Update as of December 9, 2025: HUD has officially withdrawn the FY CoC Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO), as posted on hud.gov. The notice is displayed in the banner at the top of HUD's CoC page.

As a result, the Atlanta CoC is pausing the Local CoC Competition at this time. HUD's announcement indicates that the NOFO will be reissued at a later date with revisions, and we anticipate additional direction once those updates are released.

We understand that many of you were preparing applications, and we appreciate the work you have already undertaken. We encourage you to continue preparing your applications and to be prepared for expedited local competition timelines as the CoC responds to the modified NOFO from HUD. We will share next steps and additional information as soon as HUD provides further guidance.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out. Thank you for your continued partnership and patience.

Atlanta CoC Local Application Questions:

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1. Can an organization submit more than one application? I ask because we have two programs that seem to qualify, a Transitional Housing project and an SSO project.

A: Yes, an organization can submit more than one application if they have distinct, eligible programs under the CoC program (e.g., Transitional Housing and SSO).

2. For question 2 in the section labeled "Experience of Applicant, Subrecipient, and Other Partners" in the local new project application, *"Describe your organization's (and subrecipient(s) if applicable) experience in leveraging Federal, State, local, and private sector funds. (Include experience with leveraging all federal, state, local and private sector funds. If your organization has no experience leveraging other funds, include the phrase 'No experience leveraging other federal, state, local, or private sector funds'. (Language from HUD Detailed Instructions) (2000 character max)."*

By "leverage," does the CoC mean using the funds to raise other funds? If not, can you clarify what the CoC means?

A: This question comes directly from the HUD application that will be submitted if a project is selected for inclusion in the CoC's Priority Listing.

Leveraging refers to additional resources, financial or non-financial, that support the organization's mission or its projects. These resources are not required, are not bound by match rules, and are not subject to the same strict documentation standards as matching funds.

Both the CoC and HUD want to understand the extent to which your organization has historically used federal, state, local, or private funding to secure these additional resources for your programs. You should describe any and all external funding streams, federal, state, local, philanthropic, corporate, healthcare, mainstream benefits, and in-kind services, that your agency has successfully used to support services like housing, behavioral health, outreach, case management, etc.