

**NV-500 Southern Nevada Homelessness Continuum of Care
Evaluation and Scoring Criteria for YHDP Applications**

Project:		Reviewer:
Part 1: Threshold <i>Not scored, pass or fail</i>	Measure	Score
	The proposal is located and/or can provide services within NV-500.	Not Scored Yet
	The proposal addresses one of the programs identified in the New YHDP Project List.	Not Scored Yet
	The proposal is housing first.	Not Scored Yet
	The proposal agrees to use Coordinated Entry.	Not Scored Yet
	The proposal agrees to use the Homeless Management Information System.	Not Scored Yet
	The proposal commits to Continuous Quality Improvement while the program receives YHDP/CoC Program funding.	Not Scored Yet
	The organization is in good standing with all government and funding contracts and is not suspended or debarred from receiving federal funds.	Not Scored Yet
	The organization has a current and valid UEI/SAMs number or will have one before e-snaps applications are due.	Not Scored Yet
	Did the proposal provide a 25% match of the requested grant amount minus funds for leasing? Cash or in-kind will satisfy the requirement.	Not Scored Yet

	Did the proposal pass threshold? <i>Proposals must meet all required thresholds to advance.</i>	Not Scored Yet
Part 2: Project Design	Measure	Score
Goal 1: The project aligns with the CCP vision statement and community need.	The proposal clearly connects project activities to the CCP vision and principles, demonstrating how it addresses the needs outlined in the RFQ. Projects should articulate how their approach aligns with the community's coordinated plan to end youth homelessness. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The project describes a trauma-informed, youth-centered, strengths-based approach that ensures culturally responsive and inclusive services. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The project describes how they will provide each required service for the program in which they are applying for. <i>Note: They can provide these required services through the grant, MOU, partnership, and/or community connection.</i> MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	Goal 1 Score:	0
Goal 2: Youth participants actively shape and influence project activities.	The project provides structured opportunities for youth to meaningfully participate in decision-making, program design, and evaluation. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The project includes intentional strategies to build the leadership skills of youth (e.g., training, mentorship, paid leadership roles, peer mentorship) that prepare them to influence and lead decision-making efforts. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
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	Goal 2 Score:	0
Goal 3: Project effectively serves youth and young adults.	The applicant has experience successfully serving youth or demonstrates strong intent and partnerships with established youth-serving or housing organizations in Southern Nevada.	Not Scored Yet

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	The project ensures youth safety by outlining clear policies for staff background checks, ongoing training, clean/safe program spaces, and maintaining safe youth pairings in shared living. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The project engages youth and young adults in peer support roles, including peer navigators, mentors, or leadership opportunities. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	Goal 3 Score:	0
Goal 4: Quality of Services and Supports	Services continue after exit and include follow-up support to promote housing stability and well-being. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	Staff are described as trained, respectful, consistent, and reliable, with accountability mechanisms in place to follow through on commitments and avoid gatekeeping. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	Services are nearby or easily accessed via transportation, virtual platforms, or public transportation. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	Goal 4 Score:	0
Part 3: Organizational Capacity	Measure	Score
Goal 1: The organization demonstrates financial stability and sustainability through diverse funding sources and effective financial management practices.	The organization demonstrates strong financial oversight, including systems for budgeting, financial reporting, and compliance. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The organization has a stable financial base and receives funding from a diverse mix of public, private, and philanthropic sources. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet

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	Goal 1 Score:	0
Goal 2: The organization has strong leadership, effective governance, and a skilled staff capable of successfully executing its programs and services.	The organization has adequate, trained staff with relevant experience to support youth. Describes staff retention, reliability, and professional development. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The organization regularly uses data and youth feedback to assess and improve programs. Youth voice is integrated into evaluation and accountability practices. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
		Not Scored Yet
	Goal 2 Score:	0
Goal 3: The organization actively engages with the community and fosters strategic partnerships to enhance program effectiveness and reach.	The organization maintains strong relationships with youth-serving systems (e.g., schools, child welfare, mental health, legal aid) to coordinate care. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
	The program contributes to ending youth homelessness through advocacy and/or homeless response system-change efforts. MAX SCORE: 5	Not Scored Yet
		Not Scored Yet
	Goal 3 Score:	0