



Tier 2 Scoring Criteria FY2018

Similar to the process used by HUD during the FY16 & FY17 CoC Competition, all Tier 2 projects (both new and renewal) will be scored by HUD using the rubric described below.

HUD will evaluate and rank all Tier 2 projects nationally. Tier 2 conditional awards will be based on funding availability, starting with the highest ranked Tier 2 project in the country and working their way down the list. The point values are the same as the FY2017 scoring rubric.

COC Score	50 points
COC Project Ranking	40 points
Commitment to Policy Priorities	10 points
Total	100 points

COC Score (up to 50 points possible)

Up to 50 points will be awarded to a project application (new or renewal) 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).
 $150 \text{ divided by } 200 = .75 \text{ multiply by } 50 = 37.5 \text{ points}$

COC Project Ranking (up to 40 points possible)

Up to 40 points will be awarded to a project application (new or renewal) based on a mathematical calculation related to where the project was placed (or ranked) on Tier 2. To more evenly distribute funding across CoCs and consider the CoCs ranking of projects, point values will assigned directly related to the CoC's ranking of project applications.

Point value will be 40 times the quantity $(1-x)$ where the x is the ratio of the cumulative funding requests for all projects or portions of projects ranked higher by the COC in Tier 2 plus one half of the funding of the project of interest to the total amount of funding available in Tier 2.

Example:



If a COC is eligible to apply for projects totaling \$500,000 in Tier 2 and applies for 5 projects ranked in Tier 2 of \$100,000 each: the highest ranked project would receive 36 points, the next ranked would receive 28, the next ranked would receive 20 points, the next ranked would receive 12 points, and the last will receive 4 points.

40 x (1 – cum. Funding + ½ divided by total)

Total available in Tier 2 = 500,000

Tier 2 project #1 – asked for 100,000 40 x (1 – 0+50,000 divided by 500,000) = 40 x .9 = 36 points

Tier 2 project #2 – asked for 100,000 40 x (1 – 100,000+50,000 divided by 500,000) = 40 x .7 = 28 points

Tier 2 project #3 – asked for 100,000 40 x (1 – 200,000+50,000 divided by 500,000) = 40 x .5 = 20 points

Tier 2 project #4 – asked for 100,000 40 x (1 – 300,000+50,000 divided by 500,000) = 40x .3 = 12 points

Tier 2 project #5 – asked for 100,000 40x (1 – 400,000+50,000 divided by 500,000) = 40 x .1 = 4 points

Commitment to Housing First (up to 10 points possible)

Up to 10 points will be awarded for how the project application commits to applying the Housing First model – including but not limited to low barrier entry, prioritizing rapid placement and stabilization in permanent housing, no service participation requirements or preconditions to entry, and minimizes terminations. These points are awarded as follows:

Permanent Supportive Housing	Up to 10 points	How well the project application demonstrates commitment to applying the Housing First model
Rapid-Rehousing	Up to 10 points	How well the project application demonstrates commitment to applying the Housing First model
Transitional Housing	Up to 10 points	How well the project application demonstrates that it is low-barrier, prioritizes rapid placement and stabilization in permanent housing and does not have service participation requirements or preconditions to entry
Safe Haven	Up to 10 points	How well the project application demonstrates that it is low-barrier, prioritizes rapid placement and stabilization in permanent housing and does not have service participation requirements or preconditions to entry
HMIS	10 points	Automatically