomplete, but a preference for this reason will not be granted without such proof.

Completed preliminary applications submitted by persons interested in housing assistance are date stamped as received and processed in order of date received. Since the vast majority of the preliminary applications received by the PHA arrive by mail at the same time each day, no purpose would be served by also time stamping applications. Preliminary applications are ordered automatically as they are entered into the PHA waiting list software program.

Incomplete preliminary applications are returned to applicants with instructions for completing the preliminary application. The original date stamp will not be honored and will be re-stamped once the application is received by the PHA.

Persons claiming to be disabled that have submitted incomplete preliminary applications are contacted in person to determine if their disability caused the preliminary application to be incomplete and offered assistance if required.

If a preliminary application indicates that an applicant is not eligible for housing assistance, written notice is sent to the applicant explaining why they are not eligible for housing assistance and the applicant is offered an informal review of the PHA's decision.

Waiting List Preferences

Preference in assigning applicants to the waiting list, starting with those assigned a first preference as the highest category, will be in accordance with the following preference system:

First Preference

Applicants who live, work, or have been notified that they have been hired to work within the jurisdiction of the PHA, or applicants with family members who work, or have been notified that they have been hired to work within the jurisdiction of the PHA.

Second Preference

Applicants who do not live or work, or have not been notified that they have been hired to work within the jurisdiction of the PHA or do not have a family member that works or has been notified that they have been hired to work within the jurisdiction of the PHA.

Elderly Preference

Elderly, disabled, displaced, **homeless**, single persons and families of not more than two members whose head, co-head or spouse is elderly or disabled will be given preference over single persons who are not elderly, disabled, or displaced, irrespective of any other preference.

Targeted Preference

As needed, targeted preferences shall be given to applicants within established preferences that fall into special targeted areas as defined by HUD for any funded increment, such as Mainstream funding. Targeted preferences sort above the first preference.

Coeymans Special Preference Removed 1/1/2017

If a preliminary application indicates that a family is potentially eligible, that family will be placed on the waiting list in the appropriate category, even if there are immediate vacancies available in the program. All applicants are placed on the waiting list because of the need to track assisting families according to PHA policies and HUD regulations.

Applicants placed on the waiting list are notified of such placement in writing. Due to income targeting requirements, applicants are not provided with an approximation of the length of time they will remain on the waiting list before being considered for occupancy.

Effective Date of Placement and Preference on Waiting List

Initial placement on the waiting list is always the date a completed preliminary application is received by the PHA. If a completed application is not received by the PHA, the family is not assigned an effective date of application.

Effective date of families placed on the waiting list that qualify for a residency preference never changes after that family qualifies for a residency preference, even if the family moves out of the PHA's jurisdiction.

When families that have been placed on the waiting list without a residency preference move into the PHA's jurisdiction or otherwise qualify for a residency preference, the effective date of the family's preliminary application will be changed to the date the family qualified for a residency preference.

When singles under the age of sixty-two have been placed on the waiting list and become sixty-two years of age, the application date will be changed to the date the single became sixty-two years of age. Should a single become disabled, the application date will be changed to the date the applicant notified the PHA.

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MOVING ON STRATEGIES FOR RECOGNITION OF TENANT INDEPENDENCE

Albany County Coalition to End Homelessness (ACCH, the Albany County Care Continuum of Care) has created a Moving On Strategy to transition households in Supportive Housing (including Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) and Rapid Rehousing (RRH) who no longer need intensive services to affordable housing. This strategy is broken into Phase I and Phase II and sets out the actions ACCH will take to ensure the community has suitable long-term, affordable housing options for tenants ready to move on, and that tenants have the skills and are empowered to make this decision. The fundamental goal of the Moving On Strategy is to promote the highest levels of independence and choice for tenants, as well as to create flow in supportive housing units to ensure these units are available for currently homeless families and individuals with disabilities who need housing combined with services. Promoting economic mobility and self-sufficiency, the Moving On Strategy is first and foremost about celebrating growth, recovery and tenant success, and ensures all services are provided using strengths-based language and a recovery-focused model. Below details the CoC's process for identifying tenants who are eligible to move on; documentation needed to request ideal candidates for the strategy; and providing guidance for tenants on safety and security while prioritizing resources where they are most needed. The plan is based on a model Moving On strategy discussed by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Corporation for Supportive Housing. The ACCH Systems, Operations and future Resource Development Committees will be responsible for providing regular trainings, resources, relationship building, and outcome tracking to support implementation of and monitor the Moving On Strategy.

Recruiting Affordable Housing Providers

The Moving On Strategy targets existing tenants in supportive housing who are stable and require only minimal supportive services. These tenants are, with client choice, assisted to transition to a mainstream rent subsidy (typically the Housing Choice Voucher program) or an affordable housing unit, which frees up their subsidy for someone who is chronically homeless and needs the intensive services and long-term subsidies offered in supportive housing. The mainstream rent subsidy may include programs like Public Housing Authorities (PHAs), multifamily assisted housing owners, Low Income Tax Credit (LIHTC) developments, and local low-income housing programs. Phase I of the Moving On Strategy has been implemented with Albany Housing Authority (AHA), who has a preference for individuals and families moving on from RRH units. Phase II of the Moving On Strategy will include recruiting other local affordable housing providers to participate in the program, by setting preferences for tenants moving on from supportive housing.

Identifying Households for Moving On

Housing providers identify households in supportive housing that may be ready to move on through ongoing case management with tenants. Specifically, program staff meet with tenants on an ongoing basis to establish tenant goals and set a plan towards meeting those goals, utilizing strengths-based language and a recovery-focused model. Program staff implement a client-choice model by ensuring tenants know there is a voluntary option to move on. Program staff ensure tenants interested in moving on (1) have demonstrated the ability to live stably and maintain housing, (2) will meet PHA (or other affordable housing providers) screening criteria, and (3) understand the decision to move on from supportive housing is voluntary. During Phase II of this strategy, a standardized assessment for moving on will be developed and implemented.

Program staff work with tenants to create a formal and comprehensive transition plan that identifies tenant strengths, living skills and the supports necessary to help them meet transition goals. Pre-transition plans are individualized to meet the specific needs of each household. Some common resources or supports tenants often need and are connected to include employment supports, benefits counseling, activities of daily living

skills, community living skills, and connection to community-based services. As households volunteer, housing providers make referrals to the PHA (or other affordable housing providers).

Eligibility Considerations for Tenants

Individuals are identified by housing provider program staff who work directly with clients in the housing programs. Clients should meet four basic criteria in order to be recommended to move on: 1) a good rental history of on-time payments, 2) evidence of “good neighbor” behavior without any complaints or property management conflicts, 3) supported progress of quantitative areas and 4) low service needs.

Housing providers identify households in supportive housing who may be candidates for moving on by analyzing observations (interviews/survey’s, demonstrated ability to live stably and maintain housing or any other mitigating circumstances) combined with quantitative key areas for assessing tenant capacity, motivation, confidence and emotional readiness. These key quantitative areas include:

- Emotional independence (interest and confidence in moving on)
- Financial Capacity (employment, income, savings, budgeting skills)
- Housing history (housing tenure, rent arrears, past evictions, neighbor/landlord relationships)
- Intensity of service use (need for on-site services)
- Health/behavioral health (substance use, mental health, medication management, treatment engagement, mobility)
- Connection to mainstream resources (rental supports if needed),
- Connection to family or other natural supports,
- Community living skills (self-managing behavior, limit setting relating to drugs, etc.),
- Activities of daily living skills (ability to get meals, keep apartment clean, follow lease), and
- Housing goals (location, size, affordability, live with family/friends)

Transition Services

Housing Providers are required to provide assistance with locating and securing a housing unit; case management to support transition including but not limited to assistance building linkages to community supports and services, such as mental and physical health services, substance use treatment, stores for groceries and other necessities, recreational activities and public transportation options; and support with landlord negotiations. Services offered may also include providing funds to cover moving services, utility deposits/arrears and furniture/household items; and assistance with family reunification.

Aftercare Supports

ACCH recommends housing providers offer voluntary aftercare services to individuals who have moved on for at least six months after their move-out, and track types of supports provided and outcomes of those supports. It is recommended housing providers provide a minimum of two check-ins per month that can be in-person, by phone or by email.

Creating a Culture of Moving On

ACCH believes a programmatic reward/incentive structure for Moving On can assist in further promoting a culture of independence and self-sufficiency. The CoC will develop a variety of strategies to publicize and build interest in Moving On opportunities, including providing trainings on and working with providers to: post fliers in highly visible locations; host community meetings on Moving On; conducting one-on-one outreach to tenants; and encourage Moving On peers to talk about their experiences and engage tenants.

Moving On Timing and Availability

ACCH understands a Moving On request may not be able to be satisfied immediately due to a variety of variables.

However, the housing program will act as quickly as possible with community partners to move a tenant into appropriate affordable housing.

Ongoing CoC Assessment of Moving On Strategy

Once annually the CoC will assess the success of this Moving On Strategy, reviewing number/percentage of persons who have moved on and rate of retention in affordable housing destinations. The CoC will also discuss strengths/weaknesses related to the strategy's recommendations for recruiting affordable housing providers, identifying households for moving on, eligibility considerations for tenants, transition services, aftercare supports, and creating a culture of moving on.

1D-10a: **Active CoC Participation** of Individuals with Lived Experience of Homelessness.

This attachment details the support letters of NY-503 from individuals with lived experience of homelessness. It includes:

1. Signed Letter from the Chairperson of the CoC's Ad Hoc Committee of individuals with lived experience of homelessness.
2. Minutes from the CoC Board confirming the establishment of their Ad Hoc Committee.

1D-10a: **Active CoC Participation** of Individuals with Lived Experience of Homelessness.

1. Signed Letter from the Chairperson of the CoC's Ad Hoc Committee of individuals with lived experience of homelessness.

To Whom it May Concern,

The NY-503 Albany County CoC has established an ad hoc committee for Persons with Lived Experience of Homelessness named: Lived Experience Advisory Board. The intent of the Committee is to gather first-person feedback to develop the CoC's priorities to prevent and end homelessness. The CoC has created a method for those served to voice their thoughts, suggestions, opinions, and concerns and have them directly shape the CoC system. The Committee is instrumental in developing and supporting the CoC's priorities and strategies for serving individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

The Advisory Board collects feedback regarding a range of CoC related topics. Topics include but are not limited to: reviewing the Coordinated Entry intake form in coordination with the CE Lead (e.g. culturally competent and trauma informed language), reviewing the CE system evaluation tool to better identify gaps and barriers to services, and evaluating the Rank and Review Tool (e.g. annual funding priorities and agencies' ability to address racial disparities in service provision).

I am the chairperson of the Committee. I am an individual with lived experience of homelessness, and all active members of the committee are persons with lived experience. As the facilitator and lead of this committee, I attest that our members are committed to developing and supporting the CoC's priorities for serving individuals and families experiencing homelessness with severe service needs in the CoC's geographic area.

Rikki Shaw

Chairperson **Print name**



Chairperson **Signature**

10/3/2024

Date

1D-10a: **Active CoC Participation** of Individuals with Lived Experience of Homelessness.

2. Minutes from the CoC Board confirming the establishment of their Ad Hoc Committee. Pg#3

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ALBANY COUNTY COALITION ON HOMELESSNESS (ACCH)
Board Meeting
Minutes - 8/14/2024

Attendance	
<u>Those in attendance include:</u> • Chiquita D'Arbeau (AHA) • Liz Hitt (HATAS) • Michele McClave (ACDSS) • Christine Rodriguez (Equinox) • Rikki Shaw (Unity House) • Wendy Wahlberg (Legal Aid) • Geoff Raiti (Soldier On) • Perry Junjulas (ADC) • Tandra LaGrone (IOOV) • Sondra Young (AHC) • King McElvey (Fusion Recovery) • Tiana Minervini (IPH) • Naomi Clarke (City of Albany)	<u>Those absent from the meeting include:</u> • Jessica DeJesus (ACAP) <u>Guests in attendance include:</u> • Maureen Van Deusen (CARES) • Troy Filburn (CARES) • Mashama Lipscomb (CARES) • Laila Jerome (CARES) • Denise Galloway (CARES) • Lori Rhodes (CARES) • Kylie Proper (CARES)

Call to Order

3:03 PM

Approval of Previous Minutes

☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Yes, with revisions ☐ Decision postponed

Andra motioned to approve the 6/12/24 minutes. Sondra seconded. The minutes were approved.

New Business

Agenda Item	Discussion	Outcome/Next Steps
UFA Fiscal Report	CARES presented on recent Fiscal Report. • Budget Amendment Request of Budget Modification 3- redirect was approved by HUD and changed ELOCCS on 8/7/24 • Budget Amendment Redirect 2 for a request to move funds from DV program to non-DV program is pending approval and was sent to HUD on 8/7/24	Agencies should contact Troy Filburn at tfilburn@caresny.or with any fiscal questions.
Presentation- Annual Diversity Assessment Tool	CARES presented the Diversity Assessment Tool findings. • The goal of the presentation was to discuss avenues on creating equity within the system by utilizing the expertise of those with lived experience and ensuring that there are voices of the underrepresented within CoC leadership, specifically those of the BIPOC community. • The tool was developed by the RRJAC to assess diversity and representation of identities on CoC Boards and then CoC Membership. It is meant to assess the current capacity of CoC	As the Board continue to

	leadership and CoC representation through identifying strengths and deficits. While many agencies have assessed representation at an organizational level, this tool, and the subsequent data, focusses on CoC representation. • Racial disparity, in the context of homeless services, is when there is a larger percentage of individuals in our community experiencing homelessness than their percentage of the general population. • The data presented was derived from HMIS and LSA data looking across all programs and household types and encompassing 1,696 individuals. • The data source is the Diversity Assessment Tool with 24 total respondents. This includes 7 Board respondents and 17 Membership respondents. • The focus of the presentation was racial identity, gender identity, lived experience, and living with a disability. However, demographics regarding ethnicity, spoken languages, age, and sexual orientation were also collected. • Racial Identity: 1 Board member identify as Black/African American, 1 Board member identifies as multiple race, 1 board member identified as Latino, and 4 board members identified as white. 11 Membership respondents identify as Black, 2 respondents identify as multiple race, 2 respondents identify as Asian, and 2 respondents preferred not to say. The LSA data shows that the community has 1274 individuals that identify as Black/African American, 716 identify as White, 360 identify as multiple race, 67 identify as Latino/a/x, 22 identify as American Indian, Alaska Native, or Indigenous, 5 identify as Asian/Asian American, 4 identify as Middle Eastern, and 2 identify as Native Hawaiian. • Gender Identity: All Board member participants (7) identify as women. 12 members identify as women, 4 as male, and 1 as non-binary. According to LSA data, 824 individuals in the community identify as women and 1208 as men. 11 identify as transgender, and 7 identify as multiple genders. • Lived Homelessness: 5 Board members identify as not experiencing homelessness within the last 7 years and 7 identify as experiencing homelessness in the last 7 years. 12 members identify as not experiencing homelessness at any point and 2 members preferred not to answer. • Persons Living with a Disability: 6 Board members identify as not having a disability and 1 Board member identify as having a disability. 3 membership respondents identified as having a disability and 14 identified as not having a disability. The LSA data shows that 1842 individuals within the community identify as not having a disability and 1041 identify as having a disability. • It is important to note that underrepresentation and inaccurate self-reporting may cause flaws in data. Further, it's important to consider if decisions are being made through a personal lens, or a professional lens. In decision-making, it is important to reflect on how factors like racial identity, disability, or gender may impact an individual's experience within the system. A diverse Board is crucial for ensuring that a wide array of experiences are being represented,	recruit, they should keep these gaps in mind
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	which can lead to more equitable and inclusive decision-making processes. Board members should utilize their unique experiences to contribute to the Board's collective wisdom, ensuring that they truly represent the voices and concerns of the communities they serve. • Moving forward, they would like to see more responses from Board members, as not all completed the tool. Additionally, findings showed that the Board needs more men, more people with a recent experience of homelessness, and more Black/African American representation. The RRJAC would like to maintain a Board Matrix and review/update it once a year. They also suggest that the Governance Committee create a stand-alone questionnaire for the Board so that the Board can identify their own Matrix outside of the membership. They also suggest improving recruitment with a rolling Board interest form on the website and a Board training series • Perry suggested to improve diversity within the Board the ACCH should reach more into the community • Recommended it should be a more strategic approach CARES shared regarding upcoming RRJAC Summit on October 22nd from 8:30am-4:00pm A vote was taken to include the PWLE Committee as an Ad Hoc Committee of the ACH CoC. A motion was made by Chaquita and Perry seconded. All members were in support and the vote passed.	
Vote to Approve CoC Rank & Review New Tools	This was passed through email vote before the meeting	Board members interested in attending the RRJAC Summit should contact Mashama Lipscomb at mlipscomb@care.sny.org CoC Rank & Review New Tools were approved
Discussion on Community Education Initiative & Next Steps	IPH shared that they are planning a community education series that will share resources and address common misconceptions regarding homelessness. • Tentatively this is planned to be a 1 day or 2 day event in the future but it is still in the planning process • This may also include tabling to share this information • Some items this initiative would address: Resources, Barriers in accessing shelter, what PSH in a neighborhood means, why someone may not go to a shelter • Perry motioned to create an Ad Hoc Committee for this initiative and Christine seconded. The motion passed.	Motion passed to create Ad Hoc Committee for the Community Education initiative passed At the next membership meeting Tiana will inquire for interest in joining committee

Special Systems Meeting on August 29th	CARES presented on upcoming Special Systems Meeting to address recent safety issues that have been raised across multiple ACCH committees. • This meeting will bring the Board and Albany Navigates together to discuss next steps • Liz shared importance of having a record of the current issues that have happened recently • Perry raised concern regarding listing all conflicts and certain issues than being related to a specific agency • Christine recommended anonymizing data so the ACCH has a record, but agencies can share their concerns more freely • Asking members attending this meeting to come with recent instances of safety concerns that their organization has seen • Rikki shared that many of her programs are looking into safety grants due to the recent safety concerns • Sondra raised importance of having effective communication with the city to address these issues	Members attending this meeting should come with recent instances of safety concerns that their organization has seen
Committee Updates	Regional Racial Justice Advisory Committee: • See attachment Governance: • See attachment Systems/ Landlord Engagement: • See attachment NOFA: • See attachment Coordinated Entry: • See attachment	
Other		

1D-2a: Project Evaluation for **Housing First Compliance**

This attachment details how **NY-503** regularly evaluates its projects to ensure those that commit to using a Housing First approach are evaluated outside of the local competition rating and ranking process. It includes:

1. An example evaluation of at least one project
 - a) CARES of NY, Inc.: PBRA Project



Housing First Standards Assessment Tool

Overview: This tool aims to assess and document how closely a housing and service provider adheres to the recommended best practice standards of the Housing First model, in the context of the broader work to implement a Housing First orientation at the system-level. This tool specifically evaluates project-level fidelity to Housing First, which directly impacts a system's fidelity to Housing First. In addition to the universal best practice standards identified in this tool, Continuums should also take into account their local community context and local written standards pertaining to Housing First when assessing projects. A Continuum of Care can use this tool to prompt discussion and

Provider Info tab: The Provider Information tab should be completed *prior* to beginning the assessment. Specifically, the ***Project Name, Project Type, Target Sub-Population served, and Date of Assessment*** fields need to be completed in order to populate the assessment standards and report summary with questions that are specific to the project type and population. Please complete this section prior to printing any standards for assessment.

Standards: The standards have been arranged into the following categories: *Access, Evaluation, Services, Housing, Leases, and Project-Specific*. The "Tab" chart at the bottom of this page describes each of the categories in more detail. Some of the categories are not applicable for all project types, and those standards do not need to be completed,

Project Type	Applicable Standards
Coordinated Entry	Access & Evaluation; Project-specific
Street Outreach	Access & Evaluation; Project-specific
Emergency Shelter	Access & Evaluation; Service & Housing; Project-specific
Transitional Housing	Access & Evaluation; Service & Housing; Leases; Project-specific
Rapid Rehousing	Access & Evaluation; Service & Housing; Leases; Project-specific
Permanent Supportive Housing	Access & Evaluation; Service & Housing; Leases; Project-specific

Safeguarding: Please keep in mind safeguarding concerns when assessing projects. In particular, we advise Continuums of Care to work with projects with victims of domestic violence to make sure that adequate safety and confidentiality policies and practices are in place before beginning assessments.

Scoring: For each standard, there are three scoring criteria: "Say It", "Document It", and "Do It" (as explained further below). To show that a project is in full compliance with each standard, the assessor should mark "Always" for each scoring criteria. Use the drop down in the three columns to the right to select "Always" or "Somewhat" or "Not at

- "*Say It*" means that project and agency staff can describe verbally what they do concerning each standard. The assessor should be able to identify that the organizational culture supports the standard by how staff talks about what is done.
- "*Document It*" means that there is written documentation that supports the project's compliance with each standard. Written documentation could include Policies and Procedures, Personnel Handbooks, Professional Development Plans, Project Rules, etc.
- "*Do It*" means that the assessor was able to find evidence that supports the project's compliance with each standard. Evidence could include information contained in client or other administrative files, client acknowledgement that something is being done, staff can point to documentation that supports implementation of the standard, etc.

Assessor Notes: A cell below each individual standard allows the assessor to add optional notes about the information collected for that particular standard. The notes can include where information was found, what questions were asked, who answered the questions, what additional information is needed to be able to mark that standard as "Always", "Sometimes," or "Not at all".

Tab	Description	Purpose
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Instructions	Tool overview and aim	Offers instruction to users on the assessment tool
Provider Info	Input provider, project and general assessment information	Determines project-specific standards for consideration
Standards - Access & Evaluation	Input compliance with standards concerning participant access to the project and input, project evaluation and performance management	Assesses whether access and evaluation are compliant with Housing First principles
Standards - Leases	Input compliance with standards concerning the lease and occupancy agreements, where applicable	Assesses whether leases and occupancy agreements are compliant with Housing First principles
Standards - Services & Housing	Input compliance with standards concerning the service and housing models and structure, where applicable	Assesses whether services and housing are compliant with Housing First principles
Standards – Project-Specific	Prompts assessment standards based on project type and targeted sub-populations served by the project, where applicable	Assesses whether specific project standards are compliant with Housing First principles
Report Summary	Displays assessment scores and conclusions, and highlights non-compliant standards	Printable summary of the assessment



Provider Information

Please complete the information below on the organization being assessed.

Provider Information	
Provider's Legal Name	CARES of NY, Inc.
Acronym (If Applicable)	CARES
Year Incorporated	1990
EIN	14-1731746
Street Address	5 Pine West Suite
Zip Code	12866

Project Information	
Project Name	PBRA
Project Budget	\$66,692.07
Grant Number	NY0049U2C032215
Name of Project Director	Jeanette Hemingway
Project Director Email Address	jhemingway@caresny.org
Project Director Phone Number	518-489-4130 ext 732

Which best describes the project *	Permanent Supportive Housing
<i>If project is a Safe Haven, please choose project type that it most operates like, e.g. shelter, transitional housing, or permanent housing</i>	
Are your services targeted to any of the following populations specifically? Please select one if so, as this impacts your assessment questions.	
None of the above	

*Please note that when you select a project type, particular standards may not be relevant.

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Name of Assessor	Karen Follett
Organizational Affiliation of Assessor	CARES Associate Director of Grants and Contracts
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Assessor Phone Number	518-489-4130 ext. 749
Date of Assessment	Oct 23 2024



Housing First Standards

For each standard, please use the drop down boxes in the three columns to the right to select “Not at all” or “Sometimes” or "Always". Marking "Always" signifies full compliance for the standard.

