

Overview of HUD's Specialized Housing and Services for Victims of Human Trafficking Notice of Funding Availability

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Today's Webinar

- 60 minutes
- Attendees are in listen-only mode
- Recording will be posted to [usich.gov](https://www.usich.gov) and emailed to you



Webinar Agenda

- I. Background and Framing
- II. Goals and Objectives
- III. Applicant Eligibility
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- V. Eligible Activities
- VI. How to Apply
- VII. Application Deadline
- VIII. Resources/FAQ




Home, Together. The New Federal Plan

Home.


Because we know that the only true end to homelessness is a safe and stable place to call home.

Together.

Because the solutions are going to take all of us working together, doing our parts, strengthening our communities.



Home, Together:
THE FEDERAL STRATEGIC PLAN TO
PREVENT AND END HOMELESSNESS



UNITED STATES INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS



Background and Framing

- Partnership between DOJ & HHS
- Federal Partners Involvement
- National Support Network Support



Goals and Objectives

- Collaboration
- Identification
- Expand Capacity
- Facilitate and Strengthen Connections
- Conduct Training and Public Awareness
- Identify Performance Measures and Best Practices
- Inform Models for Collaboration
- Improve Outcomes for Survivors
- Evaluation



Applicant Eligibility

- **Governmental Entities**
 - State governments
 - County governments
 - City or township governments
 - Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
 - Special district governments



Applicant Eligibility

- Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
- Private institutions of higher education
- Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
- Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
- Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)



Applicant Eligibility

- 501c3s – other than institutions of higher education
- For profit organizations other than small businesses
- Small businesses



Who Can Be Served?

- **Projects may serve survivors of human trafficking** as defined by The Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000
- **Person subjected to trafficking in person:**
 - Sex trafficking
 - Labor trafficking
- **Eligible Participants:**
 - U.S. citizens
 - Lawful permanent residents, adults and minors. Persons who are defined as homeless under paragraph (4) of the homeless definition at 24 CFR 578.3 and are victims of human trafficking are eligible.



Activities Funding Can Be Used For

- Community Wide Planning
- Housing
- Supportive Services
- Other Assistance



Develop a Community-Wide Plan

- Consultation with Survivors and Other Stakeholders
- Demonstrate Local Need for Program
- CoC Coordinated Entry



Housing

- **Crisis Housing**
 - Immediate emergency shelter and short term – up to 24 months
- **Rapid Re-Housing**
 - Program pays full rent at the beginning, gradual reduction as participant obtains income and ability to pay without subsidy
- **Host Homes**
 - Immediate emergency shelter and short term – up to 24 months



Housing

- **Experience**
 - Applicant and subrecipient providing housing options that result in survivors obtaining and maintaining long-term housing
 - Address immediate housing needs that will ensure safety for participants
- **Trauma-Informed Supportive Services**
- **Victim-Centered Supportive Services**



Supportive Services

- Trauma-Informed
- Person-Centered
- Offered in conjunction with housing or shelter
- Survivors currently residing in CoC-assisted housing



Supportive Services

Assessment of Service Needs	Legal Services
Housing Search and Counseling	Food
Assistance with Moving Costs and Relocation	Mental Health Services
Case Management and Counseling	Outpatient Health Services
Childcare Services	Outreach Services
Education Services	Substance Abuse Treatment
Employment Assistance and Job Training	Transportation
Other	Cell phones, security system, furniture, household items, crisis intervention, trauma and family therapy, and prevention activities related to housing



Other Assistance

Cell Phones for Participants

Security Measures

Furniture

Household Items

Crisis Intervention

Trauma and Family Therapy

Prevention Activities Related to Housing



How to Apply

Deadlines

- **Applications for Technical Assistance** are due August 30, 2019 at 11:59:59 p.m. EDT
- **Applications for the Human Trafficking Program** are due October 30, 2019 at 11:59:59 p.m. EDT.
- **Where:** Applications are submitted using grants.gov and can be found at:
<https://www.hudexchange.info/news/specialized-housing-and-services-for-victims-of-human-trafficking-nofa-fr-6300-n-45/>



Scoring Criteria

HUD assigned 100 possible points to seven rating factors

Rating Factor	Points
Experience with Trafficking	25
Coordination	20
Housing	30
Supportive Services	20
Budgets	5



Agency Contacts

HUD Headquarters staff will be available to provide clarification on the content of this NOFA. Please note that HUD staff cannot assist applicants in preparing their applications.

Questions regarding specific program requirements for this NOFA should submit a question to Sherri.L.Boyd@hud.gov

For general questions please submit to HUD's AAQ Tool:
<https://www.hudexchange.info/get-assistance/my-question/>



Resources

Human Trafficking and Homelessness
Website:

Link:

<https://www.hudexchange.info/homelessness-assistance/human-trafficking/>

THANK YOU

