State of Hawaii Department of Human Services Benefit, Employment and Support Services Division Homeless Programs Office

# **Request for Proposals**

# RFP No. HMS-224-21-03-HPO Housing First Program

December 18, 2020

**NOTE:** It is the Applicant's responsibility to access the Public Procurement Notices for Solicitations for Health and Human Services on the State Procurement Office website or to contact the RFP Contact Person identified in this RFP regarding any subsequently issued addenda for this RFP. The State shall not be responsible for an incomplete proposal submitted as a result of the Applicant's not knowing about issued addenda, including additionally requested information or attachments, regarding this RFP.

#### RFP-HMS-224-21-03-HPO

GOVERNOR



CATHY BETTS DIRECTOR

JOSEPH CAMPOS II DEPUTY DIRECTOR

STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES Office of the Director P. O. Box 339 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96809-0339

December 18, 2020

**MEMORANDUM:** 

#### ALL INTERESTED APPLICANTS

TO: FROM:

To CATHY BETTS DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: STATE HOUSING FIRST PROGRAM REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) HMS 224-21-03-HPO

The State of Hawaii, Department of Human Services (DHS), Benefit, Employment & Support Services Division (BESSD) is seeking proposals from qualified Provider agencies to provide Housing First services for the most vulnerable homeless population to obtain immediate access to permanent housing and support services based on Participant choice. One Provider per island will be selected under this Request for Proposal. RFP is valid for five (5) years, with annual contracts commencing, pending the availability of funds, on:

- Year 1 June 27, 2021 and expiring on June 26, 2022,
- Year 2 June 27, 2022 June 26, 2023,
- Year 3 June 27, 2023 June 26, 2024,
- Year 4 June 27, 2024 June 26, 2025, and
- Year 5 June 27, 2025 June 26, 2026.

Proposals shall be mailed, postmarked by the United States Postal Service on or before January 29, 2021. Hand delivered proposals shall be received not later than 4:30 p.m., Hawaii Standard Time (HST), on January 29, 2021, at the drop-off sites designated on the Proposal Mail-in and Delivery Information Sheet. Proposals postmarked or hand delivered after the submittal deadline shall be considered late and rejected. There are no exceptions to this requirement.

The BESSD Homeless Programs Office will conduct a mandatory RFP orientation. The mandatory RFP orientation will be on December 29, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., via Skype Meeting.

All prospective Applicants are required to participate in the RFP orientation.

Applicants shall email Mr. Harold Brackeen III at <u>hbrackeeniii@dhs.hawaii.gov</u> no later than December 23, 2020 to provide their agency name, telephone number, email address and persons attending the Orientation. Additional information and instructions will be provided once an email reservation is made by the Applicant.

The deadline for submission of written questions is 12:00 p.m., HST, on December 31, 2020. All written questions will receive a written response from the DHS on or about January 7, 2021.

Inquiries regarding this RFP should be directed to the RFP contact person, Mr. Harold Brackeen III, 1010 Richards Street, Suite 312, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, telephone: (808) 586-7072; fax: (808) 586-5239; e-mail: <u>hbrackeeniii@dhs.hawaii.gov</u>.

Thank you for your interest. The DHS looks forward to receiving and reviewing your proposals.

#### **PROPOSAL MAIL-IN AND DELIVERY INFORMATION SHEET**

#### PROPOSAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE: JANUARY 29, 2021, 4:30 P.M., HAWAII STANDARD TIME

#### THE APPLICANT IS <u>REQUIRED</u> TO SUBMIT:

#### ONE (1) ELECTRONIC COPY OF THE PROPOSAL IN PORTABLE DOCUMENT FORMAT (PDF)

#### AND

#### ONE (1) ORIGINAL AND ONE (1) PRINTED COPY OF THE PROPOSAL

#### THE COMPLETE PROPOSAL SUBMISSION SHALL CONSIST OF THE <u>ELECTRONIC</u> COPY OF THE PROPOSAL IN PORTABLE DOCUMENT FORMAT (PDF), A PRINTED <u>ORIGINAL</u>, AND A PRINTED <u>COPY</u> OF THE PROPOSAL RECEIVED WITHIN SPECIFIED TIMELINES.

A proposal for which either the electronic copy or the printed copy is not received within the established timelines shall be considered incomplete and <u>SHALL NOT BE ACCEPTED</u> for consideration. All submissions shall become the property of the DHS.

- An electronic copy in PDF shall be submitted by hand delivery and received by January 29, 2021, 4:30 P.M. HAWAII STANDARD TIME (HST). <u>NO</u> <u>EXCEPTIONS SHALL BE MADE</u>. HAND DELIVERY is considered the following: A. in person to the DHS office
  - B. by private mail (e.g. FEDEX or UPS)
  - C. by email

If submitted in person to the DHS office or by private mail, the electronic copy in PDF shall be on a UNIVERSAL SERIAL BUS (USB) FLASHDRIVE/THUMBDRIVE readable by a personal computer system (PCS). The USB shall be received at the drop-off address listed below.

If submitted by email, the electronic copy in PDF shall be sent to the following email address: **BESSDHomelessProgram@dhs.hawaii.gov** 

The Applicant bears the complete responsibility for the submission of the electronic copy of the proposal in PDF including assuring it's complete, correctly formatted, and timely submission. The Applicant assumes all risk that proposal submission may not be readable by the DHS.

- 2. A printed original and a printed copy of the complete proposal shall be submitted by hand delivery or mail delivery. HAND DELIVERY means:
  - A. dropped off in person to the DHS office
  - B. by private mail (e.g. FEDEX or UPS)

MAIL DELIVERY means through the United States Postal Service (USPS).

If submitted by hand delivery, the printed original and the printed copy shall be received by **January 29, 2021, 4:30 P.M. HAWAII STANDARD TIME (HST)** at the drop-off address listed below. <u>NO EXCEPTIONS SHALL BE MADE</u>.

If submitted by mail delivery, the printed original and the printed copy shall be **POSTMARKED BY THE USPS BY January 29, 2021** <u>AND RECEIVED BY</u> **February 8, 2021, 4:30 P.M. HAWAII STANDARD TIME (HST)** at the drop-off address listed below. <u>NO EXCEPTIONS SHALL BE MADE</u>.

All hand delivery (in person to the DHS office or by private mail) submissions and mail delivery (USPS) submissions shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope. A cover sheet shall be included in the envelope stating the RFP number, Provider's name, contents of the envelope, and number of pages of the contents. All hand delivery (by email) submissions shall include an email cover sheet stating the RFP number, Provider's name, contents of the submission, and number of pages of the submission.

#### **DROP-OFF ADDRESS:** (HAND AND MAIL DELIVERY)

Department of Human Services Benefit, Employment & Support Services Division Homeless Programs Office 1010 Richards Street, Suite 312 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

EMAIL ADDRESS: BESSDHomelessProgram@dhs.hawaii.gov

#### **<u>RFP CONTACT PERSON</u>**:

Mr. Harold Brackeen III Phone: (808) 586-7072 Email: <u>hbrackeeniii@dhs.hawaii.gov</u>

#### **BE ADVISED:**

- A. Hand delivery attempted after January 29, 2021, 4:30 p.m. Hawaii Standard Time (HST) shall <u>not</u> be accepted.
- B. Mail delivery received postmarked after January 29, 2021 or postmarked by January 29, 2021 but received after February 8, 2021, 4:30 p.m. Hawaii Standard Time (HST) shall <u>not</u> be accepted.

- C. Dated USPS shipping labels are <u>not</u> considered postmarked.
- D. Proposals sent by facsimile (fax) shall <u>not</u> be accepted.
- E. It is the Applicant's responsibility to access the Public Procurement Notices for Solicitations for Health and Human Services on the State Procurement Office website or to contact the RFP Contact Person identified in this RFP regarding any subsequently issued addenda for this RFP which may include a revision to the proposal submission deadline.

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# Section 1

# **Administrative Overview**

## Section 1 Administrative Overview

Applicants are encouraged to read each section of the RFP thoroughly. While sections such as the administrative overview may appear similar among RFPs, state purchasing agencies may add additional information as applicable. It is the responsibility of the Applicant to understand the requirements of *each* RFP.

#### **1.1 Procurement Timetable**

Note that the procurement timetable represents the State's best estimated schedule. If an activity on this schedule is delayed, the rest of the schedule will likely be shifted by the same number of days. Contract start dates may be subject to the issuance of a notice to proceed.

Activity	Scheduled Date
Public notice announcing Request for Proposals (RFP)	December 18, 2020
Distribution of RFP	December 18, 2020
RFP orientation session	December 29, 2020
Closing date for submission of written questions for written responses	December 31, 2020
State purchasing agency's response to Applicants' written questions	January 7, 2021
Discussions with Applicant prior to proposal submittal deadline (optional)	December 18-
	December 31, 2020
Proposal submittal deadline	January 29, 2021
Discussions with Applicant after proposal submittal deadline (optional)	As needed
Final revised proposals (optional)	As needed
Proposal evaluation period	January 29-
	February 10, 2021
Provider selection	February 12, 2021
Notice of statement of findings and decision	February 12, 2021
Contract start date	June 27, 2021

#### **1.2 Website Reference**

	Item	Website		
Procurement of Health and Human Services		http://spo.hawaii.gov/for-vendors/vendor-guide/methods-of- procurement/health-human-services/competitive-purchase- of-services-procurement-method/cost-principles-table-hrs- chapter-103f-2/		
2	RFP website	https://hands.ehawaii.gov/hands/opportunities		
3	Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) and Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR) for Purchases of Health and Human Services	http://spo.hawaii.gov Click on the "References" tab.		
4	General Conditions, AG- 103F13	https://spo.hawaii.gov/wp- content/uploads/2013/12/103F13.pdf		
5	Forms	http://spo.hawaii.gov Click on the "Forms" tab.		
6	Cost Principles	http://spo.hawaii.gov Search: Keywords "Cost Principles"		
7	Protest Forms/Procedures	http://spo.hawaii.gov/for-vendors/vendor-guide/protests-fo health-and-human-services/		
8	Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE)			
9	Hawaii Revised Statutes	http://capitol.hawaii.gov/hrscurrent		
10	Department of Taxation	http://tax.hawaii.gov		
11	Department of Labor and Industrial Relations http://labor.hawaii.gov			
12	Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Business Registration	http://cca.hawaii.gov click "Business Registration"		
13	Campaign Spending Commission	http://ags.hawaii.gov/campaign/		
14	Internal Revenue Service	http://www.irs.gov/		

(Please note: website addresses may change from time to time. If a State link is not active, try the State of Hawaii website at http://hawaii.gov)

#### **1.3** Authority

This RFP is issued under the provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) Chapter 103F and its administrative rules. All prospective Applicants are charged with presumptive knowledge of all requirements of the cited authorities. Submission of a valid executed proposal by any prospective Applicant shall constitute admission of such knowledge on the part of such prospective Applicant.

#### **1.4 RFP Organization**

This RFP is organized into five sections:

*Section 1, Administrative Overview*: Provides Applicants with an overview of the procurement process.

*Section 2, Service Specifications*: Provides Applicants with a general description of the tasks to be performed, delineates Provider responsibilities, and defines deliverables (as applicable).

*Section 3, Proposal Application Instructions:* Describes the required format and content for the proposal application.

*Section 4, Proposal Evaluation*: Describes how proposals will be evaluated by the state purchasing agency.

*Section 5, Attachments*: Provides Applicants with information and forms necessary to complete the application.

#### **1.5** Contracting Office

The contracting office is responsible for overseeing the contract(s) resulting from this RFP, including system operations, fiscal agent operations, and monitoring and assessing Provider performance. The contracting office is:

Department of Human Services Benefit, Employment and Support Services Division Homeless Programs Office 1010 Richards Street, Suite 312 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

#### **1.6 RFP Point-of-Contact**

From the release date of this RFP until the selection of the successful Provider(s), any inquiries and requests shall be directed to the sole point-of-contact identified below.

Mr. Harold Brackeen III Phone: (808) 586-7072 Email: <u>hbrackeeniii@dhs.hawaii.gov</u>

#### 1.7 Orientation

Eligibility to apply for this Housing First Program funding opportunity shall be contingent upon attendance at the HPO orientation. HPO shall verify participation of all prospective Applicants through the orientation sign-in sheet. Any Provider that submits a Housing First RFP application, that does not meet this condition will not be considered.

Prospective applicants shall participate in the orientation listed below:

2020	Time:	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	HST
onal information and		ns will be provided once	an email
N D		Meeting	Meeting onal information and instructions will be provided once

To attend the mandatory orientation Applicants shall email Mr. Harold Brackeen III at <u>hbrackeeniii@dhs.hawaii.gov</u> as soon as possible, but no less than three days before the orientation session, and provide their name, agency, telephone number, email address, and the number of people attending the orientation session.

Applicants are encouraged to submit written questions prior to any of the mandatory orientations. Impromptu questions will be permitted at the orientation and spontaneous answers provided at the state purchasing agency's discretion. Answers provided at the orientation are only intended as general direction and may not represent the State purchasing agency's position. Formal official responses will be provided in writing. To ensure a written response, any oral questions should be submitted in writing following the close of the orientation, but no later than the submittal deadline for written questions indicated in the subsection 1.8, Submission of Questions.

#### **1.8** Submission of Questions

Applicants may submit questions to the RFP point-of-contact identified in Section 1.6. Written questions should be received by the date and time specified in Section 1.1 Procurement Timetable. The purchasing agency will respond to written questions by way of an addendum to the RFP.

Deadline for submission of written questions:

 Date:
 December 31, 2020
 Time:
 12:00 p.m.
 HST

State agency responses to Applicant written questions will be provided by:

Date: January 7, 2021

#### **1.9** Submission of Proposals

A. **Forms/Formats -** Forms, with the exception of program specific requirements, may be found on the State Procurement Office website referred to in Section 1.2,

Website Reference. Refer to the Section 5, Proposal Application Checklist for the location of program specific forms.

- 1. **Proposal Application Identification (Form SPOH-200)**. Provides Applicant proposal identification (see Attachment A).
- 2. **Proposal Application Checklist**. The checklist provides Applicants specific program requirements, reference and location of required RFP proposal forms, and the order in which all proposal components should be collated and submitted to the state purchasing agency (see Attachment B).
- 3. **Table of Contents.** A sample table of contents for proposals is located in Section 5, Attachments. This is a sample and meant as a guide. The table of contents may vary depending on the RFP (see Attachment C).
- 4. **Proposal Application (Form SPOH-200A)**. Applicant shall submit comprehensive narratives that address all proposal requirements specified in Section 3, Proposal Application Instructions (see Attachment D), including a cost proposal and budget forms (see Attachment E).
- B. **Program Specific Requirements**. Program specific requirements are included in Sections 2 and 3, as applicable. Required federal and state certifications are listed on the Proposal Application Checklist in Section 5.
- C. **Multiple or Alternate Proposals**. Multiple proposals shall be accepted but alternate proposals shall not be accepted (see Service Specifications, Section 2 of this RFP).
- D. **Provider Compliance**. All Providers shall comply with all laws governing entities doing business in the State.
  - 1. **Tax Clearance**. Pursuant to HRS §103-53, as a prerequisite to entering into contracts of \$25,000 or more, Providers are required to have a tax clearance from the Hawaii State Department of Taxation (DOTAX) <u>and</u> the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for DOTAX and IRS website address.
  - 2. Labor Law Compliance. Pursuant to HRS §103-55, Providers shall be in compliance with all applicable laws of the federal and state governments relating to workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, payment of wages, and safety. Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DLIR) website address.
  - 3. **Business Registration.** Prior to contracting, owners of all forms of business doing business in the state except sole proprietorships, charitable organizations, unincorporated associations and foreign insurance companies shall be registered and in good standing with the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA), Business Registration Division. Foreign insurance companies must register with DCCA, Insurance Division. More

information is on the DCCA website. Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for DCCA website address.

Providers may register with Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE) for online compliance verification from the DOTAX, IRS, DLIR, and DCCA. There is a nominal annual registration fee (currently \$12) for the service. The HCE's online "Certificate of Vendor Compliance" provides the registered Provider's current compliance status as of the issuance date, and is accepted for both contracting and final payment purposes. Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference, for HCE's website address.

Providers not utilizing the HCE to demonstrate compliance shall provide paper certificates to the purchasing agency. All applications for applicable clearances are the responsibility of the Providers. All certificates must be valid on the date it is received by the purchasing agency. The tax clearance certificate shall have an original green certified copy stamp and shall be valid for six months from the most recent approval stamp date on the certificate. The DLIR certificate is valid for six months from the date of issue. The DCCA certificate of good standing is valid for six months from date of issue.

- E. **Wages Law Compliance**. If applicable, by submitting a proposal, the Applicant certifies that the Applicant is in compliance with HRS §103-55, Wages, hours, and working conditions of employees of contractors performing services. Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for statutes and DLIR website address.
- F. **Campaign Contributions by State and County Contractors**. HRS §11-355 prohibits campaign contributions from certain State or county government contractors during the term of the contract if the contractors are paid with funds appropriated by a legislative body. Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for statutes and Campaign Spending Commission website address.
- G. **Confidential Information**. If an Applicant believes any portion of a proposal contains information that should be withheld as confidential, the Applicant shall request in writing nondisclosure of designated proprietary data to be confidential and provide justification to support confidentiality. Such data shall accompany the proposal, be clearly marked, and shall be readily separable from the proposal to facilitate eventual public inspection of the non-confidential sections of the proposal.

#### Note that price is not considered confidential and will not be withheld.

#### H. Proposal Submittal.

FOR PROPOSAL SUBMISSION INFORMATION REGARDING THIS RFP PLEASE REFER TO PROPOSAL MAIL-IN AND DELIVERY INFORMATION SHEET AT THE BEGINNING OF THIS RFP.

#### **1.10** Discussions with Applicants

A. **Prior to Submittal Deadline.** Discussions may be conducted with potential Applicants to promote understanding of the purchasing agency's requirements.

B. After Proposal Submittal Deadline. Discussions may be conducted with Applicants whose proposals are determined to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award, but proposals may be accepted without discussions, in accordance with HAR §3-143-403.

#### **1.11 Opening of Proposals**

Upon the state purchasing agency's receipt of a proposal at a designated location, proposals, modifications to proposals, and withdrawals of proposals shall be date-stamped, and when possible, time-stamped. All documents so received shall be held in a secure place by the state purchasing agency and not examined for evaluation purposes until the submittal deadline.

Procurement files shall be open to public inspection after a contract has been awarded and executed by all parties.

#### 1.12 Additional Materials and Documentation

Upon request from the state purchasing agency, each Applicant shall submit additional materials and documentation reasonably required by the state purchasing agency in its evaluation of the proposals.

#### 1.13 **RFP** Amendments

The State reserves the right to amend this RFP at any time prior to the closing date for final revised proposals.

#### **1.14 Final Revised Proposals**

If requested, final revised proposals shall be submitted in the manner and by the date and time specified by the state purchasing agency. If a final revised proposal is not submitted, the previous submittal shall be construed as the Applicant's final revised proposal. *The Applicant shall submit only the section(s) of the proposal that are amended, along with the Proposal Application Identification Form (SPOH-200).* After final revised proposals are received, final evaluations will be conducted for an award.

#### 1.15 Cancellation of Request for Proposal

The RFP may be canceled and any or all proposals may be rejected in whole or in part, when it is determined to be in the best interest of the State.

#### 1.16 Costs for Proposal Preparation

Any costs incurred by Applicants in preparing or submitting a proposal are the Applicants' sole responsibility.

#### 1.17 Provider Participation in Planning

Provider(s), awarded a contract resulting from this RFP,
are required
are not required
to participate in the purchasing agency's future development of a service delivery plan pursuant to HRS §103F-203.

Provider participation in a state purchasing agency's efforts to plan for or to purchase health and human services prior to the release of a RFP, including the sharing of information on community needs, best practices, and Providers' resources, shall not disqualify Providers from submitting proposals, if conducted in accordance with HAR §§3-142-202 and 3-142-203.

#### **1.18 Rejection of Proposals**

The State reserves the right to consider as acceptable only those proposals submitted in accordance with all requirements set forth in this RFP and which demonstrate an understanding of the problems involved and comply with the service specifications. Any proposal offering any other set of terms and conditions contradictory to those included in this RFP may be rejected without further notice.

A proposal may be automatically rejected for any one or more of the following reasons:

- A. Rejection for failure to cooperate or deal in good faith. (HAR §3-141-201)
- B. Rejection for inadequate accounting system. (HAR §3-141-202)
- C. Late proposals (HAR §3-143-603)
- D. Inadequate response to request for proposals (HAR §3-143-609)
- E. Proposal not responsive (HAR §3-143-610(a)(1))
- F. Applicant not responsible (HAR §3-143-610(a)(2))

#### **1.19** Notice of Award

A statement of findings and decision shall be provided to each responsive and responsible Applicant by mail upon completion of the evaluation of competitive purchase of service proposals.

Any agreement arising out of this solicitation is subject to the approval of the Department of the Attorney General as to form, and to all further approvals, including the approval of the Governor, required by statute, regulation, rule, order or other directive.

No work is to be undertaken by the Provider(s) awarded a contract prior to the contract commencement date unless otherwise agreed between the State and the Provider (i.e. via a Notice to Proceed). The State of Hawaii is not liable for any costs incurred prior to the official starting date.

#### 1.20 Protests

Pursuant to HRS §103F-501 and HAR Chapter 148, an Applicant aggrieved by an award of a contract may file a protest. The Notice of Protest form, SPOH-801, and related forms are available on the SPO website. Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for website address. Only the following matters may be protested:

- A. A state purchasing agency's failure to follow procedures established by Chapter 103F of the Hawaii Revised Statutes;
- B. A state purchasing agency's failure to follow any rule established by Chapter 103F of the Hawaii Revised Statutes; and
- C. A state purchasing agency's failure to follow any procedure, requirement, or evaluation criterion in a request for proposals issued by the state purchasing agency.

The Notice of Protest shall be postmarked by USPS or hand delivered to 1) the head of the state purchasing agency conducting the protested procurement and 2) the procurement officer who is conducting the procurement (as indicated below) within five working days of the postmark of the Notice of Findings and Decision sent to the protestor. Delivery services other than USPS shall be considered hand deliveries and considered submitted on the date of actual receipt by the state purchasing agency.

Head of State Purchasing Agency and Procurement Officer			
Director of the Department of Human Services			
Mailing Address: 1390 Miller Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813			
Business Address: 1390 Miller Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813			

#### **1.21** Availability of Funds

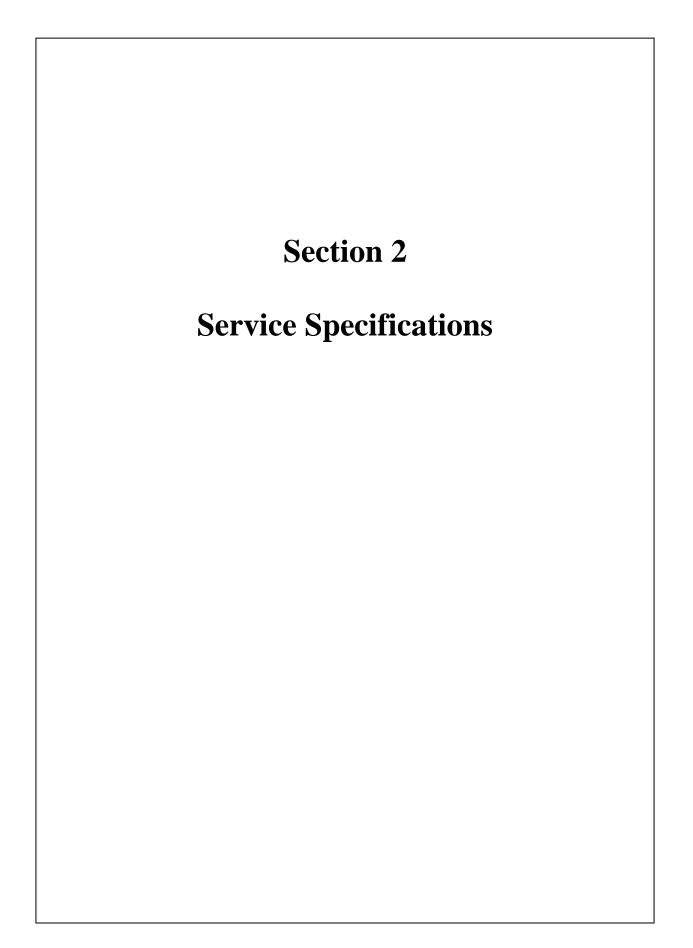
The award of a contract and any allowed renewal or extension thereof, is subject to allotments made by the Director of Finance, State of Hawaii, pursuant to HRS Chapter 37, and subject to the availability of State and/or Federal funds.

#### 1.22 General and Special Conditions of Contract

The general conditions that will be imposed contractually are on the SPO website. Special conditions may also be imposed contractually by the state purchasing agency, as deemed necessary (see Attachment F).

#### 1.23 Cost Principles

To promote uniform purchasing practices among state purchasing agencies procuring health and human services under HRS Chapter 103F, state purchasing agencies will utilize standard cost principles as outlined on the SPO website. Refer to Section 1.2 Website Reference for website address. Nothing in this section shall be construed to create an exemption from any cost principle arising under federal law (see Attachment G).



#### 2.1 Definitions

"Administrative Costs" means costs for general management, oversight, coordination, evaluation and reporting on contracted services. Such costs do not include costs directly related to carrying out contracted services, since those costs are eligible as Operating Costs (see below).

"Applicant" means an eligible profit or non-profit organization submitting proposal application(s) to receive funds from any of the State Homeless Programs.

"Bridge Housing" means transitional shelters used as a short-term stay, generally for up to 90 days, when an individual or Family has been offered and accepted a permanent housing intervention (e.g., section 8 voucher, permanent supportive housing voucher, rent to work voucher) but, is not able to immediately enter the permanent housing.

"Bridging the Gap" and "BTG" are used interchangeably. Bridging the Gap is the official name for Hawaii's Continuum of Care for the neighbor islands. For a detailed definition for Continuum of Care, see "Continuum of Care" below. This regional planning body coordinates housing and services funding for Homeless Families and individuals for the Counties of Kauai, Hawaii and Maui.

"Chronically Homeless" means an individual or Family that: 1) is Homeless and lives or resides in a place not meant for human habitation, a safe haven, or in an emergency shelter; and 2) has been Homeless and living or residing in a place not meant for human habitation, a safe haven, or in an emergency shelter continuously for at least one year or on at least four separate occasions [defined in the next paragraph below] in the last 3 years where those occasions cumulatively total at least 12 months; and 3) has an adult head of Household (or a minor head of Household if no adult is present in the Household) with a diagnosable substance abuse disorder, serious mental illness, developmental disability (as defined by HUD regulations), post-traumatic stress disorder, cognitive impairments resulting from a brain injury, or chronic physical illness or disability, including the co-occurrence of two or more of those conditions; the disability is expected to be long-continuing or of indefinite duration and substantially impedes the individual's ability to live independently.

Each occasion of homelessness needs to be fully documented in writing. Breaks in homelessness can be documented by self-report for each Project: 100% of Households served can use self-certification for 3 months of their 12 months; 75% of Households served need to use 3rd party documentation for 9 months of their 12 months; and 50% of Households served can use self-certification as documentation for any and all months.

"Client costs" means costs directly benefiting a Participant, provided directly to the Participant or paid on behalf of the Participants. Examples include but are not limited to subsidies, deposits or rental assistance paid to a landlord/managing agent, payment of utility deposits or arrears or purchase of goods or supplies which the Participant receives directly.

