

Please join us for a CoC NOFA 101 training on **March 31, 2021** from 2-4pm.

What's the CoC NOFA?

Each year, the Contra Costa Continuum of Care (CoC), supported by H3 as the collaborative applicant, completes an application in response to a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to fund permanent housing solutions for people experiencing homelessness. Homebase supports the community as a third-party facilitator of the local competition process. This training will provide an overview of how the process works in Contra Costa County.

This training is for you if:

- Your organization is considering applying for HUD CoC Program funding for the first time.
- You want to know more about how the funding is used for in Contra Costa, how the local and federal project application processes work, and whether your project might be a good fit.
- Your organization already receives HUD CoC Program funding and you'll be working on a project application for the first time.
- You'd like a refresher on how the local competition process works.

We'll cover the basics of how the Contra Costa CoC selects projects to advance in the national competition for funding, what eligible uses are best fits for the funding, and more. This first workshop is a good introduction to the topic and will prepare you and your staff to participate in the process. Also keep an eye out for an upcoming session on the state of the system, which will provide an overview of current community needs, and working groups in April to review the local project scoring tools.

Please [register](#) for the training to let us know you'll be coming and get a link to attend. To register, click here: https://homebaseccc.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwldqqrz8pH9PNQjndq_SyETXltactqZ4

Have questions or want help identifying who should attend? Email contracostata@homebaseccc.org for support.