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15:01:50 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran to Hosts and panelists: Is a YHDP project that wants to submit as a renewal, wants to NOT submit a match, is the project able to submit as a regular YHDP renewal or is the match issue considered a special activity and the project needs to be submitted as a YHDP replacement project?

15:02:55 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran to Hosts and panelists: For the YHDP match requirement, can you please provide explain and provide an example of how the applicant demonstrates it has taken reasonable steps to maximize resources?

15:03:49 From Caroline Crouse to Hosts and panelists: @Shannon- we will review the criteria to receive an exemption from match later in the presentation.

15:04:04 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her): My apologies, but I didn’t see an end time for this webinar. Is it an hour?

15:04:08 From Caroline Crouse: @Shannon- we will review the criteria to receive an exemption from match later in the presentation.

15:04:31 From Sidhartha Nilakanta: @raina - yes

15:04:36 From Event Host: Today’s webinar is 90 minutes and will go until 4:30 PM EDT

15:05:58 From Traci Neff to Hosts and panelists: ARA?

15:06:17 From Caroline Crouse: @Traci- Annual Renewal Amount=ARA

15:06:20 From Jeanine Beasley: Annual Renewal Amount

15:06:57 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran to Hosts and panelists: if you submit a replacement project, do you need YAB and YHDP/CoC lead letters?

15:07:30 From Catherine Hummel she/her: Can activities be changed if it will be a change from the GIW?

15:07:47 From Ryan Hall: Can we apply for a renewal and a replacement as long as the total does not exceed renewal amount?

15:07:51 From Bia Moreira (she/her): Do YHDP Replacement projects have to change the project component to be considered a Replacement project? OR can a Replacement project be created by just adding additional eligible activities, which are outlined in the NOFO?

15:08:41 From Bia Moreira (she/her): Can we partially replace a YHDP Renewal grant to make a YHDP Replacement project; so we would still submit a smaller YHDP renewal grant and a new YHDP replacement grant?

15:08:44 From Laura Saulle: Does a single change to a project require a replacement project?
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15:09:05 From Bia Moreira (she/her) : Can we change the project sponsor/sub-recipient of a YHDP Renewal project after the competition or does it need to be done through a Replacement grant during the competition?

15:09:32 From Taylor (she/hers), ACEH : What if nothing about a project is changing except for the recipient? Is it still a replacement project?

15:09:34 From Caroline Crouse : @Shannon- You do not need a YAB or YHDP/CoC lead for replacement projects unless you are proposing to use a special YHDP activity not outlined in the NOFO.

15:09:45 From Laura Saulle : If we are changing the project subrecipient, does that require a replacement?

15:10:06 From Jessica Fleming : Can we submit a replacement project that splits out our previously one large RRH program into two smaller programs as long as budget line and units don’t change, just the subrecipients do?

15:10:15 From Shaye Rabold (she/her) : If an applicant wants to remove households with children from it’s project target population and only serve households without children (with no other changes), is a replacement app needed or can it just be handled in the project description, etc. on a renewal app? Thanks! This is for a TH project using houses for crisis housing--shared space.

15:10:44 From Event Host : The webinar recording, slides, transcript, etc. will be posted on HUD.gov in the near future.

15:10:59 From Caroline Crouse : @ Catherine- yes you can change activities even if it is different from what is on the GIW.

15:11:54 From Hannah King Boyles : Is e-snaps aware that attachments are not saving and progress on project applications is being lost?

15:12:09 From Jeanine Beasley : @Christine - We will be posting these slides!

15:12:16 From Caroline Crouse : @Ryan- Renewal/Replacement are a 1 to 1 relationship. If you have 2 YHDP projects, you could renew 1 and replace 1, but you cannot have one YHDP project half renewed and half replace.!

15:12:42 From Shaye Rabold (she/her) : Will there be a Replacement e-snaps navigation guide posted? I'm only seeing one for Renewal YHDP.

