

Welcome to the 2024 NOFO Local Competition Process

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Today's Topics

- I. Brief Review of This Year's Process
- II. Review and Discuss Draft Local Competition Policies and Procedures
- III. Review and Discuss Proposed Performance Measures

Brief Overview



2024 LOCAL COMPETITION PROCESS

Overview

- The 2024 HUD NOFO is not yet released. We are getting ready and starting earlier than last year.
- The CoC is implementing a new governance structure
- Project monitoring process is in transition this year and impacts local NOFO competition
- The process is designed in 2 phases
 - Phase 1: pre-NOFO release info gathering
 - Phase 2: Competition period after NOFO is out

Phase I: May 6 – 31, 2024

- Gathers key information
- Allows for renewal prescoring on some factors
- Ensures new projects are eligible and appropriate
- Submitted via Zoomgrants



2024 Local Competition Cont...

- Phase II: Starts after HUD NOFO is released
Timing for release is unknown
- Other Key Changes
 - Using 2023 Compliance Monitor Scores for Renewal Threshold review
SNHCoC project monitoring process is under revision
 - Replacing the V3 tool used in prior cycles with performance data from HUD Annual Performance Reports (APRs)
Generated from HMIS or for DV programs a comparable data base



Phase I Key Dates



Mon. 6 May

Opening of Phase I



Tue. 9 May

CoC Membership Meeting: Proposed performance measures and local competition policies will be presented and discussed.



Mon. 13 May

CoC Board Meeting: Local Competition Policies & Procedures presented for CoC Board approval.



Thu. 16 May

New Applicant Information Session (optional): Include info



Fri. 31 May

Phase I closes



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**REVIEW AND DISCUSS
2024 LOCAL
COMPETITION POLICIES
AND PROCEDURES**

Policies and Procedures: Document Overview

- I. Background and Purpose
- II. Continuum of Care Structure and Roles
- III. Local Competition Overview and Requirements
- IV. Local Competition Process
- V. Glossary

Policies and Procedures: Document Overview

- Re-organized for clarity and accessibility
- Includes information about new CoC Structure and Roles
- Uses same selection process and Conflict of Interest policy for Scoring and Ranking Team
- Maintains last year's strategic priorities for new funds
- Maintains same rating and ranking procedures
- Maintains same appeals policy and procedure
- Splits the process into two phases
- Revises approach to use of monitoring and performance data to score renewal projects.



Structure and Roles

- **CoC Board** acts on behalf of the Continuum of Care and formally approves the Priority Listing and NOFO submission to HUD.
- **CoC Committees** carry out its core functions, Programs Committee oversees the NOFO submission
- **Collaborative Applicant** prepares and submits the consolidated application on behalf of CoC, hires a 3rd party facilitator

Roles and Responsibilities

- **Scoring and Ranking Team** reviews, scores and ranks all renewal and new project applications, submits project priority list to board for approval
 - Up to 15 members, 3 for appeals
 - Must be broadly representative, knowledgeable and non-conflicted
 - Recruited by CoC Board, Trained by 3rd party facilitator
 - *Does not currently require or address People with Lived Expertise serving on the SRT*

Local Competition Overview and Requirements

- There are 2 phases to the process.
(New)
- All projects are scored except **(Same as 2023)**
 - HMIS and CES projects not scored, will be placed at the top of Tier I
 - Renewal projects without a year of data will be “held harmless” at bottom of Tier I



Local Competition Overview and Requirements continued

- CoC Board invites new projects for:
 - PSH, RRH and TH-RRH
 - SSO for DV Coordinated Entry
 - Will not consider new CE or HMIS

(Same as 2023)

- Threshold Requirements **(Same as 2023)**



Local Competition Overview and Requirements continued

- Performance data will no longer come from monitoring tool, but HUD Annual Performance Reports (APRs) **(New)**
- All applicants must participate in mandatory bidders' conference at start of Phase 2 when NOFO comes out. **(Same as 2023)**



Local Competition Process and Appeals

- Facilitators will post FAQs and host office hours during Phase 2
- Scoring and Ranking process will include:
 - Individual SRT members score applications
 - A confidential deliberation day for SRT
 - A community meeting to present draft priority listing
- Appeals policy and process
(All the Same as 2023)



Membership Input to CoC Board

- Any comments or questions regarding these Policies and Procedures for this year's NOFO Competition?
- They are posted on the Help Hope Home website:
<https://helphopehome.org/funding-opportunities/>
- Comments are open until end of day Friday.

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**REVIEW AND DISCUSS
2024 LOCAL
COMPETITION
PROPOSED
PERFORMANCE
MEASURES**

Background

- Monitoring process for CoC grantees is in transition
- New process will roll out in 2025
- Limited monitoring in 2024; monitoring from 2023 will carry forward for purposes of 2024 NOFO
- Except: Performance Measurement

Overview of Approach

- V3 replaced with a similar approach drawing from Annual Performance Report (APR) data
- Measures are mostly the same
- Calculations align to HUD methodologies
- Data period will be CY 2023

Performance Benchmarks

- Updated targets set for 2024 based on review of current performance
- Targets and point scales allow most projects to receive full or partial points
- Not intended to be punitive or unrealistic in this transition year
- A process to engage of stakeholders in setting performance goals will roll out in 2025



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Review Performance Measures Methodology Table

Questions?