"Continuum of Care" and "CoC" are used interchangeably in this document and mean the planning bodies required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to carry out the responsibilities defined under 24 CFR Part 578 (Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing: Continuum of Care Program). A CoC is a group composed of representatives of organizations, including nonprofit Homeless Providers, victim service providers, faith-based organizations, governments, businesses, advocates, public housing agencies, school districts, social service providers, mental health agencies, hospitals, universities, affordable housing developers, law enforcement, organizations that serve Homeless and formerly Homeless veterans, and Homeless and formerly Homeless persons to the extent these groups are represented within the geographic area and are available to participate. A CoC is responsible for coordinating funding, policies, strategies and activities toward ending Homelessness in a designated geographic region, including but not limited to plans and oversight for use of HUD CoC funding.

"Coordinated entry system" (CES) is a fair, immediate, low barrier, person-centered process that helps communities prioritize housing assistance based on vulnerability and severity of service needs to ensure that people who need assistance the most can receive it in a timely manner. Coordinated entry processes provide information about service needs and gaps to help communities plan their assistance and identify needed resources. All coordinated entry locations and methods (phone, in-person, online, etc.) offer the same assessment approach and referrals using uniform decision making processes.

"Diversion" means a strategy that prevents homelessness for people seeking shelter by helping them identify immediate alternate housing arrangements and, if necessary, connecting them with services and financial assistance to help them return to permanent housing.

"Family" means:

- 1. Two or more persons who live or intend to live together as a unit, one of whom is a minor, under 18 years of age, related by blood, marriage, or operation of law, including foster children and hanai children; or
- 2. A person who is pregnant or in the process of securing legal custody of a minor child or children.

"Homeless" means:

A. An individual or Family who lacks a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence, meaning: (i) An individual or Family with a primary nighttime residence

that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, including a car, park, abandoned building, bus or train station, airport, or camping ground; (ii) An individual or Family living in a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter designated to provide temporary living arrangements (including congregate shelters, transitional housing, and hotels and motels paid for by charitable organizations or by federal, state, or local government programs for low income individuals); or (iii) An individual who is exiting an institution where he or she resided for 90 days or less and who resided in an emergency shelter or place not meant for human habitation immediately before entering that institution;

- B. An individual or Family who will imminently lose their primary nighttime residence, provided that: (i) The primary nighttime residence will be lost within 14 days of the date of application for Homeless assistance; (ii) No subsequent residence has been identified; and (iii) The individual or Family lacks the resources or support networks, e.g., Family, friends, faith-based or other social networks, needed to obtain other permanent housing;
- C. Any individual or Family who: (i) Is fleeing, or is attempting to flee, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or other dangerous or life-threatening conditions that relate to violence against the individual or a Family member, including a child, that has either taken place within the individual's or Family's primary nighttime residence or has made the individual or Family afraid to return to their primary nighttime residence; (ii) Has no other residence; and (iii) Lacks the resources or support networks, e.g., Family, friends, and faith-based or other social networks, to obtain other permanent housing.

"Homeless Management Information System" and "HMIS" are used interchangeably in this document and mean the information system designated by the Continuum of Care to comply with the HMIS requirements prescribed by HUD.

"Household" means all the people who live or intend to live together as a unit. A Household can include related Family members and other unrelated people, if any, such as lodgers, foster children, wards, or employees who live together as a unit. A person lives alone in a unit, or a group of unrelated people sharing a unit such as partners or roomers, are also counted as a Household.

"Housing First" and "HF" are used interchangeably. Housing First means the definition given in Section 2.4 of this RFP. Proposals submitted must follow this format and instructions.

"Imminent Risk of Homelessness" means an individual or Family who will imminently lose (within 14 days) their primary nighttime residence provided that no subsequent residence has been identified and the individual or Family lacks the resources or support networks needed to obtain other permanent housing. "Interim Housing" refers to a short-term housing arrangement offered to a Participant that is waiting to move into a housing unit of their choice. The Participant may have obtained all of the documents necessary to enter into a rental lease, but a permanent unit may not be readily accessible. Interim housing achieves the goal of immediately exiting an individual from Homelessness, providing safe temporary housing, during which time the HPP and HF will work to determine the Participant's housing preferences that will guide the search for safe and affordable housing units including meeting landlords, signing leases, and setting up Households. It is anticipated this process will take approximately two weeks.

"Move On Strategy" is defined as how Providers move current program Participants, who no longer require intensive services, from HPO Program funded-HF beds to other housing assistance programs including but not limited to Housing Choice Vouchers and Public Housing, in order to free up HPO Program funded-HF beds to be used for persons experiencing homelessness.

"Occasions" (under chronically Homeless definition, see Section 2.1G) are defined by a break of at least seven nights not residing in an emergency shelter, safe haven, or residing in a place meant for human habitation (e.g., with a friend or Family). Stays of fewer than seven nights residing in a place meant for human habitation, or not in an emergency shelter or safe haven do not constitute a break and count toward total time Homeless. Stays in institutions of fewer than 90 days where they were residing in a place not meant for human habitation, in an emergency shelter, or in a safe haven immediately prior to entering the institution, do not constitute as a break and the time in the institution counts towards the total time Homeless. Where a stay in an institution is 90 days or longer, the entire time is counted as a break and none of the time in the institution can count towards a person's total time Homeless.

"Operating costs" means non-personnel costs directly related to the operation and to the provision of contracted services.

"Participant" means a person who receives Homeless services and is enrolled into the Homeless program based on specific eligibility criteria defined in this RFP, under Section 2.2, D, Description of Target Population to be Served.

"Partners In Care" or "PIC" is used interchangeably and is the official name for Hawaii's Continuum of Care on Oahu. For a detailed definition for Continuum of Care, see "Continuum of Care" above. This regional planning body coordinates housing and services funding for Homeless Families and individuals for the City and County of Honolulu.

"Permanent Housing" means that there is no time limit on how long you can reside in the housing or receive the housing assistance. It is meant to be long-term. Permanent housing includes but not limited to the following: rental or ownership of a home with or without ongoing housing subsidy, staying with family or friends on a permanent tenure, long-term nursing home or care facility, and permanent supportive housing projects for formerly homeless persons.

"Personnel costs" means costs incurred for operations and social services personnel in the provision of contracted services and include salaries and wages, payroll taxes and fringe benefits.

"Prevention" means housing relocation and stabilization services and short-and/or medium-term rental assistance as necessary to prevent individual or family from moving to an emergency shelter, a place not meant for human habitation, or another place described in the Homeless definition.

"Project" refers to the Project being proposed by the Applicant under any of the State Homeless Programs.

"Proposal Application Form" means the format and instructions given as Section 3 of this RFP. Proposals submitted must follow this format and instructions.

"Provider" and "Contractor" are used interchangeably in this document and means an eligible profit or non-profit organization that is selected by the HPO to receive funds and provide services under any of the State Homeless Programs.

"Social capital" means a positive network of social connections and resources available to individuals and families. These connections and resources can have a positive impact to break the cycle of inter-generational poverty, ultimately supporting and securing permanent housing.

"Social services" include but are not limited to case management, job training, housing search assistance, housing placement, assistance in obtaining mainstream entitlement benefits, counseling and referrals, education, life skills training, child care, transportation or substance abuse counseling which may be provided directly by the Applicant or by arrangement with other public or private service providers. Social services shall be offered in the context of a harm reduction model of intervention.

"SPDAT" refers to the Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool which is an evidence-informed approach to assessing an individual's or family's needs. The SPDAT identify the areas in the person/family's life where support is most likely necessary in order to avoid housing instability.

"TANF eligible Family" includes single parent Families with minor children that pass the federal income and asset TANF eligible test.

"Temporary Housing" means that the housing situation is intended to be short term or temporary. Temporary housing includes but not limited to emergency and transitional shelter, foster care home, temporary group home, hospital and other medical or psychiatric facility, hotel, motel, halfway house, living with family or friends temporarily, safe haven, and substance abuse treatment or detox center. Jails, prisons, juvenile detention facilities, and places not meant for human habitation are excluded. "Unaccompanied young adult" Is a person between the ages of 18 and 24 who is not accompanied by their parent or guardian. This includes two or more youth age 18-24 who are residing together as a Family without children.

"VI-SPDAT" refers to the Vulnerability Index- Service Prioritization and Decision Assistance Tool which is a pre-screening, or triage tool, that is designed to be used by all providers within a community to quickly assess the needs of homeless persons and match them with the most appropriate support and housing interventions that are available. The VI-SPDAT has been adopted by the Hawaii Balance of State Continuum of Care called Bridging the Gap and the Oahu Continuum of Care called Partners in Care as the prescreening/triage tool.

"Vulnerability" means that the person may be at higher risk due to age (60 or above), frequent use of emergency/hospital services, being a frequent victim of assault, significant health or behavioral health challenges, substance use disorders, or functional impairments which require a significant level of support in order to maintain permanent housing. Vulnerability can, but does not necessarily include all of the factors listed.

"Young adult dependent" Is a person between the ages of 18 and 24 who is with their parent or guardian.

"Young People" means minor children, young adult dependents, and/or unaccompanied young adults (all three referred to as Young People).

#### 2.2 Introduction

#### A. Overview, purpose or need

The Chronically homeless population is a high priority sub-population of the total homeless, not only in Hawaii, but across the nation. HF is both a program philosophy and an evidence-based housing and service intervention. HF is the primary tool to end Homelessness that has been successful in communities nationwide. Evidence in Hawaii suggests that those individuals who meet the criteria of Chronically Homeless are highly vulnerable due to disabling condition(s), chronicity (length of Homelessness), and other factors such as age, chronic disease, or acute medical needs.

Programs funded under this opportunity shall use the HF approach to service delivery. The goals are to help Chronically Homeless Households access permanent housing as rapidly as possible by removing barriers to program entry, assisting with quickly locating and accessing housing options, providing case management services, supporting post housing to promote stability, and helping to prevent evictions and returns to Homelessness. The proposed State HF Program is designed to end Homelessness by providing housing and support services to the Chronically Homeless, assist Participants in making application for mainstream benefit programs, and to provide sustainable and stable housing for Participants.

Pre-conditions to program entry such as sobriety and completion of treatment programs are not consistent with the HF model. In this HF program, the expectations are that Households will assume the full rights and responsibilities of tenancy and meet standard lease obligations. Staff will use assertive engagement strategies to teach tenancy skills, assist Households in achieving housing goals, connect Households with income through employment and benefits, make connections to community services and stabilization supports, and help prevent eviction and returns to Homelessness.

#### B. Planning activities conducted in preparation for this RFP

Planning activities conducted in preparation for this RFP include a Request for Information (RFI) and evaluation of current services provided. The RFI was posted on November 18, 2020 on the SPO web site requesting written information and recommendations to improve the previous RFP for the Housing First Program. The deadline for written responses to the RFI was due to HPO on November 30, 2020. Planning information may be obtained from Mr. Harold Brackeen III, RFP contact person, by email at **hbrackeeniii@dhs.hawaii.gov**.

#### C. Description of the service goals

The HF program for the Chronically Homeless will support individuals' stability and recovery, and be consistent with the principles of consumer choice. The HF program will be administered through contracts with qualified private Provider agencies. DHS expects that in order for the HF program to be most effective, collaborations between various Providers will need to be developed and executed. Applicants are strongly encouraged to collaborate with other Providers to implement the HF services offered in this procurement. The goal of the program is to provide services that will enable Chronically Homeless individuals currently living in unsheltered, safe haven or emergency shelter situations to move into sustainable, permanent housing with necessary support services to maintain housing and prevent recidivism back to Homelessness. The immediate focus will be on helping the Chronically Homeless achieve housing stability. Participants served through the HF program must also be assisted with application for mainstream benefits such as Medicaid, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), and Social Security Benefits as deemed eligible.

Another goal of the HF program is to fully integrate into a Coordinated Entry System (CES) of the applicable CoC. To that end, the Provider will administer the CoC's designated triage tool, the VI-SPDAT, on each Homeless individual encountered. Pursuant to the CES process, the VI-SPDAT will be scored and the Homeless individual will be referred to an appropriate level of service. Based on an approved CES rating system, the highest acuity score will be recommended for HF level of care. The Provider will actively participate in case conferencing and engage eligible individuals and families in services. The Provider is also expected to receive referrals from a multitude of sources, including but not limited to the Department of Health, Hawaii Pathways Project staff, and other members of the CoC.

#### D. Description of the target population to be served

The target population to be served by this HF program is the most vulnerable, Chronically Homeless living on Oahu, Hawaii, Kauai and Maui. The documentation of chronicity will be accomplished to the extent possible, via the HMIS, while the "level of care" determination will be established utilizing the VI-SPDAT tool as detailed above.

#### E. Geographic coverage of service

The Provider shall be responsible for providing the full range of services throughout the contracted area. Services shall be provided to the geographic areas listed below:

- 1. Hawaii: One (1) contracted Provider
- 2. Kauai: One (1) contracted Provider
- 3. Maui: One (1) contracted Provider

#### 4. Oahu: One (1) contracted Provider

The Provider may propose to service one or more of the areas listed. The Provider shall submit separate and detailed program information for each geographic area that the Provider proposes to service. When determining geographic service areas, the Provider must consider factors such as the area's population and needs, the proposed program's capacity, available community services and resources, and the Provider's ability to collaborate in the area. A separate budget is required to be submitted for each proposed geographic area. Multiple contracts may be awarded to one Provider in different geographic areas.

#### F. Probable funding amounts, source, and period of availability

The contracts shall be awarded for an initial term of one year, starting June 27, 2021, with the possibility of four (4), one (1) year extensions thereafter, subject to the availability of State funds and subject to the satisfactory performance of services by the Provider as determined by the HPO. The maximum contract term shall not exceed five (5) years, June 27, 2021 through June 26, 2026.

Geographic Areas	SFY 2021
Hawaii	\$825,000
Kauai	\$287,500
Maui	\$637,500
Oahu	\$2,000,000
Total	\$3,750,000

Funding is anticipated to be \$3,750,000 total per year, allocated as follows:

Funding increases and decreases shall also be subject to the availability of funds, service needs, including but not limited to changes in the geographic location's needs, utilization increases/decreases, or scope of service changes, and the Provider's satisfactory performance as determined by the HPO.

If additional funds become available, HPO may or may not negotiate directly with a single Applicant. The negotiation will be based on past performance, as it relates to contract compliance and attainment of outcome objectives, such as Participants transitioning to permanent housing, Participants attaining increased monthly income, and other performance outcomes as identified by HPO. Additionally, negotiation will be based on increased demand for and utilization of services to the Homeless and/or increased capacity to meet the demand such as additional units added to the applicant's inventory.

#### G. Revisions and/or Amendments

HPO reserves the right to revise and amend any forms, pricing structures, or schedules in the RFP including, but not limited to: the Homeless

Verification Letter; SPDAT; Housing Plan including Discharge Plan; Performance Measures and Outcomes and all related documents; and Work Plan.

#### H. Homeless Verification Letter

Homeless verification letters (HVL) shall only be accepted on the approved form from HPO State-funded outreach providers and subcontracted agencies, and homeless shelters (see Attachment H).

The Provider shall verify homelessness utilizing the following procedures:

- 1. The Provider shall check and confirm if the individual or Family is identified as currently enrolled in the HMIS.
- 2. For unsheltered homeless, the Provider shall contact the Outreach Program provider(s) and/or shall verify and maintain adequate written documentation of the Participant's homeless eligibility.
- 3. For sheltered homeless, the Provider shall contact the Shelter Program Provider(s) and shall obtain and maintain adequate written documentation of the Participant's homeless eligibility.
- 4. Provider shall, in limited circumstances, accept an affidavit or selfcertification from the Participant or certification by Shelter Program staff based on professional judgment and to the best of their knowledge of the circumstances being self-certified are true and accurate. Self-certification should be limited to rare and extreme cases and shall not be used for more than five percent (5%) of the individual or Families served by a program during an operating year.

#### 2.3 Contract Monitoring and Evaluation

The criteria by which the performance of the contract will be monitored and evaluated are:

- A. Performance Measures and Outcomes
- B. Input and Output Measures
- C. Quality of Care/Quality of Services
- D. Financial Management
- E. Administrative Requirements

#### 2.4 General Requirements

A. Specific qualifications or requirements, including but not limited to licensure or accreditation

The Provider shall be responsible for complying with the following requirements. The Provider shall also be responsible for complying with the General Conditions which include further requirements of this RFP (see Attachment F).

- 1. The Provider shall provide services in concurrence with Hawaii Revised Statute (HRS) Chapters 346; Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR); and DHS policies and procedures.
- 2. The Provider shall be a profit organization incorporated under the laws of the State **or** nonprofit organization determined by the Internal Revenue Service to be exempt from federal income tax and with a governing board whose members have no material conflict of interest and serve without compensation and with bylaws or policies that describe the manner in which business is conducted and policies that relate to nepotism and management of potential conflict of interest situations;
- 3. The Provider shall have a minimum of one (1) year verifiable service history within the most recent three (3) years of experience with a similar Project or financial and permanent housing placement assistance for which the proposal is being made. Exceptions may be granted by the Director of DHS where an agency has not demonstrated the necessary experience or expertise in the financial and permanent housing assistance area;
- 4. The Provider shall have addressed any instances of non-compliance found in past audit and monitoring reports conducted for the HPO to the satisfaction of DHS;
- 5. The Provider shall have no outstanding balances owing to DHS. Exceptions may be granted by the Director of DHS for debts recently acquired and for debts which have a repayment plan approved by the Director of DHS;
- 6. The Provider shall be in good standing with the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, the State Department of Taxation, and Internal Revenue Service; and
- 7. The Provider shall have a functioning accounting system that is operated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, or have a designated entity that will maintain a functioning accounting system for the organization in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.
- 8. The Provider shall comply with the Chapter 103F, HRS, Cost principles for Purchases of Health and Human Services identified in SPO-H-201 (Effective 10/1/98, as amended), which can be found on the SPO website: <u>http://Hawaii.gov/spo/</u> (see Attachment G).
- 9. The Provider shall refund to the State any funds unexpended or expended inappropriately.

#### B. Secondary purchaser participation

(Refer to HAR §3-143-608)

After-the-fact secondary purchases shall be allowed.

Planned secondary purchases shall not be allowed.

#### C. **Multiple or alternate proposals** (Refer to HAR §3-143-605)

Multiple proposals shall be allowed.

Alternate proposals shall not be allowed.

# D. Single or multiple contracts to be awarded (Refer to HAR §3-143-206)

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The highest scoring Applicants may be awarded multiple contracts. Multiple contracts may be awarded to one Applicant for any combination of geographic areas specified above if the DHS determines that it will be more advantageous in terms of cost effectiveness (output and outcomes per funding).

Per HAR §3-143-611, the DHS may partially reject any proposal or combination of proposals and request a proposal modification to be done that is in the best interest of the State.

# E. **Single or multi-term contracts to be awarded** (Refer to HAR §3-149-302)

Single term (2 years or less)

Multi-term (more than 2 years)

Contract terms:

Initial contract term: One year, June 27, 2021 through June 26, 2022.

The initial term shall commence on the contract start date or the first day of the following month from the contract execution date, whichever is later.

Number of possible extensions: Four (4) extensions

Length of extensions: One (1) year

Maximum contract term: Five (5) years, June 27, 2021 through June 26, 2026

Conditions for extension, including but not limited to:

- 1. Ongoing need for the service as determined by the HPO.
- 2. Availability of funding.
- 3. Satisfactory performance as determined by the HPO.
- 4. Satisfactory compliance with the terms and conditions of the contract as determined by the HPO.

5. Must be in writing, shall allow 30 calendar days for consideration and approval by HPO, and shall be executed prior to the contract expiration date.

#### F. Subcontracting

(Refer to Section 3.2 General Conditions, Section 5 of this RFP) Subcontracting shall be allowed with prior written approval from the DHS.

If approved, the Provider shall be responsible for monitoring the performance of any subcontractor and ensuring that all contract terms and conditions are satisfactorily fulfilled.

#### 2.5 Scope of Work

#### A. General Service Activities

#### 1. Housing First approach

Services shall be provided in a manner that is consistent with the HF approach as described below.

#### 2. Low barrier to entry and ongoing program participation

Offer individuals and Families immediate access to outreach, shelter, permanent housing, and support services as appropriate without unnecessary prerequisites. This includes:

- a. Admission practices that are welcoming and low barrier and do not require abstinence from substances, completion of or compliance with treatment, or participation in services.
- b. Not rejecting program applicants on the basis of credit, rental history, criminal history, or other factors that might indicate a lack of "housing readiness." Provider shall consider criminal history and other factors on a case-by-case basis as necessary to ensure the safety of Participants and staff.

Offer individual and Families experiencing Homelessness ongoing access to services until they secure permanent housing. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Not establishing arbitrary time limits on length of program participation.
- b. Providing a brief list of expectations which are necessary to ensure Participant and staff health and safety, allowing Participants who may be under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol to remain in the program as

long as their behavior does not present a health or safety threat, and not removing Participants for non-participation in services.

- c. Assessing Participants' openness to and supporting behavioral change to assist them in meeting program health and safety expectations.
- d. Removing Participants from a program(s) only for as long as necessary to ensure their health and safety and connecting them to appropriate services and resources.
- e. Understanding that Housing First is not "housing only" or "anything goes." Program enrollment may be contingent on meeting lease and behavioral expectations.
- f. Ensuring that an independent appeals process is in place and Participants are notified of the process verbally and in writing to allow Participants to contest involuntary temporary removal or discharge from a program.

#### 3. Housing access and retention

Provider shall provide services focused on helping individuals and Families to access permanent housing as rapidly as possible and preventing returns to Homelessness. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Focusing on rapid development of a housing plan to assist with quickly locating and accessing housing, obtaining necessary documents, accessing income and benefits, and connecting to community services and supports to promote stability and prevent returns to Homelessness.
- b. Focusing on securing permanent housing for Participants who have been Homeless the longest and have the most intensive service needs.
- c. Providing services and supports to help Participants to understand and comply with lease obligations, reduce risks to stable tenancy, and prevent eviction.
- d. Ensuring that permanent housing leases do not include stipulations beyond those that are customary, legal, and enforceable under local and State housing law.
- e. Continuing to serve and re-house individuals and Families who have lost their housing and helping them to overcome barriers to stable tenancy.

#### 4. Community integration and recovery

Provider shall make efforts to integrate the program into the community and offer Participants ample opportunity and support to form connections outside of the program. This includes, but is not limited to the following and ensuring that:

- a. Services are located in neighborhoods that are accessible to community resources and services.
- b. Services are designed to help Participants build supportive relationships, engage in personally meaningful activities, and regain or develop new roles in their Families and communities.
- c. Services are recovery-based and designed to help Participants to gain control of their own lives, define their personal values, preferences, visions for the future, establish meaningful individual short and long-term goals, and build hope.
- d. Efforts are made to make programs look and feel similar to other types of housing in the community and to avoid distinguishing the HF program as a program that serves people with special needs.

#### 5. Participant choice

Provider shall make efforts to understand Participant preferences and priorities without judgment and to assertively engage Participants in services that are non-coercive to help Participants to achieve their personal goals. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Offering choices regarding type, frequency, timing, location and intensity of services and, whenever possible, choice of neighborhoods, apartments, furniture, and décor.
- b. Helping Participants to understand risks and reduce harm caused to themselves and others by risky behavior.
- c. Understanding the clinical and legal limits to choice and intervening as necessary when Participants present a danger to self or others.
- d. Providing meaningful opportunities for Participant input and involvement when designing programs, planning activities and determining policies.

#### 6. Separation of housing and services

Provider shall design programs in such a manner that the roles of operations/property management staff (e.g., maintenance, repairs, security, rent collection, and eviction) and supportive services staff are clearly defined and distinct. This includes:

- a. Property management and support service functions are provided either by separate legal entities or by staff members whose roles do not overlap.
- b. There are defined processes for communication and coordination across the two functions to support stable tenancy.
- c. Those processes are designed to protect Participant confidentiality and share confidential information only as allowable and on a need to know basis only.

#### 7. Assertive engagement

The Provider shall implement programs that utilize assertive engagement. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Ensuring that new Participants are welcomed and oriented to the program to help them establish a sense of safety within 24 hours of program entry.
- b. Conducting a one-to-one meeting between the program Participant and case management staff within three (3) business days of program entry to begin to build rapport and offer support in securing permanent housing.
- c. Using assertive, low-barrier, culturally competent and trauma-informed engagement strategies that focuses on building a respectful, trusting relationship with Participants.
- d. Creating an inviting and safe environment for Participants to overcome grief/loss, build trust, disclose sensitive information, and identify reasons to engage in services that are personally meaningful.
- e. Documenting consistent attempts to locate and engage all Participants, including those who have expressed reluctance to engage.

f. Providing Participants with supplies to support engagement and assist in meeting basic needs. This includes food, clothing and personal hygiene supplies.

#### 8. Housing-focused case management

Provider shall:

- a. Assist Participants in securing permanent housing as rapidly as possible. This includes helping Participants to obtain identification and other necessary documents, complete housing applications, access financial assistance, identify and view apartments, and meet with landlords/property managers.
- b. Prioritize housing placements for Participants who have been Homeless the longest and who have the most intensive service needs through the CES.
- c. Help Participants to achieve well-being and prevent and manage crises.
- d. Collect, maintain, and update records of available mainstream and community resources for program Participants. This includes community resources that can reduce burdens on income including employment opportunities, food banks, thrift stores, low-income utility programs, and others.
- e. Help Participants to increase income and assets, by including:
  - (1) screening and/or assisting in obtaining screening for public benefits eligibility,
  - (2) assisting with the application process for benefits,
  - (3) connecting to a SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery (SOAR) trained case manager as appropriate and available,
  - (4) providing and/or assisting Participants to connect to services such as financial literacy, banking, budgeting, tax preparation, and credit repair,
  - (5) providing and/or assisting Participants to connect to educational and vocational services and opportunities, including literacy, obtaining a GED, computer skills classes, resume development, interview coaching, mentoring, job training, higher education, job placement, and supported employment services.

- f. Have clearly defined relationships with employment and income support programs that they can connect program Participants to when appropriate.
- g. Provide and/or assist Participants to connect to services to address health, mental health, addiction, and legal needs. This includes, but not limited to:
  - (1) Accessing health insurance and establishing links to primary health, specialist, dental, mental health, and addiction services as needed.
  - (2) Accessing emergency health care, mental health crisis, and/or public safety services immediately in situations that present an imminent risk to Participants or staff health and/or safety.
  - (3) Accessing legal services, including immigration, record expungement, addressing child support obligations and pending charges, and legal services for those fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, trafficking, or other dangerous or life-threatening conditions.
- h. Assist Participants to use community resources (e.g., schools, libraries, houses of worship, grocery stores, parks, etc.).
- i. Assist Participants to access the internet, preferably through accessible computers located on-site at the program or, when that is not possible, through links to accessible internet resources located in the community.
- j. Assist Participants to connect with appropriate on-going services in advance of planned discharges. This includes, as necessary, providing a warm handoff (i.e. meeting face-to-face or remotely with the Participant and service provider) and following up to evaluate Participants' satisfaction with the assistance and making adjustments to program services as necessary for continuous quality improvement.
- k. Maintain a written discharge summary for each Participant that includes the reason for discharge, the location of new residence, an assessment of ongoing service needs, and that identifies service providers to whom referrals were made. In addition, discharge summaries must be signed and dated by the Participant, case manager, and supervisor.
- 1. Upon closing a case, programs shall provide information to Participants about how they can access assistance from the program again, if needed,

and what kind of follow-up assistance may be available to the Participant. In instances when a Participant is at imminent risk of returning to Homelessness, programs shall directly intervene or provide a referral to another prevention resource.

