

FY22 Continuum of Care Program Grant Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) and Application Instructions

TX-500 San Antonio and Bexar County

**South Alamo Regional Alliance for the
Homeless (SARAH)**



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CoC Program Grant NOFO Request for Proposals

The South Alamo Regional Alliance for the Homeless (SARAH), as the designated Collaborative Applicant for TX-500, invites eligible organizations to apply for the U.S. Department of [Housing and Urban Development's \(HUD\) Continuum of Care \(CoC\) Program Grant](#). Recommended applications will be included in the 2022 TX-500 San Antonio and Bexar County Consolidated Application to HUD. For more information regarding local policies related to the CoC Program Grant, please visit [SARAH's website](#).

Renewal projects (including Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program projects) are eligible to apply for the amount listed on the [FY22 Grant Inventory Worksheet](#).

New project funding is listed in the chart below. Applicants may apply for the full amount listed for any funding type. See the HUD NOFO for further eligibility and project requirements.

Funding Type	Funding Amount Available	Eligible Project Types	Eligible Populations Served
CoC Bonus*	\$725,694	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) • Rapid Rehousing (RRH) • Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing (TH-RRH) • SSO-Coordinated Entry (CE) • Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) 	See page 17 of HUD NOFO
DV Bonus*	\$1,219,166	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rapid Rehousing (RRH) • Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing (TH-RRH) • SSO-Coordinated Entry (CE) 	See page 18 of HUD NOFO
Youth and Young Adult Drop-in Center Reallocation Funds – YHDP Replacement Project*	\$85,935	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SSO – Youth and Young Adult Drop-in Center (as described in YHDP Coordinated Community Plan) 	Youth and Young Adults Only See page 18 of HUD NOFO

Youth and Young Adult Reallocation Funds – YHDP Replacement Project*	\$177,500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) • Rapid Rehousing (RRH) • Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing (TH-RRH) • Transitional Housing (TH) • Supportive Services Only (SSO) • SSO-Coordinated Entry (CE) • Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) 	Youth and Young Adults Only See page 18 of HUD NOFO
Renewal Projects (not including YHDP)	\$11,089,568	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any current CoC grantee that is listed on the Grant Inventory Worksheet (GIW) is eligible to renew their project 	See page 17 of HUD NOFO
YHDP Renewal Projects	\$3,160,883	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any current YHDP grantee that is listed on the Grant Inventory Worksheet (GIW) is eligible to renew their project 	Youth and Young Adults Only See page 18 of HUD NOFO
CoC Planning Grant	\$435,417	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administrative funds for the Collaborative Applicant to manage the CoC Program 	N/A

*Applicants wanting to apply for any of these project types MUST meet with SARA staff prior to applying in *e-snaps*.

The CoC seeks new project applications from organizations that have not previously received HUD CoC Program Grant funding. **Organizations applying for a new or expanded project (including YHDP Replacement) are required to attend a meeting with the CoC to discuss their proposed project (see details in timeline below).**

SARAH will conduct a Grant Conference regarding this NOFO in accordance with the timeline posted on our website. **Note this session is required for all applicants (see details in timeline below).**

TX-500 CoC Program NOFO Timeline

<p>August 1, 2022</p>	<p>2022 Housing and Urban Development Continuum of Care (CoC) Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) Released</p>
<p>August 16, 2022 1:00 – 2:00pm CST</p>	<p>REQUIRED 2022 CoC Program Grant NOFO Virtual Conference</p> <p>Note this session is <i>*required*</i> for ALL applicants. See SARAH's website for recording and slides.</p>
<p>August 17, 2022</p>	<p>2022 CoC Program Application Materials Released</p> <p>Application materials can be found on SARAH's website</p>
<p>August 23, 2022 – August 26, 2022</p>	<p>Technical Assistance Hours (REQUIRED for New and Expanded Project Applicants, including YHDP Replacement)</p> <p>New project applicants are required to meet with SARAH prior to submitting a proposal.</p> <p>Click here to sign up for a time slot.</p>
<p>August 30, 2022 at 11:59PM CST</p>	<p>Deadline for SARAH Technical Assistance</p> <p>Technical assistance questions must be submitted to grants@sarahomeless.org by the deadline or they will not be reviewed</p>
<p>August 31, 2022 at 11:59PM CST</p>	<p>2022 CoC Program Application Local Deadline</p> <p>Applications must follow the application instructions and submit in <i>e-snaps</i></p>
<p>September 6, 2022 – September 13, 2022</p>	<p>Independent Review Team Application Review and Project Ranking Process</p> <p>These sessions are closed to the public.</p>

