Western PA CoC FY2019 Renewal Summary Form

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Project Scoring

Each CoC funded program in the Western PA CoC seeking renewal funding in the FY2019 competition will be scored on their outcomes in addressing the following:

- Adherence to HUD Policy Priorities
- Project Performance Outcomes
- Grant Management
- CoC Participation
- HMIS Participation and Data Quality

Sources of Data

The data for scoring each project is drawn from the following sources: HMIS, this Renewal Summary Form including required attachments, and the CoC/RHAB/LHOTS & County Coalitions for participation. DV programs that do not participate in HMIS will be asked to submit a copy of their APR for Calendar Year 2018 (January 1, 2018-December 31, 2018) using data from a Comparable Database.

Instructions for the FY2019 Renewal Summary Form

- Please submit a separate renewal summary form survey for each 2019 CoC project renewal within your organization.
- You will required to submit/upload required attachments in order to submit this survey form. Required attachments include: 1) ELOCCS summary page, 2) documentation of APR Submission Date, 3) a letter

signed by the Chair of County LHOT/Housing Coalition to verify participation. Instructions are provided in the survey regarding these required documents. In addition:

- If you did not draw down 90% of your project grant in the last grant year or draw down funds quarterly you will be required to submit supplemental information.
- If your project was monitored by HUD in the last two years you will be required to submit supplemental information.
- DV projects will be required to submit an APR from their Comparable Database.
- Please follow the instructions provided with each question included on this
 form to ensure that the required information is included and you follow
 the required naming conventions so that the reviewer is aware of which
 documents have been submitted.
- Please review this form fully in advance of the submission date, which is 08/28/2019. We recognize that this is short turn-around time. If you have extenuating circumstances that prevent you from meeting this deadline, you must contact DMA (westerncoc@pennsylvaniacoc.org) as soon as possible prior to the due date to make arrangements to submit the required information.
- While completing the survey, you may click "Save and Continue" in the top right corner to save your work and continue later. A link to continue your survey will be emailed to you.
- Questions: Any questions about this form may be directed to: westerncoc@pennsylvania.org or 215-576-1558.

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1) Applicant Name:*

() Armstrong County Community Action Agency
() Cameron/Elk Counties Behavioral & Developmental Programs
() CAPSEA, Inc.
() City Mission-Living Stones, Inc.
() Community Action, Inc.
() Community Connections of Clearfield/Jefferson Counties
() Community Services of Venango County, Inc.
() Connect, Inc.
() County of Butler, Human Services
() County of Greene
() County of Washington
() Crawford County Coalition on Housing Needs, Inc
() Crawford County Commissioners
() Crawford County Mental Health Awareness Program, Inc
() Crisis Shelter of Lawrence County
() DUBOIS HOUSING AUTHORITY
() Fayette County Community Action Agency, Inc.
() Housing Authority of the County of Butler Inc
() Indiana County Community Action Program, Inc.
() Lawrence County Social Services, Inc.
() McKean County Redevelopment & Housing Authority
() Northern Cambria Community Development Corporation
() Union Mission of Latrobe, Inc.
() Victim Outreach Intervention Center
() Warren-Forest EOC
() Westmoreland Community Action
2) Grant # (first 6 digits):*
() PA0274
() PA0280
() PA0283

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() PA0616
() PA0651
() PA0670
() PA0679
() PA0716
() PA0718
() PA0774
() PA0775
() PA0776
() PA0777
() PA0778
() PA0779
() PA0780
() PA0845
() PA0846
() PA0847
() PA0897
() PA0899
() PA0900
() PA0901
() PA0902
() PA0903
() PA0904
() PA0939
() PA0940
3) Project Name (with corresponding grant #): *
() PA0274 Armstrong County Permanent Supportive Housing Program
() PA0280 Enduring VOICe
() PA0283 Gallatin School Living Centre
() PA0287 HOPE Project