- m. Provide follow up services, at least one monthly contact with Participants discharged to permanent housing. Follow up services shall include assessments of on-going service needs and connecting Participants to appropriate services as necessary for at least three (3) months post discharge and at least one additional contact attempt at approximately six (6) months post-discharge.
- n. Provide services that are designed to help Participants build motivation for change. This includes, but is not limited to:
  - (1) Helping Participants to gain control of their own lives, define their personal values, preferences, and visions for the future, and establish meaningful individual short and long-term goals.
  - (2) Helping Participants to develop discrepancy between their personal goals or values and their current behavior.
  - (3) Helping Participants to build confidence, self-efficacy, and hope to see that the things they want out of life are attainable.
  - (4) Helping staff to develop services that are attractive and meaningful to Participants and that are responsive to their needs and preferences
  - (5) Helping staff to see that Participant reluctance to engage in services means they need to adjust the intervention to make it appealing to the person being served.
- o. Provider serving Families with minor children, young adult dependents, and/or unaccompanied young adults (all three referred to as Young People) shall:
  - 1. Provide services that focus on Young People's strengths and on helping them to build:
    - 1.1 Competence: the core academic, cognitive, social, emotional, and vocational competencies they need to succeed
    - 1.2 Confidence: a sense of self-worth and efficacy
    - 1.3 Connections: a sense of belonging and positive bonds with supportive peers and adults and social institutions
    - 1.4 Character: respect for society and cultural rules and an inner moral compass

- 1.5 Caring: a sense of sympathy and empathy for others
- 1.6 Contribution: active participation and leadership in efforts to bring about change in social and civic life
- 2. Engage Young People in offering their expertise and perspectives in the design and implementation of services, programs, and activities available to them.
- 3. Provide services that focus on Families' strengths helping them to build on strategies they already know how to use, build feelings of hope, identify protective factors, decrease frustration, emphasize problem-solving, enhance caregivers' confidence, and promote responsible behavior.
- 4. Include an assessment of Young Peoples' and caregivers' strengths and needs when completing any required assessments.
- 5. Consider Young Peoples' and caregivers' strengths and needs when completing any required housing and discharge plans.
- 6. Collect, maintain, and update records of available mainstream and community resources that include community resources for Young People.
- 7. Provide and/or assist Participants to connect to services to address Young Peoples' health, mental health, addiction, and legal needs.
- 8. Provide and/or assist Participants to connect to childcare services to support employment opportunities.
- 9. Help Young People to identify individuals with whom they wish to maintain or establish a relationship, assess the appropriateness of such involvement and facilitate an active connection between parents, other important persons and Young People when appropriate.
- 10. Provide services aimed at strengthening Family communication and support and at promoting Families' acceptance of their LGBTQ Young People.
- 11. Provide or arrange for a daily program of age and culturally appropriate social, recreational, athletic and educational activities in a youth friendly environment and maintain a monthly written schedule of such activities.
- 12. Provide Young People with opportunities for participation in group activities to meet, support, share experiences and collaborate with peers.
- 13. Ensure that all programming and activities during which facility staff are responsible for supervising Minor Children are staffed in a

manner that is consistent with state requirements regarding staff/child ratios.

- 14. Maintain indoor and outdoor space to enable Young People to participate in both organized and informal recreational activities, including physical exercise and provide daily access to such space.
- 15. Ensure that Participants are helped to understand their educational rights and that they are connected to services to help them succeed in school as outlined below under "Educational Responsibilities."

# 9. Educational responsibilities

Provider shall be responsible for: ensuring that Participants are helped to understand their educational rights established under Subtitle VII-B of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act and most recently reauthorized by the Every Student Succeeds Act; ensuring that children and young adults are immediately enrolled in school, as required by federal and State law; and to ensure that they are connected to educational services to help them succeed in school. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Ensuring that all housing, whether temporary or permanent, is located in neighborhoods that are accessible to community resources and services, including schools, libraries, and other educational services.
- b. The Program Director and/or his/her designee is responsible for:
  - (1) Ensuring that all Families with children and young adults participating in any program are informed about their educational rights and their eligibility for educational services at intake and as necessary thereafter.
  - (2) Ensuring that no matter where they live, how long they have lived there, or how long they plan to stay, all children and young adults participating in any program are enrolled in school immediately, even if they lack the paperwork normally required. Students have the right to enroll in school and attend classes while the school gathers needed documents. Enrollment shall occur immediately and within no more than 48 hours of program entry. Children and young adults who are not required by State law to enroll in school, shall be encouraged but not required to enroll.
  - (3) Advocating as necessary to ensure that Homeless students are able to choose to continue to attend their school of origin (i.e., where they went before becoming Homeless or the school in which they were last enrolled), or the local school where they

live currently. Students have the right, if feasible, to attend their school of origin the entire time they are Homeless and until the end of the academic year during which they find permanent housing.

- (4) Advocating on behalf of Homeless students as necessary to ensure that they receive the services for which they are eligible according to their needs and comparable to those provided to other students, including assistance from the local school district's Homeless liaison, Early Intervention Program for Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities, Head Start, other preschool programs, services for disabled students, free school meals, services for English language learners, gifted and talented services, before and after school care, career and technical education, summer learning, online learning, and referrals to health, mental health, dental and other services.
- (5) Helping Homeless students to succeed in school and to get help from the local Homeless education liaison, as necessary.
- (6) Developing relationships with colleges to access higher education services specifically for Homeless young adults.
- (7) Designating a staff person who is responsible for:
  - 7.1 Helping Participants to understand their educational rights
  - 7.2 Ensuring that children and young adults are enrolled in school & connected to services
  - 7.3 Ensuring that children and young adults receive the transportation services to which they are entitled (i.e., school districts must provide transportation to and from schools of origin, as necessary).

These need not be the only responsibilities of the designated staff person.

- (8) Ensuring that the designated person is involved in the development of Participants' housing plans where there are extensive or significant unmet educational needs.
- (9) Ensuring that no policies, procedures, or practices that are inconsistent or interfere with the educational rights established under State or federal law are adopted by the program.

#### 10. Supervision

Provider shall:

a. Provide direct service staff with at least one hour of individual supervision bi-weekly that helps them to develop low barrier, assertive engagement skills, build Participant motivation, conduct thorough assessments, establish meaningful housing plans, ensure Participant and staff safety, and support self-care.

- b. Have a case review process to help staff problem solve around particular case management challenges and to inform, assessments, housing plans, and discharges.
- c. Develop services that are attractive and meaningful to Participants and that are responsive to their needs and preferences.
- d. Understand that Participant reluctance to engage in services may mean the Provider needs to adjust the method of intervention to make it appealing to the Participant.
- e. Provider shall maintain on-call supervisory coverage to manage critical incidents and other emergencies 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

#### 11. Grievance Procedures

The Provider shall provide to the Participant formal and documented due process. This process shall minimally consist of the following:

- a. Written notification containing a clear statement of the reasons for termination or denial of assistance, the specific date for which assistance will cease, the right of the Participant to have a review of the decision, instructions on how the Participant is to evoke this review, the right of the Participant to review the records and the right to counsel at the sole expense of Participant during this review;
- b. Upon request by the Participant, a review of the decision with the opportunity to present written or oral objections and to be represented by counsel at his or her own expense before a person other than the person who made or approved the termination or denial decision. The Participant shall have the opportunity to question witnesses and present evidence; and;
- c. Prompt service of the final decision in writing to the Participant.
- d. Provider's grievance procedures shall include language that if the Participant is not satisfied with the Provider's final determination, a formal review of the decision may be requested of the HPO. The request for the HPO review letter shall be mailed to:

Department of Human Services Benefit, Employment & Support Services Division Homeless Programs Office 1010 Richards Street, Suite 312 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

e. <u>Attach as Exhibit I</u>: The Provider shall attach to the proposal its grievance/termination procedures that shall be provided to Participants who have services denied or terminated. DHS may require changes to Exhibit I to ensure such procedures afford these persons due process.

#### B. Program Specific Housing First/Permanent Supportive Housing Service Activities

In addition to the General Service Activities described in Section 2.5.A of the Scope of Work, the Provider shall provide the following services;

#### 1. Housing Stabilization Case Management Services

Providers shall engage in housing stabilization case management services to willing Participants. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Provider shall complete a written comprehensive assessment using the SPDAT to assess Participant's service needs within 7 days of program entry, update the assessment at least every 3 months, and ensure assessments are signed and dated by the Participant, case manager, and supervisor. Assessments should focus on Participant strengths and barriers to housing stability (see Attachment I).
- b. Provider shall complete housing plan including discharge plan on the approved form within 14 days of intake in services (see Attachment J). The plan shall be based on findings from the SPDAT. The goals of the plan shall be personcentered, specific and measurable. The plans shall indicate who is responsible for specified action steps and when those action steps will occur. Plans must outline steps to secure permanent housing as quickly as possible and focus on how program Participants can maintain a lease and address barriers to housing retention, including without limitation to the following: maximizing the ability to pay rent; improving understanding of landlord/tenant rights and responsibilities; and addressing other issues that have, in the past, resulted in housing crisis or housing loss. Plans shall be updated at least every 3 months. Plans shall be signed and dated by the Participant, case manager, and supervisor.
- c. Each program is required to provide case management services to all Participants at least 4 times per month which shall include at least two face-toface contact meetings, or, for Participants with less intensive needs an alternate plan of contact approved and documented in writing by a supervisor shall be utilized.

- d. Case management services shall be flexible in response to Participant needs and preferences offering an array of meeting times, locations and services.
- e. Staff and Participants meet in Participants' homes at least monthly to review housing maintenance, health, safety and quality.
- f. Case managers shall respect a Participant's home as their own, scheduling appointments ahead of time, only entering when invited in, and respecting the Participant's personal property and wishes while in their home.
- g. Case notes must document contact attempts, services provided, including activities aimed at assisting Participants to meet their housing plan goals, and efforts to help Participants to establish linkages to other service Providers, community resources, and support from friends and family.
- h. Case management services must assist Participants to resolve issues or conflicts that may lead to tenancy problems, such as rent or utility arrears, disputes with landlords or neighbors, failure to adequately maintain the unit, disturbing the quiet enjoyment of others, and landlords not meeting his/her obligations. Providers shall work quickly to identify a corrective course of action, and, without breaking a Participant's confidentiality, keep the landlord and Participant informed about the program's action to mitigate the situation.
- i. Assist Participants to develop and practice skills Participant will need to retain housing once they are no longer in the program. This includes, as needed, working with Participants to build communication skills to better respond to or negotiate with a landlord. This might relate to such things as: repairs; an extension on a rent payment; complaints against the Participant concerning noise, odors, trash; or the behavior of children or guests.
- j. When necessary, Providers shall help Participants avoid evictions before they happen, and maintain a positive relationship with the landlord. This can be done by moving a Household into a different unit prior to eviction and possibly identifying a new Participant Household for the landlord's unit.
- k. As authorized by each Participant's consent, programs must conduct, at least monthly proactive outreach to landlords to identify risks to housing stability and coordinate to help Participants retain housing.
- 1. As necessary, Providers shall provide or otherwise assist Participants to obtain personal hygiene items including at a minimum clean towels, basic toiletries, and personal hygiene articles.
- m. As necessary, Providers shall provide or otherwise assist Participants to obtain adequate clothing, food and furniture.

- n. Assist all interested, eligible Households to apply for mainstream affordable housing programs within 45 days of program entry to assist and support a "move on" strategy.
- o. Assist Participants who have been stable in housing for at least one year and who are interested in moving on to a more independent setting to pursue other affordable housing opportunities. This includes helping Participants to complete housing applications, access financial assistance, identify and view apartments, meet with landlords/property managers and connect with friends and family with whom they might share housing.
- p. Assist Participants who require a higher level of care in securing services to enable them to remain in their current apartment, if possible, with other things, such as home health care, personal attendant, occupational/physical/cognitive therapy and/or visiting nurse services, or to access the required level of care at another program.

#### 2. Program Operations and Property Management

Providers shall engage in housing-related program operations and property management activities. This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- a. Operators of HF permanent supportive housing (PSH) units shall execute at least annually leases with each Participant that conform to local landlord/tenant laws and federal fair housing requirements and to provide each Participant with a copy of his/her current lease.
- b. Ensuring that Participant's retention in housing is contingent only on lease compliance and only use the court eviction process to terminate Participants from permanent housing or to negotiate mutual terms for the termination of a lease in order to prevent the Participant from having an eviction record.
- c. Complying with all State and local health, safety, building, and fire code laws, regulations and standards.
- d. Have written policies and procedures in place that are adequate to reasonably protect the health and safety of all residents and staff.

#### 3. Standards for HF Rental Assistance

The following standards shall be applied to HF Rental Assistance projects:

a. Long term rental assistance may be provided with no pre-determined length of stay requirement.

- b. The following tenancy models are allowable through the HF program:
  - (1) Tenant-based rental assistance (TBRA) Program Participant identifies housing of their choice in the private rental market. The lease agreement is executed directly between the program Participant the landlord. Rental assistance can be applied to a new unit should the participant move. HF fund recipients administering TBRA may limit where the Participants may live if it is necessary to facilitate the coordination of supportive services.
  - (2) Sponsor-based rental assistance (SBRA) Lease agreement shall be between the sponsor and program participant. Sponsor agencies locate and rent housing units in the private market and then sublease these units to HF program Participants. (In this model, the sponsor may also own the unit(s).) If the program Participant moves out, the sponsor may sublease it to the next eligible participant; may continue SBRA to support the Participant in the new unit; or may sublet another unit in the community to the same or different eligible Participant. The decision is ultimately the sponsor's since the rental assistance stays with the sponsor.
  - (3) Project-based rental assistance (PBRA) Rental assistance through this model is provided through a contract with the owner of the building who agrees to lease the subsidized unit(s) to the program Participants. The program Participant does not retain rental assistance if they move, instead the unit would be rented to the next eligible Participant that would benefit from the PBRA.
- c. Initial lease. For Project-based, sponsor-based, or tenant-based rental assistance, program Participants must enter into a lease agreement for a term of at least one year, which is terminable for cause. The leases must be automatically renewable upon expiration for terms that are a minimum of one month long, except on prior notice by either party.
- d. Participants are required to contribute towards rental costs, unless they have no income at all. Rents must be charged and the rental charge shall be equal to the highest of:
  - (1) 30% of the Household's gross income; or
  - (2) The portion of the Household's welfare assistance, if any, that is designated for the payment of rent.

#### 4. Performance Measures and Outcomes

The Provider shall achieve the following HF outcome measures:

a. 50% of all Households are placed in a permanent housing unit within 30 days of program entry.

- b. 90% of All Households will remain in program or will exit to a Permanent Housing Exit Destination (Households exiting due to the following reasons are excluded: deceased; long-term care facility or nursing home; hospital or other residential non-psychiatric medical facility; and foster care home or foster care group home.
- c. 10% of all Households in program will increase earned income.
- d. 10% of all Households in program will increase non-cash benefit (e.g. SNAP, WIC, Child care services, etc.)Adults increase non-employment cash income during a one-year reporting period.

HPO reserves the right to adjust and/or modify the performance measures and outcomes (see Attachment K).

#### C. Administrative/Management Requirements

#### 1. Experience

- a. The Provider shall submit a verifiable history of a minimum of one (1) year, within the most recent three (3) years, of experience with the HF Program or in the program area for which the proposal is being made. Exceptions may be granted by the Director of DHS where an agency has not demonstrated the necessary experience or expertise in the program area.
- b. The Provider shall have demonstrated and documented knowledge, skills, capacity, and competence to perform the required services.

#### 2. Coordination of services

The Provider shall demonstrate the capability to coordinate services and resources with other agencies in the community.

The Provider shall coordinate and integrate homeless programs with other mainstream health, social services, and employment programs for which homeless populations may be eligible including Medicaid, State Children's Health Insurance Program, Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, Food Stamps, and services funding through the Mental health and Substance Abuse Block Grant, Workforce Investment Act and the Welfare-to-Work grant program. The contracted agency shall participate in their local CES, CoC, and Point-in-Time Count, assist in maintaining a current by-name list that includes all sheltered and unsheltered Homeless people, use the common triage tool VI-SPDAT as determined by their CoC, and comply with all CoC and CES written standards, policies, and procedures.

#### 3. Personnel

The Provider shall provide adequate staffing on a day-to-day basis, as approved by HPO, and case management to meet the requirements of the RFP.

The Provider shall ensure that staff, volunteers, and contracted personnel meet the education, work experience, and training qualifications necessary to provide the contracted service activities.

The Provider shall ensure staff positions aligned with the Housing First approach. Examples of qualified positions include: case manager, housing locator, and employment specialist. Positions shall focus on housing placement, increasing income, and employment.

<u>Attach as Exhibit II:</u> The Provider shall submit as part of the proposal, the following:

- a. An organization-wide chart showing where the proposed program fits within the Provider's agency.
- b. A program-specific chart showing each staff position in the program, including title, full-time equivalency (FTE), and the lines of authority/supervision.
- c. A position description specifying the education, work experience, training qualifications, and the work requirements for each staff position in the program.
- d. A current resume for all personnel identified in the proposed budget request.
- e. A staffing pattern (chart listing program staff), including staff to Participant ratios.
- f. A staff to Participant ratio that allows a significant and consistent amount of time to work directly with Participants who are participating in an alternate housing search and receiving case management service. This will allow time for strengths-based motivational work with Participants who are moving at a slower pace towards housing.

The Provider shall assure that:

- a. A system is in place to ensure compliance with:
  - (1) Affirmative action standards
  - (2) Equal opportunity employment standards
- b. Direct service staff shall have at least one hour of individual supervision bi-weekly to help them to develop low barrier, assertive engagement skills, build Participant motivation, conduct thorough assessments, establish meaningful housing plans, ensure Participant and staff safety, and support self-care.

#### 4. Training

<u>Attach as Exhibit III:</u> The Provider shall submit and implement a training plan for its staff and contracted personnel who have direct contact with Participants. The training plan shall identify areas of training, timeline of initial training and on-going training, how training will be structured, how training will be provided, and who will provide each training session and topic. Provider shall provide the education, work experience, and training qualifications for each trainer of the program. Provider shall provide a current resume for all trainers identified in the training plan.

- a. Staff training shall include, but is not limited to the following:
  - (1) Agency orientation, including, but is not limited to, policy and procedures addressing:
    - 1.1 Screening, intake, and assessment
    - 1.2 Housing planning
    - 1.3 Discharge planning
    - 1.4 Documentation requirements
    - 1.5 Confidentiality and ethics
    - 1.6 Disaster preparedness
  - (2) Community resources available to support Homeless Families, independence, and wellbeing, such as, but not limited to, housing resources, financial/employment resources, health/mental health services, legal/advocacy services, and Limited English Proficiency (LEP) services.
  - (3) Supports and services offered by the DHS BESSD and how to access them (e.g. financial assistance (TANF/TAONF), food assistance (SNAP), medical coverage (MedQUEST), employment assistance (First-to-Work, E & T), child care assistance, and housing assistance).

- (4) HMIS Training for HMIS users and agency administration by HMIS Administrator. Training that includes, but not limited to the following:
  - 4.1 Data security and quality standards
  - 4.2 Program entry and exits
  - 4.3 On-going assessments (such as income, health insurance)
  - 4.4 New system features
- (5) Fair Housing Training that includes, but is not limited to the following:
  - 5.1 Understanding federal and Hawaii laws against discrimination
  - 5.2 Understanding Fair Housing laws and accommodations
  - 5.3 Knowledge in the State's discrimination complaint process
  - 5.4 Knowledge in language access
- (6) Trauma informed care Training that includes, but is not limited to the following:
  - 8.1 Understanding the physical, social, and emotional impact of trauma on an individual
  - 8.2 Recognizing how trauma affects all individuals
  - 8.3 Responding by putting knowledge into practice
  - 8.4 Trauma-informed approach help produces better case results
  - 8.5 Trauma-informed care helps with safety, trustworthiness, choice, collaboration and empowerment
- (7) Harm Reduction Training that includes, but is not limited to the following:
  - 9.1 Understanding Harm Reduction attempts to reduce harm to the Participant, community, and reduction of police and health resources.
  - 9.2 Understanding the approach to drug use and high-risk behaviors
  - 9.3 Recognizing Reduce drug-related harm without requiring cessation
  - 9.4 Focusing on behavior instead of use or any exploitive action
  - 9.5 Recognizing housing is harm reduction
  - 9.6 Identifying alternatives that reduce risk
- b. HPO reserves the right to revise training requirements as funding resources, contemporary best practices, and/or educational opportunities become available.
- c. Annual training that includes relevant training refreshers completed each year after the first year of employment.

d. A written training record shall be maintained and updated in the staff, volunteers, and contracted personnel file. Training records shall be made available to HPO upon request.

#### 5. Insurance and Indemnity Requirements

The Provider shall indemnify the State and the DHS. The Provider shall also obtain, maintain and keep in force throughout the period of this contract, \$2,000,000.00 commercial general liability insurance as required by section 1.4 of the General Conditions and the following minimum insurance:

a.	Automobile Liability:	
	Bodily Injury	\$ 1,000,000.00 (per person)
	Property Damage	\$ 1,000,000.00 (per occurrence)
	Per Accident	\$ 1,000,000.00 (per accident)
	or	
	Combined Single Limit	\$ 2,000,000.00 (each accident)
	or	
	Combined Single Limit	\$1,000,000.00 and
	Umbrella Liability	\$1,000,000.00 (per each occurrence)

Automobile insurance shall be required of the Provider and subcontractor(s) if at any time the Provider or subcontractor(s) drive an automobile in order to carry out the duties of this contract. Automobile insurance must be submitted to HPO prior to driving. The State shall not be held liable for automobile accidents which occurred while performing duties of the contract.

b. Workers Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance: Provider shall maintain worker's compensation and employer's liability insurance. Worker's compensation shall be in accordance with State Statutes. Employers liability and/or commercial excess limits shall not be less than \$1,000,000 each accident.

Hawaii Statutory Limits

Employer's Liability	
Bodily Injury by Accident	\$100,000.00 Each Accident
Bodily Injury by Disease	\$100,000.00 Each Employee
Bodily Injury by Disease	\$500,000.00 Policy Limit

The minimum insurance required shall be in full compliance with the Hawaii Workers' Compensation Law, Chapter 386, HRS, throughout the entire term of the contract and any supplemental contracts; or

Waiver of Subrogation: Shall be applicable to the General Liability, Auto

and Worker's Compensation policies and be in favor of the State of Hawaii.

- c. Each insurance policy shall be written by insurance companies licensed to do business in the State or meet Section 431:8-301, HRS, if utilizing an insurance company not licensed by the State.
- d. The State and DHS, its elected and appointed officials, and employees shall be named as additional insured, except for Worker's Compensation Insurance, with respect to operations performed under this Provider contract. The policy shall constitute primary insurance for the State, covering liability arising out of or resulting for occurrences during or in connections with the performance of the contract.

Each Certificate of Liability Insurance (COLI) required by this contract shall contain the following language in the COLI description of operation section:

- i. It is agreed that the State of Hawaii is added as an additional insured as respects to operations performed for the State of Hawaii.
- ii. It is agreed that any insurance maintained by the State of Hawaii will apply in excess of and not contribute with, insurance provided by this policy.
- e. The Provider agrees to provide the State before the effective date of the contract, certificate(s) of insurance as evidence of its compliance with the insurance provisions of this contract. The Provider shall keep such insurance in effect and the certificate(s) therefore on deposit with the State during the entire term of this contract. Upon request by the State, the Provider shall furnish a copy of the policy or policies.
- f. Failure of the Provider to provide and keep in force such insurance shall be a material default under this contract. The State shall be entitled to exercise any or all of the remedies provided in this contract and by law for default by the Provider.
- g. The procuring of such required policy or policies of insurance shall not be construed to limit Provider's liability hereunder or to fulfill the indemnification provisions and requirements of this contract. Notwithstanding said policy or policies of insurance, Provider shall be obligated for the full and total amount of any damage, injury, or loss caused by negligence or neglect connected with this contract.

- h. The insurer shall notify the State in writing of any cancellation or change in provisions thirty (30) calendar days prior to the effective date of such cancellation or change.
- i. DHS is a self-insured State agency. The Provider's insurance shall be primary. Any insurance maintained by the State shall apply in excess of, and shall not contribute with insurance provided by the Provider.
- j. The Provider shall immediately provide written notice to the Department of Human Services, Homeless Programs Office at 1010 Richards Street, Suite 512 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 should any of the insurance policies evidenced on its Certificate of Insurance form be cancelled, limited in scope, or not renewed upon expiration.
- k. Each COLI shall also contain under the Certificate Holder section "This COLI is in reference to contract number: DHS-xx-HPO-xxxx."

#### 6. Federal and State Tax Clearance

The contracted agency shall provide Certificate of Vendor Compliance issued by Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE). The status on the certificate must state "compliant". The HCE shall be dated no later than 30 days prior to the Applicant's proposal submission date.

#### 7. Compliance with Laws and DHS Rules

The contracted agency shall comply with all laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations of the federal, State and local governments which in any way affect its operations and to adhere to instructions prescribed by DHS for the effective administration of a program.

#### 8. Confidentiality

<u>Attach as Exhibit IV</u>: The Provider shall attach to the proposal, its policies and procedures regarding securing and ensuring the confidentiality of Participant files and other confidential information.

#### 9. Americans with Disabilities Act

The Provider shall comply with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) and shall describe its efforts to ensure that Homeless persons with disabilities are provided with reasonable access to services. The Provider shall ensure that Homeless persons with disabilities are provided with reasonable access to service and comply with ADA requirements. The Provider shall make its written ADA policies and procedures available to HPO upon request.

#### 10. Nondiscrimination

The Provider shall not discriminate against any applicant/Participant on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, ancestry, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, disability or handicap, age, or martial/familial status with regard to public assistance. The Provider shall take affirmative action to ensure that its program is free from such discrimination. The Provider shall make known that the program assistance and services it provides are available on a nondiscriminatory basis, and will ensure that all citizens, including citizens with limited English proficiency, have equal access to information concerning the housing program. The Provider shall make its written nondiscrimination policies and procedures available to HPO upon request.

#### 11. Fair Housing

Any housing (including emergency and transitional shelters, or Bridge Housing), or housing services offered by the Provider shall be made available without discrimination based on race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, familial status, or disability, or on any basis prohibited by State law, in accordance with State and federal Fair Housing laws. In providing support services and financial assistance for re-housing or homelessness prevention, the Provider shall not discriminate against a rental applicant based on the fact that he or she receives a direct rental subsidy, such as Section 8 voucher or other tenant-based rental assistance. The Provider shall make its written Fair Housing policies and procedures available to HPO upon request.

#### 12. Housing Quality Standards and Inspection

<u>Attach as Exhibit V</u>: The Provider shall attach to the proposal, the Provider's written policies and procedures on housing quality standards and inspection with copies of any forms used to document housing inspections attached. DHS may require that these be amended.

#### 13. Reporting requirements for program and fiscal data

The Provider shall be required to submit the following payment requests and reports in a timely matter:

a. A payment request (original plus one copy) on agency's letterhead (see Attachment L).