No.	Standard	Access Definition / Evidence	Say It	Document it	Do it
Access 1	Projects are low-barrier	Admission to projects is not contingent on pre-requisites such as abstinence of substances, minimum income requirements, health or mental health history, medication adherence, age, criminal justice history, financial history, completion of treatment, participation in services, “housing readiness,” history or occurrence of victimization, survivor of sexual assault or an affiliated person of such a survivor or other unnecessary conditions unless required by law or funding source. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Access 2	Projects do not deny assistance for unnecessary reasons	Procedures and oversight demonstrate that staff do everything possible to avoid denying assistance or rejecting an individual or family for the reasons listed in Access Standard #1. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Access 3	Access regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status	Equal access is provided in accordance with the 2012 and 2016 Equal Access Rules, meaning that any project funded by HUD must ensure equal access for persons regardless of one’s sexual orientation or marital status, and in accordance with one’s gender identity. Adult only households, regardless of marital status, should have equal access to projects (if these project types are not available within a CoC, the CoC should conduct an assessment to determine if these project types are needed and work with providers to accommodate the need). Please see Equal Access Rules here: https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/1991/equal-access-to-housing-final-rule/ <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Access 4	Admission process is expedited with speed and efficiency	Projects have expedited admission processes, to the greatest extent possible, including helping participants obtain documentation required by funding sources, as well as processes to admit participants regardless of the status of their eligibility documentation whenever applicable.	Always	Always	Always

Access 5	Intake processes are person-centered and flexible	Intake and assessment procedures are focused on the individual’s or family’s strengths, needs, and preferences. Projects do not require specific appointment times, but have flexible intake schedules that ensure access to all households. Assessments are focused on identifying household strengths, resources, as well as identifying barriers to housing that can inform the basis of a housing plan as soon as a person is enrolled in the project. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Access 6	The provider/project accepts and makes referrals directly through Coordinated Entry	Projects actively participate in the CoC-designated Coordinated Entry processes as part of streamlined community-wide system access and triage. If these processes are not yet implemented, projects follow communities’ existing referral processes. Referrals from Coordinated Entry are rarely rejected, and only if there is a history of violence, the participant does not want to be in the project, there are legally valid grounds (such as restrictions regarding sex offenders) or some other exceptional circumstance that is well documented. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Access 7	Exits to homelessness are avoided	Projects that can no longer serve particular households utilize the coordinated entry process, or the communities’ existing referral processes if coordinated entry processes are not yet implemented, to ensure that those individuals and families have access to other housing and services as desired, and do not become disconnected from services and housing. Households encounter these exits under certain circumstances, such as if they demonstrate violent or harassing behaviors, which are described within agencies’ regulation-adherent policies. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Name		Participant Input Definition / Evidence	Say It	Document it	Do it
Participant Input 1	Participant education is ongoing	Project participants receive ongoing education on Housing First principles as well as other service models employed in the project. In the beginning of and throughout tenancy, participants are informed about their full rights and responsibilities as lease holders, including the potential causes for eviction. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Participant Input 2	Projects create regular, formal opportunities for participants to offer input	Input is welcomed regarding the project’s policies, processes, procedures, and practices. Opportunities include involvement in: quality assurance and evaluation processes, a participant leadership/advisory board, processes to formally communicate with landlords, the design of and participation in surveys and focus groups, planning social gatherings, integrating peer specialists and peer-facilitated support groups to compliment professional services.	Somewhat	Somewhat	Somewhat



Housing First Standards

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	Standard	Lease and Occupancy Definition / Evidence	Say It	Document It	Do It
Leases 1	Housing is considered permanent (not applicable for Transitional Housing)	Housing is not time-limited (though rent assistance may be) and leases are automatically renewable upon expiration, except with prior notice by either party. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Leases 2	Participant choice is fundamental	A participant has, at minimum, choices in deciding the location and type of housing based on preferences from a range of housing types and among multiple units, as available and as practical. In project-based settings, participants should be offered choice of units within a particular building, or within the portfolio of single site properties. In projects that use shared housing, i.e. housing with unrelated roommates, participants should be offered choice of roommates, as available and as practical. Additionally, as applicable, participants are able to choose their roommates when sharing a room or unit. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Somewhat
Leases 3	Leases are the same for participants as for other tenants	Leases do not have any provisions that would not be found in leases held by any other tenant in the property or building and is renewable per the participants’ and owner’s choice. People experiencing homelessness who receive help moving into permanent housing should have leases that confer the full rights, responsibilities, and legal protections under Federal, state, and local housing laws. For transitional housing, there may be limitations on length of stay, but a lease/occupancy agreement should look like a lease that a person would have in the normal rental market. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Leases 4	Participants receive education about their lease or occupancy agreement terms	Participants are also given access to legal assistance and encouraged to exercise their full legal rights and responsibilities. Landlords and providers abide by their legally-defined roles and responsibilities. <i>Tenants are informed of their legal housing rights as expressed in the Tenant protection Act.</i>	Always	Always	Always

Leases 5	Measures are used to prevent eviction	Property or building management, with services support, incorporates a culture of eviction avoidance, reinforced through practices and policies that prevent lease violations and evictions among participants, and evict participants only when they are a threat to self or others. Clear eviction appeal processes and due process is provided for all participants. Lease bifurcation is allowed so that a tenant or lawful occupant who is a victim of a criminal act of physical violence committed against them by another tenant or lawful occupant is not evicted, removed or penalized if the other is evicted. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Leases 6	Providing stable housing is a priority	Providers engage in a continued effort to hold housing for participants, even if they leave their housing for short periods due to treatment, illness, or any other temporary stay outside of the unit. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Leases 7	Rent payment policies respond to tenants' needs (as applicable)	While tenants are accountable to the rental agreement, adjustments may be needed on a case by case basis. As necessary, participants are given special payment arrangements for rent arrears and/or assistance with financial management, including representative payee arrangements. <i>CARES of NY does not currently offer representative payee arrangements but if a need arises cases management can submit an Adult Protective Services referral to obtain a Rep Payee.</i>	Always	Always	Somewhat



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Standard		Services Definition / Evidence	Say it	Document it	Do it
Services 1	Projects promote participant choice in services	Participants are able to choose from an array of services. Services offered are housing focused and include the following areas of support: employment and income, childhood and education, community connection, and stabilization to maintain housing. These should be provided by linking to community-based services. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Services 2	Person Centered Planning is a guiding principle of the service planning process	Person-centered Planning is a guiding principle of the service planning process <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Services 3	Service support is as permanent as the housing	Service connections are permanently available and accessible for participants in Permanent Supportive Housing. Rapid Re-Housing projects should, at a minimum, be prepared to offer services for up to 6 months after the rental assistance ends. In emergency shelter and transitional housing, services are available as long as the participant resides in the unit or bed – and up to 6 months following exit from transitional housing. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Services 4	Services are continued despite change in housing status or placement	Wherever possible, participants continue to be offered services even if they lose their housing unit or bed (for congregate projects), or if they are placed in a short-term inpatient treatment. Ideally, the service relationship should continue, despite a service hiatus during some institutional stays. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always

Services 5	Participant engagement is a core component of service delivery	Staff provide effective services by developing relationships with participants that provide immediate needs and safety, develop trust and common ground, making warm hand-offs to other mainstream service providers, and clearly explain staff roles. Engagement is regular and relationships are developed over time.	Always	Always	Always
		Optional notes here			
Services 6	Services are culturally appropriate with translation services available, as needed	Project staff are sensitive to and support the cultural aspects of diverse households. Wherever possible, staff demographics reflect the participant population they serve in order to provide appropriate, culturally-specific services. Translation services are provided when needed to ensure full comprehension of the project. Projects that serve families with children should have family-friendly rules that allow for different schedules based on work and school hours and have services that allow parents to participate in activities without having to constantly supervise their children themselves (i.e. can use the bathroom or take a shower without their children being in the bathroom with them).	Always	Always	Always
		Optional notes here			
Services 7	Staff are trained in clinical and non-clinical strategies (including harm reduction, motivational interviewing, trauma-informed approaches, strength-based)	Services support a participant’s ability to obtain and retain housing regardless of changes in behavior. Services are informed by a harm-reduction philosophy, such as recognizing that substance use and addiction are a part of some participants' lives. Participants are engaged in non-judgmental communication regarding their behavior and are offered education regarding how to avoid risky behaviors and engage in safer practices.	Always	Always	Always
		Optional notes here			
Standard		Housing Definition / Evidence	Say It	Document It	Do It
Housing 1	Housing is not dependent on participation in services	Participation in permanent and temporary housing settings, as well as crisis settings such as emergency shelter, is not contingent on participating in supportive services or demonstration of progress made on a service plan. Services must be offered by staff, but are voluntary for participants.	Always	Always	Always
		Optional notes here			
Housing 2	Substance use is not a reason for termination	Participants are only terminated from the project for violations in the lease or occupancy agreements, as applicable. Occupancy agreements or an addendum to the lease do not include conditions around substance use or participation in services. If the project is a recovery housing model focused on people who are in early recovery from drugs or alcohol (as outlined in HUD’s Recovery Housing Brief), different standards related to use and subsequent offer of treatment may apply. See HUD’s Recovery Housing brief here: https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/4852/recovery-housing-policy-brief/	Always	Always	Always

Optional notes here					
Housing 3	The rules and regulations of the project are centered on participants' rights	Project staff have realistic expectations and policies. Rules and regulations are designed to support safe and stable communities and should never interfere with a life in the community. Participants have access to the project at all hours (except for nightly in and out shelter) and accommodation is made for pets. CARES of NY has an on call maintenance line that tenants can contact if any maintenance issues occur. We also provided tenant with access to all emergency numbers in the event of a crisis. Staff will develop on call case management if a situation rises to it.	Somewhat	Somewhat	Somewhat
Housing 4	Participants have the option to transfer to another project	Transfers should be accommodated for tenants who reasonably believe that they are threatened with imminent harm from further violence if the tenant remains in the same unit. Whenever possible, transfers occur before a participant experiences homelessness. Optional notes here	Always	Always	Always



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Standard		Project -Specific Standards	Say It	Document it	Do it
Project 1	Quick access to RRH assistance	A permanent supportive housing project ensures quick linkage to a unit and wrap around services, based on participant needs, preferences, and resource availability. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Project 2	PSH is focused on ending homelessness for those with the most severe barriers to maintaining housing	Participants and staff understand that a primary goal of permanent supportive housing is to end homelessness for people with the most severe service needs and help participants stay housed, regardless of other perceived barriers. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
Project 3	Property Management duties are separate and distinct from services/case management	In order to provide clear roles of staff for participants in terms of lease and rules enforcement as well as tenant advocacy, property management and service provider staff should be separate roles. However, they should work together on a regular basis through regular communications and meetings regarding Participants to address tenancy issues in order to preserve tenancy. <i>Optional notes here</i>	Always	Always	Always
		No additional standards <i>Optional notes here</i>			

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Section is not applicable. Please see following section.



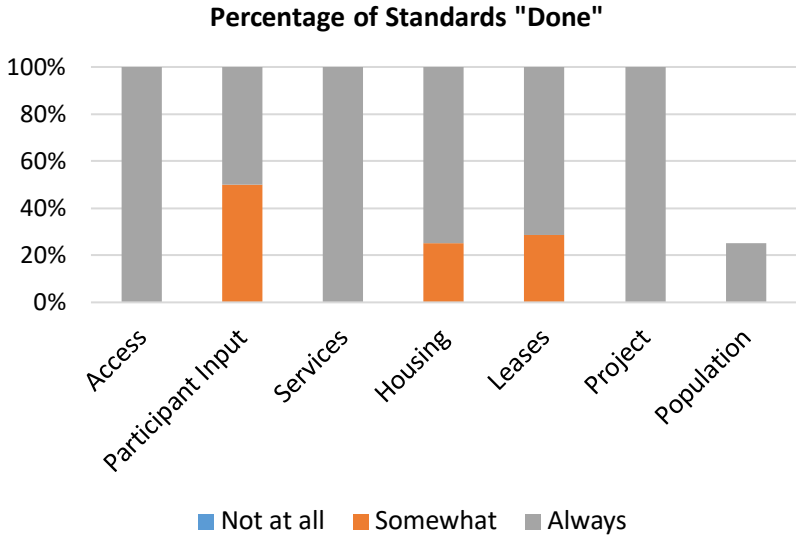
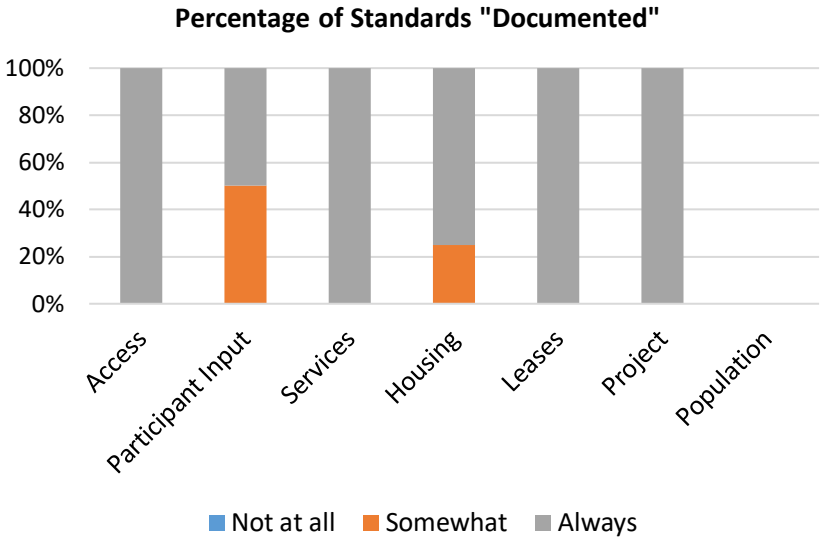
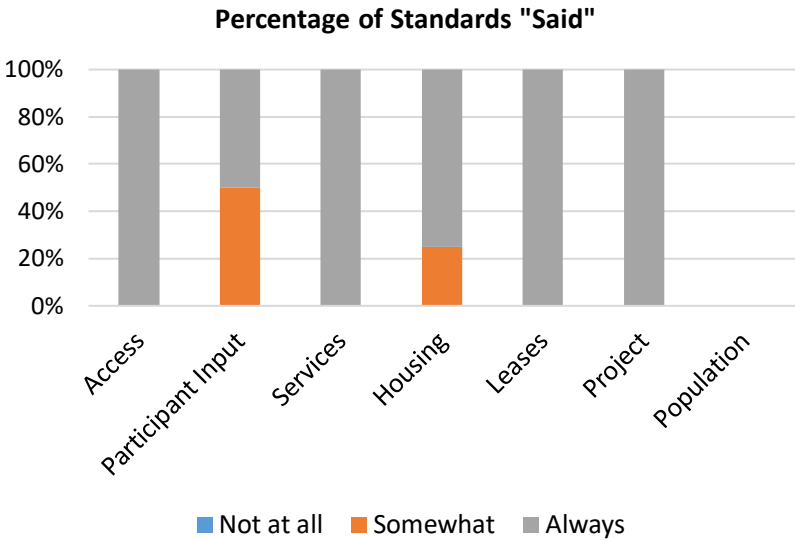
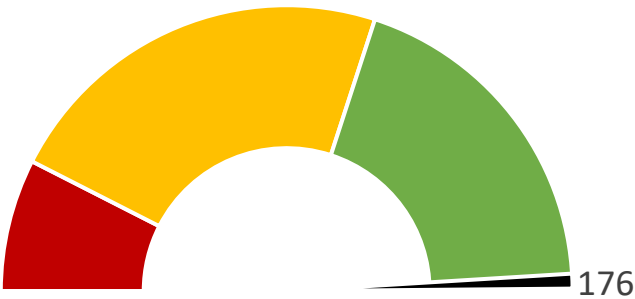
Housing First Standards: Assessment Summary

CARES of NY, Inc.
23-Oct-24

Some standards have not been evaluated. Please return and complete all standards before finalizing report.

Your score: 176
Max potential score: 180

Score is calculated by awarding 1 point for standards answered 'sometimes' and 2 points for standards answered 'always'. Categories that are not applicable for your project are not included in the maximum potential score.



1E-2. Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in Its Local Competition.

1. **Scoring tool used in NY-503's local competition to score new and renewal applications - for all project application types.**

(a) Required Criteria for Attachment 1E-2:

- This document showcases the maximum points on:
 - **Objective criteria** for the project applications, includes list of questions that address objective criteria and Total Percentage Points
 - **System performance** criteria for the project applications, includes list of questions that address system performance and Total Percentage Points
 - Questions addressing **severe service barriers and the question numbers within the application**
 - Specific Data submitted by **VSP's Comparable database**
 - Points associated with the degree the projects identified any barriers faced by persons of different races and ethnicities, particularly **those over-represented in the local homelessness population**, and has taken or will take steps to eliminate identified barriers.

(b) DV Program Data Submission Form

- This request form enabled the completion of the Rank and Review Application regarding assessing data outcomes for DV Applicants.

(c) NY-503's Rank and Review Written Process

(d) Blank Renewal Application Tool

(e) Blank New Project Application Tool

(f) Blank DV Bonus Application Tool

(g) Blank CE/HMIS Bonus Application Tool

(h) Ranking and Tiering

- This document showcases the actual points awarded for each project application

Note: CE/HMIS Bonus Applications ONLY:

- A weighted value was derived by dividing the highest possible score of all CoC Bonus project application types to the possible points for the application type
- The weighted value was multiplied with the project application total points earned to calculate the final comparable score of all CoC Bonus project application types

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Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
Renewal Part 1 & 2	222	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts/%
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Part 1: Q1, Q2, Q3, Q7, Q8, Q9, Q10, Q12, Q13, Q14, Q15, Q16, Q18 Q19	222/81= 36%
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts/%
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Part 1: Q2, Q4, Q5, Q6	222/60= 27%
3. Severe Service Barriers (SSB)	Questions Addressing SSB	Total SSB pts
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Part 1: Q11 Part 2: Q6	222/17
4. Specific Data Submitted by Victim Service Providers from Comparable Databases		Total DV Data pts
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Q2, Q3, Q4, Q5	222/51
5. Barriers to participation based on Race	Questions Addressing Barriers Based on Race (BBR)	Total BBR pts
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Part 2: Q2, Q7	222/30

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Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
New	140	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts
New	Q13, Q14, Q15, Q16, Q25, Q26	140/34
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts
New	Q20, Q22	140/20
3. Severe Service Barriers (SSB)	Questions Addressing SSB	Total SSB pts
New	Q21, Q23	140/22
4. Specific Data Submitted by Victim Service Providers from Comparable Databases		Total DV Data pts
New	NA	NA
5. Barriers to participation based on Race	Questions Addressing Barriers Based on Race (BBR)	Total BBR pts
New	Q27, Q28	140/10

NY-503

Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
DV Bonus	100	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts
DV Bonus	Q13, Q15, Q16, Q22, Q23	100/31
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts
DV Bonus	Q19	100/10
3. Severe Service Barriers (SSB)	Questions Addressing SSB	Total SSB pts
DV Bonus	Q20	100/4
4. Specific Data Submitted by Victim Service Providers from Comparable Databases		Total DV Data pts
DV Bonus	NA	NA
5. Barriers to participation based on Race	Questions Addressing Barriers Based on Race (BBR)	Total BBR pts
DV Bonus	Q24, Q25	100/10

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Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
CE/HMIS Bonus	100	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts
CE/HMIS Bonus	Q11, Q12, Q18, Q19, Q20, Q21	100/57
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts/%
CE/HMIS Bonus	NA	NA
3. Severe Service Barriers (SSB)	Questions Addressing SSB	Total SSB pts
CE/HMIS Bonus	NA	NA
4. Specific Data Submitted by Victim Service Providers from Comparable Databases		Total DV Data pts
CE/HMIS Bonus	NA	NA
5. Barriers to participation based on Race	Questions Addressing Barriers Based on Race (BBR)	Total BBR pts
CE/HMIS Bonus	Q15, Q16	100/10

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(b) DV Program Data Submission Form

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Domestic Violence Program Data Submission Form

The survey will take approximately 6 minutes to complete.

Please answer the following questions to enable the completion of your Rank and Review for Federal Fiscal Year 2023 (FY23): October 1, 2022 – September 30, 2023.

* Required

Contact Information

1. May I have your name, please? *

examples: Jane Doe, John Smith.

2. What is your email address? *

If inaccurate email is entered, you will not received an email confirmation. Please type carefully! example:
johnsmith@domain.org

3. What is the Program Name? *

- ☐ CAGC - DV SHP Families (NY-519)
- ☐ CAGC - RRH for Victims of DV (NY-519)
- ☐ CSC - DV Rapid Rehousing (NY-606)
- ☐ Equinox- Project Break Free (NY-503)
- ☐ FOW - HUD DV Bonus RRH (NY-608)
- ☐ FOW - RRH for DV Survivors (NY-608)
- ☐ UH 800 (NY-512)
- ☐ UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309 (NY-512)
- ☐ UH - Rapid Rehousing 352 (NY-512)
- ☐ YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program (NY-512)
- ☐ Well Spring - New View RRH Program (NY-523)
- ☐ Well Spring - NewView RRH II (NY-523)
- ☐ Well Spring - Permanent Housing Program (NY-523)
- ☐ DVPWW Housing 2022 (NY-523)
- ☐ YWCA of Schenectady - DV Bonus (combined programs) (NY-507)
- ☐ YWCA Schenectady Rosas House (NY-507)
- ☐ Fairview RA (NY-511)
- ☐ VOA RA (NY-511)
- ☐ Cortland RA (NY-511)
- ☐ Greater Opps RRH (NY-511)
- ☐ UFA 520: STOP North Country Freedom Housing (2022) (NY-520)
- ☐ Chances and Changes PSH (501)
- ☐ Chance and Changes DV Bonus Renewal (501)
- ☐ Steuben Church People Against Poverty Arbor Housing Development- DV transitional housing (501)
- ☐ Salvation Army POH RRH (I believe this is also DV) (501)
- ☐ YWCA of Binghamton Broome DV Rental Assistance Program (511)
- ☐ Delaware Opportunities- ending homelessness for DV Victims (511)
- ☐ CCST Shelter Plus Care (501)

- ☐ CCST NY083 Bonus Homeless Supportive Housing (501)
- ☐ CCST Homeless Rapid Re-housing SHARE (501)
- ☐ CCST Homeless Permanent Housing (501)
- ☐ ACCORD Rapid Re-Housing Program (501)
- ☐ Arbor Livingston HUD (501)
- ☐ Arbor S+C PSH (501)
- ☐ Arbor Steuben Transitional (501)

4. Please indicate the project type for the project you are submitting data for *

- ☐ Rapid Re-Housing
- ☐ Permanent Supportive Housing
- ☐ Joint TH-RRH
- ☐ Transitional Housing

Data Collection

5. Provide the "Total Number of Persons Served" in this project. **(APR Q5)** *

This number will include all individual persons served, including children.

6. Provide the "Total Number of Adults Served" in this project. **(APR Q5)** *

Of all people in this project, how many are 18+? This number will be used when calculating income increases so that children are not included in the final percentages.

7. Provide the "Number of Chronically Homeless Persons" in your project. **(APR Q5)** *

A homeless individual with a disability as defined in section 401(9) of the McKinney-Vento Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11360(9)), who:

- Lives in a place not meant for human habitation, a safe haven, or in an emergency shelter, and has been homeless and living as described for at least 12 months* or on at least 4 separate occasions in the last 3 years, as long as the combined occasions equal at least 12 months and each break in homelessness separating the occasions included at least 7 consecutive nights of not living as described; or
- An individual who has been residing in an institutional care facility for less, including jail, substance abuse or mental health treatment facility, hospital, or other similar facility, for fewer than 90 days and met all of the criteria of this definition before entering that facility**; or
- A family with an adult head of household (or, if there is no adult in the family, a minor head of household) who meets all of the criteria of this definition, including a family whose composition has fluctuated while the head of household has been homeless.