15:13:07 From Darian Johnson PCHHS : Is this true for our current YHDP projects for FY 2021 - 2022?

15:13:27 From Hannah King Boyles : Where do we answers these questions about match in e-snaps?
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15:13:35 From Andrew Gansky: If requesting the match waiver, can you clarify 1) where we include this request in the e-snaps application, and 2) any documentation/attachments to substantiate other community resources?

15:13:56 From Angie Sweeney-Gulfstream Goodwill Indus: IF the COC approved the YHDP with the match, can we submit the application without the match on the eSnaps?

15:13:58 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran: Second to @HannahKingBoyles Question

15:14:00 From Event Host to Hannah King Boyles and all panelists: The webinar recording, slides, transcript, etc. will be posted on HUD.gov in the near future

15:14:05 From Keleigh Pereira, Three County CoC: can you talk through a bit further the details around match? Some clarity would be great.

15:14:25 From Event Host: The webinar recording, slides, transcript, etc. will be posted on HUD.gov in the near future

15:14:42 From Keleigh Pereira, Three County CoC: how do we explain this in the application - match details..

15:14:50 From Jennifer to Hosts and panelists: We want to submit a replacement app but are worried about a gap in funding. Can HID guarantee the same start date as we would have with a renewal?

15:15:04 From Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists: If a special activity is approved through replacement is the project required to use these activities?

15:15:24 From Anita Crews to Hosts and panelists: We will spend time to explain at the end of the slides presentation. Please send your questions in chat. Thanks

15:15:42 From Katie Durand: As stated in the match slide, "renewal" applications can request the match waiver as well (you don't have to be a replacement project to request the match waiver)- correct?

15:16:14 From Shaye Rabold (she/her): On match – e-snaps still requires 25% match amount or else you get error message and can't submit. Is there a place in e-snaps where you say you want an exemption? If error message cant be avoided, do you just commit to the match and ask for exception after award? Lastly is a replacement app needed for this match exemption if that's the only change a project wants to make? or can it be done with a renewal app?

15:16:55 From Laura Saulle: If a Round 3 community requested some of these special activities on our current projects, can we still expect to hear back from HUD about those waiver requests for the remainder of our YHDP grant?
15:17:00  From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her) : This may be a somewhat dense question, but why would any YHDP community submit a renewal vs. a replacement if the replacement option allows for special activities and renewal does not?

15:17:08  From John McCarty : does a drop in center qualify as a Special Activities

15:17:11  From Sidhartha Nilakanta : Can we partially replace a YHDP Renewal grant to make a YHDP Replacement project; so we would still submit a smaller YHDP renewal grant and a new YHDP replacement grant? - No, YHDP Replacement projects are a one to one replacement.

15:17:24  From Marnie Regen : +1 for Raina's question!!

15:17:45  From Karri Gornick to Hosts and panelists : Can we include previously approved exceptions in our replacement project, in addition to the listed ones in the new NOFO

15:17:51  From Ernestina Simmons (she/hers) : If our current project has the funding for a host home or kinship, can I keep my project as renewal

15:17:58  From Riannon Bardsley, she/her : If we want to include any special activities will we have to do a replacement project? do these special YHDP activities impact any approved AR's the projects already have?

15:18:03  From Jason Hahn to Hosts and panelists : Are all Rounds of YHDP awardees eligible for Renewal/Replacement, or have any Rounds (like Rd 1) been converted into the normal CoC process?

15:18:41  From Laura Saulle : If we already submitted a rationale to HUD for a current project we are implementing (Round 3), do we need to resubmit that rationale with the NOFO?

15:18:47  From Hannah King Boyles : How do we tell which activities have the additional criteria?

15:19:03  From Kelley Tice : Do we have to do a replacement application if we want to drop 2 TH and go to 8 long-term RRH

15:19:29  From Christine Palmieri : If Special activities were already allowed in the initial application and we intend to apply for the same special activities is that still replacement, or renewal?

