

FY 2025 HUD CoC NOFO: YHDP Renewal and YHDP Replacement Project Pre-Proposal Conference

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Today's Agenda

Funding Overview and Eligible Project Types

Completing the Federal Application

Competitive YHDP Renewal and Replacement Projects

YHDP Special Activities

Evaluation Process, Timeline, and Resources

Funding Overview and Eligible Project Types

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY, FUNDING AVAILABLE, ELIGIBLE PROJECT TYPES, APPLICATION COMPONENTS, AND NON-COMPETITIVE PROCESS OVERVIEW

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

November 13, 2025

- HUD released the FY 2025 Continuum of Care Program Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO).
- HUD will be renewing and reallocation YHDP projects <u>competitively</u>.

November 25, 2024

- TPCH opened the local competition for Tucson/Pima County.
- Posted at https://tpch.net/fy25nofo

WHAT'S NEW AND CHANGED

HIGHLIGHTED CHANGES FROM PRIOR YEARS LOCAL COMPETITION

- Tier 1 has been reduced to 30% of Tucson/Pima Annual Renewal Demand, with Tier 2 accounting for the remaining 70% of the Annual Renewal Demand.
- Permanent Housing, is limited to 30% of Tucson/Pima Annual Renewal Demand.
- All applications including YHDP Renewal and Replacement applications will be rated and ranked competitively.
- Transitional Housing, Street Outreach, and other Supportive Services Only programs are options for new project types.



How?

 Available to ALL PROJECT TYPES and ALL AGENCIES (not just VSPs!)

What?

- Costs of assessing, coordinating, approving, denying, and implementing a survivor's emergency transfer
- Costs for Monitoring
 Compliance with VAWA
 Confidentiality Requirements
 (including staff time)

Examples of New Eligible Costs to facilitate Emergency Transfer Plans



FUNDING OPPORTUNITY (FUNDING AVAILABLE)

Annual Renewal Demand (\$16,615,927)

- Previous NOFOs had YHDP set aside for non-competitive renewal.
- FY2025 NOFO dictates that YHDP projects be competitively renewed/replaced, so YHDP funding is not set aside from general ARD.

Bonus Funding Opportunities (\$4,543,366)

- CoC Bonus: \$3,323,185 (estimate 12% of FPRN, or \$12,680,244) available for CoC Bonus project applications.
- **DV Bonus:** \$1,220,181 available for Domestic Violence (DV) Bonus project applications.

| Funding Amounts | | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Tier 1 (30%) | \$4,984,778 | | |
| Tier 2 (70%) | \$16,174,515 | | |
| CoC Bonus | \$3,323,185 | | |
| DV Bonus | \$1,220,181 | | |
| TOTAL (if awarded Bonus) | \$21,159,293 | | |

Tier 1 is equal to 30% of the Annual Renewal Demand. Tier 2 is equal to 70% of the Annual Renewal Demand plus the amount available for CoC Bonus and DV Bonus. Renewal projects are not guaranteed placement in Tier 1 and will be competitively evaluated and ranked in Tier 1 or 2 based on community need and project impact.

APPLICATION COMPONENTS



Local Application

- Submitted in Neighborly.
- If requesting <u>Innovative YHDP Special Activities</u>, submit letter of intent to <u>tpch</u>-nofo@tucsonaz.gov by December 4.



Federal Application (All Projects)

- Submitted in e-snaps. Very minor changes to federal application in FY 2024. Renew without changes option remains available for renewal applications.
- Due in ESNAPS on or before December 11, 2025.

Completing the Federal Application

FEDERAL
APPLICATION
OVERVIEW, ESNAPS
ACCESS AND
NAVIGATION
OVERVIEW, AND
ESNAPS TIPS AND
COMMON PITFALLS

FEDERAL APPLICATION

FEDERAL APPLICATION COMPLETED ONLINE USING E-SNAPS

https://esnaps.hud.gov/grantium/frontOffice.jsf

YHDP RENEWAL PROJECT APPLICATION

Project is applying for funds to renew an existing project expiring in Calendar Year 2026 as the project is currently operated (no change to applicant, project component, etc.). Projects can now add/modify select special YHDP activities through the renewal application. Applicants interested in applying for Innovative YHDP Special Activities must receive approval from the TPCH Youth Action Committee. Projects can move up to 10% of funds from one activity to another.

