



NOFO FAQs

- **When is the NOFO Application due date?**
 - August 31, 2022
- **Where will the recording be located?**
 - <https://moboscoc.org/resources/nofo/>
- **Where Do I submit the Application?**
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- **What Data do I need to submit for Performance Capacity scoring elements?**
 - New Projects can submit any report that captures annual performance on the indicated measures. Rank and Review will consider the source of the report before accepting it. If using HMIS reports contact ICA for directions.
 - Renewal projects will not need to submit performance data if they are in HMIS. Non-HMIS renewal projects will be required to submit reports from Comparable database software.
- **How should I structure our narrative responses? Are there Character limits?**
 - Project descriptions and other narrative fields should be long enough to fulfill answers and cover all topics. The CoC application is not limited in length or characters. Please know that most narratives will be scored based on how thoroughly they respond to the items requested.
- **Are there two separate applications that need to be completed and submitted?**
 - There are two steps for every project that will be considered.
 - Application to the CoC through our Form
 - Submission to esnaps for inclusion in the consolidated Application
- **Can more than one staff have access to esnaps in an agency?**
 - Yes, but be aware of what they will have access to within your organizational profile.
- **We are not a New Project, but we have not applied for the NOFO grant before; which form do we use?**
 - Projects that have not been funded by CoC competition are “new” to CoC funds. This means you should use the CoC New Project Application
- **How much funding is available for the Annual CoC Competition?**
 - Total funding available is \$6,872,939 for the Missouri Balance of State
 - \$192,928 is set aside for planning operations
 - \$643,093 is set aside for DV Bonus funds (only DV projects can be funded by these funds)



- \$6,036,918 is available in Competition funds:
 - Tier 1 funds are \$5,715,372 (95% of Annual Renewal Demand)
 - Bonus funds are \$321,546
- Annual Renewal Demand is \$6,016,181 - leaving \$20,737 for new or expanded projects
- **Are New and Renewal Projects scored the same?**
 - New Projects and Renewal Projects each have their own scorecard and are categorically ranked according to our Ranking and Prioritization Policy. This policy will place Renewal Projects above New Projects in most cases.
- **How do you get to the Application Forms?**
 - Click [HERE](#) for the [CoC New Project Application](#)
 - Click [HERE](#) for the [CoC Project Renewal Application](#)
- **Do attachments save on the Application Forms?**
 - Only upon final Submission. If you need to save and resume your application process at a later date, attachments will not be saved. Please place all application files in local storage on your device and attach them when you are ready to submit.
- **What types of projects are CoC funded?**
 - Permanent Housing - Rapid Rehousing
 - Permanent Housing - Permanent Supportive Housing
 - Transitional Housing (also Joint Transitional Housing - Rapid Rehousing)
 - Supportive Services Only
 - HMIS
- **Which funding should we apply to?**
 - The CoC can't make any guarantees regarding funding and ranking of projects. There are a few things that agencies should consider in regards to the available competitions that the CoC is applying for:
 - The Rural Set Aside under the Special NOFO competition is focused in such a way to create new projects serving rural areas that qualify under HUD designation of rural counties.
 - The Unsheltered Set Aside under the Special NOFO competition is focused on providing resources to areas with a high volume of unsheltered individuals and underserved populations.
 - The DV Set Aside under the Annual CoC NOFO is limited to housing projects that serve Victims of Domestic Violence.
 - The Annual CoC NOFO is focused primarily on Renewals of existing projects and has limited funds beyond the Renewal Demand of the current project list in the CoC.