Payment request(s) will not be accepted or approved when there are outstanding reports which have not been submitted to HPO.

b. The Provider shall be required to submit the following reports:

Activity Data - Quarterly and Final

- (1) Quarterly Activity Data shall be input into the HMIS within 15 days from the end of each quarter or on such day designated as the due date by the HPO.
- c. Financial Reports Quarterly and Final
  - (1) Provider shall submit a Quarterly Financial Report (3-months report) within 30 days of the end of each reporting period, and a Final Financial Report within 45 days of the end of the contract term, or on such day designated as the due date by the HPO.
  - (2) The Quarterly Financial Report (HPO Funds Only Report) shall include the annual approved budget, 3-month budget for the reporting quarter, actual 3-month expenditures for the reporting quarter, year-to-date expenditures, and variance percentages. Personnel and administrative costs need to be broken out and listed on the financial report. Variance percentages of +/-15% shall be explained in writing.
  - (3) The Quarterly Financial Report (All Funding Sources Report) shall show "other" funding sources. Budget and actual costs for personnel and administrative expenses do not need to be broken out and listed on the Financial Report. Variance explanations are <u>not</u> required on the Quarterly Financial Report.
  - (4) The Final Financial Report (HPO Funds Only Report) shall include an approved budget, year-to-date expenditures, and variance percentages. Budget and actual costs for personnel and administrative costs shall be broken out and listed on the Final Financial Report. Variance percentages of +/-15% shall be explained in writing. Explanation of the variance does not guarantee that the State will reimburse your agency for expenses beyond the approved Budget.
  - (5) The Final Financial Report (All Funding Sources Report) shall show "other" funding sources. Budget and actual costs for personnel and administrative expenses do not need to be broken out and listed. Variance explanations are not required on this report.
  - (6) The fourth quarter financial report shall be the final report if the fourth quarter financial report includes year to date expenditures and variance explanations.

- a. Language Access Reports Semi-Annually
  - (1) The Provider shall complete and submit the Language Access Reporting Tool or LEP Report semi-annually to HPO.

If awarded, refer to your agency's contract for specific due dates and summary of due dates. The Provider shall submit all required reports in a timely manner in the appropriate forms as described by DHS. See Attachment L, for samples of the program and fiscal reports.

#### 14. Data & Continuous Quality Improvement

- a. Provider shall collect and enter all required Participant level data using the HMIS in accordance with all data standards, policies, and procedures as determined by the Provider's CoC.
- b. Provider shall comply with the following data standards as determined by HPO:
  - (1) Search before creating new enrollment in HMIS to avoid duplication.
  - (2) Data entry completed within 72 hours of activity or service: e.g., program entry, program exit, assessment, provision of assistance, etc.
  - (3) Data Quality Rates for null, missing, refused, or unknown shall be less than 10% for both universal data elements and program specific data elements.
- c. Provider shall track and report outcome data at least quarterly and use that data to provide continuous quality improvement efforts aimed at strengthening outcomes outlined in this RFP, such as increasing Participant income, decreasing length of Homelessness, rapidly securing permanent housing placements, and assisting Participants to stabilize in and retain housing.
- d. Provider shall have and implement a comprehensive policy and procedures for reporting, resolving, and documenting and reviewing critical incidents. Provider shall make adjustments to policies, procedures, facilities, and program design as needed to improve Participant well-being and promote health and safety for Participants and staff.
- e. Provider shall seek input from people with lived experience of Homelessness and, when applicable landlords, to guide program design

and operations. Such input can be obtained through interviews, focus groups, surveys and/or consumer advisory boards.

- f. Provider shall have and implement a comprehensive policy and procedures for surveying program Participants, at least annually, to assess satisfaction with and obtain input regarding program services, staffing, and facilities. Provider shall make adjustments to policies, procedures, facilities, and program design as needed to improve Participant satisfaction.
- g. The Provider shall submit other information or records as may be requested from time to time by HPO in the form required by HPO, including but not limited to, demographic and program activity information for use in a centralized database and/or any communitybased planning efforts.

#### 15. Quality assurance and evaluation specifications

- a. Performance of all contracted agencies will be monitored on an ongoing basis by DHS through file reviews, site inspections and other methods.
- b. Failure to comply with data and reporting requirements or to adequately address monitoring findings may result in the suspension or cancellation of payments or the contract. Upon request, the Provider shall agree to promptly make their Participant files available to DHS for the purposes of monitoring.
- c. The State, DHS, the Comptroller of the State of Hawaii, and any of their authorized representatives, the committees and their staffs of the Legislature of the State of Hawaii, and the Legislative Auditor shall have the right of access to any book, document, paper, file, or other record of the contractor (and any of its subcontractors) that is related to the performance of services in order to conduct an audit or other examination or to make excerpts and transcripts for the purposes of monitoring and evaluating the contracted agency's performance of services. The right of access shall not be limited to the required retention period but shall last as long as the records are retained.
- d. The Provider shall be required to retain all records for at least six (6) years, except if any litigation, investigation, audit or other action is underway for an addition of one year after completion of due process, litigation, investigation, audit, or other actions.

#### D. Facilities

The Provider shall provide a description of its facilities and demonstrate its adequacy in relation to the proposed services. If facilities are not presently available, the Provider shall describe plans to secure facilities. Provider shall describe how the facilities meet ADA requirements, as applicable, and the special equipment that may be required for the services.

# 2.6 Compensation and Method of Payment

#### A. Payments shall be made in accordance with, and subject, to the following:

- 1. The Provider shall comply with Cost Principals, HRS Chapter 103F, Purchases of Health and Human Services (see Attachment G) in the development of its budget and the expending of the contract funding.
- 2. Unless otherwise proposed and agreed between the Provider and the DHS, the pricing structure for these services is described below. The pricing structure may be revised by mutual written agreement throughout the contract term.
- 3. Compensation shall be made in accordance with the Provider's approved "budget."
- 4. Compensation shall be made in advance and in disbursements. HPO reserves the right to request supporting documents including but not limited to receipts and invoices for any or all payment request, at any time.
- 5. The Provider shall budget no more than 15% of the contract total for administrative expenses. An amount equal to 5% total shall be withheld as the final payment, subject to timely submittal and approval of the Provider's satisfactory performance, submittal of all reports, and a valid vendor compliance certificate.
  - a. The Provider shall provide a clear and separate written budget for the administrative costs, not to exceed 15% of the total funding amount, and justify the administration costs. If the Provider has a federally-approved indirect rate, the Provider shall provide the approval letter and the general categories used to determine the federal rate. The Provider must submit an administrative cost budget and justify the cost despite the Provider's approval for the federal rate. The Provider may use the general categories from the federal rate but the Provider's indirect costs for this contract must not exceed 15%.
  - b. The Provider shall submit the administrative costs budget using the budget forms listed in Section 3.5, A. All budget forms, instructions, and samples are located in Section 5 off this RFP (see Attachment E). The

administrative costs budget, federally-approved indirect rate approval letter, and general categories used to determine the federal rate shall be attached to the Application.

c. Administrative cost in any or all revised or supplemental contracts shall not exceed the total percentage specified in the proposed budget.

#### **B.** Payment Requests

- 1. Payments shall be made upon submission of an original request and one (1) copy. The payment request shall include the Provider's official name on company letterhead; date of letter; contract number; the total amount requested, and shall certify that the services rendered are in compliance with the terms of the contract.
- 2. Requests for payments must include, but are not limited to the following:
  - a. Provider shall submit a letter on Provider's letterhead requesting payment and certifying that the services rendered are in compliance with the terms of the contract.
  - b. Payments shall be subject to satisfactory submittal and reconciliation of all required reports by the Provider.
  - c. An expense summary, indicating the appropriate line item expenses to be charged.
  - d. Expenses must be in accordance with the Provider's budget.

# C. Budget Revision

- 1. Any budget revision requested by the Provider shall be in writing and shall be subject to the State's approval. If an amount of reported expenditure is subsequently determined by the State to be inappropriate, unallowable, or not made in accordance with the approved budget or approved revised budget, the State may require that an equivalent amount of monies be refunded by the Provider to the State.
- 2. The Provider's administrative cost in any or all revised or supplemental contract shall not exceed the total percentage specified in the proposed budget.
- 3. The Provider shall submit any budget revision request to the State for approval prior to 90 days before the contract expires. A budget revision request shall not be accepted by the State within 90 days of the contract expiration, unless otherwise agreed by the State in writing.

#### D. Final Payment

- 1. Final payment is subject to the following:
  - a. Receipt of a current Certificate of Vendor Compliance issued by Hawaii Compliance Express.
  - b. Submission by the Provider and acceptance by the State of all required reports including without limitation, the annual report.
  - c. Resolution of all discrepancies in performance of services and completion of all other outstanding matters under this contract.
- 2. Final payment for each year of the contract shall be withheld as an amount equal to the five percent (5%) the total contract amount for each year of the contract. Said withheld amount shall be subject to satisfactory submittal and reconciliation of all reports, and section 103-53, HRS, which requires a tax clearance from the Director of Taxation and the Internal Revenue Service. Any debt owed to the State Department of Taxation shall be offset first. If the Provider fails to satisfactorily submit all reports to the State within three months of the termination date of this contract, the Provider shall forfeit any and all claims to the final payment and shall still be required to submit copies of valid tax clearances to the State within three months of the termination date of vendor compliance issued by the Hawaii Compliance Express may be submitted in lieu of the tax clearance certificate.
- 3. Written expenditure reports and activity reports submitted by the Provider shall be reviewed by the State. Each report shall be subject to the State's preliminary determination of appropriateness. The reported expenditures may be subject to subsequent verification and audit.

Section 103-10, HRS, provides that the State shall have thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of invoice or satisfactory delivery of goods or performance of the services to make payment. The date of the invoice shall be the later of the: 1) date of invoice, or 2) postmark of original invoice received by the State via United States Postal Service.

# E. Unallowable Expenditures

If an amount of reported expenditure(s) is subsequently determined by the State to be inappropriate, unallowable, or not made in accordance with the approved Budget, federal and state regulations, the State may choose not reimburse the expenditure and require the Provider to resubmit another invoice accounting for only the expenditures allowed. If the Provider has already been paid, the State may require that an equivalent amount of monies be credited back to the invoice submitted or refunded by the Provider to the State for the specified amount. If after payment of the last installment, investigation and examination reveal additional expenditures that are determined by the State to be inappropriate and unallowable, the State may require that an equivalent amount of monies be refunded to the State notwithstanding the State's preliminary determination of appropriateness and allowability.

#### F. Termination of Contract

Upon the termination date of the contract for whatever reason, any and all unexpended funds advanced by DHS shall be remitted to DHS within 45 days. Funds shall be considered expended if the contractor has written verification that an expense was accrued during the time of performance, and if the expense was made in accordance with the approved budget.

# Section 3

# **Proposal Application Instructions**

# Section 3 Proposal Application Instructions

General instructions for completing applications:

- *Proposal Applications shall be submitted to the state purchasing agency using the prescribed format outlined in this section.*
- The numerical outline for the application, the titles/subtitles, and the Applicant organization and RFP identification information on the top right-hand corner of each page should be retained. The instructions for each section however may be omitted.
- Page numbering of the Proposal Application shall be consecutive, beginning with page one and continuing through for each section. A sample format is reflected in Section 5, Attachment C of this RFP.
- The Application shall be submitted in a three-ring binder.
- *Tabbing of sections are required.*
- Times New Roman or Arial font; 12-point font size, single spacing and double spacing after each paragraph, and one-inch margins.
- Applicants must also include a Table of Contents with the Proposal Application. A sample format is reflected in Section 5, Attachment C of this RFP.
- A written response is required for **each** item unless indicated otherwise. Failure to answer any of the items will impact upon an Applicant's score.
- Applicants are **strongly** encouraged to review evaluation criteria in Section 4, Proposal Evaluation when completing the proposal.
- This form (SPOH-200A) is in Section 5, Attachment D of this RFP.

The Proposal Application is comprised of the following sections:

Applicant shall not exceed the listed number of pages for the narrative portion of each section (this does not include the required attachments):

•	Proposal Application Identification Form	(1 page)
٠	Table of Contents	(2 pages)
٠	Program Overview	(2 pages)
•	Experience and Capability	(10 pages)
•	Project Organization and Staffing	(5 pages)
•	Service Delivery	(10 pages)
٠	Financial	(5 pages)
٠	Other	(2 pages)

# 3.1 Program Overview

The Applicant shall give a brief overview to orient evaluators as to the program/services being offered. The Applicant shall clearly and concisely summarize the content and purpose of the proposal in such a way as to provide the State with a broad understanding of the entire proposal. The Applicant shall include a description of their organization, the goals and objectives relating to the program/services, and how the proposed services will address the problems or needs identified in Section 2 of this RFP.

# 3.2 Experience and Capability

#### A. Necessary Skills

The Applicant shall demonstrate that it has the necessary skills, abilities, and knowledge relating to the delivery of the proposed services.

#### B. Experience

The Provider shall have a minimum of one (1) year of verifiable experience within the most recent three (3) years that are pertinent to the service activities detailed in Section 2 of this RFP. The Applicant shall provide the following information regarding each of its pertinent contracts/programs listed:

- 1. Contract number
- 2. Contracting agency
- 3. Name of contact person, phone number, email address, and mailing address of the contracting agency
- 4. Title <u>and</u> a brief description of the service

The Provider shall also provide information demonstrating its experience in working with different individuals, cultures, and communities, including those who have Limited English Proficiency (LEP).

The DHS reserves the right to verify the Provider's experience.

# C. Quality Assurance and Evaluation

The Provider shall describe its own plans for quality assurance and evaluation for the proposed services, including methodology.

#### D. Coordination of Services

The Provider shall provide information that demonstrates its capability of coordinating with the DHS and other agencies/community resources to meet the needs of the target population.

The Provider shall demonstrate their participation in their local CES, CoC, and Point-in-Time Count, assist in maintaining a current by-name list that includes all sheltered and unsheltered Homeless people, using the VI-SPDAT as determined by their CoC and compliance with all CoC and CES written standards, policies, and procedures.

#### E. Facilities

The Provider shall provide a description of its facilities and demonstrate its adequacy in relation to the proposed services. If facilities are not presently available, Provider shall describe plans to secure facilities. Provider shall describe how the facilities meet ADA requirements, as applicable, and the special equipment that may be required for the services.

# **3.3 Project Organization and Staffing**

#### A. Staffing

1. Proposed Staffing

The Provider shall describe the proposed staffing pattern, Participant/staff ratio and proposed caseload capacity appropriate for the viability of the services.

<u>Note</u>: If the Provider proposes the use of subcontracting, the Provider shall also include the above information for the proposed subcontracted staff.

2. Staff Qualifications

The Provider shall provide a position description specifying the education, work experience, training qualifications, and the work requirements for each staff position identified in the proposed budget. The Provider shall provide a current resume for all personnel identified in the proposed budget request.

<u>Note</u>: If the Provider proposes the use of subcontracting, the Provider shall also include the above information for the proposed subcontracted staff.

#### B. **Project Organization**

1. Supervision and Training

The Provider shall describe its ability to supervise, train and provide administrative direction relative to the delivery of the proposed services. The training plan shall identify areas of training, how training will be structured (initial new hire, monthly, quarterly, annually, refreshers, etc.), the expertise of who will be facilitating the training, and the timeline of when the training will be completed.

2. Organization Chart

The Provider shall reflect the position of each staff and line of responsibility/supervision (Include position title, name and full time equivalency). Both the "Organization-wide" and "Program" organization charts shall be attached to the Proposal Application.

#### C. Work Plan

The Provider shall propose reasonable numbers and percentages for all items listed in the work plans. Clear justifications shall be provided for the proposed numbers and percentages. The DHS shall have the final determination regarding the numbers and percentages for each contract (see Attachment M).

The work plan will be used to determine and calculate performance measures and outcome rates in payments in Section 2.5, Compensation and Method of Payment.

# **3.4** Service Delivery

Provider shall include a detailed discussion of its approach to applicable service activities and management requirements from Section 2, Scope of Work, including (if indicated) a work plan of all service activities and tasks to be completed, related work assignments/responsibilities and timelines/schedules.

<u>Note:</u> It shall not be acceptable for the Provider to simply repeat language in the RFP when addressing the specific service activities and tasks. Providers shall provide examples to demonstrate its ability to perform the contracted services.

#### 3.5 Financial

#### A. Pricing Structure

The Provider shall submit a clear, detailed budget utilizing the pricing structure designated by the State purchasing agency in Section 2 of this RFP. The budget shall fully support the delivery of the proposed services.

The Applicant shall submit a budget for the first contract period as follows: Year 1: June 27, 2021 – June 26, 2022

<u>Note</u>: The Provider is advised that, for budgeting purposes, there are insurance requirements and auditing requirements under this contract.

All budget forms, instructions and samples are located in Section 5, Attachment E of this RFP. The following budget form(s) shall be submitted with the Proposal Application:

- 1. SPOH-205, Budget Program Budget (Budget, Admin)
- 2. SPOH-205, Budget Program Budget "All Funding Sources for the Housing First Program"
- 3. SPOH-206A, Budget justification Personnel Salaries & Wages
- 4. SPOH-206B, Budget justification Personnel Payroll Taxes, Assessments & Fringe Benefits
- 5. SPOH-206C, Budget justification Travel inter-island
- 6. SPOH-206D, Budget justification Travel out-of-state
- 7. SPOH-206E, Budget justification Contractual Services, Administrative
- 8. SPOH-206F, Budget justification Contractual Services, Subcontracts
- 9. SPOH-206G, Budget justification Depreciation
- 10. SPOH-206H, Budget justification Program Activities
- 11. SPOH-206I, Budget justification Equipment Purchases
- 12. SPOH-206J, Budget justification Motor Vehicle

Indicate "N/A" if budget justification form is not applicable.

The Provider shall submit two (2) separate budget justification forms for SPOH-206A through SPOH-206J one set of forms for operations and another set of forms for administrative costs. Indicate "N/A" if budget justification form is not applicable.

All budgeted costs (personnel, other current expenses, administrative, and performance) shall be appropriate considering the service activities and tasks to be accomplished. The Provider shall clearly explain how it verified that all budgeted costs are reasonable and comparable to similar costs in the community. The Provider's budget shall be in compliance with any applicable laws, regulations, and rules.

Enter the budget amounts for each costs item listed. Use the Cost Principles included in Section 5, Attachment G of this RFP.

<u>SPOH-205 Program Budget</u> (Budget, Administrative) shall have two (2) columns – (a) Total Budget; (b) Administrative Cost; as described below:

Column (a): The Total Budget shall include requested budget amounts for each cost item listed. Use the Cost Principles included in the RFP as a guide to determine which costs are allowed.

Column (b): The Administrative Cost is the general management, oversight, coordination, evaluation and reporting on contracted services. Such costs do not include costs directly related to carrying out contracted services.

The Provider shall provide a clear budget for the administrative costs, not to exceed 15% of the total funding amount, and justify the costs. If the Provider has a federally approved indirect rate, the Provider shall provide the approval letter and the general categories used to determine the federal rate. The Provider must submit an administrative cost budget and justify the costs using the same justification forms but clearly identified as budget and administrative cost despite the Provider's approval for the federal rate. The Provider may use the general categories from the federal rate but the Provider's indirect costs for this contract must not exceed 15%.

The administrative costs budget, federally approved indirect rate approval letter, and general categories used to determine the federal rate shall be attached to the Application.

The Provider shall take into consideration the total amount of administrative percentage identified in the proposed budget. The administrative percentage costs identified in the proposed budget shall remain consistent for the total of five (5) years or until this program is re-procured, whichever is sooner.

<u>SPOH-205 Program Budget All Funding Sources</u> for the program shall have up to four columns – (a) Total <u>Program Funds</u>; (b) Budget Request for this RFP; (c) and (d) shall identify total budget by funding source. If additional columns are needed, use additional copies of this form. See descriptions below:

Column (a): Total Funds shall reflect all funding for the program.

Column (b): The Budget Request column shall include requested budget amounts for each cost item listed in this RFP.

Column (c) and (d) if applicable, shall identify any additional funding sources used for the program. Provider shall use column heading such as Federal, State, Funds Raised, etc. If additional columns are needed, use additional copies of this form.

#### B. Financial Related Materials

<u>Attach as Exhibit VI</u>: The Provider shall attach to the proposal its policies and procedures that are implemented to manage finances, in order to determine the adequacy of the Provider's financial controls and accounting system as described under HAR, § 3-141-202.

The requirements for an adequate accounting system should include, but is not limited to the Provider's ability to:

- 1. Accurately keep all procurement and financial records required by law, the purchasing agency, and/or the State Procurement Office;
- 2. The ability to permit Timely development of all necessary cost data in the form required by the specific contract type contemplated; and
- 3. Comply with generally accepted account principles.

<u>Attach as Exhibit VII</u>: In addition to what is described above, the Provider shall submit its most recently completed financial audit, including any management letters that accompanied that audit. The financial audit and letters shall be attached to the Application.

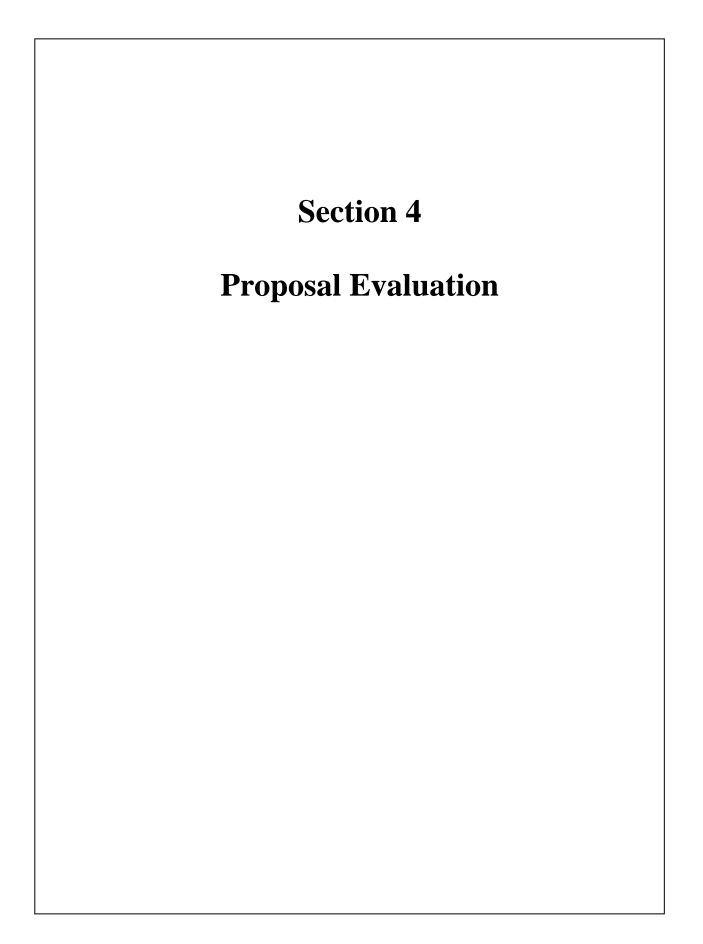
#### C. Other Sources of Funding

The Provider shall include other sources of funding, if applicable, that the Provider will rely upon to support the program under this funding opportunity.

#### 3.6 Other

#### Litigation

The Provider shall disclose and explain any pending litigation to which they are a party, including the disclosure of any outstanding judgment. If applicable, please explain.



# Section 4 Proposal Evaluation

#### 4.1 Introduction

The evaluation of proposals received in response to the RFP will be conducted comprehensively, fairly and impartially. Structural, quantitative scoring techniques will be utilized to maximize the objectivity of the evaluation.

All proposals will be initially reviewed to determine if the proposed Project meets the minimum requirements. Particularly, proposals must 1) be submitted by an eligible agency; 2) serve eligible beneficiaries; 3) contain eligible activities appropriate for the population to be served; and, 4) be financially feasible and cost effective. All minimum requirements shall be met or proposals will be returned to the proposing agency.

#### 4.2 Evaluation Process

The procurement officer or an evaluation committee of designated reviewers selected by the head of the state purchasing agency or procurement officer shall review and evaluate proposals. When an evaluation committee is utilized, the committee will be comprised of individuals with experience in, knowledge of, and program responsibility for program service and financing.

The DHS reserves the right to request written clarifications or revisions during the evaluation process.

The evaluation will be conducted in three phases as follows:

- A. Phase 1 Evaluation of Proposal Requirements
- B. Phase 2 Evaluation of Proposal Application
- C. Phase 3 Recommendation for Award

#### **Evaluation Categories and Thresholds**

Evaluation Categories	<b>Possible Points</b>
Administrative Requirements	Required
Proposal Application	
Program Overview	0 points
Experience and Capability	10 points
Project Organization and Staffing	23 points
Service Delivery	47 points
Financial	20 points

#### TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS

**100 Points** 

#### SATISFACTORY PROPOSAL SCORE 70 Points

The Applicant's total points will be identified and categorized as one of the following: **more than**, **meets**, or **are less than** the total points necessary for a satisfactory proposal score. If the Applicant is awarded the contract, the DHS requests that any comments written on the Proposal Evaluation Form be addressed by the Applicant before contract execution.

The Applicant scores in the "Service Delivery" category will be utilized to break any initial ties in scoring. If subsequent tie-breaks are needed, the Applicants' score in the category of "Experience and Capability" will be used.

#### 4.3 Evaluation Criteria

#### A. Phase 1 - Evaluation of Proposal Requirements

Failure to include any of the required documents stated in A.1. Administrative Requirements and A.2. Proposal Application Requirements as part of the submitted final proposal shall result in rejection of the proposal.