YHDP REPLACEMENT PROJECT APPLICATION*

Project is applying for funds to replace existing project expiring in Calendar Year 2025 to create new projects, expand existing projects, or reallocate funds to a new recipient. Replacement applicants interested in applying for Innovative YHDP Special Activities must receive approval from the TPCH Youth Action Committee.

| Required Federal Application | | | |
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| YHDP Renewal | CoC Renewal Project Application 2025 | | |
| YHDP Replacement | CoC Replacement Project Application 2025 | | |

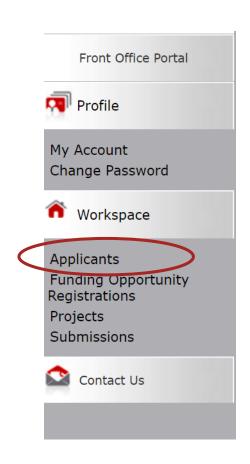
*Must be approved by YAC prior to submission. Applicants interested in applying for YHDP replacement are required to meet with the Youth Action Committee for review and approval.

COMPLETING THE FEDERAL APPLICATION (ESNAPS)

Completed at https://esnaps.hud.gov/grantium/frontOffice.jsf. Must be completed in full and submitted prior to the application deadline. Submission in E-SNAPS does not transmit the application to HUD, only to TPCH. Late submissions will be rejected. Certifications and match commitment letter dated and signed between November 1, 2025, and December 11, 2025, required. Use match letter template provided at https://tpch.net/fy25nofo.



UPDATING THE ESNAPS APPLICANT PROFILE



- Log into the ESNAPS portal.
- From the home screen, select "Applicants".
- From the Applicants page, select "Open" next to the organization name.

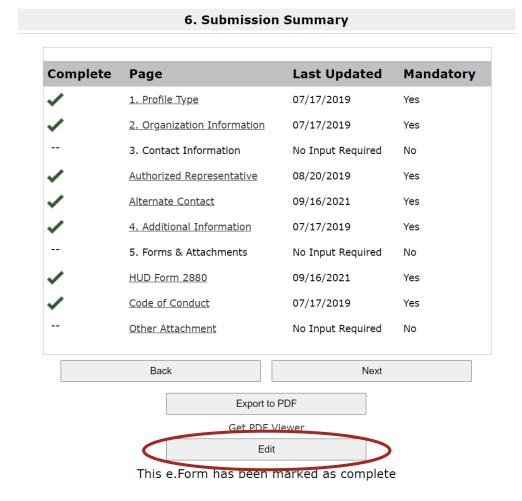


From the Applicant Profile page select "Submission Summary" on the left toolbar and unlock the Applicant Profile for editing (next slide).



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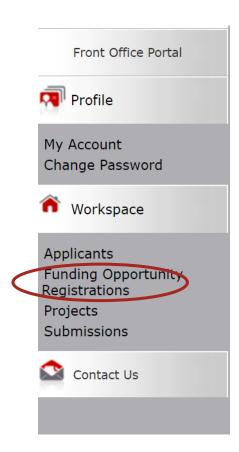
Applicant Profile 1. Profile Type 2. Organization Information 3. Contact Information Authorized Representative Alternate Contact 4. Additional Information 5. Forms & Attachments HUD Form 2880 Code of Conduct Other Attachment Submission Summary Export to PDF Get PDF Viewer Back to Applicants List



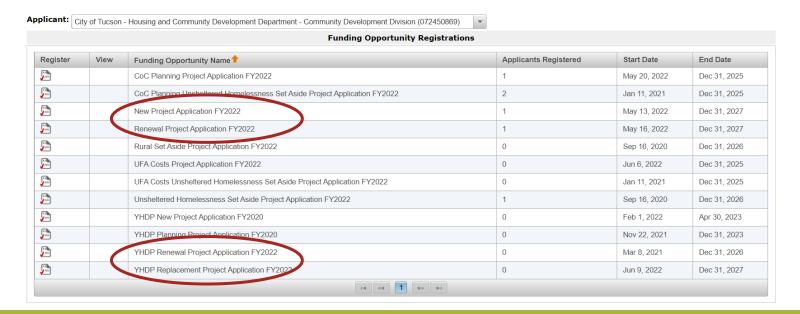
- On the Submission
 Summary screen, select
 "Edit" to unlock the
 Applicant Profile.
- Once in edit mode, update certifications and forms as needed.
- Once complete, return to the Submission Summary and select "Submit" to exit edit mode.



