

FFY2021 VT BoS CoC NEW Project Scoring Tool

Project Name: _____ Project Agency: _____
 Evaluator Name: _____ Date: _____

THRESHOLD - ALL PROJECTS		
1. Project proposes to serve an eligible population for the project type	Yes	No
2. Project proposes to use eligible costs for the project type	Yes	No
3. Project applicant and subrecipient are eligible entities	Yes	No
4. Match is greater than or equal to 25%	Yes	No
5. Project agrees to participate in Coordinated Entry System and VT HMIS or comparable database for victim service providers?	Yes	No
6. Project agrees to use Housing First principles and be low barrier	Yes	No
IF ANY ANSWERS ARE 'NO' PROJECT DOES NOT MEET THRESHOLD		
THRESHOLD - DV BONUS PROJECTS ONLY		
7. All participants in the project will meet the qualifications of Category 4 of the homeless definition which includes fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence	Yes	No
IF ANY ANSWERS ARE 'NO' PROJECT DOES NOT MEET THRESHOLD		

Part A: Project Type (Maximum Points – 20)	Points	Awarded
1. Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)	15	
2. Rapid Re-Housing (RRH)	20	
3. Joint Transitional Housing-RRH (TH--RRH)	5	
Part B: VT HMIS or Comparable Database Participation (Maximum Points - 5)		
1. Does agency participate in VT HMIS or a comparable database if VSP for other homeless dedicated projects?*		
Yes	5	
No	0	
Part C. Experience and Project Description (Maximum Points – 50)		
Participant Project Performance		
1. Does the applicant describe their experience with administering PSH and/or RRH projects? <i>DV projects - also must address how safety outcomes have been met in the past.</i>	Up to 6	
2. Does the applicant have past experience in leveraging other funds to support housing projects?	Up to 2	
3. How many months before the project is near 100% capacity		
Within 4 months	2	
Within 6 months	1	
4. Does the applicant describe basic organization and management structure to successfully implement the project?	Up to 6	
5. Does the project description meet a CoC identified need and provide a clear description of project type, scale, location and supportive services and projected outcomes to obtain and/or remain in permanent housing?	Up to 8	

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6. Is outreach plan adequate and clear to engage target population?	Up to 6	
7. Does the applicant describe a strong plan to obtain and retain permanent housing including landlord engagement strategies? <i>DV projects must also address past experience in housing survivors in PH</i> <i>DV projects must also address how safety outcomes will be met in the future.</i>	Up to 6	
8. Does project description clearly describe how linkages to employment and other mainstream income resources and services will occur?	Up to 8	
9. Is the proposed budget clear and realistic to carryout proposed activities?	Up to 6	
Part D. Target Population (Multiple choices allowed; Maximum Points - 16)		
1. What is the target population of the grant 100% Individuals or Families Experiencing Chronic Homelessness or DedicatedPLUS populations Households with Children under 18	8	
	5	
2. Will the project prioritize people with zero income from the referrals received from the Coordinated Entry System? Yes No	3	
	0	
Part E: Monitoring (Maximum Points - 5)		
1. Does applicant have an agency representative who participates in at least 75% of CoC meetings?	2	
2. Does the applicant have any unresolved HUD Monitoring and/or OIG Audit findings covering any previous grant?	1	
3. Cost effectiveness is at or below \$10,500 per unit/year (Total HUD CoC funds/number of units)	2	
Part F: Equity Factors (Maximum Points - 4)		
1. Agency management and leadership staff include people from typically under-represented populations (black, indigenous, people of color, people who identify as LGBTQIA+, etc.)?	1	
2. Board of Directors (or equivalent decision making entity) include people from typically under-represented populations (black, indigenous, people of color, people who identify as LGBTQIA+, etc.)	1	
3. Board of Directors (or equivalent decision making entity) includes representation from more than one person with lived experience	1	
4. Applicant will commit to working with HMIS lead to develop a schedule for reviewing HMIS/ Comparable database data with disaggregation by race, ethnicity, gender identity, and/ or age within the next year.	1	
FINAL SCORE (Maximum Points = 100) TOTAL		
CoC Ranking Team comments:		

*If agency has no other homeless dedicated projects they will receive full points