# Ohio Balance of State Continuum of Care Request for Proposals: PSH Development Projects for CoCBuilds Funding Opportunity

#### **Purpose of this Listserv Message**

This message announces the release of a Request for Proposals for HUD's CoCBuilds funding opportunity.

## **Target Audience**

Prospective PSH project developers.

## **Background Information**

On July 22, 2024, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) released the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for the Continuum of Care (CoC) Builds Program Competition. The NOFO can be found at

https://www.hud.gov/program\_offices/cfo/gmomgmt/grantsinfo/fundingopps/CoCBuilds.

The CoCBuilds Program targets efforts to address and reduce persons experiencing homelessness by adding new units of Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) through awards for new construction, acquisition, or rehabilitation projects. HUD is encouraging CoCs to leverage funds provided for construction, acquisition, or rehabilitation of new PSH units with other funding sources to maximize the amount of housing that can directed to meeting the needs of individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

Through this funding opportunity, the Ohio BoSCoC is eligible to submit one CoCBuilds project application, comprised of one or more PSH developments, with a maximum funding request of \$7.5 million. Minimum initial grant terms are 24 months. This is a competitive funding opportunity.

#### **Request for Proposals**

Organizations developing PSH projects within the Ohio BoSCoC that are interested in this funding opportunity must complete and submit the PSH Proposal form to be considered. The CoC team and Ohio BoSCoC Steering Committee will review submitted proposals and will make recommendations to the Ohio BoSCoC Board about which proposals may be included in the CoC's application.

You can find the RFP documents on the CoC's website here - <a href="https://cohhio.org/boscoc/coc-program/">https://cohhio.org/boscoc/coc-program/</a>.

### Ohio BoSCoC CoCBuilds RFP Information Session

The Ohio BoSCoC is hosting an information session about this funding opportunity and the proposal submission process. A recording of the session and any related presentation materials will be posted to the CoC's website. Details are below.

#### Information Session Details

Date: Thursday, September 12, 2024

Time: 10am – 11:30pm

Register at: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUtdeGgrD0vEtx 15MQaB3bo3540poS-

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