15:19:57  From Karri Gornick to Hosts and panelists : Do we have to justify previously approved exceptions in the replacement application?

15:19:59  From Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists : Do you need YAB approval only for other innovative activities?

15:20:23  From Michele LaFleur : The e-snaps detailed instructions state that YHDP renewal projects should have an end date in calendar year 2022- referring to the 'Proposed Project' question SF-424 Congressional Districts. Is this correct that the grant end dates should be in 2022 for all YHDP renewal applications?
15:21:02 From Martha Sassorossi, King County DCHS: The renewal application questions include one asking "Are you requesting a waiver of YHDP Special Activity(s) in the FY 20201 CoC Program Competition?" which would suggest that those specific activities can be requested with renewal projects. That was also my understanding from Sid's portion of the presentation.

15:21:11 From Katie Durand: Do we need YAB and YHDP letters for all replacement projects or is this only required if we are requesting "other innovative activities"?

15:21:40 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran: Second to @Katie Durand question.

15:22:07 From Caroline Crouse: @Raina: Some YHDP projects may not want to integrate new activities into the project, so would go for a renewal project. The main advantage is that the application is shorter, so if you don’t need to make updates, it makes sense to stay as a renewal.

15:22:32 From Ernestina Simmons (she/her): If a budget modification was already been approved, would this be considered a replacement or new project?

15:23:11 From Lindsay Fabrizio | SHW: Our original YHDP award was from 2020. However, HUD had to amend and execute the grants again in May 2021. Our new grant cycle is now May 2021 - April 2023, but our projects showed up on our current GIW. Can you provide some clarity on whether or not it should have shown up on our GIW given the new grant window, and if we should be submitting a replacement with the 2021 NOFO?

15:23:47 From Jean-Marie she/her: If a budget modification has been submitted to HUD but we have not had a response, can it be submitted as a replacement project?

15:23:47 From Caroline Crouse: @Bia If you are changing anything about a YHDP project, you must use a replacement project application rather than a renewal.

15:23:55 From Mondau, Nick (COM): Can you provide a couple examples of reasons why a renewal project would be rejected?

15:23:58 From Taylor (she/her), ACEH to Hosts and panelists: If the only change is the recipient of funding, but nothing else. Is it a renewal or replacement?

15:23:59 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran: If waiving match, how do you do that in e-snaps so that you don’t get an error and how/where do you demonstrate taken reasonable steps, etc.

15:24:08 From Melisa Vierra FIT eng: Can you please give examples of community resources that would be considered for replacing the 25% match?

15:24:09 From Bia Moreira (she/her): If a YHDP project replacement is only half of the original ARA, does the CoC just lose the other half seeing it cannot submit multiple replacement projects?
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15:24:54 From Ashley Halladay-Schmandt: if waiving match, how do we do that in e-snaps without getting an error

15:25:02 From Christy Rubenstein: Is there a general approval process for submitting YHDP Replacements? To @Katie Durand’s question - is YAB approval required? Does the CoC need to approve the change or can a Recipient just decide to change the use without the CoC and/or the YAB’s approval?

15:25:06 From Taylor (she/hers), ACEH to Hosts and panelists: If I YHDP project wants to apply for an expansion, would that be a general CoC application? Or is there a way to fund that in YHDP?

15:25:27 From Event Host to Hosts and panelists: Hi all, if able, please remember to turn on your webcam when answering a question

15:25:28 From Sidhartha Nilakanta to Hosts and panelists: Hi Taylor, YHDP projects cannot apply for expansions

15:26:17 From Melisa Vierra FIT eng: If we have an RRH can we replace it with a TH or PSH project that has master leasing?

15:26:18 From Angie Sweeney-Gulfstream Goodwill Indus: Does the COC or YAB need to approve the request to waive the Match first before submitting it into e-snaps?