REGISTERING FOR THE FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

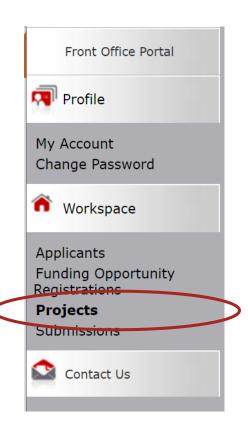


- From the ESNAPS home screen, select "Funding Opportunity Registrations".
- From the Funding Opportunity Registrations page, select the registration icon next to appropriate Project Application (YHDP Renewal Project Application FY 2025 or YHDP Replacement Project Application FY 2025)
- When prompted, confirm that you want to register for the funding opportunity.

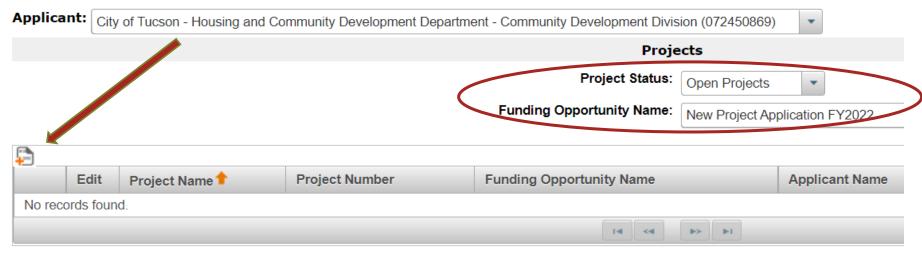




CREATE THE PROJECT APPLICATION



- From the ESNAPS home screen, select "Projects".
- On the Project Screen, set Project Status to Open Projects and Funding Opportunity Name to match the opportunity registered for in previous step.
- Select the "New Project" icon to create the project application.





CREATE THE PROJECT APPLICATION

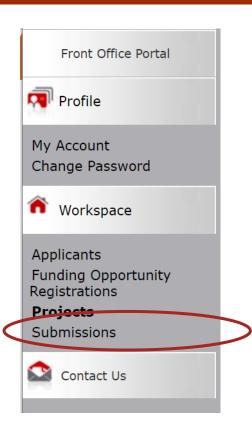


- On the New Project Application screen, enter the name of the FY 2025 project you are creating.
- **If a renewal project**, select the FY 2024 project application from which you would like to import existing data for the project application and save.
- Return to the ESNAPS Home Screen.

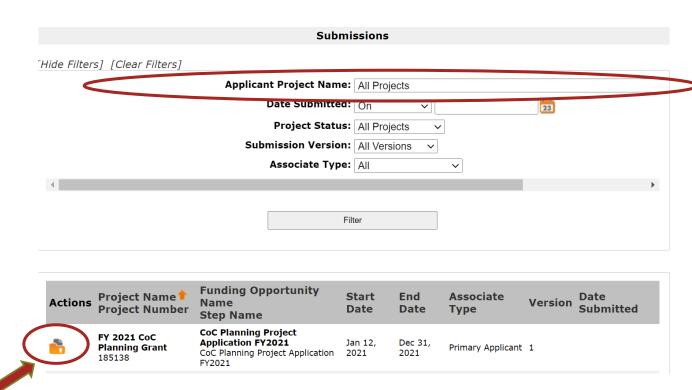
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| | Create a | a Project | |
| | Funding Opportunity Name: | Renewal Project Application FY2022 | |
| | .* Applicant: | City of Tucson - Housing and Community Development Department - Community Dev | |
| | * Applicant Project Name: | | |
| None | | • | Import Data From: |
| | Save | Save & Add Another | |
| | Save & Back | Cancel | |



EDITING THE PROJECT APPLICATION



- From the ESNAPS home screen, select "Submissions".
- On the Submissions Screen, select the FY 2025 project name you entered on the last screen from the Applicant Project Name drop down menu.
- Select the "Edit" icon to edit the project application.





TIPS FOR COMPLETING THE ESNAPS APPLICATION

- Start early and save often. ESNAPS has frequent technical challenges and slows during high use periods.
- Consult the NOFO, ESNAPS Detailed Instructions, and ESNAPS Navigational Guides for instructions as you complete the ESNAPS application (posted at https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/competition).
- Forms and Certifications: Standard Forms and Certifications will import from the completed applicant profile. Certification acknowledgments must be saved <u>before</u> the rest of the project application will be visible.
- Submission without Changes: Renewal applicants are encouraged to make use of the Submission without Changes feature which allows you to unlock only those screens which require changes to the project application. Review the FY 2024 application fully to determine which screens require changes and only unlock those screens for editing.



TIPS FOR COMPLETING THE ESNAPS APPLICATION

Unallowed Changes

Renewal project applications must conform to the approved FY 2025 Grants Inventory Worksheet (GIW) posted at https://tpch.net/fy25nofo

 No changes to the number of units, beds, or persons served from prior year application and GIW.

