

**Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention(HHAP) Round 2  
Program Provisions for Eligible Use**

Program allocations are eligible to be used to fund:

- Rapid rehousing, including rental subsidies and incentives to landlords, such as security deposits and holding fees;
- Operating subsidies in new and existing affordable or supportive housing units, emergency shelters, non-congregant shelters, interim or bridge housing, and navigation centers. Operating subsidies may include operating reserves;
- Street outreach to assist persons experiencing homelessness to access permanent housing and services;
- Services coordination, which may include access to workforce, education, and training programs, or other services needed to promote housing stability in supportive housing;
- Systems support for activities necessary to create regional partnerships and maintain a homeless services and housing delivery system, particularly for vulnerable populations including families and homeless youth;
- Delivery of permanent housing and innovative solutions, such as hotel and motel conversions
- Prevention and shelter diversion including crisis resolution, mediation and conflict resolution, creative problem solving, connection to mainstream resources, and light-touch financial assistance that directly results in a housing solution;
- New navigation centers and emergency shelters, with clients obtaining housing as the primary goal, based on demonstrated need in consideration of the following:
  - The number of available shelter beds in the city, county, or region served by a continuum of care;
  - The number of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness in the homeless point-in-time count;
  - Shelter vacancy rate in the summer and winter months;
  - Percentage of exits from emergency shelters to permanent housing solutions; and
  - A plan to connect residents to permanent housing.

Additional provisions include allocating:

- At least eight percent (8%) for services that meet the specific needs of homeless youth populations;
- Up to five percent (5%) for a strategic homelessness plan and/or for infrastructure development to support coordinated entry systems and Homeless Management Information Systems (HMIS); and
- Up to seven percent (7%) for administrative costs incurred by the city, county, or Continuum of Care(CoC) to administer its program allocation. This does not include staff costs or other costs directly related to implementing or carrying out activities funded by the program allocation.