8. What was the number of individuals who exited to a Permanent Housing destination? *

APR Q23, "Permanent Situations", "PS Subtotal", under the "Total" column.

9. Provide the "Number of Leavers" in this project. **(APR Q5)** *

Leavers are persons who exited the project and are no longer enrolled in the project as of the last day of the reporting period.

10. What was the number of leavers discharged to Homelessness? *

Exits to homelessness include: exiting a person to a shelter, the street, or a place not meant for human habitation. **APR Q23**, "Homeless Situations", "HS Subtotal", under the "Total" columns.

11. What was the number of adult **stayers** who increased Income? *

Stayer: a client active in a program before 09/30/2023, must have at least 365 days in latest stay, be an adult and the most recent assessment is compared to the one prior to it.

Increased income can include employment or non-employment income.

APRQ19a1. In row 5, entitled "Number of Adults with Any Income (i.e., Total Income)" under column "Performance Measure: Percent of persons who accomplished this measure".

The value must be a number

12. What was the number of adult **leavers** who increased Income? *

Leaver: Must have exited between 10/01/2022 and 09/30/2023, be an adult and income assessment based on the assessment at project exit compared to income assessment at project start

Increased income can include employment or non-employment income.

APR Q19a2. In row 5, entitled "Number of Adults with Any Income (i.e., Total Income)" under column "Performance Measure: Percent of persons who accomplished this measure".

The value must be a number

13. How many project participants had at least one form of health insurance? *

This number should include all individual clients with health insurance. Add **APR Q21.** Column 1 Row 15 and APR Q21. Column 1 Row 16 together.

14. How many project participants **entered the program with zero income?** *

Clients with no income at start: **APR Q18 Column 1 Row 4**

15. How many project participants entered the program with **2 or more physical and/or mental health conditions?** *

Clients with 2 or more conditions at program start: Add **APR Q13a2.** Column 1 Row 3 and APR Q13a2. Column 1 Row 4 together

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(c) NY-503's Rank and Review Written Process

ALBANY COUNTY COALITION ON HOMELESSNESS: 2024 RANK AND REVIEW PROCESS

Background

HUD's Continuum of Care (CoC) homeless assistance program serves as a source of funding for homeless services in Albany County, and the planning body coordinating these services is the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (ACCH). Working with the CoC (ACCH) and providing support and technical assistance is CARES of NY, Inc., the Collaborative Applicant and Unified Funding Agent.

Through the CoC, HUD awards homeless assistance grants through an annual application process known as the CoC Program Competition.

HUD requires that the CoC (ACCH) prioritize programs which most effectively serve the community at the local level. To reach this goal, a Rank & Review Process has been implemented for applicants who wish to renew their project/s and for new and/or bonus projects (if bonus funding is available). The process of ranking and reviewing projects is designed to help the CoC (ACCH) learn about each project's performance and effectiveness.

The NOFA Committee of the CoC (ACCH) is charged with overseeing the Rank & Review process. As stated in the ACCH Bylaws, the NOFA Committee is responsible for "the design, operation, and implementation of a collaborative process for the development of funding applications, including funding priorities, and the number and type of applications." Each year the NOFA Committee reviews the Rank & Review Written Process and Application Tools and makes any changes necessary to reflect changing priorities. The NOFA Committee is also responsible for establishing a Review Team for the Rank and Review Application. The Written Process and Application Tools (Renewal and New/Bonus) are posted for public comment.

CoC Transparency

The annual Rank and Review process is conducted in a transparent manner to ensure a fair and consistent way to prioritize projects. Each year, feedback regarding the process and tools is solicited. The process is publicly announced by the CoC, distributed in writing to CoC Membership, and posted publicly on the CARES, Inc. website for all community members to review and comment.

FY 2024 Rank and Review Application

The ACCH emphasizes the importance and impact of using the Rank & Review Application as the primary basis for determining the Project Listing submitted to HUD as part of the CoC Consolidated Application. The Rank and Review Application is thoughtfully revised each year to meet both HUD and CoC standards, incorporate both national and local priorities, and balance objective performance measures with subjective narrative descriptions of project operations.

Review and Approval of the Rank and Review Renewal Application

After the annual CoC Consolidated Application is submitted to HUD by the Collaborative Applicant, the NOFA Committee reviews that prior year's Rank & Review process, including reviewer feedback and ACCH member comments. The NOFA Committee also develops a list of Review Team members, considering prior reviewers and potential new members.

In phases, the NOFA Committee presents the Written Process and Application Tools to the ACCH Board and Membership for one-week public comment periods. The NOFA Committee considers submitted comments for inclusion. The NOFA Committee updates the Board on any edits, incorporates any additional changes from the Board, and secures a vote for approval. Finally, the Written Process and Application Tools are shared with Membership.

Renewal Projects

Each Renewal project completes a Rank & Review Application. The 2024 Rank & Review Renewal Application process will occur in two parts, with the intent to allow agencies adequate time to complete the full Rank & Review Application. *Completed applications (including required attachments) for each CoC project must be submitted to CARES of NY, Inc. by the stated deadline to be considered complete and sent to the Review Team.*

Applications that are submitted after the deadline and/or submitted incomplete will automatically receive a 5-point deduction on their overall score.

* Please Note: Coordinated Entry, Planning, HMIS projects, and Renewal Projects with less than one full year's worth of data at the time of the annual Rank & Review process are not required to fill out a renewal application.

Part 1 focuses on project and system outcomes, using project data entered in HMIS and objective questions to "rate" projects. The HMIS data used in Part 1 is from the previous HUD Fiscal Year (Oct 1 - Sep 30). This HMIS data used in Part 1 has been cleaned and reviewed for data quality errors when submitted to HUD for the Longitudinal Systems Analysis (LSA) report. The tool will indicate where agencies can find data for relevant questions. Agencies will also receive a data attachment to assist in completing their application. Data on this attachment will be based on the FY22 LSAs submitted in the beginning of the year.

If errors are identified in the Data Attachment, the agency must contact CARES by the deadline noted when the data attachment is released. If the request is a calculation error, CARES staff will correct the error and resubmit the Data Attachments for the agency's review. Note that scores for part 1 are calculated by CARES staff.

Part 2 includes narrative questions to further evaluate the efficacy of each renewal project. Questions are derived from the NOFA committee based on HUD and local priorities and is reviewed by the Regional Racial Justice Advisory Committee to ensure that the tool is equitable and inclusive. Part 2 is intended to allow agencies

to explain unique circumstances which may affect project performance. Questions on part 2 are scored by the external review team.

An optional Part 3 form may be released following the release of the annual NOFO for the CoC to demonstrate the incorporation of HUD priorities into our annual Rank & Review process. If there are no significant HUD priorities identified or all major priorities are addressed in Part 1 and Part 2, this form will not be released.

New Projects

A separate application is required for Bonus and Reallocated project proposals. If additional money becomes available through reallocation after the ranking process, a new project RFP may re-open. RFPs submitted during the second application process will automatically be ranked below projects from the first round. The Review Team reviews and scores all New/Bonus project applications submitted. New project applications will be ranked, approved by the Board, and presented to Membership. The community's goal is to apply for the maximum amount of available funds. The same appeals process that applies to Renewal applications applies to New/Bonus project applications. New applicants (not currently CoC funded) will be invited to a recommended info session to discuss CoC funding requirements and program administration logistics before final scores are tallied.

Bonus Projects

Each year, HUD *may* offer bonus funding and the NOFA outlines how the funds may be spent. Bonus project proposals must fill an unmet need as noted within the CoC's Strategic Plan or locally determined priorities. Bonus applications will be ranked and approved by the Board and presented to Membership. The community's goal is to apply for the maximum amount of available funding. The same appeals process that applies to Renewal applications applies to New/Bonus project applications.

**Note that "Bonus Projects" encompasses all projects applied for with new funds, including DV Bonus and regular CoC bonus funding.*

Reallocation

Reallocation is the process by which the CoC shifts funds, in whole or in part, from existing eligible renewal grants to create new projects to fill an unmet need within the community, as noted within the Albany Strategic Plan. Reallocation is one of the most important tools by which communities can make strategic improvements to their homeless services system.

The CoC determines candidates for reallocation due to low performance or less needed projects as a tool to make strategic improvements to the homeless system. The reallocation process starts with UFA Fiscal monitoring, as mandated by the UFA Standard Operating Procedure (SOP). The Fiscal Committee regularly reviews expenditure percentages & SOP benchmarks to ensure all funds will be spent, identifies projects that have a history of inadequate financial mgmt. or recaptured funds, & recommends reallocation of poor performing projects to the Board. The Review Team flags projects that a) demonstrate ongoing poor project performance outcomes and/or b) consistently score low on the Rank & Review tool. The Board makes the

final decision to reallocate funding to create a new high performing project by reviewing the project's performance outcomes, populations served and the need for the project and shares its decision with CoC Membership. If a project is considered needed in the community (i.e. uniquely serves a hard-to-serve population), the Board works with the Collaborative Applicant to provide TA to address underperformance. If it is decided reallocation would be a better use of CoC funds to best serve homeless clients, funding is made available through the new project Rank & Review process. A separate application is required for projects being developed with reallocated funds, and the proposed projects must fill an unmet need, as noted above. Applications for these projects are accepted while renewal applications are submitted for rank and review. Applications for new projects will be ranked separate from renewal projects, and the final ranking will be presented to the CoC Board for approval and shared with membership.

Project proposals developed with reallocated funds must fill an unmet need and submit a New/Bonus application. Agencies interested in applying for reallocated funds are required to interview with the Review Team. Applications for New/Bonus projects will be ranked separately from Renewal projects, and the final ranking will be approved by the Board presented to CoC Membership.

Review Team

Reviewers must be individuals from the community who are not CoC-funded or from neighboring communities and knowledgeable about the CoC process, services, and providers. Review Team members are considered by the NOFA Committee and invited by the Collaborative Applicant (CARES) to participate. After reviewers agree to participate, they are given project applications and scorecards and instructed to score applications with an objective lens. Three reviewers are recruited each year to score the narrative portions of each application.

Reviewers are provided a copy of each project's full application for review and score forms to complete. Scores for each application are averaged between the 3 reviewer scores to create the final score.

In the event project applications initially receive the same score, it is the responsibility of the Review Team to reconsider scoring to break the tie. The Review Team also considers any submitted appeals (see **Appeals Process** outlined below) and provides any final comments to be shared with agencies. Final scores result in the project ranking.

Threshold Review

In order to ensure CoC projects are high performing, all project applications must also meet a minimum scoring threshold of 50% of total possible application points. The Threshold Review will be conducted by the Review Team after the Rank and Review process is complete and final project scores determined. If the pre-determined threshold is not met, the Review Team may recommend the ACCH Board consider the possibility of reallocation or amendments to the project application/s with said agency. Projects that have underperformed (fallen below the threshold), for 3 consecutive years will be recommended for reallocation to the board during that year's NOFA.

Project Ranking

The NOFA requires that the CoC conduct a transparent and objective process to review and rank all Renewal and New/Bonus projects. Using the CoC-approved Rank & Review Tool, all Renewal projects seeking funding are scored and placed in numerical order by scores. New/Bonus projects are scored and placed in numerical order beneath Renewal Projects. Renewal projects without a year's worth of data, CE and HMIS projects are placed at the bottom of Tier 1, above the lowest scored projects. All agencies receive their project scores and are offered the opportunity to debrief with the Collaborative Applicant. Debriefing allows agencies the opportunity to request clarification regarding how/why Application question/s received certain scores. Debriefings are required if agencies are considering an appeal. Agencies may choose to appeal project score/s within the allotted time frame (see the **Appeals Process** outlined below).

After all debriefings with the Collaborative Applicant are completed and appeals considered by the Review Team, renewal project applicants that fall into Tier 2 will be notified and then the project ranking is presented to the Board for review/approval then shared with Membership. If the board determines that changes to project ranking should be made on behalf of the CoC, the board must make those determinations unanimously and have approval from all agencies whose ranking may be impacted by the changes.

Project Tiering

HUD requires that the CoC ranks projects into two tiers based on the funding allocation released in the NOFA. Tiering prioritizes projects for funding. Tier 1 is considered "safe" for continued funding, and HUD specifies the percentage of the ARD amount that will make up Tier 1 each year when the NOFO is released. Tier 2 is the percentage of CoC funding that is at risk each year, per HUD's announcement in the NOFO. Being in Tier 2 does not guarantee that funding will be lost, but it does place projects at risk if the CoC is low performing in the national competition.

Using the project ranking, the Collaborative Applicant tiers projects (New/Bonus projects are always placed at bottom of Tier 2) and presents the results to the Board. When the NOFA is released, priorities outlined in the application may be strategically applied by the CoC to project tiering. Final tiering results are presented to the Board for approval, then to Membership for a vote. Membership votes on the full application, including tiering.

Appeals Process

1. Who May Appeal?

An agency may appeal a decision concerning a Renewal or New/Bonus project application submitted by that agency. If a project was submitted by a collaboration of agencies, only a joint appeal may be submitted.

2. What May Be Appealed?

The appeals process applies to project scoring and ranking ***only***. *There is no appeal for project tiering.*

An appeal may ***not*** be based on the following:

- Failure to answer any question/s on the application

- Failure to submit required attachments to the application
- Failure to submit the application by the required deadline

Any mathematical errors found by an applicant will be corrected by the Collaborative Applicant.

3. Timing of an Appeal

Formal appeals may be submitted by a project within **three (3) business days** of debriefing. Appeals must be submitted in writing to the Collaborative Applicant (mvandeusen@caresny.org), who will then forward to the Review Team. The written appeal must consist of a brief statement no longer than one page, and can be in the form of a letter, memo or email.

4. Appeals Decisions

The Review Team for the Rank & Review also serves as the Appeals Review Team. Appeals are decided by majority vote of the Review/Appeals Team, and once decided, are final and may not be overturned by the NOFA Committee, Board or Membership.

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(d) Blank Renewal Application Tool

ALBANY COUNTY COALITION ON HOMELESSNESS (ACCH)

RANK & REVIEW APPLICATION 2024

PART 1: DATA & OBJECTIVE MEASURES SECTION

NOTE: THIS SECTION OF THE APPLICATION IS BASED ON FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 23 APR REPORTS (10/1/2022-9/30/2023). DATA SOURCES HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO HUD VIA LONGITUDINAL SYSTEMS ANALYSIS (LSAS) AND ARE USED TO EVALUATE PROJECTS TO ENSURE DATA CLEANLINESS.

Organization Name: _____

Project Name: _____

Application Contact Person: _____

Project Type: ☐ PSH ☐ RRH ☐ TH ☐ SSO

1. **Utilization Rate: Using the FY23 Project Application and Federal Fiscal Year 2023 (FY23) APR, complete the chart below to calculate utilization rate (round up to closest whole number).**

Projected number served during average PIT (Esnaps Project Application Question 5A)	Actual number served during PIT (APR Questions 7b and 8b)		
		Persons	Households
Persons: _____ Households: _____	January		
	April		
	July		
	October		
	Average:		

Persons: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____%

Households: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____%

What was your project utilization of households *or* persons served during the year? (use the higher of the two percentages)

15pts= 95-100%; 12 pts= 80-94%; 10 pts =70-79%; 5 pts = 0-69%

Points Earned: _____

2. Data Quality & Completeness: FY23 APR Q6

2a. FY23 APR Q6: Is there an error rate of more than 5% in any of the following HMIS elements: PII, Universal Data, Income and Housing? **Yes -0 points No-3 points Points Earned: _____**

2b. FY23 Timeliness of Data Entry: Do you have any number of project start records at 11+days?
(Use provided data attachment to respond) (**Attachment 2b.**)

Yes-0 points No-3 points Points Earned: _____

3. Impact on Chronic Homeless: (5 possible pts.) (Attachment #3)

Points Earned: _____

To show the impact towards the CoC goal of ending Chronic Homelessness, refer to Attachment 3 to see project score.

4. Positive Outcomes: (20 possible pts.) (Attachment 4) Points Earned: _____

For PSH, RRH, and TH, programs, an outcome is positive if a client is a stayer or exited to a PH destination. Use Attachment 4 to see project score.

5. Exits to Homelessness: (20 possible pts.) (Attachment 5) Points Earned: _____

Please use Attachment 5 showing all project leavers and note the project score based on those who exited to the shelter or the street.

6. Income Growth – Project Performance (20 possible pts.) (Attachments 6a. and 6b.)
(Based on APR Q19. Cash Income – Changes over Time to respond to questions below.)

6a. What percentage of **clients (leavers)** gained or increased **employment income or non-employment income at program exit?** (Note percent in **Q19a2. Row 5, Column 9**) Use attachment 6a. to see project score. (10 points)

***This question will be weighted if your project had no leavers in the year analyzed.*

Points Earned: _____

6b. What percentage of **clients (stayers)** gained or increased **employment income or non-employment income between start and annual assessment?** (Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 5, Column 9**) Use attachment 6b. to see project score. (10 points) **Waived for RRH & TH*

Points Earned: _____

7. Physical and Mental Health Conditions- Number of conditions at Start (5 possible pts.) *Waived for TH & RRH projects*

(Based on APR Q13 a2- Number of Conditions at Start)

Projects serving clients with 2 or more conditions at project entry may be considered as serving those with the most severe service needs. This question awards points to projects serving those with 2 or more conditions at entry. (See **Attachment 7** for more information)

To calculate the percentage of clients with 2+ conditions at program entry, add APR Q13a2. Column 1 Row 3 and APR Q13a2. Column 1 Row 4 together. Divide by APR Q5 (Total Number of Persons Served).

77-100%= 5 pts; 38-76%= 2.5 pts; 0-37%= 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

8. Percentage of Clients who entered with zero income (5 possible pts)

Clients without any income have higher barriers to remain stably housed. This measure, based on APR Q18, identifies programs that are serving higher-needs clients by giving points to those projects that serve more clients with zero income at program entry. (See **Attachment 8** for more information)

To calculate the percentage of adults with no income at program entry, divide APR Q18 Column 1 Row 4 by APR Q5 Row 2 (Total Number of Adults).

49%-100%= 5pts; 10-48%= 2.5 pts; 0-9%= 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

9. Length of Time between Project Start Date and Residential Move-in Date (2 possible pts)

This question measures the average time it takes for a client who is entered into your project to move into a permanent housing destination. *This question is waived for Transitional Housing and SSO projects.*

On APR Q22c, refer to the column "Average length of time to housing".

21 days or less= 2 pts; Greater than 22 days = 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

10. Health Insurance- Percentage of Stayers with Health Insurance at Annual Assessment (5 possible pts)

To calculate the percentage of clients who retained or acquired health insurance, add APR Q21. Column 2 Row 14, 15 and APR Q21. Column 2 Row 16 together. Divide this number by APR Q5. (Total number of stayers).

59-100%= 5 pts; 31-57%= 2.5 pts 0-30%= 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

11. Priority Population

Check the corresponding box if your project serves 100% of the identified priority population(s)

- ☐ 100% Mental Health and/or substance use disorders = 5 pts
☐ No priority population = 0 pts

12. CoC Participation (0-5 pts)

Does the project or agency staff regularly (at least 50% of meetings) participate in any of the following CoC committees? *Participation will be confirmed by the Collaborative Applicant.*

- ☐ Yes- Membership Meetings only (3 pts)
☐ Yes- Membership Meetings and at least one committee (5 pts)
☐ No- (0) pts

Board	HMIS Advisory	Coordinated Entry
Membership	Strategic Planning	Systems Collaboration
Fiscal Advisory	NOFA	
Governance	Reg. Youth Homelessness	

13.

a. Does the project submit vouchers for reimbursement of CoC funds to the UFA Program designee at least quarterly?

- ☐ Yes 3 pts ☐ No 0 pts

b. Does the project submit vouchers for reimbursement of CoC funds to the UFA Program designee at least monthly?

(Responses will be verified by UFA staff)

- ☐ Yes 2 pts ☐ No 0 pts

14. What percentage of funding from your most recently ended contract was unspent and returned to HUD?

% _____

0% = 10 pts; 1%-10% = 8pts; 11%-20% = 5 pts; 21%-40% = 2 pts; 40% ≤ 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

15. Has this project returned funds to HUD more than once in the last 3 contract years?

(Responses will be verified by UFA staff)

Note: Participating in the UFA redirect and/or reallocation process does not count as returning funds.

- ☐ No/NA- 6 pts ☐ Yes (returned funds more than once in last 3 contract years)- 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

16. Monitoring (0-4pts) *(Responses will be verified by UFA staff)*

a. Did your agency participate in the most recent CoC Fiscal and/or Program Monitoring and provide all required documentation by the specified due date **with no findings?**

☐ Yes 4 pts

☐ No 0 pts

OR

b. Did your agency participate in the most recent CoC Fiscal and/or Program Monitoring and provide all required documentation by the specified due date **with any findings addressed by the deadline provided?**

☐ Yes 2 pts

☐ No 0 pts

17. Coordinated Entry: (up to 12 pts) *(Responses will be verified with the CE lead)*

17a. Does your project comply with HUD requirements and ONLY admit clients who have been referred through the Coordinated Entry (CE) process? ☐ **Yes 6 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

17b. Do you regularly attend the bi-weekly SPOA/CE meetings? ☐ **Yes 2 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

17c. Have all agency staff participating in the Coordinated Entry process received the required CE and HMIS/CE in HMIS training? (For DV agencies, do you have staff trained to participate in the comparable Coordinated Entry system and HMIS-comparable database?)

☐ **Yes 2 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

17d. Has your agency signed and returned to the CE lead agency the Coordinated Entry MOU?

☐ **Yes 2 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

18. Housing First

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals without screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below.

Does your project screen out or terminate clients based on any the following?

- Having too little or no income
- Active or history of substance abuse
- Criminal record with exceptions 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
- Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically found in the project's geographic area.

☐ **YES- 0 PTS**

☐ **NO- 10 PTS**

19. Anti-Discrimination (0-3 pts)

Does your agency have an anti-discrimination policy? (Please attach relevant pages of your policy to your application as a PDF)

☐ Yes 3 pts ☐ No 0 pts

Calculate your Part 1 score (CARES will provide a final scorecard)

Note that this section is not required to complete. Agencies can use this scorecard to estimate their Part 1 score.

	Question	Points Available	Points Earned
1	Utilization Rate*	15	
2	Data Quality & Completeness*	6	
3	Impact on Chronic Homelessness*	5	
4	Positive Outcomes**	20	
5	Exits to Homelessness**	20	
6	Income Growth**	20	
7	Health Conditions*	5	
8	Clients with Zero Income at Start*	5	
9	LOT Between Start Date and Move In**	2	
10	Health Insurance*	5	
11	Priority Population*	5	
12	CoC Participation*	5	
13	Quarterly Vouchers*	5	
14	Unspent Funds*	10	
15	Returned Funds in last 3 yrs*	6	
16	Monitoring*	4	
17	Coordinated Entry*	12	
18	Housing First*	10	
19	Anti-Discrimination*	3	
	TOTAL	163	

Questions indicate a System Performance Measure question. Rank & Review applications must have **at least 20% of program score based on SPMs to get full points on the annual CoC NOFO Application.

*Questions indicate Objective Measures. Rank & Review applications must have **at least** 33% of program score based on objective measures to get full points on the annual CoC NOFO Application.