15:26:44 From Christine Palmieri: Can you please describe the criteria to demonstrate that we have taken reasonable steps to maximize resources one more time?

15:26:59 From Ernesto Hernandez (NWFS) He/his: if we want to move the eligible budgets from one to other we need to do in the replacement. ex. child care we have 1000 but we don't need it so we want to move it to moving cost. we need to do replacement?

15:28:01 From Christy Rubenstein: Will you be looking to make the same options available next year for Round 3 projects that didn't start until 2021?

15:28:20 From Marnie Regen: dumb question but when is the replacement app due? the CoC NOFO docs are due tomorrow, and then submitted 11/1 -- where does YHDP fit into this schedule? thank you

15:28:37 From Shelly Felt, (she, her): If we received approved waiver requests for our original YHDP project, does the approved waiver carry over to a renewal YHDP project? (3 years of housing instead of 2 years, a small amount for furnishings?)

15:29:11 From Ernesto Hernandez (NWFS) He/his: The section 5A. Project Participant, 5B. project participant - subpopulation we get the info from HMIS?
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15:29:29 From Martha Sassorossi, King County DCHS: Will you be updating the Renewal YHDP Project Application Detailed Instructions, which currently includes instructions on how to request waiver of special activities as part of a RENEWAL application?

15:29:50 From Laura Saulle: Can two SSO projects be consolidated if one is a Host Home and the other is not?

15:29:55 From Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists: If we need to change the subrecipient of one of the YHDP projects can we do this in the replacement project? Does that need a YAB approval attached?

15:30:19 From Gwen Okamoto - Hale Kipa to Hosts and panelists: Where can we find the match exemption requirements?

15:30:24 From katie cahill-holloway: to verify, it sounds like any program change should be managed through the replacement project process. are you expecting that entire YHDP portfolios will be replaced and is that OK?

15:30:25 From Caroline Crouse: @Angie- CoC and YAB do not need to approve the request to waive match

15:31:13 From Brenda Cavanaugh: We want to simply change the address/site of our program - all else (budget, services, number served, etc.) remains the same. Do we have to complete a replacement project application just for that change?

15:32:11 From SubCook Alliance to End Homelessness: If an agency has already started their YHDP Renewal Application, but realize they need to submit a YHDP Replacement Application instead, do they have to start over? Or is there a way to move everything in the YHDP Renewal Application to the YHDP Replacement Application?

15:32:36 From Ryan Hall: we want to apply for a replacement project but are worried about a gap in funding. Can HUD guarantee the same start date for the replacement project that the the renewal would have had or might there be a gap?

15:33:19 From Angie Sweeney-Gulfstream Goodwill Indus: Do we need to put YAB approval letters as attachments with our renewal applications in e-snaps

15:33:58 From Sharon Hendrickson to Hosts and panelists: Can start up kits include beds? So many come from homelessness and have nothing.

15:34:50 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran: It’s my understanding the host home/kinship care payments are only allowable if the project is following the host home model (meaning RRH projects can’t also make these payments). The YHDP application asked “is this a host home project” and pg 37 of the NOFO makes it sound like host home/kinship care is a specific project type.
15:34:54 From susan: Our original YHDP - I had a two sub grantees, I am not renewing with the sub grantees, would this be a replacement or renewal?

15:35:26 From Christy Rubenstein: Can/should the CoC have a process to review YHDP Replacement projects that is similar to what is happening with non-YHDP renewal or new projects?

15:35:32 From Emily Gorman to Hosts and panelists: If we need to submit a budget amendment for our YHDP projects for year two (of the two-year initial funding period), should we adjust the budget in this renewal for what is needed and submit it as a replacement projects? Or leave it as is and handle all budget changes through the amendment process (both what is needed now and again in the future)? We have not yet requested the amendment for the current operating year. Thanks.

15:35:36 From Caroline Crouse: @Angie- a YAB approval letter is only required for the innovative special YHDP activity. If you want to implement one of these, you would need to submit a Replacement application, not a renewal project.