<p>September 15, 2022 by 11:59PM CST</p>	<p>Notification Provided to Applicants and Posted Online</p> <p>SARAH will notify Applicants if their project has been included, reduced, or rejected</p>
<p>September 16, 2022 at 11:59PM – September 20, 2022 at 11:59PM CST</p>	<p>Appeal Period</p>
<p>September 30, 2022 at 7:00PM CST</p>	<p>Final CoC Program Consolidated Application Submission Deadline to HUD</p>

Important Application Resources

Application resources related to this NOFO can be found on SARAH's [website](#).

- [HUD FY22 Continuum of Care Competition NOFO](#)
 - Explains the CoC Program Grant and provides instructions on the role of the CoC, eligibility, project details, HUD priorities, required application materials to be submitted in *e-snaps*, and the Consolidated Application process.
- [FY22 TX-500 Continuum of Care Program Grant NOFO and Application Instructions](#)
 - Describes local funding availability, submission deadlines, and detailed application instructions.
- [TX-500 Continuum of Care Program Grant Policies and Procedures](#)
 - Community policies for the CoC Program Grant funding competition process and CoC Program Grant recipient monitoring and evaluation.
 - Includes details regarding priority projects, project ranking, and scoring rubrics.
- [e-snaps Detailed Application Instructions](#)
 - A guide for applicants as they submit their required documents through HUD's *e-snaps* portal.
- [Grant Inventory Worksheet \(GIW\)](#)
 - Renewal applicants are eligible to apply for the amount listed on the GIW.
- [Continuum of Care Written Standards](#)
 - Local Written Standards for operating a CoC Program project.
- [Homelink Policies and Procedures](#)
 - CoC Program grantees are required to utilize Coordinated Entry, known locally as Homelink.
- [HMIS Policies and Procedures](#)
 - CoC Program grantees are required to utilize HMIS for data collection and reporting.

Application Instructions

APPLICATION TYPES

Eligible organizations may submit one or more of the following application types:

- **Renewal Project Application.** Any organization with a CoC-funded grant that expires in calendar year 2022 may submit a renewal application that is consistent with project information included in the Grant Inventory Worksheet (GIW) and the expiring grant. Note: a first-time renewal will not be scored on performance data.
- **New Project Application.** New project applications may be for any of the eligible new project categories as outlined in the HUD FY21 Continuum of Care Competition NOFO.
- **YHDP Renewal Project Application.** Any organization with a YHDP-funded grant that expires in calendar year 2022 may submit a YHDP renewal application that is consistent with project information included in the Grant Inventory Worksheet (GIW) and the expiring grant.
- **YHDP Replacement Project Application (CoC Board and Youth Action Board approval needed).** Any organization that will serve YYA as described in the HUD NOFO in a YHDP project that has returned funds.

SPECIAL RENEWAL APPLICATION TYPES

With CoC approval, eligible applicants may submit one or more of the following application types: **Expansion, Transition, YHDP Replacement, and Consolidated.** Detailed information on these application types can be found in the HUD NOFO. Applicants must email grants@sarahomeless.org and submit a formal request on letterhead with an authorized agency representative's signature to SARAH to obtain approval.

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

To apply for the CoC Program NOFO, applicants must (1) attend the CoC Program NOFO Grant Conference; (2) attend a Technical Assistance session with SARAH (new or special projects only); and (3) submit application into HUD's *e-snaps* portal by the deadline (detailed instructions for *e-snaps* can be found in the application materials). If you have a technical *e-snaps* functionality question (i.e., password lockout, updating Applicant profile), please email e-snaps@hud.gov.

It is **highly** recommended that applicants review HUD's detailed project instructions and the CoC's scoring rubrics outlined in the CoC Program NOFO Policies and Procedures prior to completing their application.

Contact Information

Please contact SARAH at grants@sarahomeless.org for assistance or questions.