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PART II – PROJECT / SYSTEM PERFORMANCE NARRATIVES

Project Name: _____

Project Type: ☐ PSH ☐ RRH ☐ SSO ☐ TH ☐ TH-RRH

Agency Name: _____

Applicant Contact Information: _____

FY24 Funding Request: \$ _____

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This section provides reviewers with a synopsis of your project; **it is not scored.**

Provide a brief project overview to describe program characteristics listed below:

- a. Target Population
- b. Services provided to participants
- c. Project goals and achievements

1. Addressing Program Challenges in Part 1

After seeing your preliminary **Part 1 score**, please identify up to 3 questions from Part 1 where you did not score full points. Applicants can use this section to detail unique circumstances for why they did not score full points. Reviewers may score up to 50% of the points lost in Part 1 for each question identified. CARES will calculate total points available for each question.

Part 1 Question #__

Part 1 Question #__

Part 1 Question #__

2. Diversity and Inclusion & Eliminating Barriers to Services: (0-20 pts)

Please tell us what your agency has done over the last year to promote Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) at the agency level. How has your agency identified and addressed barriers to participation, especially those related to race or ethnicity?

- 6 pts- How has your agency identified structural inequities within your agency and what steps have been taken to address those inequities?
- 6 pts if the applicant describes how their agency engages in the local Coordinated Entry process to ensure that barriers related to race/ethnicity are eliminated.
- 3 pt for participating in outside committees or workgroups that promote DEI in the CoC.
- 3 pts for identifying specific hiring initiatives to increase DEI within your agency.
- 2 pts for describing what goals your agency has to promote inclusion within your agency culture.

3. Including Transgender and Gender Non-conforming clients: (0-5 pts)

How does your program ensure housing and support service options that are tailored to support people who identify as LGBTQIA+?

- 2 pts if agency describes training provided to agency staff to ensure a safe and equitable atmosphere for clients.
- 3 pts if agency describes any MOUs or partnerships with agencies specifically geared toward LGBTQ+ participant needs.

4. Feedback & Decision-Making from Persons with Lived Experience (0-5 pts)

What proactive processes does your agency have to receive and incorporate feedback from persons with lived experience of homelessness (clients and employees)?

- 2 pts if applicant specifies how often project participants are asked for feedback about their programs and services;
- 3 pts if applicant provides an example of feedback from a project participant that was implemented to make a positive change in the program.

5. Staff with Lived Experience (0-5 pts)

Does your agency employ people with lived experience of homelessness? If so, are they involved in any decision-making or policy creation?

- 2 pts if agency employs people with lived experience of homelessness;
- 3 pts if agency describes how employees with lived experience are involved in decision-making and/or policy creation.

6. Addressing Severe Service Needs (0-12 pts)

Describe the severe service needs of clients within your project, and why the services provided in your project are needed in the CoC. Please use local data and examples to back up your claim if applicable.

Severe service needs are defined in this context as any condition or situation that impedes a person's ability to live independently.

- 4 pts if agency describes the ability to provide services and support to a population(s) with the most severe service needs in Albany County.
- 4 pts if the agency adequately demonstrates/cites evidence of the need for their project in the community due to their capacity to serve those with the most severe service needs.
- 4 pts if agency describes an example of supports provided in this project that are able to help people with severe service needs to maintain stable housing.

7. Domestic Violence Projects Only- Positive Outcomes/*Safety* (o-6 pts)

Outcomes considered positive for DV programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC?

- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes through the DV provider lens.
- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC.

8. Dedicated Youth Projects Only- Positive Outcomes (o-6 pts)

Outcomes considered positive for youth programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability across the CoC?

- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes through the Youth provider lens.
- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability across the CoC.

Part 2 Application Score Breakdown

For informational purposes only

Question	Total Points Available
1. Addressing Program Challenges	30*
2. Diversity and Inclusion	20
3. Including LGBTQIA+	5
4. Feedback from Project Participants	5
5. Staff with Lived Experience	5
6. Addressing Severe Service Needs	12
7. DV Projects Only	6
8. Youth Projects Only	6
Total Available	89

*Please note that 30 is the maximum number of points possible for this question. Only a project that scored zero points on the 3 highest-valued questions would be eligible to receive 30 points. Actual point ranges will vary depending on which questions from Part 1 an applicant chooses to respond to.

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-503 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(e) Blank New Project Application Tool

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Please note: Being selected through the Rank & Review process does not guarantee funding; rather it allows the project to apply for CoC funding to HUD, which is a nationally competitive process.

1. Applicant/Agency Name:
2. Agency Point of Contact:
3. Proposed Project Name:
4. Physical Agency Address:
5. Address of proposed project (if applicable):
6. Total number of units and beds being applied for (if applicable):
7. Total number of households/clients project proposes to serve:
8. Which of the below eligible project types are you applying for?
 - ☐ Permanent Supportive Housing (must be DedicatedPlus or 100% dedicated to chronically homeless)
 - ☐ Rapid Rehousing
 - ☐ Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing
9. What type of project are you applying for?
 - ☐ New project
 - ☐ Expansion of an existing project
10. Will the project be able to begin within 12 months? ☐ Yes ☐ No
11. Proposed project start date (month/year):
12. Is the agency applying a current CoC-funded grantee? ☐ Yes ☐ No
13. Is the applicant a current member of the ACCH Continuum of Care (CoC)?
 - ☐ Yes – 10 points ☐ No – 0 points

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14. Does your agency have any unresolved monitoring or audit findings from HUD or the CoC?
☐ Yes – 0 points ☐ No – 6 points

If yes, please explain:

15. Is your agency an active participant in the ACCH Coordinated Entry?

☐ Yes – 4 pts ☐ No - 0 pts

16. Does your agency currently report in the CoC's HMIS system?

☐ Yes – 4 pts ☐ No - 0 pts

17. Housing First

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals **without** screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below. The ACCH CoC prioritizes projects that have a Housing First approach. Will your project screen out or terminate consumers based on any of the following?

Note that if your project is selected for funding, your agency will be held accountable for operating the project in this manner by HUD and the CoC.

Having too little or no income

Active or history of substance abuse

Criminal record with exceptions for state-mandated restrictions

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

☐ No- 25 pts ☐ Yes- 0 pts

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18. Please provide a brief project description that addresses the scope of your project.

Please include the target population that will be served and the reason why this project is being proposed. **(0 – 4 points)**

19. Please provide a detailed description of the agency's experience in administering projects dedicated to serving an underserved population (i.e. your target population). **(0-10 points)**

- *4 pts for detailing past experience serving an underserved population;*
- *3 points for explaining how you have connected clients to supportive services necessary to maintain stable housing;*
- *3 points for detailing other funding sources the agency uses/has used in the past to serve HUD-Defined Homeless populations.*

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20. What gap in services or need in the community will this project address or fill? Please provide any anecdotal or quantitative evidence of this gap and how your project would address it. **(0-8 pts)**

- *2 points for identifying the service gap or need in the community;*
- *2 points for detailing data/evidence of the service gap or need in the community;*
- *4 points for explaining how the proposed project will address the need (including how the project type (i.e. PSH, RRH) and budget (i.e. amount of support services) will support participants in maintaining housing stability.*

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21. Community Priorities (16 pts)

The CoC consistently has people with serious mental illness and substance use diagnoses on the Coordinated Entry waitlist for longer periods of time, on average, than other population types. Those with an SMI make up 57% of the Continuum's waitlist and those with substance use disorders make up 38% of the Continuum's waitlist. These populations are on the CE waitlist for over 373 days, on average, and agencies have reported that these populations have much more significant & severe service needs than other/past persons served.

Please check all services/supports that your proposed project will provide **(2 pts per service checked)**:

- ☐ Supporting and accompanying clients to apartment searches to attain housing;
- ☐ Providing dedicated case management that is offered 2x per week;
- ☐ Providing a connection to peer support services;
- ☐ Providing a connection to professional/clinical support services;
- ☐ Incorporating a move-on strategy for each client into individual service plans;
- ☐ Project will provide services to clients who may have been denied from projects previously.
- ☐ An MOU with a SUD provider to provide intensive outpatient case management and/or support services.
- ☐ An MOU with a Mental Health provider to provide intensive outpatient case management and/or support services.

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22. Community Priorities cont. (0-10 pts)

(If the project proposed prioritizes youth populations, please respond to 21B . only)

- A. How will your project support these populations in gaining and maintaining housing and supporting them toward their goals?
- **Up to 5 pts** for describing how your project will address the needs of those most prevalent on the CE Waitlist
 - **Up to 5 pts** for outlining the program model and support services that will be available for clients to assist them in their housing and personal goals.

B. Community Priorities- Youth Only (0-12 pts)

How will your project support youth populations in gaining and maintaining housing and supporting them toward their goals?

- **Up to 6 pts** if the applicant describes how the proposed project will support youth toward positive outcomes.
- **Up to 6 pts** for outlining how the proposed project will contribute to positive housing stability across the CoC.

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23. How will this project reduce the average length of time homeless for project participants? (0-4pts)

- **Up to 4 pts** if applicant describes how their project will serve those with the longest lengths of time homeless and strategies for reducing length of time homeless.

24. The CoC will receive up to 14 points for successfully demonstrating that agencies are leveraging Healthcare and Housing partnerships to bolster CoC programs. Does your agency have relationships/partnerships with any of the below? Check all that apply.

☐ [Public/Private Healthcare Organizations](#)

☐ [PHAs, local housing organizations, or other non-CoC/ESG funding streams](#)

☐ No eligible partnerships at this time

25. If you checked Public/Private Healthcare Organizations, does your agency have a written commitment from a health care organization with the value of the commitment and the date(s) the healthcare resources will be provided?

- For Substance abuse programs the commitment must include language that the agency will provide access to treatment or recovery services for all program participants who qualify and choose those services; or*
- In the case of non-substance abuse treatment, the value of assistance being provided is at least an amount that is equivalent to 25% of the funding being requested for the new CoC project, which will be covered by the healthcare organization.*

Please include this documentation with your application to receive full points.

☐ Yes- 10 points ☐ No - 0 points

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- 26.** If you checked PHAs, local housing organizations, or other non-CoC/ESG funding streams, will your project utilize housing subsidies or subsidized housing units not funded through the CoC or ESG by: **providing at least 25 percent of the units** included in the project; or in the case of a rapid re-housing project, **serve at least 25 percent of the program participants** anticipated to be served by the project*?

Please provide this documentation with your application to receive full points.

☐ Yes- 10 points ☐ No – 0 points

27. Racial Equity and Barriers to Participation (0-5 pts)

Identify barriers to participation in your agency's services and how you ensure that your services are available to any eligible participants.

- *3 pts if the applicant describes tangible actions taken at the agency and/or project level to eliminate identified barriers.*
- *2 pts for describing how the agency advertises their services to community members and/or partners with other agencies to ensure that all eligible people in need of services are aware of supports that may exist for them.*

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28. Diversity and Inclusion: (0-5 pts)

Please tell us what your agency has done over the last year to promote Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) at the program and agency level. Check out the [HUD Fair Housing Toolkit](#) as a resource.

- **3 pts** for providing a specific example of an action or initiative taken to promote DEI and/or a specific example of an action or initiative taken to support the LGBTQIA+ Community.
- **2 pt** for participating in outside committees or workgroups that promote DEI in the CoC.

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29. Feedback from Program Participants/Persons with Lived Experience & Decision-Making (0-5 pts)

What proactive processes does your agency have to receive and incorporate feedback from persons with lived experience?

- 3 pts if applicant specifies how often **participants** will be asked for feedback about their programs and services and explains how feedback will be used to implement programmatic changes.
- 2 pts if agency describes how **employees** with lived experience are involved in decision-making and/or policy creation.

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Please check the below boxes to indicate that you have read and agree to the following statements before submitting your application:

☐ I understand that if my project scores highly enough to advance in this year's application, that **does NOT mean that my project is guaranteed funding**. Projects that advance in the local process will compete for bonus funds from HUD in the national CoC competition and awards will be shared in early 2025.

☐ I understand that if my project scores highly enough to advance in this year's application, I will be **required to meet with the CARES UFA Team** to discuss project logistics and respond to any remaining questions regarding my project in order for it to be submitted to HUD.

☐ I understand that if my project scores highly enough to advance in this year's application, I will be required to **submit additional information** to the CARES UFA Team in order to complete all HUD requirements for submission of my project with the CoC Application.

Please provide a 12-month Budget Proposal (required for review):

ACTIVITY	CoC FUNDS REQUESTED	NOTES
A. Rental Assistance	\$	
B. Support Services	\$	
1. Salaries	\$	
2. Benefits	\$	
3. Other	\$	
C. VAWA (New eligible activity)	\$	
D. Rural Costs (New eligible activity)	\$	
E. Operating	\$	
F. Admin (up to 10%)	\$	
G. Total Project Costs	\$	
MATCH	AMOUNT	SOURCE
H. 25% Match Requirement	\$	

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Please attach:

- If applicable: Formal Housing leveraging commitments (contracts, MOU with PHA, etc.)
- If applicable: Formal Healthcare leveraging commitments (MOUs, service agreements, etc.)

Documentation Checklist & Template for New CoC Project Applicants: Leveraging Healthcare Resources

Background Information

Leveraging Healthcare Resources. These points are available for CoCs that apply for at least one **new** permanent supportive housing or rapid re-housing project that utilizes healthcare resources to help individuals and families experiencing homelessness. Sources of health care resources include:

- Direct contributions from a public or private health insurance provider to the project (e.g., Medicaid) and
- Provision of health care services by a private or public organization (e.g., Federally Qualified Health Centers) tailored to the program participants of the project.

Eligibility for the project must comply with HUD program and fair housing requirements. Eligibility criteria cannot be restricted by the eligibility requirements of the health care service provider.

CoCs must demonstrate through a **written commitment** from a health care organization that:

- a. in the case of a substance abuse treatment or recovery provider, it will provide access to treatment or recovery services for all program participants who qualify and choose those services; or
- b. in the case of non substance abuse treatment or recovery provider, the value of assistance being provided is at least an amount that is equivalent to **25 percent of the funding** being requested for the new CoC project, which will be covered by the healthcare organization.

Acceptable forms of commitment are formal written agreements and must include:

- the name of the project
- the value of healthcare resources
- dates the healthcare resources will be provided
- for substance abuse treatment or recovery providers, the written commitment must include all of the above and demonstrate the providers will provide access to treatment or recovery for all program participants who qualify and choose the services.

In-kind resources must be valued at the local rates consistent with the amount paid for services not supported by grant funds. CoCs can receive less than full points for demonstrating commitments less than the threshold described above.

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Healthcare Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage healthcare resources**. You must submit to CARES (1) the below checklist and (2) a contract, letter of commitment, or other formal commitment that includes the following:

- ☐ The name of the project

Project name:

- ☐ Amount of assistance to be provided by the healthcare organization:

- ☐ The value (dollar amount) of the healthcare commitment being provided (must be at least 25% of the total funding requested)

OR

- ☐ If the partner agency is a substance abuse and/or recovery program, a guarantee that the services will be provided to all eligible participants of this project.

Calculation showing the amount of healthcare resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of funding requested through the proposed New CoC Project Application, OR confirm the substance abuse and/or recovery program will offer services to all eligible participants.

- ☐ The date** that the services and/or committed funding will be available is on the written commitment (must run concurrently with the new project)

****Must be dated between May 1, 2023 and September 28, 2023.**

Date of healthcare commitment:

- ☐ Affirmation that project eligibility for program participants in the new PH-PSH or PH-RRH project will be based on CoC Program fair housing requirements and will not be restricted by the health care service provider.

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Healthcare Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage healthcare resources**.

***You must submit to CARES (1) the below checklist and (2) a contract, letter of commitment, or other formal commitment that includes the following:**

☐ The name of the project

Project name:

Amount of assistance to be provided by the healthcare organization:

☐ The value (dollar amount) of the healthcare commitment being provided (must be at least 25% of the total funding requested)

OR

☐ If the partner agency is a substance abuse and/or recovery program, a guarantee that the services will be provided to all eligible participants of this project. Evaluation cost \$200 per person

Calculation showing the amount of healthcare resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of funding requested through the proposed New CoC Project Application, OR confirm the substance abuse and/or recovery program will offer services to all eligible participants.

☐ The date** that the services and/or committed funding will be available is on the written commitment (must run concurrently with the new project)

***Must be dated between May 1, 2024 and September 30, 2024.*

Date of healthcare commitment:

☐ Affirmation that project eligibility for program participants in the new PH-PSH or PH-RRH project will be based on CoC Program fair housing requirements and will not be restricted by the health care service provider.

Documentation Checklist & Template for New CoC Project Applicants: Leveraging Housing Resources

Background Information

Leveraging Housing Resources. These points are available for CoCs that apply for at least one new permanent supportive housing or rapid re-housing project that utilizes housing subsidies or subsidized housing units not funded through the CoC or ESG programs. Housing subsidies or subsidized housing units may be funded through any of the following sources:

- Private organizations;
- State or local government, including through the use of HOME funding provided through the American Rescue Plan;
- Public Housing Agencies, including through the use of a set aside or limited preference;
- Faith-based organizations; or
- Federal programs other than the CoC or ESG programs.

CoC's will receive full (7) points by demonstrating that they have applied for at least one **new** permanent supportive housing or rapid re-housing project that utilizes housing subsidies or subsidized housing units not funded through the CoC or ESG programs. The CoC must demonstrate that these housing units will:

(i) in the case of a permanent supportive housing project, **provide at least 25 percent of the units** included in the project (reference 4B in your new project PSH application); or (ii) in the case of a rapid re-housing project, **serve at least 25 percent of the program participants** anticipated to be served by the project (reference 5A in your new project RRH application).

CoCs must attach letters of commitment, contracts, or other formal written documents that demonstrate the number of subsidies or units being provided to support the project. CoCs can receive less than full points for demonstrating commitments less than the threshold described above.

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Housing Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage housing resources**. You must submit to CARES (1) the below checklist and (2) a contract, letter of commitment, or other formal written documents from the funding body that includes:

- ☐ Project name should be listed in the commitment documentation

Project name:

- ☐ Source of commitment should be listed in the commitment documentation (i.e. private organizations, state or local government, PHAs, faith-based organizations, federal programs other than CoC or ESG programs)

Source of Commitment:

- ☐ Amount of funding committed per the following:

☐ PSH: the number of housing units for a PSH project that are not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of units must be at least 25% of the total units to be provided by the proposed new CoC project application for full points.

OR

☐ RRH or TH-RRH: The number of program participants to be provided RRH or TH-RRH that is not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of program participants to be served must be at least 25% of the total participants to be served in the proposed CoC new project application for full points.

Calculation showing the amount of non-CoC/ESG resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of units (for PSH) or participants (for RRH) to be served through the proposed New CoC Project Application:

- ☐ The date** that the funding (outside of CoC or ESG programs) will be available is on the written commitment (should run concurrently with the new project).

****Must be dated between May 1, 2023 and September 28, 2023.**

Dates of housing commitment:

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Housing Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage housing resources**.

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Source of Commitment:

Amount of funding committed per the following:

PSH: the number of housing units for a PSH project that are not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of units must be at least 25% of the total units to be provided by the proposed new CoC project application for full points.

OR

RRH or TH-RRH: The number of program participants to be provided RRH or TH-RRH that is not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of program participants to be served must be at least 25% of the total participants to be served in the proposed CoC new project application for full points.

Calculation showing the amount of non-CoC/ESG resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of units (for PSH) or participants (for RRH) to be served through the proposed New CoC Project Application:

☐ The date** that the funding (outside of CoC or ESG programs) will be available is on the written commitment (should run concurrently with the new project).

****Must dated between May 1, 2024 and September 30, 2024.**

Dates of housing commitment:

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-503 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

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- 1.** Applicant/Agency Name:
- 2.** Agency Point of Contact:
- 3.** Proposed Project Name:
- 4.** Physical Agency Address:
- 5.** Address of proposed project (if applicable):
- 6.** Total number of units and beds being applied for (if applicable):
- 7.** Total number of households/clients project proposes to serve:
- 8.** Which of the below eligible project types are you applying for?

☐ Rapid Rehousing

☐ Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing

- 9.** What type of project are you applying for?

☐ New project

☐ Expansion of an existing project

- 10.** Will the project be able to begin within 12 months? ☐ Yes ☐ No

- 11.** Proposed project start date (month/year):

- 12.** Is the agency applying a current CoC-funded grantee?

☐ Yes ☐ No

- 13.** Is the applicant a current member of the ACCH Continuum of Care (CoC)?

☐ Yes – 10 points ☐ No – 0 points

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14. Housing First

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals **without** screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below. The ACCH CoC prioritizes projects that have a Housing First approach. Does your project screen out or terminate consumers based on any the following? ***If you respond “Yes” to any of the following, your project is not be eligible to apply for this funding.***

	Yes	No
Having too little or no income	☐	☐
Active or history of substance abuse	☐	☐
Criminal record with exceptions 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	☐	☐
Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically	☐	☐

15. Does your agency have any unresolved monitoring or audit findings from HUD or the CoC?

☐ Yes – 0 points ☐ No – 6 points

If yes, please explain:

16. A. Is your agency an active participant in the ACCH Coordinated Entry?

☐ Yes – 5 pts ☐ No - 0 pts

B. Does your agency have and utilize an HMIS-Comparable database? If not, will your agency comply with HUD data standards if awarded?

☐ Yes – 5 pts ☐ No - 0 pts

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17. Please provide a brief project description that addresses the scope of your project.

Please include the target population that will be served and the reason why this project is being proposed. **(o – 5 points)**

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- 18.** Please provide a detailed description of the agency's experience in administering projects dedicated to serving survivors of domestic violence, dating violence and stalking. **(up to 20 points)**
- **4 points** for past experience serving a domestic violence survivor population
 - **3 points** for explaining how your program fosters supports and build a network of additional supports to better provide for the multitude of needs a survivor may present with.
 - **3 points** for explaining how during the 24 months of your program, you will prepare survivors for moving into a sustainable housing situation.
 - **3 points** for describing how you prioritize program participant choice while ensuring safety of your clients.
 - **3 points** for describing how the program will establish and maintain an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures program participant staff interactions with clients are based on equality and minimize power differentials.
 - **3 points** if you describe how your program will place emphasis on program participants' strengths, e.g., strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans include assessments of program participants' strengths and works towards goals and aspirations.
 - **1 point** for describing opportunities for survivors to engage with the agency and supports even after their 24 months of programing ends.

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19. What gap in services or need in the community will this project address or fill? Please provide any anecdotal or quantitative evidence of this gap and how your project would address it. **(0-10 pts)**
- **2 points** for identifying local priority populations served through proposed project;
 - **2 points** for identifying the service gap or need in the community;
 - **2 points** for detailing data/evidence of the service gap or need in the community;
 - **4 points** for explaining how the proposed project will address the need (including how the project type (i.e. PSH, RRH) and budget (i.e. amount of support services) will support participants in maintaining housing stability.
20. How will this project reduce the average length of time homeless for project participants? **(0-4pts)**
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☐ No eligible partnerships at this time

22. If you checked Public/Private Healthcare Organizations, does your agency have a written commitment from a health care organization with the value of the commitment and the date(s) the healthcare resources will be provided?

- a. *If the partnership is with a substance abuse treatment or recovery provider, it will provide access to treatment or recovery services for **all program participants who qualify** and choose those services; or*
b. *in the case of non-substance abuse treatment or recovery provider, the value of assistance being provided is at least an amount that is **equivalent to 25 percent of the funding being requested** for the new CoC project, which will be covered by the healthcare organization.*

Please include this documentation with your application to receive full points.

☐ Yes- 10 points ☐ No - 0 points

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☐ Yes- 10 points ☐ No - 0 points

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24. Racial Equity and Barriers to Participation (0-5 pts)

Identify barriers to participation within your agency projects and how you ensure that your services are available to any eligible participants.