15:35:47 From Jessica Fleming: If we don't consolidate during this NOFO process, can we use our UFA status to merge/consolidate two projects after the NOFO process?

15:36:14 From Caroline Crouse: @Jessica- yes, you can still use the flexibilities allowed under your UFA status.

15:36:45 From Shaye Rabold (she/her): So am I hearing pretty much if you want to make any change, even something very small, we should just go with a replacement app. Like there really isn't a downside to submitting a replacement version of the app?

15:36:46 From Caroline Crouse: @Emily- I think you could do either way- just depends on what is easier for you.

15:37:10 From Caroline Crouse: @Shaye- totally correct- we anticipate that most YHPD projects will come in as replacements, not renewals.

15:37:37 From Bia Moreira (she/her): If we need to submit a replacement project for a PSH project because they are changing the number of clients to be served, do their current PSH clients already housed need to be terminated from the program?

15:37:43 From Jessica Fleming: Will a Renewal project be rejected and in jeopardy of non-renewal if changes are made on the Renewal project instead of submitting a replacement project?


15:39:38 From Marnie Regen: when are YHDP renewal apps due?

15:39:40 From Siddhartha Nilakanta: Hi Jessica, Renewals and Replacements cannot be rejected in the competition. So if a mistake is made, we will work with you to figure it out.
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15:40:00 From Marnie Regen: and when are replacement apps due?
15:40:30 From Sidhartha Nilakanta: Hi Marnie, the NOFO close date is November 16th. But that also depends on your CoCs process as well
15:41:04 From Marnie Regen: thanks, our CoC said YHDP projects are "auto renewed" so we are quite confused at the moment!
15:41:07 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her): OH! I was informed that waivers would renew
15:41:12 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her): Or roll over
15:41:20 From Shaye Rabold (she/her): Can you import the 2019 renewal project (first time renewal) esnaps app into a 2021 replacement project app? Haven't tried it yet...
15:41:38 From Sidhartha Nilakanta: Hi share, you “should” be able to import it
15:41:47 From Sidhartha Nilakanta: Shaye*
15:42:17 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her): So recipients would lose those waivers unless they submit a replacement. This is definitely new information
15:42:38 From Caroline Crouse: @Raina- there is some confusion of whether waivers carry-over, but our counsel has said that waivers do not automatically carry over
15:42:59 From Angie Sweeney-Gulfstream Goodwill Indus: My understanding is that since YHDP just started in 2019, none are renewals, they were New Applications in e-snaps. Therefore, the information can't be 'imported' into Renewals for FY2021. We have to input all the information into the FY2021 Renewal. Is this correction?
15:43:04 From Riannon Bardsley, she/her: We have an SSO that does both
15:43:07 From Karri Gornick to Hosts and panelists: I’m confused how we get the sub population info from HMIS when the e-snaps application won’t let you enter a total number that is more than total households on the GIW.
15:43:14 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her): This is bad news, Caroline! As I've given incorrect info to our recipients, based on what I was told.
15:43:34 From Jeff Chambers: Caroline can you re confirm that if you have a current waiver you should do a replacement rather than a renewal.
15:43:41 From Karri Gornick to Hosts and panelists: For example someone might be fleeing violence and have a disability so they would be counted under both categories which puts us above total households on the GIW
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15:43:56 From Caroline Crouse: @Jeff- yes, anyone with a waiver should submit a replacement application

15:44:08 From Alison: Will there be differences/expansion of allowable expenses for diversion assistance?

15:44:50 From Kristen Chambers (she, her): Will there be a Replacement Navigational Guide posted?

15:44:51 From Caroline Crouse: @Raina- hopefully it shouldn't be too bad- you could just tell them to do a replacement project and the waiver activities should be able to be incorporated

15:44:59 From Sharon Baillie: If a lead recipient on a youth RRH project, who has a subrecipient, no longer wants to be the lead or involved in project and wants to transfer over the grant to the subrecipient Can the subrecipient apply for the renewal application in e-snaps or would a grant amendment need to be made after FY '21 awards are announced.