#### 1. Administrative Requirements

- a. All Items on the Proposal Application Checklist
- b. Tax Clearance Certificate/Vendor Compliance Certificate

#### 2. **Proposal Application Requirements**

- a. Proposal Application Identification Form (SPOH-200)
- b. Table of Contents
- c. Program Overview
- d. Experience and Capability
- e. Project Organization and Staffing
- f. Service Delivery
- g. Financial
- h. Other

#### B. Phase 2 - Evaluation of Proposal Application

#### **Proposal Evaluation Form**

1. Experience and Capability	10 Points
Does the Applicant have the necessary experience to	
implement the proposed program as evidenced by similar	
past programs which serve the intended Participant group?	
Does the Applicant have adequate management and	
professional staff to successfully implement and manage the	

proposed program? (5 Points)	
Does the Applicant have the necessary experience to implement the proposed program based on experience with past programs which are related to, but not similar to the proposed program? Does the Applicant need to recruit and/or train additional management and professional staff prior to the implementation of the proposed program to augment existing staff? ( <b>3 Points</b> )	
<ul> <li>The Applicant does not have relevant or related past experience. The Applicant needs to recruit and/or train new personnel to manage and operate the proposed program?</li> <li>(0 Points)</li> </ul>	
Capacity of Applicant – Readiness to Proceed	
☐ Has the Applicant secured a site to implement the proposed program? Are all resources necessary to implement the proposed program secured, or will be secured with the receipt of the requested funding? Has the Applicant developed program guidelines and identified key personnel who will manage and implement the proposed program? (5 Points)	
Has the Applicant secured most of the resources necessary to implement the proposed program? Do resources include an operation site, an outline of program guidelines, and identification of key staff members who will manage and implement the proposed program? (3 Points)	
☐ The Applicant has not secured a site in which to operate the proposed program and the resources necessary to implement the proposed program. The Applicant has not developed program guidelines or identified key staff that will manage the proposed program. (0 Points)	

2. Program Organization and Staffing	23 Points
Does the Applicant proposed staffing patterns, Participant to staff ratios, and proposed caseload capacity appropriate for the viability of the services to be provided?	
(5 Points)	

Does the Applicant meet the minimum qualifications for staff assigned to the program? This includes the knowledge and experience of the proposed program director and/or staff. (5 Points)	
Has the Applicant demonstrated that services will be provided by persons with training and/or expertise appropriate to the type of service offered? (5 Points)	
Does the Applicant demonstrate the ability to supervise, train and provide administrative direction relative to the delivery of the proposed services? (5 Points)	
Does the Applicant's organizational charts identify staff positions and lines of responsibility/supervision? (3 Points)	

3. Service Delivery	47 Points
Will your program practice the Housing First approach? (demonstrate a low barrier approach and prioritize rapid re- housing placement and stabilization in permanent housing) ( <b>13 Points</b> )	
Does the Applicant demonstrate a thorough understanding of the purpose and scope of the proposed program's service activities? ( <b>10 Points</b> )	
Does the Applicant demonstrate a thorough understanding of community partnerships and/or linking Participants with community based resources and services? (3 Points)	
Does the Applicant demonstrate a logical approach (including timelines) and a step-by-step process that explains in detail the planning and delivery of tasks and activities to the targeted Participant base? ( <b>10 Points</b> )	
Do the budgeted activities for the program proposal fall within the guidelines as stated in the emphasis on Housing First activities in Section 2 of this RFP? ( <b>3 Points</b> )	

Does the Project demonstrate prioritization of program Applicants based on vulnerability and need? (5 Points)	
Does the Applicant discuss in sufficient detail how the output/outcomes will be tracked and documented? ( <b>3 Points</b> )	

4. Financial	20 Points
Does the Applicant have an adequate accounting system and financial controls? (5 Points)	
What percentage of administrative cost is identified in the proposed budget?	
<ul> <li>0% - 5% (10 Points)</li> <li>6% (9 Points)</li> <li>7% (8 Points)</li> <li>8% (7 Points)</li> <li>9% (6 Points)</li> <li>10% (5 Points)</li> <li>11% (4 Points)</li> <li>12% (3 Points)</li> <li>13% (2 Points)</li> <li>14% (1 Points)</li> <li>15% (0 Points)</li> </ul>	
Does the Applicant have other sources of funding to support the program?	
<ul> <li>Yes - Has other funding sources</li> <li>25% or More (5 Points)</li> <li>15% - 24% (3 Points)</li> <li>10% - 14% (2 Points)</li> <li>5% - 9% (1 Points)</li> <li>0% - 4% (0 Points)</li> </ul>	

### C. Phase 3 - Recommendation for Award

Each notice of award shall contain a statement of findings and decision for the award or non-award of the contract to each Applicant.

# Section 5

# Attachments

- A. Proposal Application Identification Form (SPO-H-200)
- **B.** Proposal Application Checklist
- C. Sample Proposal Application Table of Contents
- D. Proposal Application (SPO-H-200A)
- E. Budget Forms and Instructions
- F. General Conditions
- G. Cost Principles
- H. Homeless Verification Letter
- I. Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT) Forms
- J. Housing Plan including Discharge Plan
- K. Performance Measures and Outcomes Form
- L. Program and Fiscal Reports:
  - a. Payment Request with attachments
  - b. Financial Reports Quarterly
  - c. Language Access Reporting Tool
- M. Work Plan

### ATTACHMENT A

### Proposal Application Identification Form (SP0-H-200)

This is a "protected" form which should be completed online then printed.

Refer to the SPO website at: <u>http://spo.hawaii.gov/all-forms/</u>

# ATTACHMENT B

**Proposal Application Checklist** 

### **Proposal Application Checklist**

#### Applicant:

RFP No.:

The Applicant's proposal must contain the following components in the <u>order</u> shown below. Return this checklist to the purchasing agency as part of the Proposal Application.

Item	Reference in RFP	Format/Instructions Provided	Required by Purchasing Agency	Applicant to place "X" for items included in Proposal
General:				•
Proposal Application Identification		SPO Website*		
Form (SPOH-200)	Section 1, RFP	Attachment A	X	
Proposal Application Checklist	Section 1, RFP	Attachment B	X	
Table of Contents	Section 5, RFP	Attachment C	X	
Proposal Application (SPOH-200A)	Section 3, RFP	Attachment D	X	
Provider Compliance	Section 1, RFP	SPO Website*	X	
Cost Proposal (Budget)	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-205 Program Budget	,			
(Budget and Admin)	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-205 Program Budget "All	,			
Funding Sources for Program"	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
**The Provider shall submit two (2)	1			H-206J one
set of forms for operations and anoth	er set of forms for adr	ninistrative costs. Indicate	"N/A" if budget	justification
form is not applicable.			8	,
SPO-H-206A** Budget				
Justification (BJ) - Personnel				
Salaries & Wages	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206B** BJ – Pers. Payroll				
Taxes, Asses. & Fringe Benefits	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206C** BJ – Travel inter-				
island	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206D** BJ – Travel out-of-	,			
state	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206E** BJ – Contractual				
Services. Admin	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206F** Contractual				
Services. Subcontracts	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206G** BJ – Depreciation	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206H** BJ – Program				
Activities	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206I BJ** – Equipment				
Purchases	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
SPO-H-206J BJ** – Motor Vehicle	Section 3, RFP	Attachment E	X	
Program Specific Requirements:	7			
Work Plan	Section 3, RFP	Attachment L	X	
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Exhibits:				
I. Grievance/Termination Procedures	Section 2, RFP	Page 2-24	X	
II. Organization Charts	Section 2, RFP	Page 2-30	X	
III. Training Plan	Section 2, RFP	Page 2-31	X	
IV. Policy on Confidentiality	Section 2, RFP	Page 2-35	X	
	Section 2, KFF	r age 2-33	Λ	

IV. Housing Quality Standards and Inspection	Section 2, RFP	Page 2-36	X	
VI. Financial Policy and Procedures	Section 2, RFP	Page 3-6	X	
VII. Financial Audit	Section 3, RFP	Page 3-7	Х	

\*Refer to Section 1.2, Website Reference for website address.

\*\* The Provider shall submit two (2) separate budget justification forms for SPOH-206A through SPOH-206J one set of forms for operations and another set of forms for administrative costs. Indicate "N/A" if budget justification form is not applicable.

### ATTACHMENT C

Sample Proposal Application Table of Contents

### Proposal Application Table of Contents

1.0	Program Overview			
2.0				
	A.	Necessary Skills		
	B.	Experience		
	C.	Quality Assurance and Evaluation		
	D.	Coordination of Services		
	E.	Facilities		
3.0	Pro	ject Organization and Staffing7		
	А.	Staffing7		
		1. Proposed Staffing		
		2. Staff Qualifications		
	B.	Project Organization		
		1. Supervision and Training		
		2. Organization Chart (Program & Organization-wide)		
		(See Exhibits for Organization Charts)		
	C.	Work Plan		
4.0	Sor	vice Delivery		
4.0	Sei			
5.0	Fin	ancial		
	See	Attachments for Cost Proposal		
6.0	Liti	gation		
7.0	.0 Attachments			
	A.	Cost Proposal		
		SPO-H-205 Proposal Budget		
		SPO-H-206A Budget Justification - Personnel: Salaries & Wages		
		SPO-H-206B Budget Justification - Personnel: Payroll Taxes and		
		Assessments, and Fringe Benefits		
		SPO-H-206C Budget Justification - Travel: Interisland		
		SPO-H-206E Budget Justification - Contractual Services – Administrative		
	B.	Other Financial Related Materials		
		Financial Audit for fiscal year ended June 30, 2020		
	D.	Organization Chart		
		Program		
		Organization-wide		
	E.	Program Specific Requirement		
	<b>L</b> .	Work Plan		
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### ATTACHMENT D

Proposal Application (Form SPOH-200A)

Notice to applicants: When completing the proposal application, refer to Section 3 (Proposal Application Instructions) of the RFP. The Proposal Application for a particular RFP may be modified (such as having additional subsections). The proposal application submitted by applicants must reflect Section 3 of the RFP.

Applicant: RFP No.:

### **Proposal Application**

#### **Program Overview** I.

#### **Experience and Capability** II.

**Necessary Skills** A.

#### B. Experience

#### C. **Quality Assurance and Evaluation**

Applicant:	
RFP No.:	
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#### **D.** Coordination of Services

E. Facilities

### III. Project Organization and Staffing

- A. Staffing
  - 1. Proposed Staffing

#### 2. Staff Qualifications

#### B. Project Organization

1. Supervision and Training

Applicant:	
RFP No.:	

#### 2. Organization Chart

#### C. Work Plan

### **IV.** Service Delivery

#### V. Financial

#### A. Pricing Structure

The following budget form(s) are submitted with the Proposal Application:

#### **B. Financial Related Materials** *(if applicable to the RFP)*

C. Other Sources of Funding

### VI. Other

A. Litigation

### ATTACHMENT E

Budget Forms and Instructions

#### COST PROPOSAL (BUDGET) FORMS (INSTRUCTIONS AND SAMPLES) ON PURCHASES OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

#### (Chapter 103F, Hawaii Revised Statutes)

Form No.	Form Title
SPO-H-205	Budget-Budget and Admin
SP0-H-205	Budget-All Funding Sources for Program
SPO-H-206A	Budget Justification-Personnel: Salaries & Wages
SPO-H-206B	Budget Justification-Personnel: Payroll Taxes. Assessments & Fringe Benefits
SPO-H-206C	Budget Justification-Travel: Inter-Island
SPO-H-206D	Budget Justification-Travel: Out of State
SPO-H-206E	Budget Justification-Contractual Services: Administrative
SPO-H- 206F	Budget Justification-Contractual Services: Subcontracts
SPO-H-206G	Budget Justification-Depreciation
SPO-H-206H	Budget Justification-Program Activities
SPO-H-206I	Budget Justification- Equipment Purchases
SPO-H-206J	Budget Justification-Motor Vehicle

Don't forget the Cost Principles (SPOH 201)

	FORM SPO-H-205 BUDGET & ADMIN
Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
RFP#:	Enter the Request for Proposal (RFP) identifying number for this service activity
Column (a) Budget Request	Budget Request. Enter the requested budget amounts for each cost item listed. Use the Cost Principles included in the RFP as a guide to determine which costs are allowed.
Column (b) Administrative Cost	The Administrative Cost is the general management, oversight, coordination, evaluation and reporting on contracted services. Such costs do not include costs directly related to carrying out contracted services.
Column (c)	
Column (d)	
TOTAL (A+B+C+D)	Sum the subtotals for Budget Categories A, B, C and D, for Columns (a) through (d)
SOURCE OF FUNDING	
(a) (b) (c) (d)	Enter total budget requested
TOTAL REVENUE	Enter total budget requested
Budget Prepared by:	Type or print the name of the person who prepared the budget request and their telephone number. If there are any question or comments, this person will be contacted for further information and clarification. Provide signature of Applicant's authorized representative, and date of approval.

**Instructions for Completing** 

### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Column (b):	
Column (c):	
Column (d):	

### Budget MM/DD/YYYY to MM/DD/YYYY FY 20xx

Provider: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Type of Service: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Contract No.: \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET CATEGORIES	Total Budget	Administrative Cost		
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A. PERSONNEL COST				
1. Salaries	80,000.00	9,000.00		
2. Payroll Taxes & Assessments	7,500.00	1,000.00		
3. Fringe Benefits	11,000.00	1,500.00		
TOTAL PERSONNEL COST	98,500.00	11,500.00	0.00	0.00
B. OTHER CURRENT EXPENSES				
1. Airfare (Inter-Island)	500.00		0.00	0.00
2. Airfare (Out-of-State)	800.00		0.00	0.00
3. Audit Services	500.00		0.00	0.00
4. Contractual Services - Administrative	900.00		0.00	0.00
5. Contractual Services - Subcontracts	900.00		0.00	0.00
6. Depreciation			0.00	0.00
7 Food			0.00	0.00
8. Insurance	500.00		0.00	0.00
9. Interest			0.00	0.00
10. Lease/Rental of Equipment			0.00	0.00
11. Lease/Rental of Motor Vehicle	シアル		0.00	0.00
12. Lease/Rental of Space			0.00	0.00
13. Mileage	400.00		0.00	0.00
14. Postage, Freight and Delivery	200.00		0.00	0.00
15. Program Activities	5,000.00		0.00	0.00
16. Publication, Printing, and Advertising			0.00	0.00
17. Repair and Maintenance	1,200.00		0.00	0.00
18. Staff Training	500.00		0.00	0.00
19. Subsistance/Per Diem			0.00	0.00
20. Supplies	500.00		0.00	0.00
21. Telecommunication	1,000.00		0.00	0.00
22. Transportation	500.00		0.00	0.00
23. Utilities	2,000.00		0.00	0.00
24. Client Assistance			0.00	0.00
TOTAL OTHER CURRENT EXPENSES	15,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C. EQUIPMENT PURCHASES				
D. MOTOR VEHICLE PURCHASES				
TOTAL EXPENSES	113,900.00	11,500.00	0.00	0.00
		Budget Prepared By:		
			Howaiii	
SOURCES OF FUNDING		Joe E. Hawaî`i		Disco
(a) Budget Request	113,900.00	Name (Please type or print)		Phone
(b)				
		Signature of Authorized Official		Date
(c)				
(d)		Dee D. Boss		
		Name and Title (Please type or print)		
		For State Agency Use Only		
TOTAL REVENUE	113,900.00	x		
	,	Signature of Reviewer		Date
		J		

### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-205 ALL FUNDING SOURCES

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
RFP#:	Enter the Request for Proposal (RFP) identifying number for this service activity
For Call columns (a) thru (d)	Report your total program budget for this fiscal year by <b>source of funds</b> . Your program's budget should reflect the total budget of the program. Report each source of fund in separate columns, by budget line item.
	For the first column on the first page of this form, use the column heading "Total Program Budget".
	For the remaining columns you man use columns headings such as: Federal, State, Funds Raised, Program Income, etc. If additional columns are needed, use additional copes for this form.
Columns (b), (c), & (d)	Identify sources of funding in space provided for column titles.
TOTAL (A+B+C+D)	Sum the subtotals for Budget Categories A, B, C and D, for Columns (a) through (d)
SOURCE OF FUNDING (a) (b) (c) (d)	Identify all sources of funding to be used for this program.
TOTAL REVENUE	Enter the sum of all revenue sources cited above.
Budget Prepared by:	Type or print the name of the person who prepared the budget request and their telephone number. If there are any question or comments, this person will be contacted for further information and clarification. Provide signature of Applicant's authorized representative, and date of approval.

#### Budget MM/DD/YYYY to MM/DD/YYYY FY 20xx

Provider: Type of Service: Contract No.:

BUDGET CATEGORIES		Total Program Budget (a)	State Funds (b) (c)		Federal Funds (d)	
A.	PERSONNEL COST					
1.	Salaries	115,000.00	80,000.00	25,000	10,000	
2.	Payroll Taxes & Assessments	9,000.00	7,500.00	1,000	500	
3.	Fringe Benefits	13,100.00	11,000.00	1,400	700	
	TOTAL PERSONNEL COST	137,100.00	98,500.00	27,400.00	11,200.00	
В.	OTHER CURRENT EXPENSES					
1.	Airfare (Inter-Island)	500.00	500.00	0.00		
2.	Airfare (Out-of-State)	800.00	800.00	0		
3.	Audit Services	500.00	500.00			
4.	Contractual Services - Administrative	1,400.00	900.00	500		
5.	Contractual Services - Subcontracts	1,900.00	900.00	1,000		
6.	Depreciation	0.00				
7	Food	3,000.00		1,000	2,000	
8.	Insurance	700.00	500.00	200		
9.	Interest	0.00				
10.	Lease/Rental of Equipment	0.00				
	Lease/Rental of Motor Vehicle	0.00				
12.	Lease/Rental of Space	0.00				
13.	Mileage	500.00	400.00		100	
	Postage, Freight and Delivery	300.00	200.00		100	
	Program Activities	7,000.00	5,000.00	1,000	1,000	
	Publication, Printing, and Advertising	0.00	· · · · ·			
	Repair and Maintenance	2,100.00	1,200.00	200	700	
	Staff Training	700.00	500.00	200		
	Subsistance/Per Diem	0.00				
	Supplies	500.00	500.00			
	Telecommunication	1,800.00	1,000.00	300	500	
22.	Transportation	1,000.00	500.00		500	
	Utilities	3,000.00	2,000.00	500	500	
24.	Client Assistance	0.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
	TOTAL OTHER CURRENT EXPENSES	25,700.00	15,400.00	4,900.00	5,400.00	
C.	EQUIPMENT PURCHASES				· · · ·	
D.	MOTOR VEHICLE PURCHASES					
	TOTAL EXPENSES	162,800.00	113,900.00	32,300.00	16,600.00	
	TOTAL LAPENSES	102,000.00	Budget Prepared By:	52,500.00	10,000.00	
SOL	IRCES OF FUNDING		Joe E. Hawai`i		999-9999	
(a)	Total Program Budget	162,800.00	Dee D. Boss, Executive Director		Phone	
• • •	State Funds	113,900.00	x		1/1/2019	
	Privately Raised Funds	32,300.00	Signature of Authorized Official		Date	
(d) Federal Funds		16,600.00				
			Name and Title (Please type or print)			
			For State Agency Use Only			
	TOTAL REVENUE	162,800.00	x			
			Signature of Reviewer		Date	

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206A BUDGET JUSTIFICATION PERSONNEL - SALARIES & WAGES

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will
	cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
POSITION NO.	Enter each employee's position number.
POSITION TITLE	Enter the position title for each identified position.
FULL TIME	Enter the full-time equivalency of employees to the organization (i.e., full-
EQUIVALENT to	time is 1.0; half-time is 0.5). If the employee is employed on an hourly
Organization.	basis, estimate the FTE and indicate it is an estimation in the
	justification/comments section.
ANNUAL SALARY	Enter the employee's annual salary. If part-time, report what employee
Including Budgeted	actually earns for the year. If employed on an hourly basis, estimate the
Salary Increase	annual salary and indicate the hourly wage in the comments section (e.g.,
(A)	\$6.00/hr).
% OF TIME BUDGETED	Enter the percentage of employees' time charged to the budget for this
to the Contract	contract. (e.g., if the employee is employed by the organization at 0.5 FTE
(B)	and half of that time is for this contract, the percentage will be 50%).
TOTAL SALARY	Enter the salary budgeted. This should be the result of multiplying (A) x
BUDGETED to the	(B). If it is not, a full explanation must be given. At the bottom of this
Contract	column, enter the TOTAL of this column. It must correspond to the
(AxB)	Salaries budgeted for the contract.
JUSTIFICATION/	Provide any other comments or explanations. Attach additional sheets, if
COMMENTS:	necessary.

#### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION PERSONNEL - SALARIES AND WAGES

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared: 02/14/95

POSITION NO.	POSITION TITLE	FULL TIME EQUIVALENT TO ORGANIZATION	ANNUAL SALARY INCLUDING BUDGETED SALARY INCREASE A	% OF TIME BUDGETED TO THE CONTRACT B	TOTAL SALARY BUDGETED TO THE CONTRAC A x B
25708	Accountant	0.50	36,000	0.75%	27,000
25712	Registered Professional Nurse	1.00	52,000	0.50%	26,000
25719	Executive Director	1.00	60,000	0.10%	6,000
25720	Physician_	0.50	84,000	0.25%	21,000
25725	Social Worker	0.75	38,000	0.50%	19,000
		SA	MPL		
TOTAL:					\$99,000

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206B BUDGET JUSTIFICATION PERSONNEL: PAYROLL TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, & FRINGE BENEFITS

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will
i chou.	cover a fiscal year.
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Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
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Payroll Taxes-Social Security	Indicate the total amount for Social Security and Unemployment
and Unemployment	Insurance.
Assessments - Workers' Compensation & TDI	Indicate the total amount charged for Workers' Compensation and Temporary Disability Insurance assessments.
BASIS OF FRINGE ASSESSMENTS	
Health Insurance	Indicate the basis of the fringe benefit assessment for health insurance. For example, if an employer is contributing toward the cost of a health insurance plan for its employees and is passing the cost on to the budget, the basis for the assessment to the budget should be indicated, e.g., the percentage of the employer's contribution toward the plan.
Retirement	Indicate the basis of the fringe benefit assessment for retirement. For example, if an employer is making a contribution towards a retirement plan for employees, the basis for the assessment to the budget should be indicated, e.g., the employer's contribution toward the plan based on a percentage (specify) of employee's salaries.
JUSTIFICATION/	Provide any other comments or explanations. Attach additional sheets, if
COMMENTS:	necessary.

### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION PERSONNEL: PAYROLL TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, AND FRINGE BENEFITS

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared: 02/14

ТҮРЕ	BASIS OF ASSESSMENTS OR FRINGE BENEFITS	% OF SALARY	TOTAL
PAYROLL TAXES & ASSESSMENTS:			
Social Security	As required by law	As required by law	5,374
Unemployment Insurance (Federal)	As required by law	As required by law	281
Unemployment Insurance (State)	As required by law	As required by law	1,370
Worker's Compensation	As required by law	As required by law	520
Temporary Disability Insurance	As required by law	As required by law	98
SUBTOTAL:		SAMPL	Part 2007
Health Insurance	Personnel Policy	6.35	4,461_
Retirement	Personnel Policy	9.95	6,990
SUBTOTAL:			\$11,451
TOTAL:			\$19,09 <u>4</u>
JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS:			

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206C BUDGET JUSTIFICATION TRAVEL - INTER-ISLAND

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will
	cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
NAME OF EMPLOYEE	Enter name and/or position title for individual(s) who will be traveling.
& TITLE	
DESTINATION	Enter destination and purpose of travel (e.g., training, provision of services, etc.) Travel must be directly related to the program.
NO. DAYS	Enter the estimated number of days of travel.
PER DIEM	Enter the per diem or subsistence amount requested (i.e., per diem rate
Α	multiplied by the number of days of travel.) Per diem should be based on the applicant's per diem policy and should not exceed the maximum allowed by the state purchasing agency.
AIR FARE B	Enter the cost of airfare. First-class travel is not allowed.
TRANSPORTATION C	Enter the estimated cost of ground transportation, based on the applicant's ground transportation policy.
TOTAL	Enter column totals for columns A, B and C and the total travel cost (A+B+C). If the purpose of travel relates to two or more programs, costs for the per diem or subsistence, airfare, and taxi/bus/car should be prorated in accord with a cost allocation method approved by the state purchasing agency.
JUSTIFICATION/ COMMENTS:	Justify the need for travel for the delivery of this service activity. Enter additional explanations. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

#### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION TRAVEL - INTER-ISLAND

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared: 02/14/95

NAME OF EMPLOYEE & TITLE	DESTINATION	NO. DAYS	PER DIEM OR SUBSISTENCE A	AIR FARE B	TRANSPORTATION C	TOTAL A+B+C
1 Mary Smith, Program Director	O'ahu (Training)	2	100	100	30	230
2 Susan Yamamoto, Case Manager	O'ahu (Training)	2	100	100	10	210
3 Jane Taylor, Social Worker	Moloka'i (Provider Services)	1	30	100	5	135
4 Patrick Lau, Counselor	Moloka'i (Provider Services)	1	30 (	100	5	135
5 John Ota, Social Worker	Moloka'i (Provider Services)	1	30	100	5	135
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TOTAL:		7	\$290	\$500	\$55	\$845

1 and 2 = To attend training related to the provision of advocacy services for clients.

3, 4, and 5 = To provide advocacy services for clients living on Molokai as contracted.

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206D BUDGET JUSTIFICATION TRAVEL - OUT OF STATE

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will
	cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
NAME OF EMPLOYEE & TITLE	Enter name and/or position title for individual(s) who will be traveling.
DESTINATION	Enter destination and purpose of travel (e.g., training, provision of services, etc.) Travel must be directly related to the program.
NO. DAYS	Enter the estimated number of days of travel.
PER DIEM A	Enter the per diem or subsistence amount requested (i.e., per diem rate multiplied by the number of days of travel.) Per diem should be based on the applicant's per diem policy and should not exceed the maximum allowed by the state purchasing agency.
AIR FARE B	Enter the cost of airfare. First-class travel is not allowed.
TRANSPORTATION C	Enter the estimated cost of ground transportation, based on the applicant's ground transportation policy.
TOTAL	Enter column totals for columns A, B and C and the total travel cost (A+B+C). If the purpose of travel relates to two or more programs, costs for the per diem or subsistence, airfare, and taxi/bus/car should be prorated in accord with a cost allocation method approved by the state purchasing agency.
JUSTIFICATION/ COMMENTS:	Explain need for travel, for delivery of this service activity. Attach additional sheets, if necessary. Prior approval from the state purchasing agency is needed for out-of-state travel.

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

#### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION TRAVEL - OUT OF STATE

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared: 02/14/95

NAME OF EMPLOYEE & TITLE	DESTINA	TION	NO. DAYS	PER DIEM OR SUBSISTENCE A	AIR FARE B	TRANSPORTATION C	TOTAL A+B+C
1 Mary Smith, Program Director	Portland, Oregon	(Training)	4	455	400	80	935
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2 Patrick Lau, Case Manager	Portland, Oregon	(Training)	4	455	400	80	935
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4							
5							
		JA					
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TOTAL:			8	\$910	\$800	\$160	\$1,870
JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS:							
1. and 2. = To attend the national confe	erence on client adv	vocacy, prese	enting th	ne nation's foremos	st advocacy e	experts and to make	a presentation
on Hawai'i's advocacy programs.							

Form SPO-H-206D (Effective 10/01/98)

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206E BUDGET JUSTIFICATION CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - ADMINISTRATIVE

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
NAME OF BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL	Enter the business or individual you are contracting with. If the firm or individual is not known at the time of preparation, enter "(UNKNOWN, to be selected)"
TOTAL BUDGETED	Enter the projected cost to be charged to the budget.
SERVICES PROVIDED	Identify the specific service(s) you are contracting for, with the business or individual (e.g., payroll services, occupational therapy, physical therapy, etc.)
TOTAL	Add the "Total Budgeted" column and enter the sum of the amounts listed.
JUSTIFICATION/ COMMENTS:	Justify the need for contractual services in the delivery of this service activity. Enter additional comments. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

#### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - ADMINISTRATIVE

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

Period: 07/01/98 to 06/30/98

Date Prepared: 02/14/95

NAME OF BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL	TOTAL BUDGETED	SERVICES PROVIDED	JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS		
Accountants, Inc.	600	Payroll Services	Personnel payroll services		
Life Therapeutic	1200	Occupational Therap	Required for periodic client evaluations		
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TOTAL:	\$1,800				

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206F BUDGET JUSTIFICATION CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - SUBCONTRACTS

nter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will over a fiscal year. nter the date this justification was prepared.
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nter the organization or individual you are contracting with. If the firm
individual is not known at the time of preparation, enter "(UNKNOWN,
be selected)"
nter the projected cost to be charged to the budget.
entify the specific service(s) you are contracting for, with the ganization or individual (e.g., payroll services, occupational therapy, hysical therapy, etc.)
dd the "Total Budgeted" column and enter the sum of the amounts listed.
stify the need for contractual services in the delivery of this service
ctivity. Enter additional comments. Attach additional sheets, if ecessary.

#### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - SUBCONTRACTS

Applicant/Provider: XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.

RFP No.: ABC-123

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared: 02/14/95

Contract No. (As Applicable): DHS-97-001

	TOTAL BUDGETED	SERVICES PROVIDED	JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS
Med Eval, Inc.	2,500	client evaluations	specialized services
	S	AMPL	
TOTAL:	\$2,500		

#### Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206G BUDGET JUSTIFICATION DEPRECIATION

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
ITEM	Identify the item to be depreciated individually. Do not group items by asset title.
AQUISITION COST	Purchase price paid to acquire the item(s).
AQUISITION DATE	Date item was acquired.
USEFUL LIFE	Estimate the useful life of the item as determined by Internal Revenue Service guidelines.
METHOD OF DEPREC.	Use the straight line method of depreciation. Other methods require prior approval from the state purchasing agency.
PREVIOUS DEPREC.	Enter total amount of any depreciation claim previously taken (i.e.,
TAKEN	depreciation taken on income tax returns.)
DEPRECIATED EXPENSE	Enter the amount for each depreciation expense item.
PERCENT ALLOCATED	Enter the percentage of the depreciation allocated to this proposal.
DEPRECIATION ALLOCATED	Enter the amount requested for each depreciation expense item. This should be the depreciated expense multiplied by the percent allocated.
JUSTIFICATION/ COMMENTS:	Describe the need for the depreciated items, for the delivery of the contracted service. Explain why depreciation of the expense is appropriate. Provide other comments or explanations. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

#### BUDGET JUSTIFICATION DEPRECIATION

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

#### Period: 07/01/98 to 06/30/98

Date Prepared: 02/14/98

ITEM PLEASE IDENTIFY EACH ASSET DO NOT GROUP BY ASSET TITLI			USEFUL LIFE	METHOD OF DEPRECIATION	PREVIOUS DEPRECIATION TAKEN	DEPRECIATION EXPENSE	% ALLOCATED	DEPRECIATION ALLOCATED
Computer	07/01/93	1600	5	SL	640	320	10	32.00
File Cabinet	07/01/93	322	10	SL	32	32	10	3.20
Desk	07/01/93	266	10	SL	74	27	10	2.70
Chair	07/01/93	200E	10	SL	0	20	10	2.00
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TOTAL:								\$39.90
JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS Office equipment to be used for E = Estimate SL = Straight Line Method	3:	ram office exc	lusively					

# Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206H BUDGET JUSTIFICATION PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
DESCRIPTION	Identify item(s) individually. Do not group by category titles.
AMOUNT	Enter the dollar amount of the item that will be charged to the budget for this service activity.
TOTAL	Enter total amount.
JUSTIFICATION/ COMMENTS:	Justify the need for the item, for delivery of this service activity. Enter additional comments. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

# BUDGET JUSTIFICATION PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u> Contract No. (As Applicable): <u>DHS-97-001</u>

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

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# Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-2061 BUDGET JUSTIFICATION EQUIPMENT PURCHASES

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will
	cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
DESCRIPTION OF	Identify the type of equipment to be purchased.
EQUIPMENT	
NO. OF ITEMS	Enter the number of unit(s) to be purchased.
COST PER ITEM	Enter the estimated costs for each unit.
TOTAL COST	Calculate the total cost for each type of equipment, by multiplying number
	of units by cost per unit.
TOTAL BUDGETED	Enter the dollar amount of the equipment costs that will be charged to the
	budget for this service activity. This amount will be entered as budget
	"category C. EQUIPMENT" in your budget.
JUSTIFICATION/	Justify the need for equipment for the delivery of this service activity.
COMMENTS:	Enter additional explanations. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

# BUDGET JUSTIFICATION EQUIPMENT PURCHASES

Applicant/Provider: XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.

RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u>

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared:

Contract No. (As Applicable): DHS-97-001

DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT	NO. OF ITEMS	COST PER ITEM	TOTAL COST	TOTAL BUDGETED
Printer (Model DXZ-2)	2	250	500	500
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тот	AL:			\$50

# Instructions for Completing FORM SPO-H-206J BUDGET JUSTIFICATION MOTOR VEHICLE

Applicant/Provider:	Enter the Applicant's legal name.
Period:	Enter the time period for which this budget will cover; usually, this will
	cover a fiscal year.
Date Prepared	Enter the date this justification was prepared.
DESCRIPTION OF MOTOR VEHICLE	Enter make and model of vehicle; or, provide a brief specification such as type of vehicle (i.e., sedan, van, pick-up truck), and no. of passengers (i.e., 8-passenger van). Indicate whether a new or used vehicle will be purchased, whether another vehicle will be traded-in, and indicate the approximate trade-in value, if applicable.
NO. OF ITEMS	Enter the number of vehicles to be purchased.
COST PER ITEM	Enter the estimated cost per vehicles.
TOTAL COST	Calculate the total cost for each type of vehicle, by multiplying number of units by cost per unit.
TOTAL BUDGETED	Enter the dollar amount of the motor vehicle costs that will be charged to the budget for this service activity. This amount will be entered as budget "category D. MOTOR VEHICLE" in your budget.
JUSTIFICATION/ COMMENTS:	Explain purpose for the vehicle(s) as it relates to the delivery of the contracted service. Enter additional explanations. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

# BUDGET JUSTIFICATION MOTOR VEHICLE

Applicant/Provider: <u>XYZ Hawai'i, Inc.</u> RFP No.: <u>ABC-123</u>

Period: 07/01/95 to 06/30/96

Date Prepared:

Contract No. (As Applicable): DHS-97-001

DESCRIPTION OF MOTOR VEHICLE	NO. OF ITEMS	COST PER ITEM	TOTAL COST	TOTAL BUDGETED
1993 Toyata Van (Previa)	1	\$9,750	\$9,750	\$9,750
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		tornalising a stational station		
TOTAL:				\$9,750
JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS: A van is needed to transport clients to and from service sites				

# ATTACHMENT F

# **General Conditions**

This is a PDF document can also be found on

the State Procurement website at:

https://spo.hawaii.gov/wpcontent/uploads/2013/12/103F13.pdf

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# GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES CONTRACTS

# 1. <u>Representations and Conditions Precedent</u>

- 1.1 <u>Contract Subject to the Availability of State and Federal Funds.</u>
  - 1.1.1 <u>State Funds.</u> This Contract is, at all times, subject to the appropriation and allotment of state funds, and may be terminated without liability to either the PROVIDER or the STATE in the event that state funds are not appropriated or available.
  - 1.1.2 <u>Federal Funds.</u> To the extent that this Contract is funded partly or wholly by federal funds, this Contract is subject to the availability of such federal funds. The portion of this Contract that is to be funded federally shall be deemed severable, and such federally funded portion may be terminated without liability to either the PROVIDER or the STATE in the event that federal funds are not available. In any case, this Contract shall not be construed to obligate the STATE to expend state funds to cover any shortfall created by the unavailability of anticipated federal funds.
- 1.2 <u>Representations of the PROVIDER.</u> As a necessary condition to the formation of this Contract, the PROVIDER makes the representations contained in this paragraph, and the STATE relies upon such representations as a material inducement to entering into this Contract.
  - 1.2.1 <u>Compliance with Laws.</u> As of the date of this Contract, the PROVIDER complies with all federal, state, and county laws, ordinances, codes, rules, and regulations, as the same may be amended from time to time, that in any way affect the PROVIDER's performance of this Contract.
  - 1.2.2 <u>Licensing and Accreditation</u>. As of the date of this Contract, the PROVIDER holds all licenses and accreditations required under applicable federal, state, and county laws, ordinances, codes, rules, and regulations to provide the Required Services under this Contract.
- 1.3 <u>Compliance with Laws.</u> The PROVIDER shall comply with all federal, state, and county laws, ordinances, codes, rules, and regulations, as the same may be amended from time to time, that in any way affect the PROVIDER's performance of this Contract, including but not limited to the laws specifically enumerated in this paragraph:
  - 1.3.1 <u>Smoking Policy.</u> The PROVIDER shall implement and maintain a written smoking policy as required by Chapter 328K, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), or its successor provision.
  - 1.3.2 <u>Drug Free Workplace</u>. The PROVIDER shall implement and maintain a drug free workplace as required by the Drug Free Workplace Act of 1988.

- 1.3.3 <u>Persons with Disabilities.</u> The PROVIDER shall implement and maintain all practices, policies, and procedures required by federal, state, or county law, including but not limited to the Americans with Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. §12101, <u>et seq.</u>), and the Rehabilitation Act (29 U.S.C.§701, <u>et seq.</u>).
- 1.3.4 <u>Nondiscrimination</u>. No person performing work under this Contract, including any subcontractor, employee, or agent of the PROVIDER, shall engage in any discrimination that is prohibited by any applicable federal, state, or county law.
- 1.4 <u>Insurance Requirements</u>. The PROVIDER shall obtain from a company authorized by law to issue such insurance in the State of Hawai'i commercial general liability insurance ("liability insurance") in an amount of at least TWO MILLION AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$2,000,000.00) coverage for bodily injury and property damage resulting from the PROVIDER's performance under this Contract. The PROVIDER shall maintain in effect this liability insurance until the STATE certifies that the PROVIDER's work under the Contract has been completed satisfactorily.

The liability insurance shall be primary and shall cover the insured for all work to be performed under the Contract, including changes, and all work performed incidental thereto or directly or indirectly connected therewith.

A certificate of the liability insurance shall be given to the STATE by the PROVIDER. The certificate shall provide that the STATE and its officers and employees are Additional Insureds. The certificate shall provide that the coverages being certified will not be cancelled or materially changed without giving the STATE at least 30 days prior written notice by registered mail.

Should the "liability insurance" coverages be cancelled before the PROVIDER's work under the Contract is certified by the STATE to have been completed satisfactorily, the PROVIDER shall immediately procure replacement insurance that complies in all respects with the requirements of this section.

Nothing in the insurance requirements of this Contract shall be construed as limiting the extent of PROVIDER's responsibility for payment of damages resulting from its operations under this Contract, including the PROVIDER's separate and independent duty to defend, indemnify, and hold the STATE and its officers and employees harmless pursuant to other provisions of this Contract.

1.5 <u>Notice to Clients.</u> Provided that the term of this Contract is at least one year in duration, within 180 days after the effective date of this Contract, the PROVIDER shall create written procedures for the orderly termination of services to any clients receiving the Required Services under this Contract, and for the transition to services supplied by another provider upon termination of this Contract, regardless of the circumstances of such termination. These procedures shall include, at

the minimum, timely notice to such clients of the termination of this Contract, and appropriate counseling.

- 1.6 <u>Reporting Requirements.</u> The PROVIDER shall submit a Final Project Report to the STATE containing the information specified in this Contract if applicable, or otherwise satisfactory to the STATE, documenting the PROVIDER's overall efforts toward meeting the requirements of this Contract, and listing expenditures actually incurred in the performance of this Contract. The PROVIDER shall return any unexpended funds to the STATE.
- 1.7 <u>Conflicts of Interest.</u> In addition to the Certification provided in the Standards of Conduct Declaration to this Contract, the PROVIDER represents that neither the PROVIDER nor any employee or agent of the PROVIDER, presently has any interest, and promises that no such interest, direct or indirect, shall be acquired, that would or might conflict in any manner or degree with the PROVIDER's performance under this Contract.

# 2. Documents and Files

- 2.1 <u>Confidentiality of Material.</u>
  - 2.1.1 <u>Proprietary or Confidential Information.</u> All material given to or made available to the PROVIDER by virtue of this Contract that is identified as proprietary or confidential information shall be safeguarded by the PROVIDER and shall not be disclosed to any individual or organization without the prior written approval of the STATE.
  - 2.1.2 <u>Uniform Information Practices Act.</u> All information, data, or other material provided by the PROVIDER to the STATE shall be subject to the Uniform Information Practices Act, chapter 92F, HRS, and any other applicable law concerning information practices or confidentiality.
- 2.2 <u>Ownership Rights and Copyright.</u> The STATE shall have complete ownership of all material, both finished and unfinished that is developed, prepared, assembled, or conceived by the PROVIDER pursuant to this Contract, and all such material shall be considered "works made for hire." All such material shall be delivered to the STATE upon expiration or termination of this Contract. The STATE, in its sole discretion, shall have the exclusive right to copyright any product, concept, or material developed, prepared, assembled, or conceived by the PROVIDER pursuant to this Contract.
- 2.3 <u>Records Retention.</u> The PROVIDER and any subcontractors shall maintain the books and records that relate to the Contract, and any cost or pricing data for three (3) years from the date of final payment under the Contract. In the event that any litigation, claim, investigation, audit, or other action involving the records retained under this provision arises, then such records shall be retained for three (3) years from the date of final payment, or the date of the resolution of the action, whichever occurs later. During the period that records are retained under this section, the

PROVIDER and any subcontractors shall allow the STATE free and unrestricted access to such records.

#### 3. <u>Relationship between Parties</u>

- 3.1 <u>Coordination of Services by the STATE.</u> The STATE shall coordinate the services to be provided by the PROVIDER in order to complete the performance required in the Contract. The PROVIDER shall maintain communications with the STATE at all stages of the PROVIDER's work, and submit to the STATE for resolution any questions which may arise as to the performance of this Contract.
- 3.2 <u>Subcontracts and Assignments.</u> The PROVIDER may assign or subcontract any of the PROVIDER's duties, obligations, or interests under this Contract, but only if (i) the PROVIDER obtains the prior written consent of the STATE and (ii) the PROVIDER's assignee or subcontractor submits to the STATE a tax clearance certificate from the Director of Taxation, State of Hawai'i, and the Internal Revenue Service showing that all delinquent taxes, if any, levied or accrued under state law against the PROVIDER's assignee or subcontractor have been paid. Additionally, no assignment by the PROVIDER of the PROVIDER's right to compensation under this Contract shall be effective unless and until the assignment is approved by the Comptroller of the State of Hawai'i, as provided in section 40-58, HRS.
- 3.3 <u>Change of Name.</u> When the PROVIDER asks to change the name in which it holds this Contract, the STATE, shall, upon receipt of a document acceptable or satisfactory to the STATE indicating such change of name such as an amendment to the PROVIDER's articles of incorporation, enter into an amendment to this Contract with the PROVIDER to effect the change of name. Such amendment to this Contract changing the PROVIDER's name shall specifically indicate that no other terms and conditions of this Contract are thereby changed, unless the change of name amendment is incorporated with a modification or amendment to the Contract under paragraph 4.1 of these General Conditions.
- 3.4 <u>Independent Contractor Status and Responsibilities, Including Tax Responsibilities.</u>
  - 3.4.1 <u>Independent Contractor.</u> In the performance of services required under this Contract, the PROVIDER is an "independent contractor," with the authority and responsibility to control and direct the performance and details of the work and services required under this Contract; however, the STATE shall have a general right to inspect work in progress to determine whether, in the STATE's opinion, the services are being performed by the PROVIDER in compliance with this Contract.
  - 3.4.2 <u>Contracts with Other Individuals and Entities.</u> Unless otherwise provided by special condition, the STATE shall be free to contract with other individuals and entities to provide services similar to those performed by the Provider under this Contract, and the

PROVIDER shall be free to contract to provide services to other individuals or entities while under contract with the STATE.

- 3.4.3 <u>PROVIDER's Employees and Agents.</u> The PROVIDER and the PROVIDER's employees and agents are not by reason of this Contract, agents or employees of the State for any purpose. The PROVIDER and the PROVIDER's employees and agents shall not be entitled to claim or receive from the STATE any vacation, sick leave, retirement, workers' compensation, unemployment insurance, or other benefits provided to state employees. Unless specifically authorized in writing by the STATE, the PROVIDER and the PROVIDER's employees and agents are not authorized to speak on behalf and no statement or admission made by the PROVIDER or the PROVIDER's employees or agents shall be attributed to the STATE, unless specifically adopted by the STATE in writing.
- 3.4.4 <u>PROVIDER's Responsibilities.</u> The PROVIDER shall be responsible for the accuracy, completeness, and adequacy of the PROVIDER's performance under this Contract.

Furthermore, the PROVIDER intentionally, voluntarily, and knowingly assumes the sole and entire liability to the PROVIDER's employees and agents, and to any individual not a party to this Contract, for all loss, damage, or injury caused by the PROVIDER, or the PROVIDER's employees or agents in the course of their employment.

The PROVIDER shall be responsible for payment of all applicable federal, state, and county taxes and fees which may become due and owing by the PROVIDER by reason of this Contract, including but not limited to (i) income taxes, (ii) employment related fees, assessments, and taxes, and (iii) general excise taxes. The PROVIDER also is responsible for obtaining all licenses, permits, and certificates that may be required in order to perform this Contract.

The PROVIDER shall obtain a general excise tax license from the Department of Taxation, State of Hawai'i, in accordance with section 237-9, HRS, and shall comply with all requirements thereof. The PROVIDER shall obtain a tax clearance certificate from the Director of Taxation, State of Hawai'i, and the Internal Revenue Service showing that all delinquent taxes, if any, levied or accrued under state law against the PROVIDER have been paid and submit the same to the STATE prior to commencing any performance under this Contract. The PROVIDER shall also be solely responsible for meeting all requirements necessary to obtain the tax clearance certificate required for final payment under section 103-53, HRS, and these General Conditions.

The PROVIDER is responsible for securing all employee-related insurance coverage for the PROVIDER and the PROVIDER's employees and agents that is or may be required by law, and for payment of all premiums, costs, and other liabilities associated with securing the insurance coverage.

## 3.5 <u>Personnel Requirements.</u>

- 3.5.1 <u>Personnel.</u> The PROVIDER shall secure, at the PROVIDER's own expense, all personnel required to perform this Contract, unless otherwise provided in this Contract.
- 3.5.2 <u>Requirements.</u> The PROVIDER shall ensure that the PROVIDER's employees or agents are experienced and fully qualified to engage in the activities and perform the services required under this Contract, and that all applicable licensing and operating requirements imposed or required under federal, state, or county law, and all applicable accreditation and other standards of quality generally accepted in the field of the activities of such employees and agents are complied with and satisfied.

# 4. <u>Modification and Termination of Contract</u>

# 4.1 <u>Modification of Contract.</u>

- 4.1.1 <u>In Writing.</u> Any modification, alteration, amendment, change, or extension of any term, provision, or condition of this Contract permitted by this Contract shall be made by written amendment to this Contract, signed by the PROVIDER and the STATE.
- 4.1.2 <u>No Oral Modification</u>. No oral modification, alteration, amendment, change, or extension of any term, provision or condition of this Contract shall be permitted.
- 4.1.3 <u>Tax Clearance.</u> The STATE may, at its discretion, require the PROVIDER to submit to the STATE, prior to the STATE's approval of any modification, alteration, amendment, change, or extension of any term, provision, or condition of this Contract, a tax clearance from the Director of Taxation, State of Hawai'i, and the Internal Revenue Service showing that all delinquent taxes, if any, levied or accrued under state and federal law against the PROVIDER have been paid.
- 4.2 <u>Termination in General.</u> This Contract may be terminated in whole or in part because of a reduction of funds available to pay the PROVIDER, or when, in its sole discretion, the STATE determines (i) that there has been a change in the conditions upon which the need for the Required Services was based, or (ii) that the PROVIDER has failed to provide the Required Services adequately or satisfactorily, or (iii) that other good cause for the whole or partial termination of this Contract exists. Termination under this section shall be made by a written notice sent to the PROVIDER ten (10) working days prior to the terminated under this paragraph, the PROVIDER shall cooperate with the STATE to effect an orderly transition of services to clients.

- 4.3 <u>Termination for Necessity or Convenience.</u> If the STATE determines, in its sole discretion, that it is necessary or convenient, this Contract may be terminated in whole or in part at the option of the STATE upon ten (10) working days' written notice to the PROVIDER. If the STATE elects to terminate under this paragraph, the PROVIDER shall be entitled to reasonable payment as determined by the STATE for satisfactory services rendered under this Contract up to the time of termination. If the STATE elects to terminate under this section, the PROVIDER shall cooperate with the STATE to effect an orderly transition of services to clients.
- 4.4 <u>Termination by PROVIDER</u>. The PROVIDER may withdraw from this Contract after obtaining the written consent of the STATE. The STATE, upon the PROVIDER's withdrawal, shall determine whether payment is due to the PROVIDER, and the amount that is due. If the STATE consents to a termination under this paragraph, the PROVIDER shall cooperate with the STATE to effect an orderly transition of services to clients.
- 4.5 <u>STATE's Right of Offset.</u> The STATE may offset against any monies or other obligations that STATE owes to the PROVIDER under this Contract, any amounts owed to the State of Hawai'i by the PROVIDER under this Contract, or any other contract, or pursuant to any law or other obligation owed to the State of Hawai'i by the PROVIDER, including but not limited to the payment of any taxes or levies of any kind or nature. The STATE shall notify the PROVIDER in writing of any exercise of its right of offset and the nature and amount of such offset. For purposes of this paragraph, amounts owed to the State of Hawai'i shall not include debts or obligations which have been liquidated by contract with the PROVIDER, and that are covered by an installment payment or other settlement plan approved by the State of Hawai'i, provided, however, that the PROVIDER shall be entitled to such exclusion only to the extent that the PROVIDER is current, and in compliance with, and not delinquent on, any payments, obligations, or duties owed to the State of Hawai'i under such payment or other settlement plan.

# 5. <u>Indemnification</u>

- 5.1 <u>Indemnification and Defense.</u> The PROVIDER shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the State of Hawai'i, the contracting agency, and their officers, employees, and agents from and against any and all liability, loss, damage, cost, expense, including all attorneys' fees, claims, suits, and demands arising out of or in connection with the acts or omissions of the PROVIDER or the PROVIDER's employees, officers, agents, or subcontractors under this Contract. The provisions of this paragraph shall remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the expiration or early termination of this Contract.
- 5.2 <u>Cost of Litigation.</u> In case the STATE shall, without any fault on its part, be made a party to any litigation commenced by or against the PROVIDER in connection with this Contract, the PROVIDER shall pay any cost and expense incurred by or imposed on the STATE, including attorneys' fees.

# 6. <u>Publicity</u>

- 6.1 <u>Acknowledgment of State Support.</u> The PROVIDER shall, in all news releases, public statements, announcements, broadcasts, posters, programs, computer postings, and other printed, published, or electronically disseminated materials relating to the PROVIDER's performance under this Contract, acknowledge the support by the State of Hawai'i and the purchasing agency.
- 6.2 <u>PROVIDER's Publicity Not Related to Contract.</u> The PROVIDER shall not refer to the STATE, or any office, agency, or officer thereof, or any state employee, or to the services or goods, or both provided under this Contract, in any of the PROVIDER's publicity not related to the PROVIDER's performance under this Contract, including but not limited to commercial advertisements, recruiting materials, and solicitations for charitable donations.

# 7. <u>Miscellaneous Provisions</u>

- 7.1 <u>Nondiscrimination.</u> No person performing work under this Contract, including any subcontractor, employee, or agent of the PROVIDER, shall engage in any discrimination that is prohibited by any applicable federal, state, or county law.
- 7.2 <u>Paragraph Headings.</u> The paragraph headings appearing in this Contract have been inserted for the purpose of convenience and ready reference. They shall not be used to define, limit, or extend the scope or intent of the sections to which they pertain.
- 7.3 <u>Antitrust Claims.</u> The STATE and the PROVIDER recognize that in actual economic practice, overcharges resulting from antitrust violations are in fact usually borne by the purchaser. Therefore, the PROVIDER hereby assigns to the STATE any and all claims for overcharges as to goods and materials purchased in connection with this Contract, except as to overcharges which result from violations commencing after the price is established under this Contract and which are not passed on to the STATE under an escalation clause.
- 7.4 <u>Governing Law.</u> The validity of this Contract and any of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties to this Contract, shall be governed by the laws of the State of Hawai'i. Any action at law or in equity to enforce or interpret the provisions of this Contract shall be brought in a state court of competent jurisdiction in Honolulu, Hawai'i.
- 7.5 <u>Conflict between General Conditions and Procurement Rules.</u> In the event of a conflict between the General Conditions and the Procurement Rules or a Procurement Directive, the Procurement Rules or any Procurement Directive in effect on the date this Contract became effective shall control and are hereby incorporated by reference.
- 7.6 <u>Entire Contract.</u> This Contract sets forth all of the contracts, conditions, understandings, promises, warranties, and representations between the STATE and the PROVIDER relative to this Contract. This Contract supersedes all prior agreements, conditions, understandings,

promises, warranties, and representations, which shall have no further force or effect. There are no contracts, conditions, understandings, promises, warranties, or representations, oral or written, express or implied, between the STATE and the PROVIDER other than as set forth or as referred to herein.

- 7.7 <u>Severability.</u> In the event that any provision of this Contract is declared invalid or unenforceable by a court, such invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining terms of this Contract.
- 7.8 <u>Waiver.</u> The failure of the STATE to insist upon the strict compliance with any term, provision, or condition of this Contract shall not constitute or be deemed to constitute a waiver or relinquishment of the STATE's right to enforce the same in accordance with this Contract. The fact that the STATE specifically refers to one provision of the Procurement Rules or one section of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes, and does not include other provisions or statutory sections in this Contract shall not constitute a waiver or relinquishment of the STATE's rights or the PROVIDER's obligations under the Procurement Rules or statutes.
- 7.9 <u>Execution in Counterparts.</u> This Contract may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be regarded as an original and all of which shall constitute one instrument.

# 8. <u>Confidentiality of Personal Information</u>

8.1 <u>Definitions.</u>

8.1.1 <u>Personal Information.</u> "Personal Information" means an individual's first name or first initial and last name in combination with any one or more of the following data elements, when either name or data elements are not encrypted:

- 1) Social Security number;
- 2) Driver's license number or Hawaii identification card number; or
- 3) Account number, credit or debit card number, access code, or password that would permit access to an individual's financial information.

Personal information does not include publicly available information that is lawfully made available to the general public from federal, state, or local government records.

8.1.2 <u>Technological Safeguards.</u> "Technological safeguards" means the technology and the policy and procedures for use of the technology to protect and control access to personal information.

## 8.2 <u>Confidentiality of Material.</u>

8.2.1 <u>Safeguarding of Material.</u> All material given to or made available to the PROVIDER by the STATE by virtue of this Contract which is identified as personal information, shall be safeguarded by the PROVIDER and shall not be disclosed without the prior written approval of the STATE.

8.2.2 <u>Retention, Use, or Disclosure.</u> PROVIDER agrees not to retain, use, or disclose personal information for any purpose other than as permitted or required by this Contract.

8.2.3 <u>Implementation of Technological Safeguards.</u> PROVIDER agrees to implement appropriate "technological safeguards" that are acceptable to the STATE to reduce the risk of unauthorized access to personal information.

8.2.4 <u>Reporting of Security Breaches.</u> PROVIDER shall report to the STATE in a prompt and complete manner any security breaches involving personal information.

8.2.5 <u>Mitigation of Harmful Effect.</u> PROVIDER agrees to mitigate, to the extent practicable, any harmful effect that is known to PROVIDER because of a use or disclosure of personal information by PROVIDER in violation of the requirements of this paragraph.

8.2.6 <u>Log of Disclosures.</u> PROVIDER shall complete and retain a log of all disclosures made of personal information received from the STATE, or personal information created or received by PROVIDER on behalf of the STATE.