If significant budget changes are needed, this must be accomplished through the amendment process after grant award.



COMMON PITFALLS

Indirect Costs: If the project intends to apply an indirect cost rate or claim de minimis indirect costs for the FY 2025 CoC project award, this must be indicated in the applicable application and applicant profile screens. If applying an indirect cost rate, the organization's current federally negotiated indirect cost agreement must be attached to the project application.

Indirect costs may only be claimed on costs included within the organization's direct cost base and must be applied within the appropriate budget line items (e.g., supportive services, operating, administration).

Match Requirements: Matching funds are required for all CoC and YHDP projects. Match letters must be signed between November 1 and December 11, 2025, attached to the project application, and include the following details:

- Grant Name and PIN
- Date range for which funds are available: 1 year beginning first day of the grant period.
- Specific source and type of funds (e.g. Government, CDBG)
- Dollar amount of commitment: Must be 25% of federal funds (excluding Leasing funds)
- Specific use of funds (e.g., project staff salary, office supplies, etc.)

Match Letter Template provided at https://tpch.net/fy25nofo

Competitive YHDP Renewal and Replacement Projects

YHDP RENEWAL AND REPLACEMENT PROJECT ELIGIBILITY, REQUESTING SPECIAL ACTIVITIES, AND REQUIRED APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS

COMPETITIVE YHDP RENEWAL AND REPLACEMENT PROCESS

All existing YHDP projects are eligible for competitive renewal or replacement.

Existing YHDP projects are required to complete the TPCH Application in Neighborly and will be reflected on the CoC Renewal Project Score Card. They will be competitively scored into Tier 1 or Tier 2.

If a YHDP project wishes to replace an existing project, and <u>that replacement</u> <u>project will be requesting Innovative YHDP Special Activities</u>, a letter of intent must be submitted to <u>tpch-nofo@tucsonaz.gov</u> indicating the specific nature of the request and proposed changes no later than 11:59pm, December 4.

Agencies submitting YHDP replacement project applications <u>that are requesting Innovative YHDP Special Activities</u> are required to attend a TPCH Youth Action Committee to discuss their replacement request with the committee. Agencies may not apply for Innovative Activities if this process is not followed.

YHDP Renewal Projects

YHDP Renewal project applicants may not change the unit configuration, number of persons to be served, or make other substantive changes to the project through the renewal process.

YHDP Renewal project applicants from any round may include requests add or modify select special YHDP activities.

YHDP Renewal project applicants may submit renewal applications for minor changes to a project, but larger changes will require applying for a YHDP Replacement project.

YHDP Renewal project applicants from any round may request to shift up to 10 percent (10%) of funds from one approved eligible activity to another.

All YHDP Renewal and Replacement applications will be competitively ranked.

HUD will conditionally select all YHDP Renewal project applications initially awarded during the FY 2017 (Round 2) or later YHDP competitions that pass project eligibility and project quality threshold review.

YHDP Replacement Projects

YHDP projects can use the expansion process however, funds for expansion need to come from reallocated funds that were serving the same subpopulation.

YHDP Renewal project applicants wishing to submit significant changes to the previously requested and approved YHDP project are required to apply for a replacement project.

YHDP Replacement project applications that HUD initially funded are ranked.

HUD may require YHDP Replacement recipients undergo a threshold review.

All YHDP Renewal and Replacement applications will be competitively ranked.

YHDP Special Activities

YHDP SPECIAL
ACTIVITIES
OVERVIEW AND
FY 2025 YHDP
PROCESS FOR
MAINTAINING OR
REQUESTING USE
OF ADDITIONAL
SPECIAL
ACTIVITIES

How?

Renewal and YHDP Projects with written notice to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Special Needs via the project applicationsubject to the conditions specified in section III.B.4.b.(5) of the <u>FY 2024-2025 CoC Program NOFO</u>.

Applicants <u>requesting authorization for Innovative YHDP Special Activities</u> must email a one-page letter of interest which includes the following information to <u>tpch-nofo@tucsonaz.gov</u> no later than 11:59pm Arizona time on December 4, 2025.

- Name of the Current YHDP Project
- Current Activities Proposed for Replacement
- New Activities Proposed for Inclusion
- Rationale for Replacement (Community/Participant Need) and Anticipated Benefit
- Any Changes to the Number of Youth Served by the Project Resulting from Replacement

The TPCH Youth Action Committee will review requests for YHDP Replacement Innovative YHDP Special Activities at a meeting tobe scheduled. Organizations submitting requests for YHDP replacement activities are required to have at least one representative present who can answer questions regarding the project's current activities, proposed replacement activities, and budget.