15:45:56 From susan: If I understood correctly, July 17th, there was a group alternative requirement determination. I would need to do a replacement to include these changes into my renewal? or I would do a replacement?

15:46:13 From Taylor (she/hers), ACEH to Hosts and panelists: If a YHDP project (PSH) is interesting in expanding could this be done under YHDP funding or only general CoC funds?

15:46:22 From Nicole Wiscombe: Do we use the new project navigation guide for replacement projects? I do not see a navigation guide for replacements only a detailed instructions guide.

15:46:45 From Caroline Crouse: @Susan- I don't think we approved any alternative requirements on July 17th. However, any project that has an alternative requirement should submit a replacement project.

15:47:02 From Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists: We needed YAB approval in the initial round

15:47:10 From Caroline Crouse: @Taylor- we are not allowing expansion projects under YHDP.

15:47:59 From Zac Keenan: What are the eligibility requirements for new applicants to this program?

15:48:39 From Bob Buzzas: Even if a project does NOT make any changes, can it still submit a replacement project?

15:49:16 From Caroline Crouse: @Zac- any participant in a YHDP project must be a youth, under the age of 25, who is experiencing homelessness
15:49:24 From Taylor (she/hers), ACEH: @Caroline- Could a YHDP recipient apply and receive a second project with general CoC funds that is similar/exact same to their YHDP project? So have 2 projects that are the exact same, but one is YHDP and the second is CoC general funding?

15:50:52 From Caroline Crouse: @Zac- in terms of new applicants to the program, YHPD communities are selected through a competitive notice of funding opportunity

15:51:55 From Angie Sweeney-Gulfstream Goodwill Indus: Are we supposed to use the new grant dates that were modified in April when HUD had us redo the grants from 2 years to 1? Not 10/1 to 9/30?

15:52:05 From Ashley Halladay-Schmandt: It's still showing up for renewals

15:52:08 From Shannon Quinn-Sheeran: Yes, match is still showing up

15:52:12 From Keleigh Pereira, Three County CoC: please talk through the match expectations

15:52:38 From Caroline Crouse: @Taylor- yes you could create a second project under CoC that mirrors the YHDP project, but keep in mind that you will likely not be able to consolidate that project with the YHDP project in the future.

15:53:20 From Shaye Rabold (she/her): @Sid...I just saw it (the match error language) in the Detailed Instructions. So, it may not be an issue. Thanks!

15:53:32 From Laura Saulle: Has HUD published a list of all past YHDP projects so we can see project types and descriptions? If not, is this possible?

15:53:34 From Melisa Vierra FIT eng: Can you have essential furniture as a BLI under Supportive Services?

15:53:39 From Rebekah Albert- NWFS: If you wish an exemption from 25% match requirement to you have to submit a replacement application

15:53:58 From Ernesto Hernandez (NWFS) He/his: SSO can provided Cellphones or loner cellphones, Rental assitence, Gas cards?

15:54:02 From Caroline Crouse: Start up kids can include: "furniture, pots and pans, linens, toiletries, and other household goods, not to exceed $300 in value per program participant.

15:54:09 From lisa brooks to Hosts and panelists: can you describe the types of budget changes allowed in replacement if any? for example can you replace two projects and restructure the budgets between the two.

15:54:24 From Alicia Vaughn (she/her) to Hosts and panelists: I want to be clear. if a current YHDP project has alternative requests already approved by HUD, it still needs to be a replacement project to continue using those waivers?
15:56:09 From Caroline Crouse : @Alicia- yes any project that has an approved alternative requirement must use the replacement project application

15:56:12 From Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists : We need to replace one of our subrecipients - can our agency as the recipient apply and then do another local RFP process to subgrant it out prior to the grant agreement?