# 8.3 <u>Security Awareness Training and Confidentiality Agreements.</u>

8.3.1 <u>Certification of Completed Training.</u> PROVIDER certifies that all of its employees who will have access to the personal information have completed training on security awareness topics related to protecting personal information.

8.3.2 <u>Certification of Confidentiality Agreements.</u> PROVIDER certifies that confidentiality agreements have been signed by all of its employees who will have access to the personal information acknowledging that:

- 1) The personal information collected, used, or maintained by the PROVIDER will be treated as confidential;
- 2) Access to the personal information will be allowed only as necessary to perform the Contract; and
- 3) Use of the personal information will be restricted to uses consistent with the services subject to this Contract.

- 8.4 <u>Termination for Cause</u>. In addition to any other remedies provided for by this Contract, if the STATE learns of a material breach by PROVIDER of this paragraph by PROVIDER, the STATE may at its sole discretion:
  - 1) Provide an opportunity for the PROVIDER to cure the breach or end the violation; or
  - 2) Immediately terminate this Contract.

In either instance, the PROVIDER and the STATE shall follow chapter 487N, HRS, with respect to notification of a security breach of personal information.

- 8.5 <u>Records Retention.</u>
  - 8.5.1 <u>Destruction of Personal Information.</u> Upon any termination of this Contract, PROVIDER shall, pursuant to chapter 487R, HRS, destroy all copies (paper or electronic form) of personal information received from the STATE.
  - 8.5.2 <u>Maintenance of Files, Books, Records.</u> The PROVIDER and any subcontractors shall maintain the files, books, and records, that relate to the Contract, including any personal information created or received by the PROVIDER on behalf of the STATE, and any cost or pricing data, for three (3) years after the date of final payment under the Contract. The personal information shall continue to be confidential and shall not be disclosed without the prior written approval of the STATE. After the three (3) year retention period has ended, the files, books, and records that contain personal information shall be destroyed pursuant to chapter 487R, HRS.

# ATTACHMENT G

# **Cost Principles**

STATE OF HAWAII STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE

# COST PRINCIPLES

# HRS Chapter 103F

# Purchases of Health and Human Services

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## HRS CHAPTER 103F PURCHASES OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

# **COST PRINCIPLES**

#### SECTION 1: ABOUT COST PRINCIPLES

#### 1. PURPOSE

To provide uniform cost principles among state purchasing agencies in procuring health and human services under HRS Chapter 103F. These cost principles represent guidelines for determining which types of expenditures will be allowable. These cost principles are intended for use when managing contracts executed under HRS Chapter 103F, for Purchases of Health and Human Services and should be used to guide decisions regarding:

- proposal budgets submitted by providers in response to Request for Proposals (RFP);
- contract budgets and unit costs negotiated between state purchasing agencies and providers;
- financial reporting requirements established by state purchasing agencies; and
- fiscal monitoring requirements established by state purchasing agencies.

#### 2. FEDERAL COST PRINCIPLES

Providers receiving Federal funds must comply with applicable Federal requirements. Therefore, to the extent that Federal cost principles conflict with these cost principles, the Federal requirements, if more restrictive, shall control.

#### 3. FACTORS AFFECTING THE ALLOWABILITY OF COSTS

- 3.1 To be allowable, costs must meet the following criteria:
  - a. Be reasonable for the performance of the contract and be allocable under these cost principles;
  - b. Conform to any limitations or exclusions set forth in these cost principles or in the contract as to type or amount of cost items;
  - c. Be consistent with policies and procedures that apply uniformly to the contract and other activities of the organization;
  - d. Be accorded consistent treatment;
  - e. Be determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP; and
  - f. Be adequately documented.
- 3.2 Reasonable Costs

A cost is reasonable if, in its nature or amount, it does not exceed that which would be incurred by a prudent person under the circumstances prevailing at the time the decision was made to incur the costs. In determining the reasonableness of a given cost, consideration shall be given to:

- a. Whether the cost is a type generally recognized as ordinary and necessary for the operation of the provider or the performance of the contract;
- b. The restraints or requirements imposed by such factors as generally accepted sound business practices, arms length bargaining, State laws and regulations, and terms and conditions of the contract; and
- c. Significant deviations from the established practices of the organization which may unjustifiably increase the contract costs.

#### 3.3 Allocable Costs

- a. A cost is allocable to a particular cost objective, such as a grant, contract, project, service, or other activity, in accordance with the relative benefits received. A cost is allocable if it is treated consistently with other costs incurred for the same purpose in like circumstances and if it:
  - (1) Is incurred specifically for the contract;
  - (2) Benefits both the contract and other work and can be distributed in reasonable proportion to the benefits received; or
  - (3) Is necessary to the overall operation of the provider, although a direct relationship to any particular cost objectives cannot be shown.
- b. Any cost allocable to a particular contract, award or other cost objective under these principles may not be shifted to other State contracts to overcome funding deficiencies, or to avoid restrictions imposed by law or by the terms of the contract.

#### 3.4 Conform to Limitations or Exclusion

Many costs are subject to various restrictions, conditions, and/or documentation requirements that must be followed before such cost is allowable. Certain types of costs require prior approval before they are allowable, while other types of costs are unallowable.

#### 3.5 Consistent Costing Treatment

The budgeting, recording and reporting of all costs of a particular nature must be done in the same manner regardless of the source of funding (i.e., Federal or Non-Federal) associated with a project or activity.

#### 3.6 Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP)

These are standards and guidelines promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board and the Governmental Accounting Standard Board, depending upon the type of organization involved. These principles direct how and when they should recognize costs on accounting records and financial statements.

#### 4. DIRECT COSTS

Direct costs are those that can be identified specifically with a particular final cost objective, i.e., a particular award, project, service, or other direct activity of an organization. Costs identified specifically with a final cost objective of the organization are direct costs of that cost objective and are not to be assigned to other cost objectives directly or indirectly.

#### 5. INDIRECT COSTS (JOINT COSTS)

Indirect costs are those that have been incurred for common joint objectives and cannot be readily identified with a particular final cost objective.

#### 6. NEGOTIATED FEDERAL INDIRECT COST RATES

Indirect costs are equitably distributed to benefiting cost objectives by using current rate(s) negotiated with the federal government. To utilize the indirect cost rate, the rate must be approved by the cognizant federal agency.

#### 7. METHOD OF ALLOCATION (Must be used by organizations without a negotiated federal indirect cost rate)

7.1 Basis and Documentation

Organizations incurring costs that benefit more than one cost objective such as a grant, contract, project, services, or other activity must allocate these costs using a reasonable base. Organizations must have a written cost allocation plan.

#### 7.2 Allocation to Cost Objective

Joint costs, such as depreciation, rental costs, operation and maintenance of facilities, telephone expenses, administrative salaries, and the like must be allocated individually to each objective using a base most appropriate to the particular cost being allocated. An allocation for any expense item exceeding 100% of its total cost, or its depreciation value, is unallowable.

#### 7.3 Basis for Allocation

Each joint cost must be allocated using a base which accurately measures the benefits provided to each cost objective. The bases must be established in accordance with reasonable criteria and be supported by current data. Actual conditions must be taken into account in selecting a base to be used in allocating the joint costs. In general, any cost element or cost related factor associated with the organization's work is potentially adaptable for use as an allocation base, provided:

- a. It can readily be expressed in terms of dollars or other quantitative measures (total direct costs, direct salaries and wages, staff hours applied, square feet used, hours of usage, number of documents processed, population served, and the like); and
- b. It is common to the benefiting functions during the base period.
- 7.4 Allocation of costs based on forecasts, revenues received, budgeted revenues, budgeted costs, or anticipated contract reimbursements are not acceptable or allowable.

#### 8. UNALLOWABLE COSTS

The following costs are unallowable:

#### 8.1 Bad Debts

Any portion of the accounts receivable which has been determined to be uncollectible, is termed "Bad Debts." Any losses arising from uncollectible accounts, other claims and related costs that are actual or estimated are unallowable.

#### 8.2 Contingencies

Contingency costs are contributions to a reserve account for unforeseen costs. Contingency costs are unallowable because they are speculative in nature and do not represent an actual incurred cost.

#### 8.3 Capital Expenditures for Land or Buildings

Capital expenditures for acquisition of land or buildings are unallowable. This does not apply to costs associated with Capital Improvement Project (CIP) funds received from the State for that purpose. (Interest on debt incurred is allowable as specified in the cost principle table.)

#### 8.4 Capital Expenditures for Improvements

Capital expenditures for improvements to land or buildings which materially increase their value or useful life is unallowable. This does not apply to cost associated with Capital Improvement Project (CIP) funds received from the State for that purpose.

#### 8.5 Entertainment

Costs unrelated to service delivery, client activities or client programs, such as costs related to public relations, social activities and incidental costs relating thereto, including meals, beverages, tips and gratuities are unallowable.

#### 8.6 Fines and Penalties

Fines and penalties include all costs resulting from violations of, or failure to comply with, Federal, State, local laws and regulations, and contract requirements. Fines and penalties are unallowable.

#### 8.7 Fund Raising

All costs of fund raising, including financial campaigns, endowment drives, solicitation of gifts and bequests, and similar expenses incurred solely to raise capital or obtain contributions are unallowable.

#### 8.8 Gifts, Contributions and Donations

A gift is property transferred without receiving return consideration of equivalent value. Contributions and donations are property transferred which are not transferred in exchange for supplies or services of equivalent fair market value. Gifts, contributions and donations are unallowable.

#### 8.9 Income Taxes

Federal and State income taxes are unallowable

#### 8.10 Lobbying

All costs associated with attempts to influence the enactment or modification of any pending legislation through communication with any member or employee of the state legislature, or with any government official or employee concerning a decision to sign or veto enrolled legislation are unallowable.

#### 8.11 Losses Incurred Under Other Contracts

A loss incurred under one contract may not be charged to any other contract. Losses incurred on other contracts are unallowable.

#### 8.12 Organization Costs

Costs incurred under one contract may not be charged to any other contract. Losses incurred on other contracts are unallowable.

#### 8.13 Perquisite

A privilege furnished or a service rendered by an organization to an employee, officer, director, or member of that organization to reduce the individual's personal expenses is unallowable.

#### 8.14 Security Deposits

Funds held as a guaranty or assurance required by agreement is unallowable

#### 8.15 Idle Facilities

Facilities that are not being used are unallowable.

#### 9. DEFINITION OF COLUMN TITLES FOR FORM SPOH-201

#### 9.1 **"Cost Item"**

"Cost item" refers to the items within budget categories. For example, "Compensation for Personal Services," should appear within the budget element category for "Personnel Costs."

#### 9.2 "Description"

A description of each line item is provided to briefly characterize applicable costs within the category. Descriptions are intended to be informative.

#### 9.3 "Allowable/Unallowable"

Costs are allowable when they are reasonable, allocable, lawful, and for costs invoiced for reimbursement, actually incurred or accrued and accounted for in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, for contract related expenditures. Certain costs are treated specially and are specifically identified as "Allowable" or "Unallowable" costs. The list of unallowable costs is not all-inclusive.

• Costs indentified as "Allowable with Prior Approval" are generally unallowable. Providers must receive approval of these costs, prior to expenditure. The head of the state purchasing agency may approve "unallowable" costs, if it is in the best interests of the State and all costs are reasonable, lawful and allocable.

#### 9.4 "Remarks"

This column describes special instructions, restrictions on the allowable limits, and required documentation that the State purchasing agency may require. All required documentation should be available upon request by the state purchasing agency. RFPs may require that certain documents be submitted at the time of application.

#### SECTION 2: COST PRINCIPLES TABLE

- **1.** Any cost charged to the Agreement must be reasonable, appropriate, lawful and allocable to the contract.
- 2. To the maximum extent practicable, the suggested terminology should be used consistently in all phases of budgeting, accounting, and reporting.
- 3. This list represents selected cost items and is not an all inclusive list of costs which may be prescribed by federal and or State laws or regulations.
- 4. Although a cost may be allowable under federal guidelines, the state purchasing agency has the discretion to limit or disallow the cost due to unavailability of funds, funding restrictions, or its inappropriateness to the contract.
- 5. In cases where certain items, definitions, explanations or requirements are difficult to understand, the applicant/provider should seek written clarification from the state purchasing agency.
- 6. Required cost documentation shall be kept by the provider and submitted at the request of the purchasing agency.

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY A: Personnel Costs	Compensation for personal services currently paid or accrued		
	Salaries and Wages	Allowable to the extent that the range is reasonable for the services rendered	Required Documentation: Schedule detailing total annual salary for
	<ul><li>Overtime</li><li>Salary Increases</li></ul>	Allowable with prior approval	each position, computation of each position's FTE and service site.
			Reports reflecting the distribution of activity of each employee must be maintained for all staff members whose compensation is
			charged, in whole or in part, directly to the contract(s). The reports must reflect an after- the-fact determination of the total actual
			activity of each employee and signed by the individual employee, or by a responsible supervisory official having firsthand
			knowledge of the activities performed by the employee, that the distribution of activity represents a reasonable estimate of the
			actual work performed by the employee during the periods covered by the reports. (Note: The State is requests that adequate records supporting the allocation of salaries
			be maintained and not necessarily detailed timesheets, e.g., accounting for each quarter hour for each employee.)
			Personnel policies and procedures governing vacation leave, sick leave, and overtime pay.

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY A:	Compensation for personal services		
Personnel Costs	currently paid or accrued (cont'd)		
	Vacation Leave	Unallowable payment for leave in lieu of	
	Sick Leave	leave not taken	
	Bonuses	Unallowable	
	Severance Pay		
	Excessive Compensation		
	<ul> <li>Accrued leave payout for terminating employees</li> </ul>		
	Payroll Taxes and Assessments		
	All Federal and State requirements		
	• Employer's portion of FICA, workers	Allowable	Required Documentation:
	compensation, unemployment		Schedule detailing applicable percentages of
	insurance and temporary disability insurance.		statutory ceilings for each payroll tax, insurance and other costs.
	Fines and penalties due to late filing	Unallowable	
	and/or payment		
	Fringe Benefits:		
	Employers' portion of health care		
	and retirement benefits		
	Health care insurance	Allowable	Required Documentation:
	Retirement plans	Allowable with prior approval	Each benefit should be clearly detailed in the personnel policies and procedures.
	• All costs considered as perquisites (e.g.,	Unallowable	
	non-wage compensations provided		
	to <u>employees</u> in addition to their		
	normal <u>wages</u> or <u>salaries</u> )		
CATEGORY B:	Airfare (Inter-Island)		
Operating Costs	Costs for airline tickets or coupons	Allowable with prior approval.	Required Documentation: Schedule of inter-island travel detailing staff, destination, purpose, fare costs, per diem/subsistence and dates of travel.
			Personnel policies and procedures governing travel.
			Cost of cancelled travel shall not be charged to the contract.
	First class travel	Unallowable	

Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
Airfare (Out-of-State)		
Costs for airline tickets	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation: Schedule of out-of-state travel detailing staff, destination, purpose, fare costs, per diem/subsistence and dates of travel.
		Personnel policies and procedures governing travel.
		Cost of cancelled travel shall not be charged to the contract.
First class travel	Unallowable	
<b>Audit Services</b> Cost of an audit by an independent certified public accountant		
<ul> <li>Federal funds         <ul> <li>Audits completed in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, required for providers expending \$300,000 or more in federal funds during the fiscal year.</li> <li>Limited scope audits arranged and paid for by pass through entities to monitor subrecipients.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Allowable	Required Documentation: Financial statements and schedule of expenditures of Federal awards, summary schedule of prior audit findings, auditor's reports, and corrective action plans. If the audit does not contain questioned costs or audit findings related to the pass through federal funds, a notification letter may be sent to the pass through entity (see OMB Circular A-133, Subpart C.)
<ul> <li>State funds only</li> <li>a. Financial audits of the organization</li> <li>b. Special audits required by the State</li> </ul>	Allowable	Copy of limited scope audit report. Copies of the audit report and management letter issued by the auditor.
Contractual Services - Administrative		
<ul> <li>Costs of administrative professional and consultant services, which cannot be performed by the applicant/provider's staff, e.g., accounting, bookkeeping, payroll, and secretarial services.</li> </ul>	Allowable	<b>Required Documentation:</b> Schedule detailing business or individual's name, description of the service, and contrac amount or fee.
<ul> <li>Legal fees for defense and prosecution of criminal and civil proceedings.</li> </ul>	Unallowable	
	Airfare (Out-of-State)         • Costs for airline tickets         • First class travel         Audit Services         Cost of an audit by an independent certified public accountant         • Federal funds         a. Audits completed in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, required for providers expending \$300,000 or more in federal funds during the fiscal year.         b. Limited scope audits arranged and paid for by pass through entities to monitor subrecipients.         • State funds only         a. Financial audits of the organization b. Special audits required by the State         Contractual Services - Administrative         Administrative         • Costs of administrative professional and consultant services, which cannot be performed by the applicant/provider's staff, e.g., accounting, bookkeeping, payroll, and secretarial services.         • Legal fees for defense and prosecution	Airfare (Out-of-State)         • Costs for airline tickets       Allowable with prior approval         • First class travel       Unallowable         Audit Services       Cost of an audit by an independent certified public accountant         • Federal funds       Allowable         a. Audits completed in accordance with OMB Circular A133, required for providers expending \$300,000 or more in federal funds during the fiscal year.       Allowable         • Limited scope audits arranged and paid for by pass through entities to monitor subrecipients.       Allowable         • State funds only       Allowable         • Costs of administrative professional and consultant services , which cannot be performed by the applicant/provider's staff, e.g., accounting, bookkeeping, payroll, and secretarial services.       Allowable         • Legal fees for defense and prosecution of criminal and civil proceedings.       Unallowable

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B:			
Operating Costs	Contractual Services -		
	Subcontracts		
	Costs of professional and consultant services necessary for the delivery of the primary contracted services, which cannot be performed by the applicant/provider's staff.	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation:Justification for contractual servicesproposed.Schedule detailing subcontractedorganization or individual's name, descriptionof the service, and contract amount or fee.Executed agreements between thecontracting parties.
	Depreciation		
	Depreciation expense is the method of allocating the cost of a capital asset over the estimated useful life of the asset as it relates to the contract.		
	<ul> <li>Depreciation of equipment, motor vehicles, and buildings and capital improvements, required for the program, e.g., renovations in connection with the program for office and program requirements.</li> </ul>	Allowable	<b>Required Documentation:</b> Depreciation schedule, cost allocation bases, previous depreciation taken, and budgeted depreciation expense.
	<ul> <li>Idle facilities</li> <li>Assets acquired through the State or Federal government</li> </ul>	Unallowable	
	Food		
	<ul> <li>Provisions for meals and snacks. Food provided as part of the services for clients as specified in the contract.</li> </ul>	Allowable with prior approval	<b>Required Documentation:</b> Schedule detailing description and cost.
	• Food costs covered by SSI or other funds.	Unallowable	

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B:	Indirect Costs (Negotiated Federal		
Operating Costs	<b>Rate)</b> Costs incurred for common or joint objectives that cannot be readily identified with a particular final cost objective, e.g., general administration and general expenses, such as the salaries and expenses of executive officers, personnel administration, and accounting.		
	<ul> <li>General operating costs equitably distributed to benefiting objectives by using a current rate negotiated with the federal government.</li> </ul>	Allowable	<b>Required Documentation:</b> A valid copy of the written agreement with the federal agency for the negotiated rate. Attach to Proposal Budget if used.
	<ul> <li>Indirect costs based on a rate that has not been negotiated with the federal government.</li> </ul>	Unallowable	
	<b>Insurance</b> Cost of insurance required or approved pursuant to the contract.		
	<ul> <li>Indemnification Coverage</li> <li>General Liability</li> <li>Bonding</li> <li>Applicant/Provider's Automobiles</li> <li>Fire</li> <li>Hurricane</li> <li>Flood</li> </ul>	Allowable	<ul> <li>Required Documentation: <ul> <li>A valid Certificate of Insurance which shows the following:</li> <li>Policy in effect during the contract period.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Liability coverage(s) as specified in the agreement.</li> <li>The contracted services or type of services.</li> <li>The State of Hawaii and the state purchasing agency as the certificate holder.</li> <li>Address of the state purchasing agency.</li> <li>The State of Hawaii named as additionally insured.</li> </ul>
	• Life insurance premiums of officers, employees, or Board members where the applicant/provider is the beneficiary	Unallowable	

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B:	Interest		
Operating Costs	Costs incurred for interest on borrowed capital		
	<ul> <li>Interest on debt incurred after May 14, 1997 to acquire or replace capital assets (including renovations, alterations, equipment, land, and capital assets acquired through capital leases), acquired after May 14, 1997 and used in support of the State contracts.</li> </ul>	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation for prior approvalA statement of purpose and justification forfacility acquisition or replacement.A statement as to why current facilities arenot adequate.A statement of planned future use of thefacility.A description of the financing agreement tobe arranged for the facility.A summary of the building contract withestimated cost information and statement ofsource and use of funds.A lease/purchase analysis which shows that afinanced purchase or capital lease is lesscostly to the organization than other leasingalternatives (See OMB Circular A-122.)Reimbursements will be limited to the least
	All other interest costs	Unallowable	costly alternative.
	<ul> <li>Lease/Rental of Equipment</li> <li>Lease rent of program equipment used for contractual services</li> <li>Rental or lease cost in connection with the program for office and program requirements.</li> </ul>	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation: Schedule detailing item, purpose, cost and usage.
			Lease/rental agreement.
	<ul> <li>Security deposits</li> <li>Loan payments made in connection with purchase of equipment</li> </ul>	Unallowable	
	Lease/Rental of Motor Vehicles Motor vehicle lease costs related to contracted services		
	Leasing costs of vehicles used directly in connection with the program	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation: Schedule detailing vehicle, purpose, cost and usage. Lease/rental agreement.
	<ul> <li>Security deposits</li> <li>Loan payments made in connection with purchase of vehicle</li> </ul>	Unallowable	

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B: Operating Costs	Lease/Rental of Space Lease rental of office and program facility space		
	<ul> <li>Lease rent paid for office and program requirements</li> </ul>	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation: Lease/rental agreement.
	Common area charges		Payments must be made to a third party and comparable to other properties in the area. Rental costs under sale and leaseback arrangements are allowable only up to the amount that would be allowed had the organization continued to_own the property.
	<ul><li>Security deposits</li><li>Unused space</li></ul>	Unallowable	
	<b>Mileage</b> Travel allowances based on staff's mileage actually incurred. Reimbursement to staff using their private vehicles for business related to the contract.		
	<ul> <li>Mileage reimbursement not to exceed federal (IRS) allowances</li> </ul>	Allowable	<b>Required Documentation:</b> Schedule for mileage detailing position of staff, destination, purpose and total miles claimed.
			A record of business miles traveled for each trip using employees' personal vehicle.
	<ul> <li>Monthly auto allowances</li> <li>Relocation costs</li> <li>Reimbursement for personal use or non- contract related mileage</li> </ul>	Unallowable	
	<b>Postage, Freight and Delivery</b> Mailing, shipping and delivery costs relating to the contract		
	<ul> <li>Postage stamps</li> <li>Costs for mailing, e.g., certified mail</li> <li>Delivery charges for goods purchased</li> </ul>	Allowable	

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B: Operating Costs	<ul> <li>Program Activities</li> <li>All other cost items directly related to or required in order to deliver services to clients, e.g., client incentives, client excursions, training wages, and client/volunteer stipends.</li> </ul>	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation:A schedule detailing:1. Description of program activity.2. Frequency of activity.3. Number of participants.4. Cost per person.Restrictions:All program activities are limited to contract provisions; and costs must be incurred on behalf of clients.
	Publication, Printing and Advertising		
	Costs of printing and binding, and subscriptions. Costs of media services. Media advertising includes magazines, newspapers, radio and television programs, direct mail, exhibit, and the like. Publications used directly in the program Professional books and journals Recruitment of personnel Procurement of goods and services Advertisements specifically required by contract	Allowable	Required Documentation: Schedule providing basis for estimating cost of postage, printing and copying. Schedule for subscriptions and publications detailing titles and costs.
	<b>Repairs and Maintenance</b> Necessary maintenance, repair and upkeep of facilities, buildings and equipment.		
	<ul> <li>Costs incurred for repair and maintenance of facilities and equipment, e.g., janitorial services, painting, plumbing and electrical repairs</li> <li>For leased space, allowed for lessee if responsibility by lessor is not specified in the reptal agreement</li> </ul>	Allowable	
	<ul> <li>the rental agreement.</li> <li>Expenditures which will increase the life of a capital asset</li> </ul>	Unallowable	

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B:			
Operating Costs	Staff Training		
	<ul> <li>Cost of preparation and maintenance of on- the-job, classroom and other training to increase the employees' vocational effectiveness.</li> <li>Registration and tuition costs</li> <li>Costs of materials, including books</li> </ul>	Allowable	<b>Required Documentation:</b> Schedule detailing title of training, date, persons attending and purpose.
	<ul> <li>Training for staff who provide direct service to recipients.</li> <li>Conference and workshops for the purpose of dissemination of technical information to improve the delivery of the service.</li> <li>Out of State training</li> <li>Training for administrative personnel</li> </ul>	Allowable with prior approval	
	<ul> <li>Entertainment costs, e.g., office parties</li> <li>Training courses taken by an employee to acquire basic skills which should have been brought to the job or to qualify for duties other than the position held.</li> </ul>	Unallowable	
	Subsistence/Per Diem Costs for room and board while on official travel status		
	Subsistence or per diem rates may be used.	Allowable	Required Documentation: Travel policies and procedures. Receipts for subsistence payments.
			For overnight accommodations, room rates must be reasonable and ordinary in relation to accommodations within the surrounding area and type of accommodation.
			<b>Restriction:</b> Not to exceed State per diem allowances
	All tips and gratuities	Unallowable	

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY B:	Supplies		
Operating Costs	Cost of materials and other consumable		
operating costs	supplies necessary for the performance of the		
	contract.		
	Office supplies	Allowable	
	Motor vehicle supplies		
	Educational supplies		
	Medical supplies		
	Recreational supplies		
	Janitorial supplies		
	<ul> <li>Program supplies</li> </ul>		
	• Program supplies		
	Telecommunication		
	Cost of telephone service, equipment rentals,		
	telefacsimile, and long distance charges. (For		
	telephone equipment purchases, see		
	Equipment Purchases.)		
	Normal monthly charges including	Allowable	Required Documentation:
	telefacsimile lines	Allowable	Schedule detailing phone installation,
	<ul> <li>Inter-island calls</li> </ul>		monthly rates, inter-island calls, number of
			lines and instruments to support budget
	<ul> <li>Long-distance mainland calls</li> <li>Installation costs</li> </ul>		request.
	Installation costs		
	Transportation		
	Cost of ground transportation while on		
	official travel status		
	Taxi fare	Allowable	Required Documentation:
	Bus fare		Receipts
	Auto rentals		
	Parking fees		
	All tips and gratuities	Unallowable	
	<ul> <li>Parking tickets and fines</li> </ul>		
	Utilities		
	Water/Sewer	Allowable	Required Documentation:
	Electricity		Schedule detailing monthly and annual costs
	• Gas		for each item.
	Refuse		

Cost Item	Description	Allowable/Unallowable	Remarks
CATEGORY C: Equipment Purchases	Purchase of an item costing more than \$1,000 and having a useful life of more than one year		
	Equipment required for the program	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation: Schedule detailing cost, use, and clear justification.
			Restrictions: Purchased equipment must be primarily for contracted services and critical to the delivery of services to the target population. Purchased equipment is the property of the State and may be collected upon termination of the contract. Purchases must in accordance with the Department of Accounting and General Services' accounting principles.
CATEGORY D: Motor Vehicle Purchases	Purchase of autos, vans, trucks and buses. Motor vehicles required for the program.	Allowable with prior approval	Required Documentation:         Schedule detailing cost, use, and clear justification.         Restrictions:         Purchased vehicle must be for contracted services and critical to the delivery of services to the target population. Purchased motor vehicles are the property of the State and may be collected upon termination of the contract.