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() PA0290 Path Transition Age Project () PA0291 Permanent Supportive Housing () PA0292 Lenox Street Apartments () PA0296 Shelter plus Care I () PA0303 Westmoreland Permanent Supportive Housing Expansion () PA0304 NWRHA () PA0307 AHEAD () PA0308 Crawford County Housing Advocacy Project () PA0309 Crawford County Shelter Plus Care () PA0310 Housing for Homeless and Disabled Persons () PA0311 Housing Plus () PA0314 SAFE () PA0320 Transitional Housing Project () PA0424 Sycamore Commons () PA0425 Turning Point () PA0457 Shelter plus Care - Washington City Mission () PA0458 2018 Renewal App - DuBois Housing Authority - Shelter Plus Care 1/2/3/4/5 () PA0459 Housing First FY 2018 Renewal Application () PA0460 CHAPS Family Housing () PA0491 Chestnut Street Gardens Renewal Project Application FY 2018 () PA0493 Franklin Court Chronically Homeless () PA0495 Housing Now () PA0496 Liberty House Transitional Housing Program () PA0538 Greene County Supportive Housing Project () PA0539 Home Again Butler County () PA0540 Consolidated Union Mission Permanent Supportive Housing () PA0560 Fairweather Lodge Supportive Housing () PA0562 CHAPS Fairweather Lodge () PA0597 Clinton Street Gardens Renewal Project Application FY 2018 () PA0599 PHD Consolidated () PA0600 Consolidated WCA PSH Project FY2018 () PA0601 NWRHA 2

() PA0616 Fayette Apartments

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() PA0651 Greene County Shelter + Care Project
() PA0670 Home Again
() PA0679 WCA PSH-Pittsburgh Street House 2018
() PA0716 Armstrong-Fayette Rapid Rehousing Program
() PA0718 Veterans RRH
() PA0774 WCA PSH for Families 2018
() PA0775 TEAM RRH
() PA0776 Rapid Rehousing Program of Armstrong County
() PA0777 Youngsville Permanent Supportive Housing
() PA0778 Northwest RRH
() PA0779 Supportive Living
() PA0780 Greene County Rapid Rehousing Project
() PA0845 Crossing Pointe
() PA0846 Fayette County Rapid Rehousing
() PA0847 Southwest Regional Rapid Re-Housing Program
() PA0897 Warren Permanent Supportive Housing
() PA0899 HomeFIRST
() PA0900 HomeTEAM
() PA0901 My First Place
() PA0902 Coordinated Entry Expansion
() PA0903 HomeWISE
() PA0904 D.W.E.L.
() PA0939 Crisis Shelter TH-RRH
() PA0940 DV Coordinated Entry Capacity Funds
4) Contact Person: *

5) Email:

Note: this email address will receive confirmation email upon submission of this survey*

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6) Phone: *	
7) Alternate Contact Person:	_
8) Alternate Email:	_
9) Alternate Phone:	_
10) What are the start and end dates for your current grant Date:	
11) Was your project operational for the entire time peri 2018?	
Note: Projects that did not begin operating until after Janu renewals should select No*	eary 1, 2018 OR are first time
() Yes () No	

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12) Warning! You have indicated that your project was not operational for the entire time period 1/1/18-12/31/18.

This means that your project will not be scored in the FY19 Competition due to not being operational for the entire period 1/1/18-12/31/18 or being a first time renewal. We will reach out to you for any additional information that may be needed.

Are you sure that your answer to question number 11 should be No?		
*		
() Yes. I'm Sure. (By selecting this, I understand the survey will end after this question)		
() No. I need to continue on with the full survey.		

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Project Type

15) Is your program dedicated to persons experiencing domestic violence?*
() Yes () No
Housing First
Please answer the following questions to indicate the extent to which your project operates in accordance with Housing First principles.
16) Admission/tenant screening and selection practices promote the acceptance of applicants regardless of their sobriety or use of substances, completion of treatment, and participation in services.
(Comments Optional)*
() Yes () No
Comments:
17) Applicants are not rejected on based on having no income, minor criminal convictions, or behaviors that indicate a lack of "housing readiness."
(Comments Optional) *
() Yes
() No
Comments:

18) Supportive services emphasize housing procurement over therapeutic goals. Services

plans are highly tenant-driven without predetermined goals.