15:56:28 From Zac Keenan : @Caroline- Is there currently a notice of funding opportunity selecting new YHDP communities?

15:56:56 From Caroline Crouse : @Zac- we just announced awardees from the most recent NOFO, but there will be another NOFO coming out, hopefully in Spring 2022

15:57:03 From Melisa Vierra FIT eng : Are landlord incentives considered a rental assistance or supportive services line item expense?

15:59:05 From Melisa Vierra FIT eng : Wait, I'm confused. I thought we couldn't consolidate YHDP projects?

15:59:58 From Keleigh Pereira, Three County CoC : consolidation is supposed to only happen with projects that would have already been renewed, yeah?

16:00:06 From Christy Rubenstein : Seeking clarity: are YHDP Replacements supposed to go through a rating/ranking process like other new CoC projects? Because they are not ranked, it is unclear to the CoC whether the it has a role in approval of the new use under YHDP Replacement. For example, Transition instructions specify that CoC approval is needed but not sure we see the same requirement of approval for YHDP Replacement projects.

16:00:06 From Caroline Crouse : @Melisa- landlord incentives are not allowed under the CoC program or YHDP

16:00:49 From Laura Saulle : I'm not seeing anything in the NOFO that says only already renewed projects can consolidate. Can you confirm?

16:03:06 From Hannah King Boyles : Please save time to address where in e-snaps we answer the questions about maximizing resources (to get the match waiver)

16:03:10 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her) : Our local competition closes on October 12th, and I would like to be able to share this webinar recording and notes with recipients who may not be here ASAP. How soon can be expect the recording?

16:03:36 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her) : *we
From Ernesto Hernandez (NWFS) He/his : I section 6F. Supportive Services Budget will be a moving $$ assistance from one eligible cost to another need to be submitted a replacement or can be renewal?

From Shaye Rabold (she/her) : oh snap, SNAPpers. may need some HMIS project advice (will a new HMIS project be needed) if a replacement app is submitted for the same component type and clients won't change. I assume no in this scenario and we have a long time before we have to worry about this...just thinking ahead.

From Caroline Crouse : @Christy- the YHDP projects are renewed/replaced non-competitively, so they do not need to be ranked by the CoC. They do still need to be listed in the Priority listing, so the CoC will have a role in doing that

From Caroline Crouse : @Ernesto- as long as the eligible costs are eligible under the CoC regulations (not a special YHDP activity), you do not need to submit a replacement project

From Martha Sassorossi, King County DCHS : regarding Sid's last comment, the YHDP special activities questions DO exist in the renewal projects in E-Snaps - thus a lot of my confusion about what is being said in this call

From Caroline Crouse : @Martha- I'm sorry! This is our first time too! :)

From Meilssa Ishio she/her : You said screen 3A, Ques 8c first then screen 8A, Ques 8c

From Andrew Gansky : Two more points on match waiver. 1) I'm in e-snaps and can confirm that if we have less than 25% match entered in the Match screen (6H in YHDP renewal) it gives an error and won't let us submit. 2) Do we need to submit any backup documentation as an attachment, or is the narrative description sufficient?

From Caroline Crouse : @Melissa- 3A, question 8c

From Martha Sassorossi, King County DCHS to Hosts and panelists : we're just so busy and I had already done the projects as renewals in E-Snaps so it's painful to think about redoing all that work

From Dennis Enix : Wil renewals only have Section 1 questions or will they also be the other sections questions? My renewal is only showing Section 1 questions.

From Sidhartha Nilakanta : HI Dennis - make sure all the certification screens are completed

From Jenny to Hosts and panelists : We had been working on the renewal and could see all sections. When we logged in today, we can only see section 1.
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16:14:45 From Dennis Enix: I have gone through them back and forth. They are filled - most sections are pre filled or non changeable

16:15:18 From pleslie: A CoC may want to include the review of YHDP n the local process to also identify issues to be remedied or strengths -- they are critical components of the CoC System.

