

**HRCS NEW/BONUS PROJECT Ranking Tool**

<b>Ranking Criteria</b>	<b>Point Detail</b>	<b>Source of Information</b>	<b>Points Awarded</b>
1. Applicant has a plan in place describing how program participants will obtain and remain in permanent housing?	0-20 pts based on quality of plan	Application: 4a	
2. Applicant has a plan describing how program participants will maintain or increase income sources (employment or other benefits)?	0-10 pts based on quality of plan	Application :4a	
3.Does the program comply with federal Housing First requirements?	Most or all = 15 pts Some = 10 pts None = 0 pts	Application: 3b Agency Housing First Narrative	
4.Does the applicant organization’s Executive Director or designated Board member actively participate in the local Continuum of Care (CoC), including a majority of Board Meetings and a majority of the member’s chosen Subcommittee Meetings (a minimum of 75% attendance)?	Yes = 10 pts No = 0 pts	HRCS	
5.Does the applicant have a documented 25% match?	Yes = 10 pts No = 0 pts	Application: 6i	
<b>TOTAL (65 POINTS MAXIMUM)</b>			

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Housing First Principles

(All will be scored 0-15, with 15 being most adherence)

1. Few to no programmatic prerequisites to permanent housing entry
2. Low barrier admission policies
3. Rapid and streamlined entry into housing
4. Supportive services are voluntary, but can and should be used to persistently engage tenants to ensure housing stability
5. Tenants have full rights, responsibilities, and legal protections
6. Practices and policies to prevent lease violations and evictions
7. Applicable in a variety of housing models

Related Questions:

- What program policies and procedures support the above principles?
- What training, research, and strategic effort have been completed to understand Housing First Principles and how that work best with the program?

**HRCS RENEWAL PROJECT Ranking Tool**

<b>Ranking Criteria</b>	<b>Point Detail</b>	<b>Source of Information</b>	<b>Points Awarded</b>
1. Number of participant households exited to homelessness within 24 months of program entry?	0 = 20 pts 1-5 = 15 pts 6 or more = 0 pts	Annual Performance Report	
2. Number of participant households who maintained or increased income sources (employment or other benefits)?	95-100% = 10 pts 85-94% = 7 pts 75-84% = 5 pts Under 75% = 0 pts	Annual Performance Report	
3. Does the program comply with federal Housing First requirements?	Most or all = 15 pts Some = 10 pts None = 0 pts	Application: 3b Agency Housing First Narrative	
4. Did the program submit a timely and complete Annual Performance report by the required deadline last year or last time the program was funded (whichever is more recent)?	Yes = 10 pts No = 0 pts	Application: Recipient Performance	
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6. Did the program meet its minimum threshold match requirements last program year as shown in the last APR or last time the program was funded (whichever is more recent)?	100% met = 10 pts 90% met = 5 pts Not met = 0 pts	Annual Performance Report	
7. Did the program expend all the grant funds in the last APR or last time the program was funded (whichever is more recent)? i.e. have any funds been recaptured by HUD?	Yes = 10 pts No = 0 pts	Application: Recipient Performance	
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