- *2 pts if the applicant describes tangible actions taken at the agency and/or project level to eliminate identified barriers;*
- *3 pts for describing how the agency advertises their services to community members and/or partners with other agencies to ensure that all eligible people in need of services are aware of supports that may exist for them.*

25. Diversity and Inclusion: (0-5 pts)

Please tell us what your agency has done over the last year to promote Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) at the program and agency level. Check out the [HUD Fair Housing Toolkit](#) as a resource.

- *3 pts for providing a specific example of an action or initiative taken to promote DEI and/or a specific example of an action or initiative taken to support the LGBTQIA+ Community.*
- *2 pt for participating in outside committees or workgroups that promote DEI in the CoC.*

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26. Feedback from Program Participants/Persons with Lived Experience & Decision-Making (0-5 pts)

What proactive processes does your agency have to receive and incorporate feedback from persons with lived experience?

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☐ I understand that if my project scores highly enough to advance in this year's application, that **does NOT mean that my project is guaranteed funding**. Projects that advance in the local process will compete for bonus funds from HUD in the national CoC competition and awards will be shared in early 2025.

☐ I understand that if my project scores highly enough to advance in this year's application, I will be **required to meet with the CARES UFA Team** to discuss project logistics and respond to any remaining questions regarding my project in order for it to be submitted to HUD.

☐ I understand that if my project scores highly enough to advance in this year's application, I will be required to **submit additional information** to the CARES UFA Team in order to complete all HUD requirements for submission of my project with the CoC Application.

Please provide a 12-month Budget Proposal (required for review):

ACTIVITY	CoC FUNDS REQUESTED	NOTES
A. Rental Assistance	\$	
B. Support Services	\$	
1. Salaries	\$	
2. Benefits	\$	
3. Other	\$	
C. VAWA (New Eligible Activity)	\$	
D. Rural Costs (New Eligible Activity)	\$	
E. Operating	\$	
F. Admin (up to 10%)	\$	
G. Total Project Costs	\$	
MATCH	AMOUNT	SOURCE
H. 25% Match Requirement	\$	

Please attach:

- If applicable: Formal Housing leveraging commitments (contracts, MOU with PHA, etc.)
- If applicable: Formal Healthcare leveraging commitments (MOUs, service agreements, etc.)

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-503 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(g) Blank CE/HMIS Bonus Application Tool

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Please note: Being selected through the Rank & Review process does not guarantee funding; rather it allows the project to apply to HUD for CoC funding, which is a competitive process.

1. Applicant/Agency Name:
2. Agency Point of Contact:
3. Proposed Project Name:
4. Physical Agency Address:
5. Address of proposed project (if applicable):
6. Which of the below eligible project types are you applying for?
 - ☐ Coordinated Entry
 - ☐ Coordinated Entry- DV
 - ☐ HMIS
7. What type of project are you applying for?
 - ☐ New project
 - ☐ Expansion of an existing project
8. Will the project be able to begin within 12 months? ☐ Yes ☐ No
9. Proposed project start date (month/year):
10. Is the agency applying a current CoC-funded grantee?
 - ☐ Yes ☐ No
11. Is the applicant a current member of the ACCH Continuum of Care (CoC)?
 - ☐ Yes – 10 points ☐ No – 0 points

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12. Does your agency have any unresolved monitoring or audit findings from HUD or the CoC? ☐ Yes – 0 points ☐ No – 6 points

If yes, please explain

13. Please explain the need for this project within your CoC. **(0-20 pts.)**

14. Do you have the proper staffing to administer this program if funded?
☐ Yes- 8 pts ☐ No- 0 pts

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15. Racial Equity and Barriers to Participation (0-5 pts)

Identify barriers to participation within your agency/projects and how you ensure that your services are available to any eligible participants.

- *2 pts if the applicant describes tangible actions taken at the agency and/or project level to eliminate identified barriers;*
- *3 pts for describing how the agency advertises their services to community members and/or partners with other agencies to ensure that all eligible people in need of services are aware of supports that may exist for them.*

16. Diversity and Inclusion: (0-5 pts)

Please tell us what your agency has done over the last year to promote Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) at the program and agency level. Check out the [HUD Fair Housing Toolkit](#) as a resource.

- *3 pts for providing a specific example of an action or initiative taken to promote DEI and/or a specific example of an action or initiative taken to support the LGBTQIA+ Community.*
- *2 pt for participating in outside committees or workgroups that promote DEI in the CoC.*

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17. Feedback from Program Participants/Persons with Lived Experience & Decision-Making (0-5 pts)

What proactive processes does your agency have to receive and incorporate feedback from persons with lived experience?

- 3 pts if applicant specifies how often **participants** will be asked for feedback about their programs and services and explains how feedback will be used to implement programmatic changes.
- 2 pts if agency describes how **employees** with lived experience are involved in decision-making and/or policy creation.

Coordinated Entry Projects Only Please Complete This Section

18. What % of ARD funds are already dedicated to CE? (CARES will answer this question on your behalf) _____

0%-2%=26 pts. 2.1%-3%=20 pts. 3.1%-4%=10 pts. 4.1%-5%= 5 pts >5%=0 pts.

19. Does your currently funded CE project ensure the following required data elements are entered into HMIS or a comparable database: (if not currently funded skip to Q18a.)

☐ All Yes-5 pts ☐ Any No's-0 pts

- ☐ CE Assessment Element
- ☐ CE Event Element
- ☐ Current Living Situation Element

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19a. If your agency is not a currently funded CE project, please explain the staffing plan and training your agency will provide to accomplish the above required data elements are entered into HMIS or a comparable database? **(up to 3 pts)**

20. Please list the following entities for your project's CE system:

Policy Oversight Entity: _____

Management Entity: _____

Evaluation Entity: _____

In 3-5 sentences please describe how your program will work with each to ensure program compliance. **(0-5 pts)**

21. Does your CE System have a data privacy policy? ☐ **Yes-5 pts** ☐ **No-0 pts**

HMIS Projects Only Please Complete This Section

22. What % of ARD funds are already dedicated to HMIS? **(CARES will answer this question on your behalf)** _____

0%-2%=26 pts. 2.1%-3%=20 pts. 3.1%-4%=10 pts. 4.1%-5%= 5 pts >5%=0 pts.

23. Do 100% of required projects participate in your HMIS project? ☐ **Yes=5 pts** ☐ **No=0 pts**

23a. If your HMIS does not currently have 100% required participation what is your plan for engagement? Please explain. **(0-3 pts.)**

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24. Has your HMIS project submitted all required reports on time within the last fiscal year?
(ex: LSA, SPM and HMIS Grantee APR) ☐ Yes-5 pts ☐ No-0 pts
25. Does your HMIS System have a data privacy policy? ☐ Yes-5 pts ☐ No-0 pts

CE & HMIS Projects-Please provide a 12-month budget proposal (required for review)

ACTIVITY	CoC FUNDS REQUESTED	NOTES
A. Support Services	\$	
1. Salaries	\$	
2. Benefits	\$	
3. Other	\$	
B. HMIS	\$	
C. VAWA (New eligible activity)	\$	
D. Rural Costs (New eligible activity)	\$	
E. Admin	\$	
F. Total Project Costs	\$	
MATCH	AMOUNT	SOURCE
G. 25% Match Requirement	\$	

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(h) Ranking and Tiering

- This document showcases the actual points awarded for each project application

Note: CE/HMIS Bonus Applications ONLY:

- A weighted value was derived by dividing the highest possible score of all CoC Bonus project application types to the possible points for the application type
- The weighted value was multiplied with the project application total points earned to calculate the final comparable score of all CoC Bonus project application types

NY-503 (Albany)- FY24 Ranking & Tiering

Agency	Project Name	Project Type	Project Score	Project Status	Project Rank	Amount Requested from HUD	Reallocated Funds	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES- PBRA for Homeless Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (Yr 2) (2023)	PH-PSH	196.9	Accepted/Renewal	1	\$69,535	\$0	Tier 1
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS The Next Step 2023	PH-RRH	196	Accepted/Renewal	2	\$79,524	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Arvilla House 2023	PH-PSH	195.5	Accepted/Renewal	3	\$109,930	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Pathways 2023	PH-PSH	194.58	Accepted/Renewal	4	\$953,965	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS SPC 2023	PH-PSH	193.67	Accepted/Renewal	5	\$420,208	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox DV RRH 2023	PH-RRH	192.3	Accepted/Renewal	6	\$1,098,670	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Legal Aid of Northeastern NY	UFA 503 Legal Aid RRH for Families Expansion 2023	PH-RRH	188.9	Accepted/Renewal	7	\$220,791	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES S Plus C for Persons with Disabilities 2023	PH-PSH	186.5	Accepted/Renewal	8	\$644,148	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Damien Center	UFA 503 Damien Center Housing 2023	PH-PSH	183.67	Accepted/Renewal	9	\$342,455	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	PH-PSH	180.93	Accepted/Renewal	10	\$88,792	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC S Plus C for Homeless Veterans with Disabilities 2023	PH-PSH	180.83	Accepted/Renewal	11	\$375,595	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 MultiDivision Housing IPH HATAS SCCC Collaborative 2023	PH-PSH	180.5	Accepted/Renewal	12	\$492,860	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC PSH for Homeless Veterans 2023	PH-PSH	179.5	Accepted/Renewal	13	\$124,526	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Operations at 280 Clinton Ave 2023	TH	175.8	Accepted/Renewal	14	\$21,400	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-SPHP	UFA 503 SPARC S Plus C 2023	PH-PSH	175.5	Accepted/Renewal	15	\$335,182	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC RRH for Homeless Veterans 2023	PH-RRH	174.3	Accepted/Renewal	16	\$123,334	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Project Help 2023	PH-PSH	171	Accepted/Renewal	17	\$126,399	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox Transitional Living 2023	TH	170.1	Accepted/Renewal	18	\$184,010	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Veterans House 2023	TH	168.5	Accepted/Renewal	19	\$108,689	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Albany HMIS	HMIS	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	20	\$82,431	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox	UFA 503 Equinox DV Coordinated Entry	SSO-CE	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	21	\$71,223	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	SSO-CE	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	22	\$111,182	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-In Our Own Voices	UFA 503 IOV TH RH for LGBTGNC	TH-RRH	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	23	\$278,448	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	PH-PSH	165.67	Accepted/Renewal	24	\$331,364	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	PH-PSH		Accepted/Renewal		\$87,738	\$0	Tier 2
CARES of NY, Inc.-SCCC	UFA 503 SCCC Supported Housing Plus 2023	PH-PSH	165.4	Accepted/Renewal	25	\$211,675	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-RSS	UFA 503 RSS Albany SAIL 2023	PH-PSH	163.5	Accepted/Renewal	26	\$106,114	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Hope House	UFA 503 Hope House PSH 2023	PH-PSH	139.33	Accepted/Renewal	27	\$221,995	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Capital Area Peer Services	UFA 503 CAPS 100 Clinton Ave 2023	PH-PSH	136.83	Accepted/Renewal	28	\$127,440	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	Coordinated Entry Expansion	SSO-CE	134.64	Accepted/Bonus	29	\$54,270	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	Kendal House Expansion	PH-PSH	128	Accepted/Bonus	30	\$184,270	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-In Our Own Voices	IOOV LGBTQ Housing Project	TH-RRH	125	Accepted/Bonus	31	\$414,895	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Capital Area Peer Services	Homeless & Peer Advocate Connection Transitions	TH-RRH	88	Accepted/Bonus	32	\$252,520	\$0	

Not Ranked:

CARES of NY, Inc.	Planning Grant 2024					\$ 377,481.00	Planning
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA Grant 2024					\$ 226,489.00	UFA

Annual Renewal Demand	\$	7,549,623
Tier 1	\$	6,794,661
Tier 2	\$	754,962
CoC Bonus	\$	905,955
DV Bonus	\$	682,268
Planning Grant	\$	377,481
UFA Grant	\$	226,489

Note: CE/HMIS Bonus Applications ONLY:

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- The weighted value was multiplied with the project application total points earned to calculate the final comparable score of all CoC Bonus project application types

Expansion Grants

Applicant Name	Renewal Project Name	Expansion Project Name
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	Coordinated Entry Expansion
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	Kendal House Expansion

Consolidations

Applicant Name	Renewal Project 1	Renewal Project 2	Surviving Pin

Reallocated Grants

Applicant Name	Project Name that is Reallocating	Project that is taking the	Voluntary/Involuntary	Amount

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

This attachment provides a copy of a completed score card used for **one renewal project** submitted in NY-503's local competition. It contains the following:

1. NY-503's Required Criteria for Attachment 1E-2a
2. Renewal Project Score Card
 - a. HATAS – Pathways
3. Blank Renewal Project Application Tool
 - a. The application tool contextualizes the #2 Renewal Project Scoring Card

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

1. NY-503's Required Criteria for Attachment 1E-2a

NY-503

Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
Renewal Part 1 & 2	222	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts/%
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Part 1: Q1, Q2, Q3, Q7, Q8, Q9, Q10, Q12, Q13, Q14, Q15, Q16, Q18 Q19	222/81= 36%
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts/%
Renewal Part 1 & 2	Part 1: Q2, Q4, Q5, Q6	222/60= 27%

NY-503

Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
New	140	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts
New	Q13, Q14, Q15, Q16, Q25, Q26	140/34
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts
New	Q20, Q22	140/20

NY-503

Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
DV Bonus	100	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts
DV Bonus	Q13, Q15, Q16, Q22, Q23	100/31
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts
DV Bonus	Q19	100/10

NY-503

Total maximum points available for each project application type		
Application Type	Total maximum points available	
CE/HMIS Bonus	100	
1. Objective criteria (OC)	Questions addressing OC	Total OC pts
CE/HMIS Bonus	Q11, Q12, Q18, Q19, Q20, Q21	100/57
2. System Performance (SP)	Questions Addressing System Performance	Total SP pts/%
CE/HMIS Bonus	NA	NA

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

2. Renewal Project Score Card

a. HATAS – Pathways

Agency Name: HATAS					Final Score:	Total Points Available
Project Type: PSH					194.58	222
Project Name: Pathways						
Part 1: Renewal Tool						
#	Question	Scored By	Points Available	Points Received	Notes	
1	Utilization Rate	CARES	15	15		
2	Data Quality	CARES	6	3		
3	Chronic Homelessness	CARES	5	2.5		
4	Positive Outcomes	CARES	20	20		
5	Exits to Homelessness	CARES	20	20		
6A	Income Growth- Leavers	CARES	10	5		
6B	Income Growth- Stayers	CARES	10	5		
7	Health Cond. At Start	CARES	5	0		
8	Enter with zero income	CARES	5	2.5		
9	LOT btwn Start and Move-In	CARES	2	2		
10	Health Insurance	CARES	5	5		
11	Priority Population	CARES	5	5		
12	CoC Participation	CARES	5	5		
13	Voucher Submission	CARES	5	5		
14	Unspent Funds	CARES	10	10		
15	Unspent Funds- 3 yrs	CARES	6	6		
16	Monitoring	CARES	4	4		
17	Coordinated Entry	CARES	12	12		
18	Housing First	CARES	10	10		
19	Anti-Discrimination	CARES	3	3		
	Total		163	140		
Part 2: Renewal Tool					Notes	
1	Addressing Program Challenges		Points Available	Points Received	"Points Available" in this section are recouped points from Part 1 and are not counted in the final denominator.	
	APC #1	Reviewers	1.25	1.25		
	APC #2	Reviewers	5	5.00		
	APC #3	Reviewers	2.5	2.33		
2	DEI & Racial Barriers	Reviewers	20	20.00		
3	LGBTQIA+ Support	Reviewers	5	5.00		
4	Feedback from PWLE	Reviewers	5	4.67		
5	Staff with Lived Experience	Reviewers	5	5.00		
6	Addressing Severe Service Needs	Reviewers	12	11.33		
7	DV Projects Only	Reviewers	6	0.00		
8	Youth Projects Only	Reviewers	6	0.00		
	Total		59	54.58		

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

3. Blank Renewal Project Application Tool

a. The application tool contextualizes the #2 Renewal Project Scoring Card

ALBANY COUNTY COALITION ON HOMELESSNESS (ACCH)

RANK & REVIEW APPLICATION 2024

PART 1: DATA & OBJECTIVE MEASURES SECTION

NOTE: THIS SECTION OF THE APPLICATION IS BASED ON FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 23 APR REPORTS (10/1/2022-9/30/2023). DATA SOURCES HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO HUD VIA LONGITUDINAL SYSTEMS ANALYSIS (LSAS) AND ARE USED TO EVALUATE PROJECTS TO ENSURE DATA CLEANLINESS.

Organization Name: _____

Project Name: _____

Application Contact Person: _____

Project Type: ☐ PSH

☐ RRH

☐ TH

☐ SSO

1. **Utilization Rate: Using the FY23 Project Application and Federal Fiscal Year 2023 (FY23) APR, complete the chart below to calculate utilization rate (round up to closest whole number).**

Projected number served during average PIT (Esnaps Project Application Question 5A)	Actual number served during PIT (APR Questions 7b and 8b)		
		Persons	Households
Persons: _____ Households: _____	January		
	April		
	July		
	October		
	Average:		

Persons: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____%

Households: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____%

What was your project utilization of households *or* persons served during the year? (use the higher of the two percentages)

15pts= 95-100%; 12 pts= 80-94%; 10 pts =70-79%; 5 pts = 0-69%

Points Earned: _____

2. Data Quality & Completeness: FY23 APR Q6

2a. FY23 APR Q6: Is there an error rate of more than 5% in any of the following HMIS elements: PII, Universal Data, Income and Housing? **Yes -0 points No-3 points Points Earned: _____**

2b. FY23 Timeliness of Data Entry: Do you have any number of project start records at 11+days?
(Use provided data attachment to respond) (**Attachment 2b.**)

Yes-0 points No-3 points Points Earned: _____

3. Impact on Chronic Homeless: (5 possible pts.) (Attachment #3)

Points Earned: _____

To show the impact towards the CoC goal of ending Chronic Homelessness, refer to Attachment 3 to see project score.

4. Positive Outcomes: (20 possible pts.) (Attachment 4) Points Earned: _____

For PSH, RRH, and TH, programs, an outcome is positive if a client is a stayer or exited to a PH destination. Use Attachment 4 to see project score.

5. Exits to Homelessness: (20 possible pts.) (Attachment 5) Points Earned: _____

Please use Attachment 5 showing all project leavers and note the project score based on those who exited to the shelter or the street.

6. Income Growth – Project Performance (20 possible pts.) (Attachments 6a. and 6b.)
(Based on APR Q19. Cash Income – Changes over Time to respond to questions below.)

6a. What percentage of **clients (leavers)** gained or increased **employment income or non-employment income at program exit?** (Note percent in **Q19a2. Row 5, Column 9**) Use attachment 6a. to see project score. (10 points)

***This question will be weighted if your project had no leavers in the year analyzed.*

Points Earned: _____

6b. What percentage of **clients (stayers)** gained or increased **employment income or non-employment income between start and annual assessment?** (Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 5, Column 9**) Use attachment 6b. to see project score. (10 points) **Waived for RRH & TH*

Points Earned: _____

7. Physical and Mental Health Conditions- Number of conditions at Start (5 possible pts.) *Waived for TH & RRH projects*

(Based on APR Q13 a2- Number of Conditions at Start)

Projects serving clients with 2 or more conditions at project entry may be considered as serving those with the most severe service needs. This question awards points to projects serving those with 2 or more conditions at entry. (See **Attachment 7** for more information)

To calculate the percentage of clients with 2+ conditions at program entry, add APR Q13a2. Column 1 Row 3 and APR Q13a2. Column 1 Row 4 together. Divide by APR Q5 (Total Number of Persons Served).

77-100%= 5 pts; 38-76%= 2.5 pts; 0-37%= 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

8. Percentage of Clients who entered with zero income (5 possible pts)

Clients without any income have higher barriers to remain stably housed. This measure, based on APR Q18, identifies programs that are serving higher-needs clients by giving points to those projects that serve more clients with zero income at program entry. (See **Attachment 8** for more information)

To calculate the percentage of adults with no income at program entry, divide APR Q18 Column 1 Row 4 by APR Q5 Row 2 (Total Number of Adults).

49%-100%= 5pts; 10-48%= 2.5 pts; 0-9%= 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

9. Length of Time between Project Start Date and Residential Move-in Date (2 possible pts)

This question measures the average time it takes for a client who is entered into your project to move into a permanent housing destination. *This question is waived for Transitional Housing and SSO projects.*

On APR Q22c, refer to the column "Average length of time to housing".

21 days or less= 2 pts; Greater than 22 days = 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

10. Health Insurance- Percentage of Stayers with Health Insurance at Annual Assessment (5 possible pts)

To calculate the percentage of clients who retained or acquired health insurance, add APR Q21. Column 2 Row 14, 15 and APR Q21. Column 2 Row 16 together. Divide this number by APR Q5. (Total number of stayers).

59-100%= 5 pts; 31-57%= 2.5 pts 0-30%= 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

11. Priority Population

Check the corresponding box if your project serves 100% of the identified priority population(s)

- ☐ 100% Mental Health and/or substance use disorders = 5 pts
☐ No priority population = 0 pts

12. CoC Participation (0-5 pts)

Does the project or agency staff regularly (at least 50% of meetings) participate in any of the following CoC committees? *Participation will be confirmed by the Collaborative Applicant.*

- ☐ Yes- Membership Meetings only (3 pts)
☐ Yes- Membership Meetings and at least one committee (5 pts)
☐ No- (0) pts

Board	HMIS Advisory	Coordinated Entry
Membership	Strategic Planning	Systems Collaboration
Fiscal Advisory	NOFA	
Governance	Reg. Youth Homelessness	

13.

a. Does the project submit vouchers for reimbursement of CoC funds to the UFA Program designee at least quarterly?

- ☐ Yes 3 pts ☐ No 0 pts

b. Does the project submit vouchers for reimbursement of CoC funds to the UFA Program designee at least *monthly*?

(Responses will be verified by UFA staff)

- ☐ Yes 2 pts ☐ No 0 pts

14. What *percentage* of funding from your most recently ended contract was unspent and returned to HUD?

% _____

0% = 10 pts; 1%-10% = 8pts; 11%-20% = 5 pts; 21%-40% = 2 pts; 40% ≤ 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

15. Has this project returned funds to HUD more than once in the last 3 contract years?

(Responses will be verified by UFA staff)

Note: Participating in the UFA redirect and/or reallocation process does not count as returning funds.

- ☐ No/NA- 6 pts ☐ Yes (returned funds more than once in last 3 contract years)- 0 pts

Points Earned: _____

16. Monitoring (0-4pts) *(Responses will be verified by UFA staff)*

a. Did your agency participate in the most recent CoC Fiscal and/or Program Monitoring and provide all required documentation by the specified due date **with no findings?**

☐ Yes 4 pts

☐ No 0 pts

OR

b. Did your agency participate in the most recent CoC Fiscal and/or Program Monitoring and provide all required documentation by the specified due date **with any findings addressed by the deadline provided?**

☐ Yes 2 pts

☐ No 0 pts

17. Coordinated Entry: (up to 12 pts) *(Responses will be verified with the CE lead)*

17a. Does your project comply with HUD requirements and ONLY admit clients who have been referred through the Coordinated Entry (CE) process? ☐ **Yes 6 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

17b. Do you regularly attend the bi-weekly SPOA/CE meetings? ☐ **Yes 2 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

17c. Have all agency staff participating in the Coordinated Entry process received the required CE and HMIS/CE in HMIS training? (For DV agencies, do you have staff trained to participate in the comparable Coordinated Entry system and HMIS-comparable database?)

☐ **Yes 2 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

17d. Has your agency signed and returned to the CE lead agency the Coordinated Entry MOU?

☐ **Yes 2 pts** ☐ **No 0 pts**

18. Housing First

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals without screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below.

Does your project screen out or terminate clients based on any the following?

