



DV Bonus Grant – HUD Scoring Criteria FY2018

As this is a new funding opportunity, the scoring rubric is a new process. Additional information can be found in the NOFA FY2018 CoC Program Competition, II.B.10e, page 13.

HUD award a point value to each project application combining both the CoC Applicant score and responses to the domestic violence bonus specific questions in the CoC Application using the following 100-point scale.

COC Score	50 points
Need for the Project	25 points
Quality of the Project Applicant	25 points
Total	100 points

The “project application” referred to in this document is the Balance of State CoC’s application as a whole. While the sub-recipient applications will be incorporated, the scoring will be based on the CoC’s application.

If a project application designated as DV Bonus is conditionally selected by HUD with DV Bonus funds, HUD will remove the ranked DV Bonus project from the New Project Listing and all other project applications ranked below the DV Bonus project will slide up one rank position. If the DV Bonus project application is not conditionally selected with DV Bonus funds, the project application will remain in its ranked position and will be considered for funding as a bonus project with CoC Program funds if available.

COC Score (up to 50 points possible)

Up to 50 points will be awarded to a project application in direct proportion to the score received by the CoC Application in the national competition.

The CoC Application must receive all 200 CoC Application points available to receive the full 50 points for the CoC Application score.

Examples - if the CoC Application (CA) receives:

200 points on the CA	Then all project applications will receive 50 points
150 points on the CA	Then all project applications will receive 37.5 points
100 points on the CA	Then all project applications will receive 25 points
50 points on the CA	Then all project applications will receive 12.5 points

To calculate the math: Take the number of points received on the CA and divide them by the total points possible (200). Then multiple that number by the total points possible in the Tier 2 COC Score (50).
 $150 \text{ divided by } 200 = .75 \text{ multiply by } 50 = 37.5 \text{ points}$

Need for the Project (up to 25 points possible)

Up to 25 points will be awarded to a project application based on the extent the CoC is able to quantify the need for the project in its portfolio, the extent of the need, and how the project will fill the gap.



These are the specific questions are located in the CoC's application and were included in the sub-recipient application. The answers will be crucial for scoring these points.

Must describe the following:

- How many DV survivors the local coalition is currently serving?
- What data source(s) were used for the calculations?
- How does the local coalition collect the data and what do they do with the information?

Must describe the following:

- How many DV survivors need housing or services in the local coalition?
- What data source(s) were used for the calculations?
- How does the local coalition collect the data and what do they do with the information?

Narrative responses must include and address the following:

- Describe the unmet need for housing and services for DV survivors.
- Quantify the unmet need for housing and services for DV survivors.
- Describe the data source used to quantify the unmet need for housing and services for DV survivors.
- Describe how the local coalition determined the unmet need for housing and services for DV survivors.

Describe how the sub-recipient project being applied for will address the unmet needs of survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking

Quality of the Project Applicant (up to 25 points possible)

Up to 25 points will be awarded based on the previous performance of the applicant in serving survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, and their ability to house survivors and meet safety outcomes.

For these particular questions, the CoC will use the sub-recipient responses to make the case that the sub-recipient experience in serving the population is imperative rather than the CoC's.

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Narrative responses must address the capacity of the sub-recipient to implement the project by describing:

- The rate of housing placement of DV survivors.
- The rate of housing retention of DV survivors.
- Improvements in safety of DV Survivors.
- How the sub-recipient addresses multiple barriers faced by DV survivors.

Describe the project's experience providing housing and services to this specific population.

Describe the project's experience working with trauma informed care. Include trainings taken, date, who attended, description, etc.

Describe the project's experience working with victim-centered practice.