

The Iowa Balance of State Continuum of Care (CoC)
2019HUD Continuum of Care Program NOFA
Iowa Council on Homelessness
CoC Applicant Timeline Detail

APRIL 24, 2019

Training/Orientation on Renewal Project Application. Projects awarded CoC funds in the 2018 competition and submitting a Renewal Project Application for 2019 are provided training on the electronic application process.

MAY 20, 2019

CoC Committee Finalizes and Releases 2019 Renewal Project Application. Applicants for renewal projects are provided access to the electronic online application:
https://ica.formstack.com/forms/iabos_coc_renewal_application

JUNE 7, 2019

2019 Renewal Applications are Due. Applications must be completed and submitted with supporting documents attached in https://ica.formstack.com/forms/iabos_coc_renewal_application.

JULY 3, 2019

NOFA Announcement/Release from HUD. The 2019 CoC NOFA is released and the competition period formally opens. <https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/5842/fy-2019-coc-program-nofa/>

JULY 16, 2019

CoC Committee establishes local CoC Competition Timeline. Timeline is based on guidance provided in the CoC NOFA to ensure regulatory compliance, to adhere to eligibility thresholds for the Consolidated Application, and to ensure equitable access and processes throughout the local competition.

JULY 16, 2019

CoC Committee Finalizes & Releases New/Bonus Project Application. Applicants for new and bonus projects are provided access to the electronic online application:
https://ica.formstack.com/forms/iabos_coc_new_application

JULY 16, 2019

CoC Committee Finalizes and Recommends Initial Rating/Ranking for Renewal Project Scores. The Initial Rating/Ranking is based on results of project application scores and review/confirmation of applicant submission of required eligibility threshold criteria.

JULY 19, 2019

Renewal Project Scores/Initial Ranked List Reviewed/Approved/Released by Council. The Renewal Project scores and the initial ranked list as recommended by the CoC Committee are reviewed, approved and publicly released by the Iowa Council on Homelessness.

JULY 22, 2019

Webinar Training for New/Bonus Project Applicants. Training is provided on the New/Bonus Project Application and the electronic application process.

AUGUST 2, 2019

Renewal Project Applications Due in e-snaps (PDF submitted to ICA).

<https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/e-snaps/> E-snaps is the online HUD portal for all CoC applications. For Renewal Projects, someone from your agency is/has been authorized access to enter project information into e-snaps. Once the application is complete in e-snaps, a PDF version of the document can be printed from e-snaps. A PDF of each project application entered to e-snaps must be submitted to ICA at ICANOFATeam@icalliances.org for review of the application.

AUGUST 2, 2019

New/Bonus Project Applications Due. Applications must be completed and submitted with supporting documents attached in https://ica.formstack.com/forms/iabos_coc_new_application.

AUGUST 9, 2019

Renewal Project Applicants provided e-snaps application revisions from ICA. The PDF version of project applications have been reviewed for potential errors, omissions, threshold eligibility and related issues. A summary of revisions/corrections required in e-snaps will be provided for each Renewal Project. It is the responsibility of Renewal Project Applicants to ensure the revisions/corrections are entered and saved in the e-snaps portal.

AUGUST 16, 2019

CoC Exec Committee Releases Final Scores/Ranking for Renewal and New/Bonus Projects. The final scores and combined ranked list for Renewal and New/Bonus Projects as recommended by the CoC Committee are reviewed, approved and publicly released by the Iowa Council on Homelessness Executive Committee.

The Appeal Process Timeline Begins. The Iowa Balance of State Continuum of Care (CoC) strives to conduct a transparent rating and review process in determining which projects will be included in the local submission to the national CoC competition. Although a local appeals process is not required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the Iowa Balance of State CoC offers a local appeals process. Renewal Project Applicants and New/Bonus Project Applicants may initiate an appeal of the application scoring and ranking procedures, as applicable. The Iowa Balance of State Continuum of Care Appeal Process is available at:

<http://www.iowafinanceauthority.gov/File/DownloadFile/9052>.

AUGUST 30, 2019

New/Bonus Project Applications Due in e-snaps (PDF submitted to ICA).

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SEPTEMBER 6, 2019

New/Bonus Project Applicants provided e-snaps application revisions from ICA. The PDF version of project applications have been reviewed for potential errors, omissions, threshold eligibility and related issues. A summary of revisions/corrections required in e-snaps will be provided for each New/Bonus Project. It is the responsibility of New/Bonus Project Applicants to ensure the revisions/corrections are entered and saved in the e-snaps portal.

SEPTEMBER 13, 2019

All final revised project applications due in e-snaps (PDF submitted to ICA). All Renewal Project applications and New/Bonus Project applications must be completed in e-snaps. Once the application is complete in e-snaps, a PDF version of the document can be printed from e-snaps. A PDF of each project application entered to e-snaps must be submitted to ICA at ICANOFATeam@icalliances.org for final review of the application.

SEPTEMBER 16-20, 2019

IA BOS CoC (IA-501) Consolidated Application posted for public review/comment. Posting of the full Consolidated Application provides opportunity for public review and comment. Feedback/comments on the Consolidated Application can be submitted to Amber Lewis at: Amber.Lewis@IowaFinance.com.

SEPTEMBER 25, 2019

IFA/ICA Submits NOFA Applications. To ensure timely submission of the Consolidated Application and to allow time to address potential unforeseen technical issues, this target date intentionally is set five days in advance of the established final 2019 CoC NOFA Deadline established by HUD. The Iowa Finance Authority, as the Collaborative Applicant, with support from the CoC Application Coordinator (ICA), will submit the Consolidated Application, including approved local applications, in the e-snaps portal.

SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

FINAL CoC NOFA DEADLINE for Application Submission to HUD

For questions regarding the Applicant Timeline for 2019 HUD Continuum of Care Program NOFA, contact Julie Eberbach at julie.eberbach@icalliances.org.