- Having too little or no income
- Active or history of substance abuse
- Criminal record with exceptions 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
- Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically found in the project's geographic area.

☐ **YES- 0 PTS**

☐ **NO- 10 PTS**

19. Anti-Discrimination (0-3 pts)

Does your agency have an anti-discrimination policy? (Please attach relevant pages of your policy to your application as a PDF)

☐ Yes 3 pts ☐ No 0 pts

Calculate your Part 1 score (CARES will provide a final scorecard)

Note that this section is not required to complete. Agencies can use this scorecard to estimate their Part 1 score.

	Question	Points Available	Points Earned
1	Utilization Rate*	15	
2	Data Quality & Completeness*	6	
3	Impact on Chronic Homelessness*	5	
4	Positive Outcomes**	20	
5	Exits to Homelessness**	20	
6	Income Growth**	20	
7	Health Conditions*	5	
8	Clients with Zero Income at Start*	5	
9	LOT Between Start Date and Move In**	2	
10	Health Insurance*	5	
11	Priority Population*	5	
12	CoC Participation*	5	
13	Quarterly Vouchers*	5	
14	Unspent Funds*	10	
15	Returned Funds in last 3 yrs*	6	
16	Monitoring*	4	
17	Coordinated Entry*	12	
18	Housing First*	10	
19	Anti-Discrimination*	3	
	TOTAL	163	

Questions indicate a System Performance Measure question. Rank & Review applications must have **at least 20% of program score based on SPMs to get full points on the annual CoC NOFO Application.

*Questions indicate Objective Measures. Rank & Review applications must have **at least** 33% of program score based on objective measures to get full points on the annual CoC NOFO Application.

ALBANY COUNTY COALITION ON HOMELESSNESS (ACCH)
RANK & REVIEW APPLICATION 2024
PART II – PROJECT / SYSTEM PERFORMANCE NARRATIVES

Project Name: _____

Project Type: ☐ PSH ☐ RRH ☐ SSO ☐ TH ☐ TH-RRH

Agency Name: _____

Applicant Contact Information: _____

FY24 Funding Request: \$ _____

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This section provides reviewers with a synopsis of your project; **it is not scored.**

Provide a brief project overview to describe program characteristics listed below:

- a. Target Population
- b. Services provided to participants
- c. Project goals and achievements

1. Addressing Program Challenges in Part 1

After seeing your preliminary **Part 1 score**, please identify up to 3 questions from Part 1 where you did not score full points. Applicants can use this section to detail unique circumstances for why they did not score full points. Reviewers may score up to 50% of the points lost in Part 1 for each question identified. CARES will calculate total points available for each question.

Part 1 Question #__

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2. Diversity and Inclusion & Eliminating Barriers to Services: (0-20 pts)

Please tell us what your agency has done over the last year to promote Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) at the agency level. How has your agency identified and addressed barriers to participation, especially those related to race or ethnicity?

- 6 pts- How has your agency identified structural inequities within your agency and what steps have been taken to address those inequities?
- 6 pts if the applicant describes how their agency engages in the local Coordinated Entry process to ensure that barriers related to race/ethnicity are eliminated.
- 3 pt for participating in outside committees or workgroups that promote DEI in the CoC.
- 3 pts for identifying specific hiring initiatives to increase DEI within your agency.
- 2 pts for describing what goals your agency has to promote inclusion within your agency culture.

3. Including Transgender and Gender Non-conforming clients: (0-5 pts)

How does your program ensure housing and support service options that are tailored to support people who identify as LGBTQIA+?

- 2 pts if agency describes training provided to agency staff to ensure a safe and equitable atmosphere for clients.
- 3 pts if agency describes any MOUs or partnerships with agencies specifically geared toward LGBTQ+ participant needs.

4. Feedback & Decision-Making from Persons with Lived Experience (0-5 pts)

What proactive processes does your agency have to receive and incorporate feedback from persons with lived experience of homelessness (clients and employees)?

- 2 pts if applicant specifies how often project participants are asked for feedback about their programs and services;
- 3 pts if applicant provides an example of feedback from a project participant that was implemented to make a positive change in the program.

5. Staff with Lived Experience (0-5 pts)

Does your agency employ people with lived experience of homelessness? If so, are they involved in any decision-making or policy creation?

- 2 pts if agency employs people with lived experience of homelessness;
- 3 pts if agency describes how employees with lived experience are involved in decision-making and/or policy creation.

6. Addressing Severe Service Needs (0-12 pts)

Describe the severe service needs of clients within your project, and why the services provided in your project are needed in the CoC. Please use local data and examples to back up your claim if applicable.

Severe service needs are defined in this context as any condition or situation that impedes a person's ability to live independently.

- 4 pts if agency describes the ability to provide services and support to a population(s) with the most severe service needs in Albany County.
- 4 pts if the agency adequately demonstrates/cites evidence of the need for their project in the community due to their capacity to serve those with the most severe service needs.
- 4 pts if agency describes an example of supports provided in this project that are able to help people with severe service needs to maintain stable housing.

7. Domestic Violence Projects Only- Positive Outcomes/Safety (o-6 pts)

Outcomes considered positive for DV programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC?

- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes through the DV provider lens.
- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC.

8. Dedicated Youth Projects Only- Positive Outcomes (o-6 pts)

Outcomes considered positive for youth programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability across the CoC?

- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes through the Youth provider lens.
- Up to 3 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability across the CoC.

Part 2 Application Score Breakdown

For informational purposes only

Question	Total Points Available
1. Addressing Program Challenges	30*
2. Diversity and Inclusion	20
3. Including LGBTQIA+	5
4. Feedback from Project Participants	5
5. Staff with Lived Experience	5
6. Addressing Severe Service Needs	12
7. DV Projects Only	6
8. Youth Projects Only	6
Total Available	89

*Please note that 30 is the maximum number of points possible for this question. Only a project that scored zero points on the 3 highest-valued questions would be eligible to receive 30 points. Actual point ranges will vary depending on which questions from Part 1 an applicant chooses to respond to.

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

This attachment details the 15 Day Notification of Projects Rejected or Reduced in NY-503. It contains the following:

1. No Project Applications Reduced or Rejected for NY-503
 - a. Sample Notification of Project Reduction
 - b. Sample Notification of Project Rejection
2. September 25, 2024 Email to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant's website the Ranking and Tiering
 - a. Note: No Rejected/Reduced Projects listed
3. Ranking and Tiering
 - a. Note: No Rejected/Reduced Projects listed

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

1. No Project Applications Reduced or Rejected for NY-503
 - a. Sample Notification of Project Reduction
 - b. Sample Notification of Project Rejection

Dear Project Applicant

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-503 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate XXX Agency on having the below **project accepted with a reduction** within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of projects that have been reduced due to voluntary reallocation for this application:

Agency	Project name	Project score	Rank Order	Funding amount requested	Status	Reason for Reduction
Sample	Sample	###	###	\$\$\$	Reduced	ranked outside the available funding

Your agency has voluntarily reduced \$\$\$ from the above project, from \$\$\$ to \$\$\$. Funds voluntarily reallocated through this reduction will be utilized by another competitive program within the CoC in order to fully employ the CoC's resources. You can see the full CoC Project Ranking & Tiering [here](#).

Please note, this means your projects will be included within the NY-503 CoC NOFO application with the reduced amount; HUD will determine and announce which projects will officially receive funding at a later

Thank you,

CARES Planning Team

Dear Project Applicant

On behalf of the NY-503 CoC, we would like to thank XXX Agency for its application, XXX Project, for funding through NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Unfortunately, through the local Rank and Review competition for New Projects, your application was not selected to apply.

This project met all threshold criteria, however, the project was ranked outside the available funding and was ultimately not able to be included in this year's application. The CoC encourages you to apply again if funding becomes available in future CoC competitions.

Agency	Project name	Project score	Rank Order	Funding amount requested	Status	Reason for Rejection
Sample	Sample	###	###	\$\$\$	Rejected	ranked outside the available funding

Thank you,

CARES Planning Team

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

2. September 25, 2024 Email to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant's website the Ranking and Tiering
 - a. Note: No Rejected/Reduced Projects listed

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Hello ACCH Members

Today, the 2024 Ranking and Tiering of CoC-Program Funding Applicants was posted to the CARES website and can be found here: https://caresny.org/nofo-2024/#NY_503

This document showcases the points awarded for each project application, their ranking, and the funding amount the project is applying for in the FY 2024-25 NOFO Application.

If you have any questions, please connect with [Maureen Van Deusen](#).

Thank you,
CARES Planning Team

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

3. Ranking and Tiering

a. Note: No Rejected/Reduced Projects listed

NY-503 (Albany)- FY24 Ranking & Tiering

Agency	Project Name	Project Type	Project Score	Project Status	Project Rank	Amount Requested from HUD	Reallocated Funds	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES- PBRA for Homeless Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (Yr 2) (2023)	PH-PSH	196.9	Accepted/Renewal	1	\$69,535	\$0	Tier 1
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS The Next Step 2023	PH-RRH	196	Accepted/Renewal	2	\$79,524	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Arvilla House 2023	PH-PSH	195.5	Accepted/Renewal	3	\$109,930	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Pathways 2023	PH-PSH	194.58	Accepted/Renewal	4	\$953,965	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS SPC 2023	PH-PSH	193.67	Accepted/Renewal	5	\$420,208	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox DV RRH 2023	PH-RRH	192.3	Accepted/Renewal	6	\$1,098,670	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Legal Aid of Northeastern NY	UFA 503 Legal Aid RRH for Families Expansion 2023	PH-RRH	188.9	Accepted/Renewal	7	\$220,791	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES S Plus C for Persons with Disabilities 2023	PH-PSH	186.5	Accepted/Renewal	8	\$644,148	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Damien Center	UFA 503 Damien Center Housing 2023	PH-PSH	183.67	Accepted/Renewal	9	\$342,455	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	PH-PSH	180.93	Accepted/Renewal	10	\$88,792	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC S Plus C for Homeless Veterans with Disabilities 2023	PH-PSH	180.83	Accepted/Renewal	11	\$375,595	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 MultiDivision Housing IPH HATAS SCCC Collaborative 2023	PH-PSH	180.5	Accepted/Renewal	12	\$492,860	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC PSH for Homeless Veterans 2023	PH-PSH	179.5	Accepted/Renewal	13	\$124,526	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Operations at 280 Clinton Ave 2023	TH	175.8	Accepted/Renewal	14	\$21,400	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-SPHP	UFA 503 SPARC S Plus C 2023	PH-PSH	175.5	Accepted/Renewal	15	\$335,182	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC RRH for Homeless Veterans 2023	PH-RRH	174.3	Accepted/Renewal	16	\$123,334	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Project Help 2023	PH-PSH	171	Accepted/Renewal	17	\$126,399	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox Transitional Living 2023	TH	170.1	Accepted/Renewal	18	\$184,010	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Veterans House 2023	TH	168.5	Accepted/Renewal	19	\$108,689	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Albany HMIS	HMIS	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	20	\$82,431	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox	UFA 503 Equinox DV Coordinated Entry	SSO-CE	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	21	\$71,223	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	SSO-CE	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	22	\$111,182	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-In Our Own Voices	UFA 503 IOV TH RH for LGBTGNC	TH-RRH	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	23	\$278,448	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	PH-PSH	165.67	Accepted/Renewal	24	\$331,364	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	PH-PSH		Accepted/Renewal		\$87,738	\$0	Tier 2
CARES of NY, Inc.-SCCC	UFA 503 SCCC Supported Housing Plus 2023	PH-PSH	165.4	Accepted/Renewal	25	\$211,675	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-RSS	UFA 503 RSS Albany SAIL 2023	PH-PSH	163.5	Accepted/Renewal	26	\$106,114	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Hope House	UFA 503 Hope House PSH 2023	PH-PSH	139.33	Accepted/Renewal	27	\$221,995	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Capital Area Peer Services	UFA 503 CAPS 100 Clinton Ave 2023	PH-PSH	136.83	Accepted/Renewal	28	\$127,440	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	Coordinated Entry Expansion	SSO-CE	134.64	Accepted/Bonus	29	\$54,270	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	Kendal House Expansion	PH-PSH	128	Accepted/Bonus	30	\$184,270	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-In Our Own Voices	IOOV LGBTQ Housing Project	TH-RRH	125	Accepted/Bonus	31	\$414,895	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Capital Area Peer Services	Homeless & Peer Advocate Connection Transitions	TH-RRH	88	Accepted/Bonus	32	\$252,520	\$0	

Not Ranked:

CARES of NY, Inc.	Planning Grant 2024					\$ 377,481.00	Planning
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA Grant 2024					\$ 226,489.00	UFA

Annual Renewal Demand	\$	7,549,623
Tier 1	\$	6,794,661
Tier 2	\$	754,962
CoC Bonus	\$	905,955
DV Bonus	\$	682,268
Planning Grant	\$	377,481
UFA Grant	\$	226,489

Expansion Grants

Applicant Name	Renewal Project Name	Expansion Project Name
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	Coordinated Entry Expansion
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	Kendal House Expansion

Consolidations

Applicant Name	Renewal Project 1	Renewal Project 2	Surviving Pin

Reallocated Grants

Applicant Name	Project Name that is Reallocating	Project that is taking the	Voluntary/Involuntary	Amount

1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

This attachment details the 15 Day Notification of Projects Accepted and Tiered for NY-503. It contains the following:

1. September 25, 2024 Email notification to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant's website the Ranking and Tiering showing NY-503 Accepted Projects
2. September 25, 2024 Website screenshots showing posted Ranking & Tiering for NY-503 Accepted Projects
3. September 25, 2024 Email notification of Projects Accepted:
 - a. **Albany Damien Center**
 - i. Ranked #9/32 - UFA 503: Damien Center Housing 2023, scored 183.67/222, \$342,455
 - b. **Albany Housing Coalition**
 - i. Ranked #11/32 - UFA 503: AHC S Plus C for Homeless Veterans with Disabilities 2023, scored 180.83/222, \$375,595
 - ii. Ranked #13/32 - UFA 503: AHC PSH for Homeless Veterans 2023, scored 179.5/222, \$124,526
 - iii. Ranked #14/32 - UFA 503: AHC Operations at 280 Clinton Ave 2023, scored 175.8/222, \$21,400
 - iv. Ranked #16/32 - UFA 503: AHC RRH for Homeless Veterans 2023, scored 174.3/222, \$123,334
 - v. Ranked #19/32 - UFA 503: AHC Veterans House 2023, scored 168.5/222, \$108,689
 - c. **Capital Area Peer Services**
 - i. Ranked #28/32 - UFA 503: CAPS 100 Clinton Ave 2023, scored 136.83/222, \$127,440
 - ii. Ranked #32/32 - Homeless & Peer Advocate Connection Transitions, scored 88/140, \$252,520
 - d. **CARES of NY, Inc./Support Ministries Inc.**
 - i. Ranked #1/32 - UFA 503: CARES- PBRA for Homeless Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (Yr 2) (2023), scored 196.9/222, \$69,535
 - ii. Ranked #3/32 - UFA 503: Support Ministries Arvilla House 2023, scored 195.5/222, \$109,930
 - iii. Ranked #8/32 - UFA 503: CARES S Plus C for Persons with Disabilities 2023, scored 186.5/222, \$644,148
 - iv. Ranked #17/32 - UFA 503: Support Ministries Project Help 2023, scored 171/222, \$126,399
 - v. Ranked #20/32 - UFA 503: Albany HMIS, scored N/A, \$82,431
 - e. **Equinox, Inc.**
 - i. Ranked: 6/32 - UFA 503: Equinox DV RRH 2023, scored 192.3/222, \$1,098,670
 - ii. Ranked: 18/32 - UFA 503: Equinox Transitional Living 2023, scored

170.1/222, \$184,010

- iii. Ranked: 21/32 - UFA 503: Equinox DV Coordinated Entry, scored N/A, \$71,223

f. HATAS

- i. Ranked: 2/32 - UFA 503: HATAS The Next Step 2023, scored 196/222, \$79,524
- ii. Ranked: 4/32 - UFA 503: HATAS Pathways 2023, scored 194.58/222, \$953,965
- iii. Ranked: 5/32 - UFA 503: HATAS SPC 2023, scored 193.67/222, \$420,208
- iv. Ranked: 22/32 - UFA 503: HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023, scored N/A, \$111,182
- v. Ranked: 29/32 - Coordinated Entry Expansion, scored 134.64/140, \$54,270

g. Hope House

- i. Ranked: 27/32 - UFA 503: Hope House PSH 2023, scored 139.33/222, \$221,995

h. In Our Own Voices

- i. Ranked: 23/32 - UFA 503: IOV TH RH for LGBTGNC, scored N/A, \$278,448
- ii. Ranked: 31/32 - IOOV LGBTQ Housing Project, scored 125/140, \$414,895

i. IPH

- i. Ranked: 12/32 - UFA 503: MultiDivision Housing IPH HATAS SCCC Collaborative 2023, scored 180.5/222, \$492,860
- ii. Ranked: 24/32 - UFA 503: IPH Housing 2023, scored 165.67/222, \$419,102

j. Joseph's House

- i. Ranked: 10/32 - UFA 503: JH Kendal House 2023, scored 180.93/222, \$88,792
- ii. Ranked: 30/32 - Kendal House Expansion, scored 128/140, \$184,270

k. Legal Aid of Northeastern NY

- i. Ranked: 7/32 - UFA 503: Legal Aid RRH for Families Expansion 2023, scored 188.9/222, \$220,791

l. RSS

- i. Ranked: 26/32 - UFA 503: RSS Albany SAIL 2023, scored 163.5/222, \$106,114

m. SCCC

- i. Ranked: 25/32 - UFA 503: SCCC Supported Housing Plus 2023, scored 165.4/222, \$211,675

n. SPHP

- i. Ranked: 15/32 - UFA 503: SPARC S Plus C 2023, scored 175.5/222, \$335,182

1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

1. September 25, 2024 email notification to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant's website the Ranking and Tiering showing NY-503 Accepted Projects

From: CARES Planning Team
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Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Laila Jerome; Michelle Sandoz-Dennis; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Public Posting: Ranking and Tiering of CoC-Program Funding Applicants NY-503
Date: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 1:36:00 PM
Attachments: image002.png

Hello ACCH Members

Today, the 2024 Ranking and Tiering of CoC-Program Funding Applicants was posted to the CARES website and can be found here: https://caresny.org/nofo-2024/#NY_503

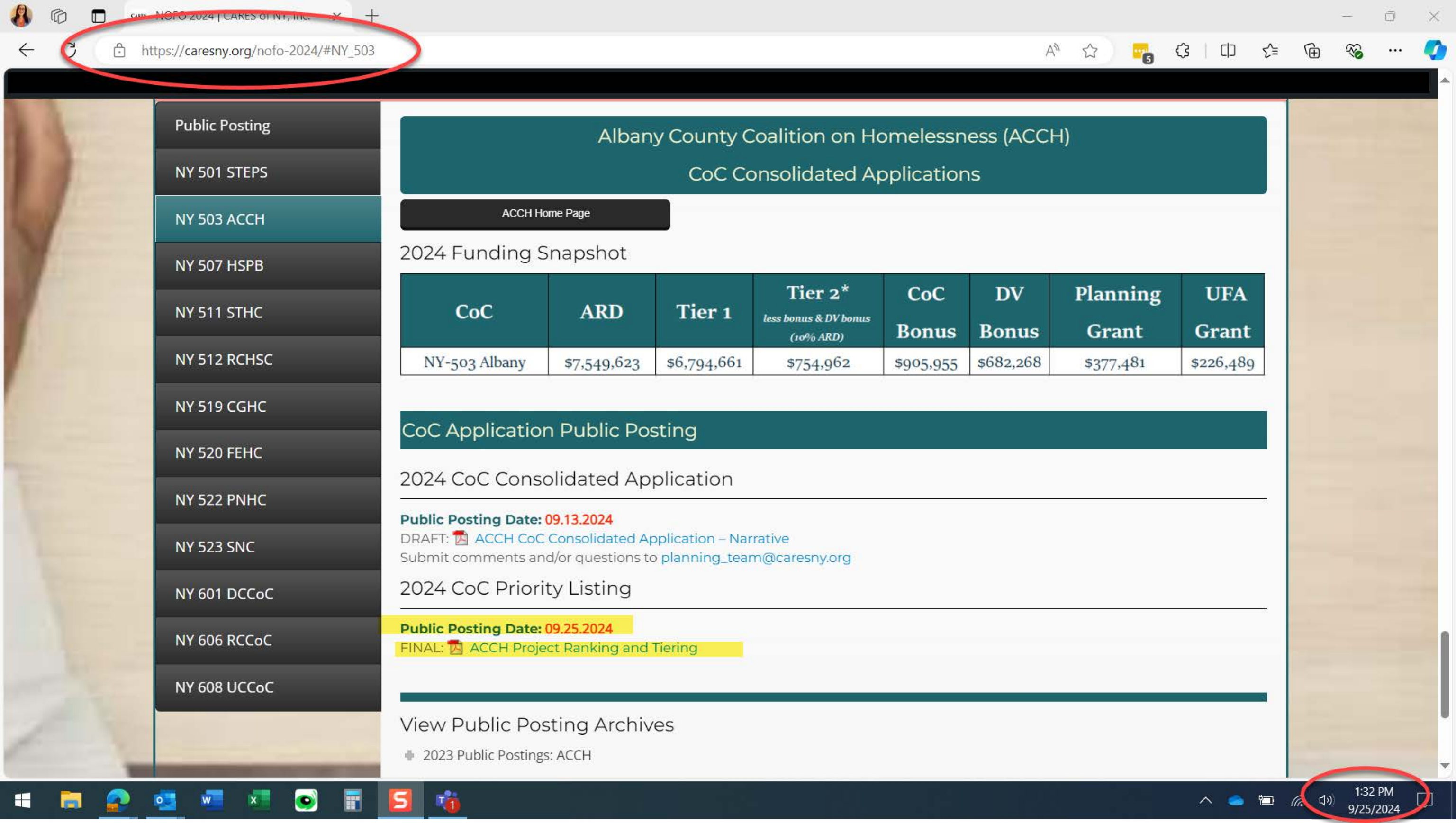
This document showcases the points awarded for each project application, their ranking, and the funding amount the project is applying for in the FY 2024-25 NOFO Application.

If you have any questions, please connect with [Maureen Van Deusen](#).

Thank you,
CARES Planning Team

1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

2. September 25, 2024 website screenshot showing posted Ranking & Tiering for NY-503 Accepted Projects



https://caresny.org/nofo-2024/#NY_503

Public Posting

NY 501 STEPS

NY 503 ACCH

NY 507 HSPB

NY 511 STHC

NY 512 RCHSC

NY 519 CGHC

NY 520 FEHC

NY 522 PNHC

NY 523 SNC

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Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (ACCH)

CoC Consolidated Applications

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2024 Funding Snapshot

CoC	ARD	Tier 1	Tier 2* less bonus & DV bonus (10% ARD)	CoC Bonus	DV Bonus	Planning Grant	UFA Grant
NY-503 Albany	\$7,549,623	\$6,794,661	\$754,962	\$905,955	\$682,268	\$377,481	\$226,489

CoC Application Public Posting

2024 CoC Consolidated Application

Public Posting Date: 09.13.2024

DRAFT: [ACCH CoC Consolidated Application - Narrative](#)

Submit comments and/or questions to planning_team@caresny.org

2024 CoC Priority Listing

Public Posting Date: 09.25.2024

FINAL: [ACCH Project Ranking and Tiering](#)

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1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

a. Albany Damien Center

i. Ranked #9/32 - UFA 503: Damien Center Housing 2023, scored 183.67/222,
\$342,455

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:40 PM
To: Perry Junjulas
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Albany Damien Center: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Albany Damien Center on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Albany Damien Center	UFA 503 Damien Center Housing 2023	9/32	183.67/222	\$342,455

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3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

b. Albany Housing Coalition, Inc.

