

Vermont's Continua of Care System

Vermont Balance of State Continuum of Care (CoC) & Chittenden County Continuum of Care (CoC)

Vermont has two HUD-recognized Continua of Care (CoC) that coordinate a response to homelessness and apply for federal homeless funding for their corresponding geographic areas.

Within the Balance of State Continuum of Care, each region in Vermont has a local housing coalition focused on regional response to homelessness.

VT Balance of State CoC (VT BoS CoC)

- Covers all VT except Chittenden County
- VT BoS CoC Board is the governing body
- Housing & Homelessness Alliance of Vermont (HHAV) is the Collaborative Applicant for HUD CoC Programs & Grant Application (NOFO) and provides staffing

Chittenden County CoC

- Governing body: Chittenden County Homeless Alliance (CCHA)
- Covers Chittenden County
- City of Burlington -Community & Economic Development Office (CEDO) is Collaborative Applicant for HUD CoC Programs & Grant Application (NOFO)



Local Housing Coalitions

Addison
Bennington
Caledonia & S. Essex
Franklin & Grand Isle
Lamoille
Orange & Windsor North (Upper Valley)
Orleans & N. Essex
Rutland
Washington
Windham South (Brattleboro Area)
Windsor S. & Windham N. (Springfield Area)

What is a Continuum of Care?

A Continuum of Care (CoC) is a HUD-designated geographic region and collaborative entity made up a variety of stakeholders including service & resource providers, housing developer, state agencies & others designed to promote a community-wide commitment to the goal of ending homelessness.