16:15:53 From lisa brooks: Can you describe the types of budget changes allowed in replacement, if any? For example: can a community replace two projects and restructure the budgets between the two.

16:16:17 From lisa brooks: yes

16:16:36 From Jeff Chambers: Doing fine Caroline and Sid. This is very helpful.

16:16:37 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her) to Hosts and panelists: Caroline,

16:16:43 From Angie Sweeney-Gulfstream Goodwill Indus: You are all doing a great job!

16:16:52 From Raina Smith-Roller (she, her) to Hosts and panelists: I'd love to be able to connect with you to get some clarifications. Can I email you?

16:16:54 From Laura Saulle: Agreed, thank you. This is very helpful!

16:18:13 From Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists: If approved for YHDP special activities - would those also be eligible activities under match for YHDP?

16:18:15 From Shaye Rabold (she/her): @YHDP process is supposed to be about thinking about things/figuring them out with HUD in real time. At least that's what we got to do in Round 1. I'm totally comfortable here ;-)  

16:18:16 From Sidhartha Nilakanta: Hi Dennis, send your issue to the AAQ. Thanks.

16:18:54 From Caroline Crouse: Thank you everyone for your flexibility!

16:19:03 From Laura Saulle: yes

16:19:33 From Laura Saulle: My question was about alternative requirements.

16:21:10 From Shaye Rabold (she/her): By the way- we are THRILLED with this crazy (super rare...has it ever happened before like this?) opportunity to do replacement projects without a competition!

16:25:03 From Catherine Hummel she/her: @shaye - yes!!

16:25:09 From Nicole Wiscombe: Anyone know which navigation guide is used for YHDP Replacement projects?
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16:26:40  From  Alexandria Labenz : detailed instructions?


16:26:58  From  Hannah King Boyles : Yes, they are posted

16:27:02  From  Shaye Rabold (she/her) : @sid - detailed instructions for replacement are there

16:27:02  From  Nicole Wiscombe : yes there is a detailed instruction guide but not navigation

16:27:03  From  Alexandria Labenz : it’s there

16:27:07  From  Shannon Quinn-Sheeran : if a project has an existing waiver that has activities that are NOT on the NOFO list, is YAB/YHDP lead approval needed?

16:27:09  From  Bia Moreira (she/her) : Can we change the project sponsor/sub-recipient of a YHDP Renewal project after the competition or does it need to be done through a Replacement grant during the competition?


16:27:33  From  Martha Sassorossi, King County DCHS : there are detailed instructions for both, no YHDP nav guide for either

16:27:37  From  Caroline Crouse : Bia- you can do that after the competition through an amendment

16:27:57  From  Paroma Nandi (she/her/hers) to Hosts and panelists : second @Bia Moreira's question

16:28:11  From  Shaye Rabold (she/her) : @martha - there is a guide for YHDP renewal

16:28:23  From  Bia Moreira (she/her) : Sorry I copied and pasted the wrong question; if the replacement is only 50% of the ARA because the subrecipient doesn't want a large project, do we just lose the other half of the money? we = CoC

16:28:35  From  susan : Option B instructions:

• Applicant Profile Instructions in e-snaps (make sure to update this first): https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Project-Applicant-Profile-Navigational-Guide.pdf
• Detailed Instructions for submitting a replacement project application: https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/CPD/documents/FY-2021-YHDP-Replacement-Detailed-Instructions.pdf
I received this from Nick

16:29:00 From Caroline Crouse: @Shannon- Special YHDP Activities that are not outlined specifically in the NOFO would need YAB approval because it would fall into the "innovative special YHDP activity" category

16:29:10 From Caroline Crouse: If we didn't answer your question here, please submit it to CoCNOFO@hud.gov

16:29:16 From Martha Sassorossi, King County DCHS: @shaye - thanks, I only found the renewal detailed instructions. I'll look for the nav guide (though now it looks like all projects will be replacement...)