- i. Ranked #11/32 - UFA 503: AHC S Plus C for Homeless Veterans with Disabilities 2023, scored 180.83/222, \$375,595
- ii. Ranked #13/32 - UFA 503: AHC PSH for Homeless Veterans 2023, scored 179.5/222, \$124,526
- iii. Ranked #14/32 - UFA 503: AHC Operations at 280 Clinton Ave 2023, scored 175.8/222, \$21,400
- iv. Ranked #16/32 - UFA 503: AHC RRH for Homeless Veterans 2023, scored 174.3/222, \$123,334
- v. Ranked #19/32 - UFA 503: AHC Veterans House 2023, scored 168.5/222, \$108,689

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:39 PM
To: Sondra Young - Catholic Charities Housing Office (s.young@ahcvets.org)
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Albany Housing Coalition: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Albany Housing Coalition on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC S Plus C for Homeless Veterans with Disabilities 2023	11/32	180.83/222	\$375,595
Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC PSH for Homeless Veterans 2023	13/32	179.5/222	\$124,526
Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Operations at 280 Clinton Ave 2023	14/32	175.8/222	\$21,400
Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC RRH for Homeless Veterans 2023	16/32	174.3/222	\$123,334
Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Veterans House 2023	19/32	168.5/222	\$108,689

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1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

c. Capital Area Peer Services

- iii. Ranked #28/32 - UFA 503: CAPS 100 Clinton Ave 2023, scored 136.83/222, \$127,440
- iv. Ranked #32/32 - Homeless & Peer Advocate Connection Transitions, scored 88/140, \$252,520

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:37 PM
To: 'Jane Zhang (jzhang@nycaps.org)'; Crystal Williams (cwilliams@nycaps.org)
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Capital Area Peer Services: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Capital Area Peer Services on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Capital Area Peer Services	UFA 503 CAPS 100 Clinton Ave 2023	28/32	136.83/222	\$127,440
Capital Area Peer Services	Homeless & Peer Advocate Connection Transitions- Bonus	32/32	88/140	\$252,520

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3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

d. CARES of NY, Inc./Support Ministries Inc.

- i. Ranked #1/32 - UFA 503: CARES- PBRA for Homeless Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (Yr 2) (2023), scored 196.9/222, \$69,535
- ii. Ranked #3/32 - UFA 503: Support Ministries Arvilla House 2023, scored 195.5/222, \$109,930
- iii. Ranked #8/32 - UFA 503: CARES S Plus C for Persons with Disabilities 2023, scored 186.5/222, \$644,148
- iv. Ranked #17/32 - UFA 503: Support Ministries Project Help 2023, scored 171/222, \$126,399
- v. Ranked #20/32 - UFA 503: Albany HMIS, scored N/A, \$82,431

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:42 PM
To: Denise Brodt; Jeanette Hemingway
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: CARES of NY, Inc.: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate CARES of NY, Inc. on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES- PBRA for Homeless Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (Yr 2) (2023)	1/32	196.9/222	\$69,535
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Arvilla House 2023	3/32	195.5/222	\$109,930
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES S Plus C for Persons with Disabilities 2023	8/32	186.5/222	\$644,148
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Project Help 2023	17/32	171/222	\$126,399
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Albany HMIS	20/32	N/A	\$82,431

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Congratulations on your accepted projects.

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3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

e. Equinox, Inc.

- i. Ranked: 6/32 - UFA 503: Equinox DV RRH 2023, scored 192.3/222, \$1,098,670
- ii. Ranked: 18/32 - UFA 503: Equinox Transitional Living 2023, scored 170.1/222, \$184,010
- iii. Ranked: 21/32 - UFA 503: Equinox DV Coordinated Entry, scored N/A, \$71,223

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:36 PM
To: Christine Rodriguez; 'Stephannie Lebrecht (slebrecht@equinoxinc.org)'
Cc: Samantha Barnaby; Maureen Van Deusen
Subject: Equinox, Inc.: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Equinox, Inc. on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox DV RRH 2023	6/32	192.3/222	\$1,098,670
Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox Transitional Living 2023	18/32	170.1/222	\$184,010
Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox DV Coordinated Entry	21/32	N/A	\$71,223

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f. HATAS

- i. Ranked: 2/32 - UFA 503: HATAS The Next Step 2023, scored 196/222, \$79,524
- ii. Ranked: 4/32 - UFA 503: HATAS Pathways 2023, scored 194.58/222, \$953,965
- iii. Ranked: 5/32 - UFA 503: HATAS SPC 2023, scored 193.67/222, \$420,208
- iv. Ranked: 22/32 - UFA 503: HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023, scored N/A, \$111,182
- v. Ranked: 29/32 - Coordinated Entry Expansion, scored 134.64/140, \$54,270

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:35 PM
To: Liz Hitt; Brian Shea (bshea@hatas.org); Rachel Alexander
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: HATAS: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate HATAS on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS The Next Step 2023	2/32	196/222	\$79,524
HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Pathways 2023	4/32	194.58/222	\$953,965
HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS SPC 2023	5/32	193.67/222	\$420,208
HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	22/32	N/A	\$111,182
HATAS	Coordinated Entry Expansion- Bonus	29/32	134.64/140	\$54,270

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g. Hope House

ii. Ranked: 27/32 - UFA 503: Hope House PSH 2023, scored 139.33/222,
\$221,995

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:32 PM
To: Windy Spearman (wbest-spearman@hopehouseinc.org); Jack Daley (jdaley@hopehouseinc.org)
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Hope House: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Hope House on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Hope House	UFA 503 Hope House PSH 2023	27/32	139.33/222	\$221,995

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3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

h. In Our Own Voices

- iii. Ranked: 23/32 - UFA 503: IOV TH RH for LGBTGNC, scored N/A,
\$278,448
- iv. Ranked: 31/32 - IOOV LGBTQ Housing Project, scored 125/140,
\$414,895

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:31 PM
To: Tandra R. LaGrone (tlagrone@inourownvoices.org)
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: In Our Own Voices: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate In Our Own Voices on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
In Our Own Voices	UFA 503 IOV TH RH for LGBTGNC	23/32	N/A	\$278,448
In Our Own Voices	IOOV LGBTQ Housing Project- Bonus	31/32	125/140	\$414,895

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3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

i. IPH

- i. Ranked: 12/32 - UFA 503: MultiDivision Housing IPH HATAS SCCC Collaborative 2023, scored 180.5/222, \$492,860
- ii. Ranked: 24/32 - UFA 503: IPH Housing 2023, scored 165.67/222, \$419,102

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:30 PM
To: KristenG; Megan Ovitt (megano@iphny.org); Janine Robitaille
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 MultiDivision Housing IPH HATAS SCCC Collaborative 2023	12/32	180.5/222	\$492,860
Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	24/32	165.67/222	\$419,102

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3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

i. Joseph's House

- i. Ranked: 10/32 - UFA 503: JH Kendal House 2023, scored 180.93/222, \$88,792
- ii. Ranked: 30/32 - Kendal House Expansion, scored 128/140, \$184,270

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:29 PM
To: Amy LaFountain
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Joseph's House: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Joseph's House on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	10/32	180.93/222	\$88,792
Joseph's House	Kendal House Expansion	30/32	128/140	\$184,270

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1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

k. Legal Aid Society of NENY

i. Ranked: 7/32 - UFA 503: Legal Aid RRH for Families Expansion 2023,
scored 188.9/222, \$220,791

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:28 PM
To: Wendy Wahlberg
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Michelle Sandoz-Dennis; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: Legal Aid of Northeastern NY: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate Legal Aid of Northeastern NY on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
Legal Aid of Northeastern NY	UFA 503 Legal Aid RRH for Families Expansion 2023	7/32	188.9/222	\$220,791

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1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

1. RSS

i. Ranked: 26/32 - UFA 503: RSS Albany SAIL 2023, scored 163.5/222, \$106,114

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:28 PM
To: moill@rehab.org
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: RSS: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate RSS on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
RSS	UFA 503 RSS Albany SAIL 2023	26/32	163.5/222	\$106,114

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1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

1. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

m. St. Catherine's Center for Children (SCCC)

- i. Ranked: 25/32 - UFA 503: SCCC Supported Housing Plus 2023, scored 165.4/222, \$211,675

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:27 PM
To: Louisa Marra ; Shameeka Pompey (Spompey@stcath.org)
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: SCCC: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate SCCC on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
SCCC	UFA 503 SCCC Supported Housing Plus 2023	25/32	165.4/222	\$211,675

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1E-5a: Projects Accepted – Public Posting.

3. September 25, 2024 email notification of Projects Accepted:

n. St. Peter's Health Partners (SPHP)

i. Ranked: 15/32 - UFA 503: SPARC S Plus C 2023, scored 175.5/222, \$335,182

Tess Sweeney

From: CARES Planning Team <planning_team@caresny.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 12:26 PM
To: debra.lasoff@sphp.com; LisaR.Smith@sphp.com
Cc: Maureen Van Deusen; Samantha Barnaby
Subject: SPHP: Notice of Project Acceptance into the FY24 CoC Competition

Good Afternoon,

On behalf of the Albany County Coalition on Homelessness (NY-503 CoC), CARES, as the Collaborative Applicant, would like to congratulate SPHP on having your project(s) accepted within NY-503's FY24 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Agency Name	Project Name	Ranked #/#	Scored #/#	Funding Amount
SPHP	UFA 503 SPARC S Plus C 2023	15/32	175.5/222	\$335,182

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1E-5b. Local Competition Selection Results–Scores for All Projects.

This attachment details the final project scores for all new and renewal projects considered for NY-503 during its local competition. It contains the following:

1. Ranking and Tiering for NY-503 Projects

NY-503 (Albany)- FY24 Ranking & Tiering

Agency	Project Name	Project Type	Project Score	Project Status	Project Rank	Amount Requested from HUD	Reallocated Funds	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES- PBRA for Homeless Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (Yr 2) (2023)	PH-PSH	196.9	Accepted/Renewal	1	\$69,535	\$0	Tier 1
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS The Next Step 2023	PH-RRH	196	Accepted/Renewal	2	\$79,524	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Arvilla House 2023	PH-PSH	195.5	Accepted/Renewal	3	\$109,930	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Pathways 2023	PH-PSH	194.58	Accepted/Renewal	4	\$953,965	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS SPC 2023	PH-PSH	193.67	Accepted/Renewal	5	\$420,208	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox DV RRH 2023	PH-RRH	192.3	Accepted/Renewal	6	\$1,098,670	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Legal Aid of Northeastern NY	UFA 503 Legal Aid RRH for Families Expansion 2023	PH-RRH	188.9	Accepted/Renewal	7	\$220,791	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 CARES S Plus C for Persons with Disabilities 2023	PH-PSH	186.5	Accepted/Renewal	8	\$644,148	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Damien Center	UFA 503 Damien Center Housing 2023	PH-PSH	183.67	Accepted/Renewal	9	\$342,455	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	PH-PSH	180.93	Accepted/Renewal	10	\$88,792	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC S Plus C for Homeless Veterans with Disabilities 2023	PH-PSH	180.83	Accepted/Renewal	11	\$375,595	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 MultiDivision Housing IPH HATAS SCCC Collaborative 2023	PH-PSH	180.5	Accepted/Renewal	12	\$492,860	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC PSH for Homeless Veterans 2023	PH-PSH	179.5	Accepted/Renewal	13	\$124,526	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Operations at 280 Clinton Ave 2023	TH	175.8	Accepted/Renewal	14	\$21,400	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-SPHP	UFA 503 SPARC S Plus C 2023	PH-PSH	175.5	Accepted/Renewal	15	\$335,182	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC RRH for Homeless Veterans 2023	PH-RRH	174.3	Accepted/Renewal	16	\$123,334	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Support Ministries Project Help 2023	PH-PSH	171	Accepted/Renewal	17	\$126,399	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox, Inc.	UFA 503 Equinox Transitional Living 2023	TH	170.1	Accepted/Renewal	18	\$184,010	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Albany Housing Coalition	UFA 503 AHC Veterans House 2023	TH	168.5	Accepted/Renewal	19	\$108,689	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA 503 Albany HMIS	HMIS	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	20	\$82,431	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Equinox	UFA 503 Equinox DV Coordinated Entry	SSO-CE	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	21	\$71,223	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	SSO-CE	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	22	\$111,182	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-In Our Own Voices	UFA 503 IOV TH RH for LGBTGNC	TH-RRH	N/A	Accepted/Renewal	23	\$278,448	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	PH-PSH	165.67	Accepted/Renewal	24	\$331,364	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless	UFA 503 IPH Housing 2023	PH-PSH		Accepted/Renewal		\$87,738	\$0	Tier 2
CARES of NY, Inc.-SCCC	UFA 503 SCCC Supported Housing Plus 2023	PH-PSH	165.4	Accepted/Renewal	25	\$211,675	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-RSS	UFA 503 RSS Albany SAIL 2023	PH-PSH	163.5	Accepted/Renewal	26	\$106,114	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Hope House	UFA 503 Hope House PSH 2023	PH-PSH	139.33	Accepted/Renewal	27	\$221,995	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Capital Area Peer Services	UFA 503 CAPS 100 Clinton Ave 2023	PH-PSH	136.83	Accepted/Renewal	28	\$127,440	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	Coordinated Entry Expansion	SSO-CE	134.64	Accepted/Bonus	29	\$54,270	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	Kendal House Expansion	PH-PSH	128	Accepted/Bonus	30	\$184,270	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-In Our Own Voices	IOOV LGBTQ Housing Project	TH-RRH	125	Accepted/Bonus	31	\$414,895	\$0	
CARES of NY, Inc.-Capital Area Peer Services	Homeless & Peer Advocate Connection Transitions	TH-RRH	88	Accepted/Bonus	32	\$252,520	\$0	

Not Ranked:

CARES of NY, Inc.	Planning Grant 2024					\$ 377,481.00	Planning
CARES of NY, Inc.	UFA Grant 2024					\$ 226,489.00	UFA

Annual Renewal Demand	\$	7,549,623
Tier 1	\$	6,794,661
Tier 2	\$	754,962
CoC Bonus	\$	905,955
DV Bonus	\$	682,268
Planning Grant	\$	377,481
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Expansion Grants

Applicant Name	Renewal Project Name	Expansion Project Name
CARES of NY, Inc.-HATAS	UFA 503 HATAS Coordinated Entry 2023	Coordinated Entry Expansion
CARES of NY, Inc.-Joseph's House	UFA 503 JH Kendal House 2023	Kendal House Expansion

Consolidations

Applicant Name	Renewal Project 1	Renewal Project 2	Surviving Pin

Reallocated Grants

Applicant Name	Project Name that is Reallocating	Project that is taking the	Voluntary/Involuntary	Amount

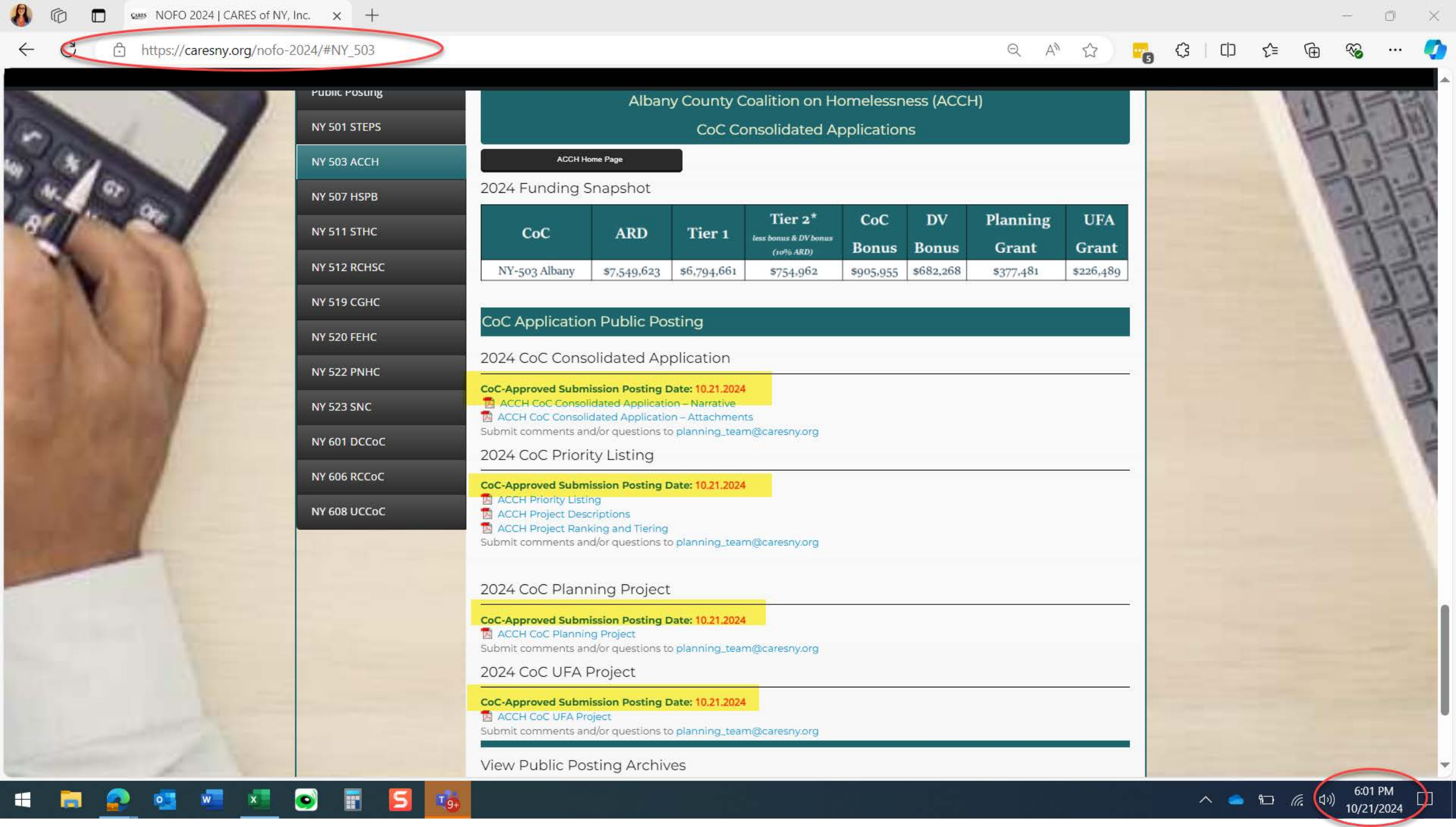
1E-5c. Web Posting of CoC-Approved Consolidated Application.

This attachment provides evidence of the website posting which displays the date and time when NY-503 posted the final version of its CoC's Consolidated Application before the submission deadline. It contains the following:

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2024 Funding Snapshot

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CoC Application Public Posting

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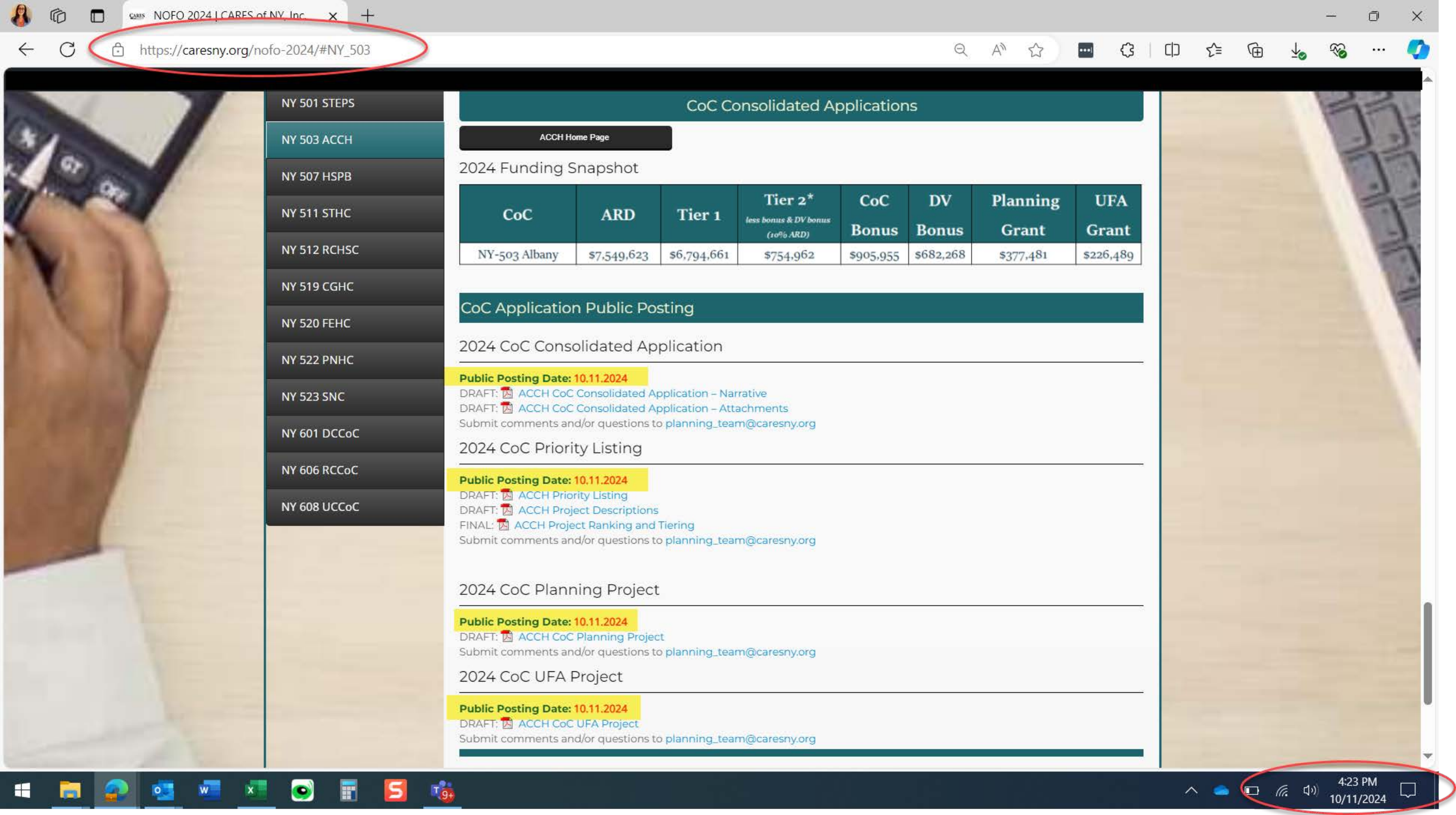
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1E-5d. Notification to Community Members and Key Stakeholders

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Good Morning, CoC Membership & Key Stakeholders,

All parts of the 2024 CoC approved Consolidated Application and Priority Listing have been posted to the CARES Website for public comment, which can be accessed here: https://caresny.org/nofo-2024/#NY_503

Specifically, you will find the approved versions of:

- Consolidated Application Narratives & Attachments
- Priority Listing (including project rankings)
- Ranking & Tiering, detailing: accepted and rejected project applications as a result of the local CoC competition, including each project's **ranking, score, and funding amount.**
- Planning Grant

- UFA Cost Grant
- Project Descriptions for CoC Renewal & New Applications

CARES will be submitting the CoC Application & Priority Listing on behalf of the CoC on Friday, October 25th. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to reach out.