(Comments Optional) *
() Yes
() No
Comments:
19) Participation in services or program compliance is not a condition of staying in our program.
(Comments Optional) *
() Yes
() No
Comments:
20) Use of alcohol or drugs in and of itself is not considered a reason for program dismissal
(Comments Optional) *
() Yes
() No
Comments:

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21) We prioritize those with the highest need for services (per the Coordinated Entry Prioritized List) rather than "first come/first serve", such as duration of homelessness and other barriers. (Comments Optional) () Yes () No **Comments:** 22) Case managers/service coordinators are trained in and actively employ evidence-based practices for client/tenant engagement such as motivational interviewing and clientcentered counseling. (Comments Optional) () Yes () No **Comments:** 23) Services are informed by a harm reduction philosophy that recognizes that drug and alcohol use and addiction are a part of tenants' lives, where tenants are engaged in nonjudgmental communication regarding drug and alcohol use, and where tenants are offered education regarding how to avoid risky behaviors and engage in safer practices. (Comments Optional) () Yes () No

Comments:

24) Our primary focus is assisting people in our program with a housing plan for swift exit from homelessness to permanent housing upon enrollment?				
(Comments Optional) *				
() Yes				
() No				
Comments:				
Meeting Goals of Opening Doors				
25) Over the course of Calendar Year 2018 (January 1, 2018-December 1, 2018), how many heads of households served were within the following HUD priority population groups (some households may fall within multiple groups):				
Please fill in all fields, even if the number was 0*				
Total Households Served:				
Chronically Homeless Households:				
Youth (under 25) Households:				
Families with Children Households:				
Veteran Households:				
Improve safety of persons fleeing domestic violence				

 ${\bf 26)} \ (DV\ Providers\ Only)\ Do\ survivors\ indicate\ they\ feel\ safer\ after\ they\ receive\ services\ through\ this\ CoC\-funded\ project?$

*
() Yes
() No
27) (DV Providers Only) Do survivors define safety in their own way? If yes, please describe.
28) (DV Providers Only) How do you capture/evaluate survivors' feelings of safety in your program, and whether they feel safer after they receive services through your project? If you do not currently capture/evaluate this data, how will you begin to do so within the next 12 months? *
29) (DV Providers Only) Is there a safety plan that addresses housing in the file of each project participant? *
() Yes
() No
30) (DV Providers Only) Please ATTACH/UPLOAD a copy of your APR from Calendar Year 2018.

Please name the file according to the following naming convention: "[First 6 digits of grant number]_[Project Name]_ APR".

Click browse to attach/upload the document from your computer. Please attach the document as an Excel file.*					
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Promote Access to Mainstream Benefits

Note: Through your response to this RSF question, you are certifying that you have responded in the same way on your Renewal Project application.

31) Please identify whether your project included the following activities: *

	Yes	No
Transportation assistance to clients to attend mainstream benefit appointments, employment training, jobs?	[]	[]
Use of a single application form for 4 or more mainstream programs?	[]	[]

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At least annual follow- ups with participants to ensure mainstream benefits are received and renewed?	[]	[]	
			Unit Utilization
32) Please indication: *		numb	er of units included in your FY2019 Renewal
33) Is this consist	tent with	the nu	mber of units in your 2017 and 2018 CoC applications? *
() Yes () No			
34) If no, please occurred:*	e descri	ibe the	change in the number of units and when this

35) If your project experienced any irregularities that negatively impacted your project's performance on the unit utilization measure, you may provide an explanation below for consideration:
Drawdown Rates from eLoccs
36) What is the date range of your last full grant year? *
Beginning Date:
End Date:
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37) Attach/upload summary page from eLOCCS showing dates and amounts of drawdowns for THE LASTY COMPLETED FULL GRANT YEAR here.
Important: Please do not submit information for the grant year you are currently in. You must submit information for the last <u>fully completed</u> grant year.
Please name the file according to the following naming convention: "[First 6 digits of grant number]_[Project Name]_ eLOCCSDrawdowns"
Click browse to locate the file on your computer and attach. This should be attached as a PDF document *
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38) According to your eLOCCS summary page, did your agency draw down funds at least quarterly?*
() Yes
() No
39) If your agency was unable to drawdown funds from eLOCCS at least quarterly, please provide the summary page from eLOCCS showing dates and amounts of drawdowns for the last two full grant years for this project.
Please name the file according to the following naming convention: "[First 6 digits of grant number]_[Project Name]_ eLOCCSTwoYears"
Click browse to locate the file on your computer and attach. This should be attached as a PDF document
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40) If your agency was unable to drawdown funds from eLOCCS at least quarterly, please also explain the circumstances that prevented regular drawdowns for consideration in scoring:

Funds Expended

Note: The summary page from eLOCCS that you were instructed to provide for drawdown rates above will also be used to score projects related to funds

expended. Please be sure to include the drawdowns for the entire grant year in your summary page.

