



Continuum of Care For Kane  
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TO: Aurora/Elgin/Kane IL 517 CoC Members  
DATE: September 27, 2021  
FROM: Denise Momodu, CoC Chairperson, Continuum of Care for Kane County  
RE: NOTIFICATION OF 2021 PROJECTS ACCEPTED AND RANKING/TIERING

The Aurora/Elgin/Kane Continuum completed the project selection and tiering process on September 22, 2021. Eight renewal projects were considered for inclusion on the 2021 Project Priority Listing. All renewal projects were accepted at their full funding amount. Two new bonus projects were submitted and accepted at reduced amounts. A DV bonus project was submitted and accepted at its full amount.

The CoC Board scored each new and renewal application using the CoC Program NOFA Evaluation Criteria which contains objective ranking criteria. All projects submitted were placed in order of scoring on the CoC NOFA Scoring Summary. This summary with the final Tiering list is posted on <https://www.countyofkane.org/Pages/ocr/continuumCare.aspx>. It is also attached to this notification.

The Ecker Center Abbott project was the lowest scoring renewal project and falls partially in Tier One and Tier Two. The PADS Light House 9 new project is placed after the Abbott renewal in Tier Two. This placement results in the exact amount needed for Tier Two.

Community Crisis Center submitted a DV bonus project application in the full amount of \$303,954 and this amount was accepted. This project was placed in the third position in Tier Two so that it will not affect any of the other projects and will be funded solely on its scoring for the DV Bonus.

Approximately \$2.65 billion is available. Of this, \$102 million is available for Domestic Violence bonus projects. Although it is expected to be sufficient to fund all eligible renewal projects, HUD continues to require all CoCs to rank all projects, except Planning, into two tiers. The purpose of the two tiered approach is for the CoC to clearly indicate their funding priorities.

The tiers are financial thresholds. Tier 1 is 100% of the Annual Renewal Demand for current projects. Tier 2 is the difference between Tier 1 and the maximum amount of renewal, reallocation and bonus funds available. (Excluding the DV bonus amount). The Planning project is excluded from tiering.

Specifically the CoC Board had to include project amounts in Tier One that would equal no more than \$1,931,665 and amounts in Tier Two that would equal no more than \$101,138. In addition, the Kane CoC was eligible to apply for \$303,954 for a domestic violence bonus project. The Planning project of \$60,791 is separate in addition to these amounts.

HUD will select all project amounts in Tier One from the highest scoring CoC to the lowest scoring CoC before selecting any project amounts in Tier Two. Tier Two projects will be scored individually by HUD up to 100 points each. In Tier Two, HUD will select projects in order of point value from all CoCs. The DV bonus is scored individually on a different 100 point scale by HUD.

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