Failure to attend the scheduled Youth Action Committee meeting will result in rejection of YHDP special activity requests.

Special YHDP Activities

YHDP Renewal and YHDP Replacement projects may submit applications that include activities listed on pages 27 through 30 of the FY 2025 CoC NOFO.

LEASE TERMS

SBRA & PBRA

YAB stipends

CONFERENCES

EMPLOYING YOUTH BEING SERVED

HABITABILITY

MOVING EXPENSES

HOST HOMES

AFTERCARE

ADDITIONAL FUNDS

Threshold Review

THRESHOLD REVIEW FOR ALL PROJECTS

Threshold Review

- HUD will consider Renewal projects as having passed threshold, but will need to certify that projects will comply with two new criteria:
 - The project applicant will not engage in racial preferences or other forms of illegal discrimination
 - The project applicant will not operate drug injection sites or "safe consumption sites," knowingly distribute drug paraphernalia on or off of property under their control, permit the use or distribution of illicit drugs on property under their control, or conduct any of these activities under the pretext of "harm reduction."
- •YHDP Replacement projects are exempt from the Project Quality Threshold if the application, activities, and costs are eligible under the FY 2025 HUD CoC NOFO. YHDP Replacement projects are still subject to the Project Eligibility Threshold, including the new additions above.
- •Read the FY 2025 HUD CoC NOFO for more information.

Timeline and Resources

KEY DATES AND IMPORTANT RESOURCES



December 4, 2025

 Letters of intent for YHDP Renewal / Replacement <u>Innovative YHDP</u> <u>Special Activities</u> due

December 15, 2025

 Responses to Threshold Review sent to recipients for correction

TBD

 YAC will meet to approve / suggest changes for special activities being renewed or added for each YHDP project











December 11, 2025

 FY 2025 New and Renewal Project Applications Due.

December 17, 2025

 Corrections requested from Threshold Review due back to CoC Lead

SEE PROCESS DOCUMENT FOR DETAILED CALENDAR



IMPORTANT RESOURCES

HUD Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 Continuum of **Care Competition**

•HUD priorities and threshold review processes



FY 2025 TPCH Process Document

 Local priorities and specific submission process

FY 2024-2025 HUD CONTINUUM OF CARE PROGRAM ANNUAL FUNDING COMPETITION & NON-COMPETITIVE RENEWAL OF YOUTH HOMELESSNESS **DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS**

Competition Overview, Instructions, and Process for Tucson/Pima County

How to access Project Applications in eSNAPS

 Screen by screen guide for how to get into the federal application

Accessing the Project Application in e-snaps

- Complete the Project Applicant Profile
- Establish the Project Application Access the Project Application

applicable to other FY 2023 Project

Posted Resources

HUD has determined that some CoC- and e-anape-related resources need to be posted to HUD got, HUD's official velocitie, rather than to the HUD Exchange, which flocuses on individual resources for communities and gard recipients. PY 2023 AND FOI information (e.g., detailed instructions), ricklang the FY 2023 e-anape Neingdorical Quides, will be published and updated on HUD gov. Many of the other CoC- and e-anaper-selected softward recovers all reads not he In-FD Exchange.

- e-snaps@thud.gov for questions about e-snaps technical issues such as creating an individual user profile, lockouts/password resets, requesting access to a CoC's
- . The specific details regarding the issue you are encountering
- . The steps you have taken up to the point the issue occurs

Renewal Projects Detailed Instructions

 Question by question guidance for how to respond and submit

CoC Renewal YHDP Project Application Detailed Instructions

Fiscal Year 2024 CoC Program Competition



Renewal Projects Navigational Guides (soon to be posted)

 Support in navigating the eSNAPS platform, which can be daunting!

FY 2023

Youth Homelessness

Demonstration Program

(YHDP) **Renewal Project** Application e-snaps Navigational Guide

Replacement and Reallocation Detailed Instructions

•Use this is you're planning to change your project or conduct reallocation.

CoC YHDP Replacement and Reallocation Project Application Detailed Instructions

Fiscal Year 2024 CoC Program Competition



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GENERAL AND LOCAL HELP WITH ESNAPS COMPETITION QUESTIONS

Email tpch-nofo@tucsonaz.gov

Password resets, system errors, technical issues, etc. Email e-snaps@hud.gov

QUESTIONS FOR HUD NOFO clarification, etc.

Email cocnofo@hud.gov



Questions?

Please take a moment to ensure any questions typed into the chat have been moved to the Q&A feature.



Thank you!

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