41) According to the eLOCCS summary page attached above, were 90% or more of the grant funds drawn down in eLOCCS during the last fully completed grant year?					
*					
() Yes					
() No					
42) If no, please complete a supplemental expenditure form to provide additional information and attach/upload here. This form <u>can be accessed and downloaded here</u>					
If you are required to complete the supplemental expenditure form, please name the file according to the following naming convention: "[First 6 digits of Grant Number]_[Project Name]_FundsExpended"					
Click browse to locate the file on your computer and attach. This should be attached as a PDI or Word document					
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Cost Effectiveness					
42) If there is only years why years may be so had higher and now					
43) If there is any reason why your program may have had higher cost per household than is typically the case, you may provide an explanation here for consideration:					

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Timely APR Submission
44) Project's APR Submission Due Date:*
45) Date of Project's APR Submission: *
46) If your APR was not submitted on time for other reasons, please explain the circumstances that led to the late submission:
47) Please attach/upload documentation showing the date of the project's last APR submission.
Please use the following naming convention: "[First 6 digits of Grant Number]_[Project Name]_APRSubmissionDate"

.A few different options for providing this documentation are listed below. You only need to submit documentation once, not in each of these different ways.

- Copy of the email you received from the Sage system confirming the submission of the APR.
- Copy of an email from your HUD Rep showing whether the APR was submitted on time.

• Copy of the details for your Sage submission – this should be available by clicking the VIEW buttons for the status ("VIEW ALL Status Changes and Notes").

To view an example of each of these sources of documentation, click here - https://www.dropbox.com/s/7gjvualypynojrl/Examples_APRSubmissionDate.pdf?dl=0

Click browse to locate the file on your computer and attach. This should be attached as a PDF
document *
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HUD Monitoring
48) Has your project been monitored by HUD in the last 2 years? *
() Yes
() No
49) If yes, please please SUBMIT the Monitoring Report/Letter received from HUD and documentation of the resolution of any Findings.
Please name the file using the following naming convention and attach/upload here: "[First 6 digits of grant number]_[Project Name]_Monitoring". If multiple documents are uploaded, please add additional text at the end of the above name.
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CoC Participation

CoC Participation data will be verified from meeting sign-in sheets or registration. To ensure we award points accurately, please provide the requested information in the below text boxes.

Staff name(s) attended April 25, 2018 CoC Meeting:	
Staff name(s) attended October 24, 2018 CoC Meeting:	
(1) If a representative of your agency was not neetings above, please explain the circumstan	
2) Regional Homeless Advisory Board (RHAB mee	tings) Southwest only
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54) County LHOT or Housing Coalition Meetings:
Did a representative of your agency attend at least 75% of County LHOT/ Housing Coalition meetings?
() Yes
() No
55) A letter signed by the Chair of County LHOT/Housing Coalition to verify participation must be attached/uploaded here.
Please use the following naming convention: "[First 6 digits of grant Number]_[Organization]_LHOT Letter"
Click Browse to attach/upload the document from your computer. Please attach the document as a PDF.
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56) If a representative of your agency was not able to attend at least 75% of County LHOT/Housing Coalition meetings, please explain the circumstances for this: *

CoC Training Webinar/Attendance

57) Please provide the name/s of any staff from your organization that participated in an of the below listed trainings or webinars:	ıy
All trainings required unless otherwise noted*	
Motivational Interviewing (March 14, 2018):	
Harm Reduction (March 21, 2018):	
Intro to Trauma Informed Care (April 18, 2018):	
Working with Opioid Use Disorders (May 9, 2019):	
Housing Focused Case Management- NW (May 23, 2018)- NOTE: Could attend 5/23 OR 5/24	4:
Housing Focused Case Management- SW (May 24, 2018)- NOTE: Could attend 5/23 OR 5/24	1:
Diversion Training (June 11 and 12, 2018):	
Landlord Engagement in Rural Areas (October 3, 2018)- OPTIONAL:	
Full HMIS Participation	
58) Does your organization operate additional homeless assistance projects that are NOT required to participate in HMIS, but do participate?	Γ
(Response should NOT include projects that receive CoC, ESG, SSVF, PATH, RHY funding, which are required to participate in HMIS) *	
() Yes	
() No	

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59) If yes, please list these project names and component type (e.g. ES, TH, RRH, PSH) below:

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Thank You!

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Thank you for responding to the Western PA CoC FY2019 Renewal Summary Form. A copy of your responses will be emailed to you from Survey Gizmo for your records.