

## 2015 Local Application Scoring Criteria

Points for Rating and Ranking of Renewal Projects and Self Score Chart; Total points available = 100

	<b>Criterion</b>	<b>Points</b>
1	Primary Activity type – 16 Points maximum	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Housing (PH) = 16 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Transitional Housing = 8 Points <input type="checkbox"/> All other SSO = 0 Points
2	HUD Priorities = 8 Points maximum	<input type="checkbox"/> Provides PSH to 100% of chronically homeless households = 8 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Provides PSH and fills 100% of turnover with chronically homeless households = 6 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Provides PSH and has committed to fill 85% of turnover to chronically homeless= 4 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Provides Rapid Rehousing to families = 4 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Provides PSH and has committed to fill 50% of turnover to chronically homeless households = 2 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Does not provide Rapid Rehousing to families or PSH prioritized chronically homeless households = 0 Points
3	Using Housing First Approach = 6 Points maximum	Narrative up to 6 points as determined by application scorers.
4	Outcome Performance – 38 Points maximum	<b>See Sector Specific Benchmarks and Self Scoring Charts on the following pages.</b>
5	Spending = 12 Points maximum	<input type="checkbox"/> Had no unexpended funds in the last grant year = 12 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Had unexpended funds in the last grant year of greater than 5% of grant amount and is voluntarily reducing grant to expended amount = 12 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Had unexpended funds in the last grant year and has provided a reasonable explanation (as determined by application scorers) = up to 12 Points--Narratives with detailed explanation and strategies to reduce under-spending will be awarded more points.
6	HMIS: Data Completeness Report Card = 2 Points maximum	<input type="checkbox"/> Greater than or equal to 95% = 2 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Greater than or equal to 90% and below 95% = 1 Point <input type="checkbox"/> Below 90% = 0 Points
7	Leverage = 3 Points maximum	<input type="checkbox"/> Project leverages more than 150% of HUD budget = 3 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Project leverages 100%-150% of HUD budget = 1.5 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Project leverages 100% or less of HUD budget = 0 Points
8	Quality Assurance = 12 Points maximum	Narrative up to 12 points as determined by application scorers. This section now requires projects to submit their full audits.
9	Completeness = up to 3 Points maximum	Maximum points will be awarded if application is complete and all questions relevant to the project are answered.

Transitional Housing Specific Outcomes Measures; Total points available = 38

	<b>Measure</b>	<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
A	Obtains Permanent Housing	80%	<input type="checkbox"/> Meets or exceeds local benchmark* = 16 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 5 percentage points of the local benchmark = 12 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 10 percentage points of the local benchmark = 8 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is > 10 percentage points below the local benchmark = 0 Points
B	Of those adults entering with no income, % who obtain some income	30% of leavers and stayers	<input type="checkbox"/> Meets or exceeds f local benchmark = 9 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 10 percentage points of local benchmark = 6 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 15 percentage points of local benchmark= 3 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is > 15 percentage points below the local benchmark = 0 Points
C	Obtains or Maintains non-cash Mainstream Benefits	56% leavers and stayers	<input type="checkbox"/> Meets or exceeds HUD benchmark = 9 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 5 percentage points of HUD benchmark = 6 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 10 percentage points of HUD benchmark = 3 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is > 10 percentage points below the local benchmark = 0 Points
D	Exits to Homelessness	<20%	<input type="checkbox"/> Meets or exceeds local benchmark = 4 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 5% of local benchmark = 2 Points <input type="checkbox"/> Is within 10% of local benchmark = 1 Point <input type="checkbox"/> Is > 10% above local benchmark = 0 Points

\*having made a 10 percentage point improvement over the previous year is also considered to have met the local benchmark