Thank you,

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1E-5d. Notification to Community Members and Key Stakeholders

2. October 11, 2024 email notification to NY-503 members and stakeholders linking the publicly posted **final-draft** version of NY-503 CoC Consolidated Application

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Dear ACCH NY-503 CoC members,

2024 Consolidated Application Public Posting

Draft version 3 of the 2024 CoC Application has been posted to the CARES Website for public comment, which you can find here: https://caresny.org/nofo-2024/#NY_503. The posting includes:

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2. Draft Attachments (completed to date)
3. Final Ranking & Tiering, detailing: accepted and rejected project applications as a result of the local CoC competition, including each project's ranking, score, and funding amount.

4. Draft Priority Listing
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7. Project Descriptions

CARES asks that you review the posted information and provide us with any content that should be highlighted as soon as possible. Thank you for your support in ensuring the CoC submits a robust and successful application.

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1E-5d. Notification to Community Members and Key Stakeholders

3. September 27, 2024 email notification to NY-503 members and stakeholders linking the publicly posted **2nd draft** version of NY-503 CoC Consolidated Application

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Good Afternoon ACCH Members and Stakeholders,

2024 Consolidated Application Public Posting

Draft version 1 of the 2024 CoC Application has been posted to the CARES Website for public comment, which you can find here: https://caresny.org/nofo-2024/#NY_503.

CARES asks that you review the Draft CoC Application and provide us with any content that should be highlighted as soon as possible. Thank you for your support in ensuring the CoC submits a robust and successful application.

Thank you,

2024 HDX Competition Report

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HDX Data Submission Participation Information

Government FY and HDX Module Abbreviation	Met Module Deadline*	Data From	Data Collection Period in HDX 2.0
2023 LSA	Yes	Government FY 2023 (10/1/22 - 9/30/23).	November 2023 to January of 2024
2023 SPM	Yes	Government FY 2023 (10/1/22 - 9/30/23). **	February 2024 to March 2024
2024 HIC	Yes	Government FY 2024. Exact HIC and PIT dates will vary by CoC. For most CoCs, it will be last Wednesday in January of 2024.	March 2024 to May 2024
2024 PIT	Yes	Government FY 2024. Exact HIC and PIT dates will vary by CoC. For most CoCs, it will be last Wednesday in January of 2024.	March 2024 to May 2024

1) FY = Fiscal Year

2) *This considers all extensions where they were provided.

2) **"Met Deadline" in this context refers to FY23 SPM submissions. Resubmissions from FY 2022 (10/1/21 - 9/30/22) were also accepted during the data collection period, but these previous year's submissions are voluntarily and are not required.

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LSA Usability Status 2023

Category	EST AO	EST AC	EST CO	RRH AO	RRH AC	RRH CO	PSH AO	PSH AC	PSH CO
Fully Usable	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒
Partially Usable									
Not Usable									

EST

Category	2021	2022	2023
Total Sheltered Count	1,430	1,606	1,475
AO	866	871	751
AC	526	751	674
CO	35	4	42

RRH

Category	2021	2022	2023
Total Sheltered Count	311	292	366
AO	177	192	232
AC	134	101	128
CO	0	0	0

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PSH

Category	2021	2022	2023
Total Sheltered Count	986	959	989
AO	642	626	669
AC	344	333	320
CO	0	0	0

- 1) Glossary: EST = Emergency Shelter, Save Haven, & Transitional Housing; RRH = Rapid Re-housing; PSH = Permanent Supportive Housing; AO = Persons in Households without Children; AC = Persons in Households with at least one Adult and one Child; CO=Persons in Households with only Children
- 2) Because people have multiple stays in shelter over the course of a year and stay in different household configurations, a single person can be counted in more than one household type. Therefore, the sum of the number of people by household type may be greater than the unique count of people.
- 3) Total Sheltered count only includes those served in HMS participating projects reported by your CoC.
- 4) For CoCs that experienced mergers during any of these reporting periods, historical data will include only the original CoCs.

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Measure 1: Length of Time Persons Remain Homeless

This measures the number of clients active in the report date range across ES, SH (Metric 1.1) and then ES, SH and TH (Metric 1.2) along with their average and median length of time homeless. This includes time homeless during the report date range as well as prior to the report start date, going back no further than the look back stop date or client's date of birth, whichever is later.

Metric 1.1: Change in the average and median length of time persons are homeless in ES and SH projects.

Metric 1.2: Change in the average and median length of time persons are homeless in ES, SH, and TH projects.

a. This measure is of the client's entry, exit, and bed night dates strictly as entered in the HMIS system.

Metric	Average		Median	
	Universe (Persons)	Homeless (bed nights)	LOT Homeless (bed nights)	LOT Homeless (bed nights)
1.1 Persons in ES-EE, ES-NbN, and SH	1,388	79.3	44.0	
1.2 Persons in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, and TH	1,467	84.0	48.0	

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b. This measure is based on data element 3.917

This measure includes data from each client’s Living Situation (Data Standards element 3.917) response as well as time spent in permanent housing projects between Project Start and Housing Move-In. This information is added to the client’s entry date, effectively extending the client’s entry date backward in time. This “adjusted entry date” is then used in the calculations just as if it were the client’s actual entry date.

Metric	Universe (Persons)	Average		Median	
		Homeless (bed nights)	LOT	Homeless (bed nights)	LOT
1.1 Persons in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, and PH (prior to “housing move in”)	1,509	253.5		111.0	
1.2 Persons in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH, and PH (prior to “housing move in”)	1,588	250.8		113.0	

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Measure 2: Returns to Homelessness for Persons who Exit to Permanent Housing (PH) Destinations

This measures clients who exited SO, ES, TH, SH or PH to a permanent housing destination in the date range two years prior to the report date range. Of those clients, the measure reports on how many of them returned to homelessness as indicated in the HMIS for up to two years after their initial exit.

Metric	Total # of Persons Exited to a PH Destination (2 Yrs Prior)	Returns to Homelessness in Less than 6 Months (0 - 180 days)	Returns to Homelessness from 6 to 12 Months (181 - 365 days)	Returns to Homelessness from 13 to 24 Months (366 - 730 days)	Number of Returns in 2 Years	
	Count	Count	% of Returns	Count	% of Returns	Count
Exit was from SO	60	10	16.7%	9	15.0%	7
Exit was from ES	287	22	7.7%	9	3.1%	15
Exit was from TH	37	0	0.0%	2	5.4%	4
Exit was from SH	6	1	16.7%	1	16.7%	0
Exit was from PH	271	10	3.7%	5	1.9%	5
TOTAL Returns to Homelessness	661	43	6.5%	26	3.9%	31
						100
						15.1%

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Measure 3: Number of Homeless Persons

Metric 3.1 – Change in PIT Counts
Please refer to PIT section for relevant data.

Metric 3.2 – Change in Annual Counts
This measures the change in annual counts of sheltered homeless persons in HMIS.

Metric	Value
Universe: Unduplicated Total sheltered homeless persons	1,483
Emergency Shelter Total	1,386
Safe Haven Total	18
Transitional Housing Total	89

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Measure 4: Employment and Income Growth for Homeless Persons in CoC Program-funded Projects

This measure is divided into six tables capturing employment and non-employment income changes for system leavers and stayers. The project types reported in these metrics are the same for each metric, but the type of income and universe of clients differs. In addition, the projects reported within these tables are limited to CoC-funded projects.

Metric 4.1 – Change in earned income for adult system stayers during the reporting period

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults (system stayers)	337
Number of adults with increased earned income	27
Percentage of adults who increased earned income	8.0%

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Metric 4.2 – Change in non-employment cash income for adult system stayers during the reporting period

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults (system stayers)	337
Number of adults with increased non-employment cash income	100
Percentage of adults who increased non-employment cash income	29.7%

Metric 4.3 – Change in total income for adult system stayers during the reporting period

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults (system stayers)	337
Number of adults with increased total income	120
Percentage of adults who increased total income	35.6%

Metric 4.4 – Change in earned income for adult system leavers

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults who exited (system leavers)	137
Number of adults who exited with increased earned income	23
Percentage of adults who increased earned income	16.8%

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Metric 4.5 – Change in non-employment cash income for adult system leavers

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults who exited (system leavers)	137
Number of adults who exited with increased non-employment cash income	33
Percentage of adults who increased non-employment cash income	24.1%

Metric 4.6 – Change in total income for adult system leavers

Metric	Value
Universe: Number of adults who exited (system leavers)	137
Number of adults who exited with increased total income	54
Percentage of adults who increased total income	39.4%

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Measure 5: Number of Persons who Become Homeless for the First Time

This measures the number of people entering the homeless system through ES, SH, or TH (Metric 5.1) or ES, SH, TH, or PH (Metric 5.2) and determines whether they have any prior enrollments in the HMIS over the past two years. Those with no prior enrollments are considered to be experiencing homelessness for the first time.

Metric 5.1 – Change in the number of persons entering ES, SH, and TH projects with no prior enrollments in HMIS

Metric	Value
Universe: Person with entries into ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH or TH during the reporting period.	1,269
Of persons above, count those who were in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH or any PH within 24 months prior to their entry during the reporting year.	252
Of persons above, count those who did not have entries in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH or PH in the previous 24 months. (i.e. Number of persons experiencing homelessness for the first time)	1,017

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Metric 5.2 – Change in the number of persons entering ES, SH, TH, and PH projects with no prior enrollments in HMIS

Metric	Value
Universe: Person with entries into ES, SH, TH or PH during the reporting period.	1,543
Of persons above, count those who were in ES, SH, TH or any PH within 24 months prior to their entry during the reporting year.	317
Of persons above, count those who did not have entries in ES, SH, TH or PH in the previous 24 months. (i.e. Number of persons experiencing homelessness for the first time.)	1,226

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Measure 6: Homeless Prevention and Housing Placement of Persons defined by category 3 of HUD’s Homeless Definition in CoC Program-funded Projects

Measure 6 is not applicable to CoCs in this reporting period.

Measure 7: Successful Placement from Street Outreach and Successful Placement in or Retention of Permanent Housing

This measures positive movement out of the homeless system and is divided into three tables: movement off the streets from Street Outreach (Metric 7a.1); movement into permanent housing situations from ES, SH, TH, and RRH (Metric 7b.1); and retention or exits to permanent housing situations from PH (other than PH-RRH).

Metric 7a.1 – Change in SO exits to temp. destinations, some institutional destinations, and permanent housing destinations

Metric	Value
Universe: Persons who exit Street Outreach	1,327
Of persons above, those who exited to temporary & some institutional destinations	3
Of the persons above, those who exited to permanent housing destinations	4
% Successful exits	0.5%

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Metric 7b.1 – Change in ES, SH, TH, and PH-RRH exits to permanent housing destinations

Metric	Value
Universe: Persons in ES-EE, ES-NbN, SH, TH and PH-RRH who exited, plus persons in other PH projects who exited without moving into housing	1,330
Of the persons above, those who exited to permanent housing destinations	225
% Successful exits	16.9%

Metric 7b.2 – Change in PH exits to permanent housing destinations or retention of permanent housing

Metric	Value
Universe: Persons in all PH projects except PH-RRH who exited after moving into housing, or who moved into housing and remained in the PH project	899
Of persons above, those who remained in applicable PH projects and those who exited to permanent housing destinations	779
% Successful exits/retention	86.7%

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System Performance Measures Data Quality

Data coverage and quality will allow HUD to better interpret your SPM submissions.

Metric	ALL ES, SH	ALL TH	ALL PSH, OPH	ALL RRH	All Street Outreach
Unduplicated Persons Served (HMIS)	1,433	89	1,013	388	1,844
Total Leavers (HMIS)	1,050	40	184	186	1,332
Destination of Don't Know, Refused, or Missing (HMIS)	24	2	6	1	0
Destination Error Rate (Calculated)	2.3%	5.0%	3.3%	0.5%	0.0%

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Notes For Each SPM Measure

Note: Cells may need to be resized to accomodate notes with lots of text.

Measure	Notes
Measure 1	No notes.
Measure 2	No notes.
Measure 3	No notes.
Measure 4	No notes.
Measure 5	No notes.
Measure 6	No Notes. Measure 6 was not applicable to CoCs in this reporting period.
Measure 7	No notes.
Data Quality	No notes.

2024 Competition Report - HIC Summary

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For HIC conducted in January/February of 2024

HMIS Bed Coverage Rates

Project Type	Total Year- Round, Current Beds	Total Year- Round, Current Beds in HMIS or Comparable Database	Total Year- Round, Current, Non-VSP Beds	Removed From Denominator: OPH EHV ¹ Beds or Beds Affected by Natural Disaster*	Adjusted Total Year-Round, Current, Non- VSP Beds	Adjusted HMIS Bed Coverage Rate for Year- Round, Current Beds
ES	515	398	515	0	515	77.3%
SH	4	4	4	0	4	100.0%
TH	155	41	155	0	155	26.5%
RRH	218	218	218	0	218	100.0%
PSH	838	828	838	0	838	98.8%
OPH	25	0	25	25	0	NA
Total	1,755	1,489	1,755	25	1,730	86.1%

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HMIS Bed Coverage Rates

Project Type	Total Year- Round, Current Beds	Total Year- Round, Current, VSP Beds in an HMIS- Comparable Database	Total Year- Round, Current, VSP Beds	Removed From Denominator: OPH EHV ¹ Beds or Beds Affected by Natural Disaster**	Adjusted Total Year-Round Current, VSP Beds	HMIS Comparable Bed Coverage Rate for VSP Beds
ES	515	0	0	0	0	NA
SH	4	0	0	0	0	NA
TH	155	0	0	0	0	NA
RRH	218	0	0	0	0	NA
PSH	838	0	0	0	0	NA
OPH	25	0	0	0	0	NA
Total	1,755	0	0	0	0	NA

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HMIS Bed Coverage Rates

Project Type	Total Year-Round, Current Beds	Total Year-Round, Current, HMIS Beds and VSP Beds in an HMIS-Comparable Database	Adjusted Total Year-Round, Current, Non-VSP and VSP Beds	HMIS and Comparable Database Coverage Rate
ES	515	398	515	77.28%
SH	4	4	4	100.00%
TH	155	41	155	26.45%
RRH	218	218	218	100.00%
PSH	838	828	838	98.81%
OPH	25	0	0	NA
Total	1,755	1,489	1,730	86.07%

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Rapid Re-housing Beds Dedicated to All Persons

Metric	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
RRH beds available to serve all pops. on the HIC	272	278	283	283	218

- 1) † EHV = Emergency Housing Voucher
- 2) * This column includes Current, Year-Round, Natural Disaster beds not associated with a VSP that are not HMIS-participating. For OPH Beds, this includes beds that are Current, Non-HMIS, and EHV-funded.
- 3) ** This column includes Current, Year-Round, Natural Disaster beds associated with a VSP that are not HMIS-participating or HMIS-comparable database participating. For OPH Beds, this includes beds that are Current, VSP, Non-HMIS, and EHV-funded.
- 4) Data included in these tables reflect what was entered into HDX 2.0.
- 5) In the HIC, "Year-Round Beds" is the sum of "Beds HH w/o Children", "Beds HH w/ Children", and "Beds HH w/ only Children". This does not include Overflow ("O/V Beds") or Seasonal Beds ("Total Seasonal Beds").
- 6) In the HIC, "Current" beds are beds with an "Inventory Type" of "C" and not beds that are Under Development ("Inventory Type" of "U").
- 7) For historical data: Aggregated data from CoCs that merged are not displayed if HIC data were created separately - that is, only data from the CoC into which the merge occurred are displayed. Additional reports can be requested via AAQ for any CoCs that have been subsumed into other CoCs.

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2024 Competition Report - PIT Summary

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For PIT conducted in January/February of 2024

Submission Information

Date of PIT Count	Received HUD Waiver
1/25/2024	Not Applicable

Total Population PIT Count Data

Category	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
PIT Count Type	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and full unsheltered count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count	Sheltered and Unsheltered Count
Emergency Shelter Total	580	622	538	536	661	684
Safe Haven Total	0	2	0	0	0	0
Transitional Housing Total	136	142	136	131	127	154
Total Sheltered Count	716	766	674	667	788	838
Total Unsheltered Count	34	54	49	67	101	173
Total Sheltered and Unsheltered Count*	750	820	723	734	889	1,011

1) *Data included in this table reflect what was entered into HDX 1.0 and 2.0. This may differ from what was included in federal reports if the PIT count type was either sheltered only or partial unsheltered count.
2) Aggregated data from CoCs that merged is not displayed if PIT data were entered separately - that is, only data from the CoC into which the merge occurred are displayed. Additional reports can be requested via AAQ for any CoCs that have been subsumed into other CoCs.
3) In 2021, for CoCs that conducted a "Sheltered and partial unsheltered count", only aggregate and not demographic data were calculated

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collected.

3A-1a. New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Housing Resources.

This attachment details the Housing Leveraging Commitments for new Projects in **NY-503**. It includes:

1. Project Name: In Our Own Voices LGBTQ Housing Project
 - a. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements
 - b. Source of Commitment:** Albany Housing Authority
 - c. Number of Housing Units Proposed:** 5 vouchers/housing units
2. Project Name: JH Kendal House Expansion
 - a. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements
 - b. Source of Commitment:** NYSSHP
 - c. Number of Housing Units Proposed:** 30 Units leveraged from NYSSHP for 32 proposed clients

3A-1a. New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Housing Resources.

1. Project Name: In Our Own Voices LGBTQ Housing Project
 - a. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements
 - b. Source of Commitment:** Albany Housing Authority
 - c. Number of Housing Units Proposed:** 5 vouchers/housing units

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Housing Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage housing resources**.

***You must submit to CARES (1) the below checklist and (2) a contract, letter of commitment, or other formal written documents from the funding body that includes:**

☐ Project name should be listed in the commitment documentation

Project name:

☐ Source of commitment should be listed in the commitment documentation (i.e. private organizations, state or local government, PHAs, faith-based organizations, federal programs other than CoC or ESG programs)

Source of Commitment:

Amount of funding committed per the following:

PSH: the number of housing units for a PSH project that are not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of units must be at least 25% of the total units to be provided by the proposed new CoC project application for full points.

OR

RRH or TH-RRH: The number of program participants to be provided RRH or TH-RRH that is not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of program participants to be served must be at least 25% of the total participants to be served in the proposed CoC new project application for full points.

Calculation showing the amount of non-CoC/ESG resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of units (for PSH) or participants (for RRH) to be served through the proposed New CoC Project Application:

☐ The date** that the funding (outside of CoC or ESG programs) will be available is on the written commitment (should run concurrently with the new project).

****Must dated between May 1, 2024 and September 30, 2024.**

Dates of housing commitment:



ALBANY HOUSING AUTHORITY

Chiquita D'Arbeau, Executive Director

September 3, 2024

Tandra LaGrone
Chief Executive Officer
In Our Own Voices, Inc.
245 Lark Street
Albany, NY 12210

RE: Commitment for In Our Own Voices LGBTQ Housing Project

Dear Tandra,

Albany Housing Authority agrees to work towards dedicating five (5) vouchers or housing units to the clientele supported by the In Our Own Voices LGBTQ Affirming Housing Program. This commitment will run in conjunction with the dates of service of the In our Own Voices LGBTQ Affirming Housing Program.

We appreciate the opportunity to work together to better serve the community of Albany County.

Regards,

Chiquita D'Arbeau
Executive Director

3A-1a. New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Housing Resources.

2. Project Name: JH Kendal House Expansion
 - a. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements
 - b. Source of Commitment:** NYSSHP
 - c. Number of Housing Units Proposed:** 30 Units leveraged from NYSSHP for 32 proposed clients

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Housing Resources

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- ☒ Project name should be listed in the commitment documentation

Project name: JH Kendal House Expansion

- ☒ Source of commitment should be listed in the commitment documentation (i.e. private organizations, state or local government, PHAs, faith-based organizations, federal programs other than CoC or ESG programs)

Source of Commitment: NYSSHP

Amount of funding committed per the following:

PSH: the number of housing units for a PSH project that are not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of units must be at least 25% of the total units to be provided by the proposed new CoC project application for full points.

30 Units leveraged from NYSSHP for 32 proposed clients= 94%

OR

RRH or TH-RRH: The number of program participants to be provided RRH or TH-RRH that is not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of program participants to be served must be at least 25% of the total participants to be served in the proposed CoC new project application for full points.

Calculation showing the amount of non-CoC/ESG resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of units (for PSH) or participants (for RRH) to be served through the proposed New CoC Project Application:

- ☒ The date** that the funding (outside of CoC or ESG programs) will be available is on the written commitment (should run concurrently with the new project).

****Must dated between May 1, 2024 and September 30, 2024.**

Dates of housing commitment: January 1, 2022- December 31, 2026



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August 27, 2023

Amy LaFountain
Joesph's House & Shelter
202 4th Street
Troy, NY 12180

RE: **New York State Supportive Housing Program (NYSSHP) Award Commitment**

Dear NYSSHP Awardee,

This letter confirms the commitment of NYSSHP funds for the projects listed below to be supported as described in the application **Kendal House Expansion**:

26 units (The Lansing Inn) located at **596 2nd Ave Troy NY 12182**

20 units (The Hill Street Inn) located at **202 4th Street Troy NY 12180**

30 units (Kendal House) located at **393 N. Pearl Street Albany NY 12207**

The annual award amount for 2024 is \$227,136 and will minimally be funded at the same level when the contract is renewed on January 1, 2025. The full contract term is January 1, 2022- December 31, 2026.

Sincerely,

Karen Pierino

Karen Pierino (she/her/hers)
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3A-2a. New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Healthcare Resources.

This attachment details the Healthcare Formal Agreements for **NY 503**. It includes the following:

1. **Project Name:** Joseph's House Kendal House Expansion
 - a. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements
 - b. **Source Commitment:** St. Peters Hospital
 - c. **Value:** \$200 x 32 participants = \$6400.00
 - d. **Program Eligibility will be based on CoC Program fair housing requirements:** Yes

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Healthcare Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage healthcare resources**.

***You must submit to CARES (1) the below checklist and (2) a contract, letter of commitment, or other formal commitment that includes the following:**

☒ The name of the project

Project name: **Joseph's House Kendal House Expansion**

Amount of assistance to be provided by the healthcare organization:

☐ The value (dollar amount) of the healthcare commitment being provided (must be at least 25% of the total funding requested)

OR

☒ If the partner agency is a substance abuse and/or recovery program, a guarantee that the services will be provided to all eligible participants of this project. Evaluation cost \$200 per person $\$200 \times 32 \text{ participants} = \$6400.00$

Calculation showing the amount of healthcare resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of funding requested through the proposed New CoC Project Application, OR confirm the substance abuse and/or recovery program will offer services to all eligible participants.

☒ The date** that the services and/or committed funding will be available is on the written commitment (must run concurrently with the new project)

****Must be dated between May 1, 2024 and September 30, 2024.**

Date of healthcare commitment: **August 27, 2024**

☒ Affirmation that project eligibility for program participants in the new PH-PSH or PH-RRH project will be based on CoC Program fair housing requirements and will not be restricted by the health care service provider.



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Amy LaFountain
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RE: Substance Abuse Provider Commitment

It is my pleasure to provide this letter of support to the submitted application for funds on behalf of Joseph's House & Shelter.

The relationship between SPARC St. Mary's and Joseph's House & Shelter was designed to ensure that the community's most vulnerable have seamless access to substance abuse treatment.

We are excited about the possibilities to continue to support Joseph's House & Shelter's **Kendal House Expansion Project**.

Project eligibility will be based on fair housing requirements and will not be restricted by the healthcare service provider.

The value of providing access to an evaluation to this resource for all who qualify and choose services is: $\$200.00 \times 32 \text{ individuals} = \$6,400.00$.

We commit to this collaboration for the proposed project starting in January 2025 and will review and renew the commitment annually. As a substance abuse provider we guarantee that the services we provide in partnership with Joseph's House & Shelter will be available to all eligible participants of this project.

Sincerely,

Kristin Hansen MEd, Master CASAC
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