# ATTACHMENT H

**Homeless Verification Letter** 

# HAWAII STATE HOMELESS VERIFICATION

**Department of Human Services Homeless Programs Office** 

This is to certify that
Participant's Name – Head of Household
Including Household Member(s)
Check all boxes that apply
record of entries/exits at shelters found on Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)/comparable database.
is currently living in a place not meant for human habitation (e.g. cars, parks, abandoned buildings, streets/sidewalks).
is currently living in an <b>emergency shelter</b> for homeless persons.
Emergency Shelter and Agency Name:
is currently living in a transitional shelter for homeless persons.
Transitional Shelter and Agency Name:
is currently living in a <b>hotel/motel</b> through sponsorship by a social service / government agency.
Social Service Agency Name: Documentation Attached
is being evicted or forced out from a private dwelling unit, no subsequent residence has been identified and the person lacks the resources and support needed to obtain housing.
At-Risk (within 45 days)
is being discharged from an institution, such as hospital, mental health facility, substance abuse treatment facility or jail/prison in which the person has been a resident for fewer than 90 days and no subsequent residence has been identified and the person lacks the resources and support networks necessary to obtain housing.
Institution Name:

is fleeing a **domestic violence** housing situation and no subsequent residence has been identified and the person lacks the resources and support necessary to obtain housing.

Documentation Attached:
<ul> <li>Written verification of the disability from a licensed professional;</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Written verification from the Social Security Administration;</li> </ul>
The receipt of a disability check; or
Intake staff-recorded observation of disability
□ Other:

Additional information (e.g. current living situation, homeless/housing history, disability status):

State Homeless Programs on Oahu and the rural counties require compliance with HUD's definition of "Chronically Homeless" as an individual or family that:

- 1. is homeless and lives or resides in a place not meant for human habitation, a safe haven, or in an emergency shelter; and
- has been homeless and living or residing in a place not meant for human habitation, a safe haven, or in an emergency shelter continuously for at least one (1) year or on at least four (4) separate occasions in the last three (3) years where those occasions cumulatively total at least 12 months; and
- 3. has an adult head of Household (or a minor head of Household if no adult is present in the Household) with a diagnosable substance abuse disorder, serious mental illness, developmental disability (as defined by HUD regulations), post-traumatic stress disorder, cognitive impairments resulting from a brain injury, or chronic physical illness or disability, including the co-occurrence of two (2) or more of those conditions; the disability is expected to be long-continuing or of indefinite duration and substantially impedes the individual's ability to live independently.

#### Does this person meet the definition of Chronically Homeless?

□ Yes, this person is chronically homeless.

 $\Box$  No. He/she is currently homeless but not chronically homeless.

Signature of Person Completing Form:	Date:
Name & Title of Person Completing Form:	
Organization of Person Completing Form:	
Participant's Signature:	Date:

# ATTACHMENT I

# Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT) Forms

# Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT)

# **Assessment Tool for Single Adults**

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# Welcome to the SPDAT Line of Products

The Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT) has been around in various incarnations for over a decade, before being released to the public in 2010. Since its initial release, the use of the SPDAT has been expanding exponentially and is now used in over one thousand communities across the United States, Canada, and Australia.

More communities using the tool means there is an unprecedented demand for versions of the SPDAT, customized for specific client groups or service delivery contexts. With the release of SPDAT V4, there have been more current versions of SPDAT products than ever before.

# **VI-SPDAT Series**

The **Vulnerability Index – Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool** (VI-SPDAT) was developed as a pre-screening tool for communities that are very busy and may not have the resources to conduct a full SPDAT assessment for every client. It was made in collaboration with Community Solutions, creators of the Vulnerability Index, as a brief survey that can be conducted to quickly determine whether a client has high, moderate, or low acuity. The use of this survey can help prioritize which clients should be given a full SPDAT assessment first. Because it is a self-reported survey, no special training is required to use the VI-SPDAT.

# **Current versions available:**

- VI-SPDAT V 2.0 for Individuals
- VI-SPDAT V 2.0 for Families
- VI-SPDAT V 1.0 for Youth

All versions are available online at

#### www.orgcode.com/products/vi-spdat/

# **SPDAT Series**

The **Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool** (SPDAT) was developed as an assessment tool for frontline workers at agencies that work with homeless clients to prioritize which of those clients should receive assistance first. It is an in-depth assessment that relies on the assessor's ability to interpret responses and corroborate those with evidence. As a result, this tool may only be used by those who have received proper, up-to-date training provided by OrgCode Consulting, Inc. or an OrgCode certified trainer.

## **Current versions available:**

- SPDAT V 4.0 for Individuals
- SPDAT V 2.0 for Families
- SPDAT V 1.0 for Youth

Information about all versions is available online at

www.orgcode.com/products/spdat/

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# **SPDAT Training Series**

To use the SPDAT, training by OrgCode or an OrgCode certified trainer is required. We provide training on a wide variety of topics over a variety of mediums.

The full-day in-person SPDAT Level 1 training provides you the opportunity to bring together as many people as you want to be trained for one low fee. The webinar training allows for a maximum of 15 different computers to be logged into the training at one time. We also offer online courses for individuals that you can do at your own speed.

The training gives you the manual, case studies, application to current practice, a review of each component of the tool, conversation guidance with prospective clients – and more!

#### **Current SPDAT training available:**

- Level 0 SPDAT Training: VI-SPDAT for Frontline Workers
- Level 1 SPDAT Training: SPDAT for Frontline Workers
- Level 2 SPDAT Training: SPDAT for Supervisors
- Level 3 SPDAT Training: SPDAT for Trainers

## Other related training available:

- Excellence in Housing-Based Case Management
- Coordinated Access & Common Assessment
- Motivational Interviewing
- Objective-Based Interactions

More information about SPDAT training, including pricing, is available online at

http://www.orgcode.com/product-category/training/spdat/

# Terms and Conditions Governing the Use of the SPDAT

SPDAT products have been developed by OrgCode Consulting, Inc. with extensive feedback from key community partners including people with lived experience. The tools are provided free of charge to communities to improve the client centered services dedicated to increasing housing stability and wellness. Training is indeed required for the administration and interpretation of these assessment tools. Use of the SPDAT products without authorized training is strictly prohibited.

By using this tool, you accept and agree to be bound by the terms of this expectation.

No sharing, reproduction, use or duplication of the information herein is permitted without the express written consent of OrgCode Consulting, Inc.

# **Ownership**

The Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool ("SPDAT") and accompanying documentation is owned by OrgCode Consulting, Inc.

# Training

Although the SPDAT Series is provided free of charge to communities, training by OrgCode Consulting, Inc. or a third party trainer, authorized by OrgCode, must be successfully completed. After meeting the training requirements required to administer and interpret the SPDAT Series, practitioners are permitted to implement the SPDAT in their work with clients.

# **Restrictions on Use**

You may not use or copy the SPDAT prior to successfully completing training on its use, provided by OrgCode Consulting, Inc. or a third-party trainer authorized by OrgCode. You may not share the SPDAT with other individuals not trained on its use. You may not train others on the use of the SPDAT, unless specifically authorized by OrgCode Consulting, Inc.

# **Restrictions on Alteration**

You may not modify the SPDAT or create any derivative work of the SPDAT or its accompanying documentation, without the express written consent of OrgCode Consulting, Inc. Derivative works include but are not limited to translations.

# **Disclaimer**

The management and staff of OrgCode Consulting, Inc. (OrgCode) do not control the way in which the Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT) will be used, applied or integrated into related client processes by communities, agency management or frontline workers. OrgCode assumes no legal responsibility or liability for the misuse of the SPDAT, decisions that are made or services that are received in conjunction with the assessment tool.

# A. Mental Health & Wellness & Cognitive Functioning

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Have you ever received any help with your mental wellness?</li> <li>Do you feel you are getting all the help you need for your mental health or stress?</li> <li>Has a doctor ever prescribed you pills for nerves, anxiety, depression or anything like that?</li> <li>Have you ever gone to an emergency room or stayed in a hospital because you weren't feeling 100% emotionally?</li> <li>Do you have trouble learning or paying attention?</li> <li>Have you ever had testing done to identify learning disabilities?</li> <li>Do you know if, when pregnant with you, your mother did anything that we now know can have negative effects on the baby?</li> <li>Have you ever hurt your brain or head?</li> <li>Do you have any documents or papers about your mental health or brain functioning?</li> <li>Are there other professionals we could speak with that have knowledge of your mental health?</li> </ul>		ES
SCORING		
Any of the following:		

- □ Serious and persistent mental illness (2+ hospitalizations in a mental health facility or psychiatric ward in the past 2 years) **and** not in a heightened state of recovery currently
  - □ Major barriers to performing tasks and functions of daily living or communicating intent because of a brain injury, learning disability or developmental disability

Any of the following:

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- □ Heightened concerns about state of mental health, but fewer than 2 hospitalizations, and/or without knowledge of presence of a diagnosable mental health condition
  - Diminished ability to perform tasks and functions of daily living or communicating intent because of a brain injury, learning disability or developmental disability

While there may be concern for overall mental health or mild impairments to performing tasks and functions of daily living or communicating intent, **all** of the following are true:

- □ No major concerns about safety or ability to be housed without intensive supports to assist with mental health or cognitive functioning
- □ No major concerns for the health and safety of others because of mental health or cognitive functioning ability
  - □ No compelling reason for screening by an expert in mental health or cognitive functioning prior to housing to fully understand capacity
- In a heightened state of recovery, has a Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP) or similar plan for promoting wellness, understands symptoms and strategies for coping with them, and is engaged with mental health supports as necessary.
- 0 □ No mental health or cognitive functioning issues disclosed, suspected or observed.

# B. Physical Health & Wellness

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How is your health?</li> <li>Are you getting any help with your health? How often?</li> <li>Do you feel you are getting all the care you need for your health?</li> <li>Any illness like diabetes, HIV, Hep C or anything like that going on?</li> <li>Ever had a doctor tell you that you have problems with blood pressure or heart or lungs or anything like that?</li> <li>When was the last time you saw a doctor? What was that for?</li> <li>Do you have a clinic or doctor that you usually go to?</li> <li>Anything going on right now with your health that you think would prevent you from living a full, healthy, happy life?</li> <li>Are there other professionals we could speak with that have knowledge of your health?</li> </ul>	NOTES	
SCORING		
<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Co-occurring chronic health conditions</li> <li>Attempting a treatment protocol for a chronic health condition, but the treatment is not improving health</li> </ul>		

□ Pallative health condition

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Presence of a health issue with **any** of the following:

□ Not connected with professional resources to assist with a real or perceived serious health issue, by choice

 Single chronic or serious health concern but does not connect with professional resources because of insufficient community resources (e.g. lack of availability or affordability)
 Unable to follow the treatment plan as a direct result of homeless status

- Presence of a relatively minor physical health issue, which is managed and/or cared for with appropriate professional resources or through informed self-care
  - Presence of a physical health issue, for which appropriate treatment protocols are followed, but there is still a moderate impact on their daily living

Single chronic or serious health condition, but **all** of the following are true:

- Able to manage the health issue and live a relatively active and healthy life
   Connected to appropriate health supports
- Connected to appropriate health supports
   Educated and informed on how to manage the health issue, take medication as necessary related to the condition, and consistently follow these requirements.
- □ No serious or chronic health condition disclosed, observed, or suspected □ If any minor health condition, they are managed appropriately

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# **C.** Medication

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Have you recently been prescribed any medications by a health care professional?</li> <li>Do you take any medications prescribed to you by a doctor?</li> <li>Have you ever sold some or all of your prescription?</li> <li>Have you ever had a doctor prescribe you medication that you didn't have filled at a pharmacy or didn't take?</li> <li>Were any of your medications changed in the last month? If yes: How did that make you feel?</li> <li>Do you ever share your medications with other people?</li> <li>How do you store your medications and make sure you take the right medication at the right time each day?</li> <li>What do you do if you realize you've forgotten to take your medications?</li> <li>Do you have any papers or documents about the medications you take?</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the past 30 days, started taking a prescription which is having any negative impact on day to day living, socialization or mood</li> <li>Shares or sells prescription, but keeps less than is sold or shared</li> <li>Regularly misuses medication (e.g. frequently forgets; often takes the wrong dosage; uses some or all of medication to get high)</li> <li>Has had a medication prescribed in the last 90 days that remains unfilled, for any reason</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the past 30 days, started taking a prescription w day to day living, socialization or mood</li> <li>Shares or sells prescription, but keeps more than in Requires intensive assistance to manage or take m a pillbox; working with pharmacist to blister-pack; more conducive to taking medications at the right nighttime medications on the bedside table and m</li> </ul>	hich is <b>not</b> having any negative impact on s sold or shared edication (e.g., assistance organizing in adapting the living environment to be time for the right purpose, like keeping orning medications by the coffeemaker)	

□ Medications are stored and distributed by a third-party

#### Any of the following:

- 2 □ Fails to take medication at the appropriate time or appropriate dosage, 1-2 times per week □ Self-manages medications except for requiring reminders or assistance for refills □ Successfully self-managing medication for fewer than 30 consecutive days
- 1 Successfully self-managing medications for more than 30, but less than 180, consecutive days

Any of the following:

□ No medication prescribed to them
 □ Successfully self-managing medication for 181+ consecutive days

# D. Substance Use

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>When was the last time you had a drink or used drugs?</li> <li>Is there anything we should keep in mind related to drugs or alcohol?</li> <li>[If they disclose use of drugs and/or alcohol] How frequently would you say you use [specific substance] in a week?</li> <li>Ever have a doctor tell you that your health may be at risk because you drink or use drugs?</li> <li>Have you engaged with anyone professionally related to your substance use that we could speak with?</li> <li>Ever get into fights, fall down and bang your head, or pass out when drinking or using other drugs?</li> <li>Have you ever used alcohol or other drugs in a way that may be considered less than safe?</li> <li>Do you ever end up doing things you later regret after you have gotten really hammered?</li> <li>Do you ever drink mouthwash or cooking wine or hand sanitizer or anything like that?</li> </ul>	NOTES

Note: Consumption thresholds: 2 drinks per day or 14 total drinks in any one week period for men; 2 drinks per day or 9 total drinks in any one week period for women.

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4	<ul> <li>In a life-threatening health situation as a direct result of substance use, or,</li> <li>In the past 30 days, any of the following are true</li> <li>Substance use is almost daily (21+ times) and often to the point of complete inebriation</li> <li>Binge drinking, non-beverage alcohol use, or inhalant use 4+ times</li> <li>Substance use resulting in passing out 2+ times</li> </ul>			
3	<ul> <li>Experiencing serious health impacts as a direct result of substance use, though not (yet) in a life-threatening position as a result, or,</li> <li>In the past 30 days, any of the following are true</li> <li>Drug use reached the point of complete inebriation 12+ times</li> <li>Alcohol use usually exceeded the consumption thresholds (at least 5+ times), but usually not to the point of complete inebriation</li> <li>Binge drinking, non-beverage alcohol use, or inhalant use occurred 1-3 times</li> </ul>			
2	In the past 30 days, <b>any</b> of the following are true □ Drug use reached the point of complete inebriation fewer than 12 times □ Alcohol use exceeded the consumption thresholds fewer than 5 times			
1	□ In the past 365 days, no alcohol use beyond consumption thresholds, <b>or</b> , □ If making claims to sobriety, no substance use in the past 30 days			
0	□ In the past 365 days, no substance use			

# E. Experience of Abuse & Trauma

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
*To avoid re-traumatizing the individual, ask selected approved questions as written. Do not probe for details of the trauma/abuse. This section is entirely self-reported.	NOTES
<ul> <li>"I don't need you to go into any details, but has there been any point in your life where you experienced emotional, physical, sexual or psychological abuse?"</li> <li>"Are you currently or have you ever received professional assistance to address that abuse?"</li> <li>"Does the experience of abuse or trauma impact your day to day living in any way?"</li> <li>"Does the experience of abuse or trauma impact your ability to hold down a job, maintain housing or engage in meaningful relationships with friends or family?"</li> <li>"Have you ever found yourself feeling or acting in a certain way that you think is caused by a history of abuse or trauma?"</li> </ul>	

#### SCORING

- 4 □ A reported experience of abuse or trauma, believed to be a direct cause of their homelessness
- The experience of abuse or trauma is **not** believed to be a direct cause of homelessness, but abuse or trauma (experienced before, during, or after homelessness) is impacting daily functioning and/or ability to get out of homelessness

- A reported experience of abuse or trauma, but is not believed to impact daily functioning and/or ability to get out of homelessness
   Engaged in therapeutic attempts at recovery, but does not consider self to be recovered
- 1 A reported experience of abuse or trauma, and considers self to be recovered
- 0 In No reported experience of abuse or trauma

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# F. Risk of Harm to Self or Others

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Do you have thoughts about hurting yourself or anyone else? Have you ever acted on these thoughts? When was the last time?</li> <li>What was occurring when you had these feelings or took these actions?</li> <li>Have you ever received professional help – including maybe a stay at hospital – as a result of thinking about or attempting to hurt yourself or others? How long ago was that? Does that happen often?</li> <li>Have you recently left a situation you felt was abusive or unsafe? How long ago was that?</li> <li>Have you been in any fights recently - whether you started it or someone else did? How long ago was that? How often do you get into fights?</li> </ul>	NOTES

#### SCORING

#### **Any** of the following:

In the past 90 days, left an abusive situation
 □ In the past 30 days, attempted, threatened, or actually harmed self or others
 □ In the past 30 days, involved in a physical altercation (instigator or participant)

#### Any of the following:

3

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- □ In the past 180 days, left an abusive situation, but no exposure to abuse in the past 90 days
- □ Most recently attempted, threatened, or actually harmed self or others in the past 180 days, but not in the past 30 days
  - □ In the past 365 days, involved in a physical altercation (instigator or participant), but not in the past 30 days

- □ In the past 365 days, left an abusive situation, but no exposure to abuse in the past 180 days □ Most recently attempted, threatened, or actually harmed self or others in the past 365 days,
- but not in the past 180 days
- □ 366+ days ago, 4+ involvements in physical alterations
- 1 🗖 366+ days ago, 1-3 involvements in physical alterations
- 0 Reports no instance of harming self, being harmed, or harming others

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# G. Involvement in Higher Risk and/or Exploitive Situations

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>[Observe, don't ask] Any abcesses or track marks from injection substance use?</li> <li>Does anybody force or trick you to do something that you don't want to do?</li> <li>Do you ever do stuff that could be considered dangerous like drinking until you pass out outside, or delivering drugs for someone, having sex without a condom with a casual partner, or anything like that?</li> <li>Do you ever find yourself in situations that may be considered at a high risk for violence?</li> <li>Do you ever sleep outside? How do you dress and prepare for that? Where do you tend to sleep?</li> </ul>	NOTI	ES

#### SCORING

#### **Any** of the following:

4 □ In the past 180 days, engaged in 10+ higher risk and/or exploitive events □ In the past 90 days, left an abusive situation

#### Any of the following:

3 □ In the past 180 days, engaged in 4-9 higher risk and/or exploitive events □ In the past 180 days, left an abusive situation, but not in the past 90 days

- 2 □ In the past 180 days, engaged in 1-3 higher risk and/or exploitive events □ 181+ days ago, left an abusive situation
- Any involvement in higher risk and/or exploitive situations occurred more than 180 days ago but less than 365 days ago
- 0 □ In the past 365 days, no involvement in higher risk and/or exploitive events

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# H. Interaction with Emergency Services

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How often do you go to emergency rooms?</li> <li>How many times have you had the police speak to you over the past 180 days?</li> <li>Have you used an ambulance or needed the fire department at any time in the past 180 days?</li> <li>How many times have you called or visited a crisis team or a crisis counselor in the last 180 days?</li> <li>How many times have you been admitted to hospital in the last 180 days? How long did you stay?</li> </ul>	NOTI	ΞS

Note: Emergency service use includes: admittance to emergency room/department; hospitalizations; trips to a hospital in an ambulance; crisis service, distress centers, suicide prevention service, sexual assault crisis service, sex worker crisis service, or similar service; interactions with police for the purpose of law enforcement; interactions with fire service in emergency situations.

#### SCORING

- 4 □ In the past 180 days, cumulative total of 10+ interactions with emergency services
- 3 □ In the past 180 days, cumulative total of 4-9 interactions with emergency services
- 2 □ In the past 180 days, cumulative total of 1-3 interactions with emergency services
- Any interaction with emergency services occurred more than 180 days ago but less than 365 days ago
- 0 □ In the past 365 days, no interaction with emergency services

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# I. Legal

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Do you have any "legal stuff" going on?</li> <li>Have you had a lawyer assigned to you by a court?</li> <li>Do you have any upcoming court dates? Do you think there's a chance you will do time?</li> <li>Any involvement with family court or child custody matters?</li> <li>Any outstanding fines?</li> <li>Have you paid any fines in the last 12 months for anything?</li> <li>Have you done any community service in the last 12 months?</li> <li>Is anybody expecting you to do community service for anything right now?</li> <li>Did you have any legal stuff in the last year that got dismissed?</li> <li>Is your housing at risk in any way right now because of legal issues?</li> </ul>	NOTES

#### SCORING

#### **Any** of the following:

4 □ Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in fines of \$500+
 □ Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in incarceration of 3+ months (cumulatively), inclusive of any time held on remand

#### Any of the following:

Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in fines less than \$500
 Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in incarceration of less than 90 days (cumulatively), inclusive of any time held on remand

#### **Any** of the following:

2

- □ In the past 365 days, relatively minor legal issue has occurred and was resolved through community service or payment of fine(s)
  - □ Currently outstanding relatively minor legal issue that is unlikely to result in incarceration (but may result in community service)
- 1 There are no current legal issues, **and** any legal issues that have historically occurred have been resolved without community service, payment of fine, or incarceration
- 0 □ No legal issues within the past 365 days, **and** currently no conditions of release

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# J. Managing Tenancy

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Are you currently homeless?</li> <li>[If the person is housed] Do you have an eviction notice?</li> <li>[If the person is housed] Do you think that your housing is at risk?</li> <li>How is your relationship with your neighbors?</li> <li>How do you normally get along with landlords?</li> <li>How have you been doing with taking care of your place?</li> </ul>	NOTE	S

Note: Housing matters include: conflict with landlord and/or neighbors, damages to the unit, payment of rent on time and in full. Payment of rent through a third party is <u>not</u> considered to be a short-coming or deficiency in the ability to pay rent.

	SCORING			
4	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Currently homeless</li> <li>In the next 30 days, will be re-housed or return to homelessness</li> <li>In the past 365 days, was re-housed 6+ times</li> <li>In the past 90 days, support worker(s) have been cumulatively involved 10+ times with housing matters</li> </ul>			
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the next 60 days, will be re-housed or return to homelessness, but not in next 30 days</li> <li>In the past 365 days, was re-housed 3-5 times</li> <li>In the past 90 days, support worker(s) have been cumulatively involved 4-9 times with housing matters</li> </ul>			
2	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the past 365 days, was re-housed 2 times</li> <li>In the past 180 days, was re-housed 1+ times, but not in the past 60 days</li> <li>Continuously housed for at least 90 days but not more than 180 days</li> <li>In the past 90 days, support worker(s) have been cumulatively involved 1-3 times with housing matters</li> </ul>			
1	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ In the past 365 days, was re-housed 1 time</li> <li>□ Continuously housed, with no assistance on housing matters, for at least 180 days but not more than 365 days</li> </ul>			
0	$\square$ Continuously housed, with no assistance on housing matters, for at least 365 days			

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# K. Personal Administration & Money Management

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How are you with taking care of money?</li> <li>How are you with paying bills on time and taking care of other financial stuff?</li> <li>Do you have any street debts?</li> <li>Do you have any drug or gambling debts?</li> <li>Is there anybody that thinks you owe them money?</li> <li>Do you budget every single month for every single thing you need? Including cigarettes? Booze? Drugs?</li> <li>Do you try to pay your rent before paying for anything else?</li> <li>Are you behind in any payments like child support or student loans or anything like that?</li> </ul>	NOT	ES

	SCORING
4	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Cannot create or follow a budget, regardless of supports provided</li> <li>Does not comprehend financial obligations</li> <li>Does not have an income (including formal and informal sources)</li> <li>Not aware of the full amount spent on substances, if they use substances</li> <li>Substantial real or perceived debts of \$1,000+, past due or requiring monthly payments</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Requires intensive assistance to create and manage a budget (including any legally mandated guardian/trustee that provides assistance or manages access to money)</li> <li>Only understands their financial obligations with the assistance of a 3rd party</li> <li>Not budgeting for substance use, if they are a substance user</li> <li>Real or perceived debts of \$999 or less, past due or requiring monthly payments</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the past 365 days, source of income has changed 2+ times</li> <li>Budgeting to the best of ability (including formal and informal sources), but still short of money every month for essential needs</li> <li>Voluntarily receives assistance creating and managing a budget or restricts access to their own money (e.g. guardian/trusteeship)</li> <li>Has been self-managing financial resources and taking care of associated administrative tasks for less than 90 days</li> </ul>
1	□ Has been self-managing financial resources and taking care of associated administrative tasks for at least 90 days, but for less than 180 days
0	□ Has been self-managing financial resources and taking care of associated administrative tasks for at least 180 days

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# L. Social Relationships & Networks

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Tell me about your friends, family or other people in your life.</li> <li>How often do you get together or chat?</li> <li>When you go to doctor's appointments or meet with other professionals like that, what is that like?</li> <li>Are there any people in your life that you feel are just using you?</li> <li>Are there any of your closer friends that you feel are always asking you for money, smokes, drugs, food or anything like that?</li> <li>Have you ever had people crash at your place that you did not want staying there?</li> <li>Have you ever been threatened with an eviction or lost a place because of something that friends or family did in your apartment?</li> <li>Have you ever been concerned about not following your</li> </ul>	NOTES
lease agreement because of your friends or family?	
SCORING	
<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the past 90 days, left an exploitive, abusive or dep</li> <li>Friends, family or other people are placing security of impacting life, wellness, or safety</li> </ul>	

- □ No friends or family and demonstrates no ability to follow social norms
- □ Currently homeless and would classify most of friends and family as homeless

Any of the following:

- $\Box$  In the past 90-180 days, left an exploitive, abusive or dependent relationship
- □ Friends, family or other people are having some negative consequences on wellness or housing stability
- $\square$  No friends or family but demonstrating ability to follow social norms
  - □ Meeting new people with an intention of forming friendships
  - □ Reconnecting with previous friends or family members, but experiencing difficulty advancing the relationship
  - □ Currently homeless, and would classify some of friends and family as being housed, while others are homeless

- More than 180 days ago, left an exploitive, abusive or dependent relationship
   Developing relationships with new people but not yet fully trusting them
   Currently homeless, and would classify friends and family as being housed
- 1 Has been housed for less than 180 days, **and** is engaged with friends or family, who are having no negative consequences on the individual's housing stability
- Has been housed for at least 180 days, **and** is engaged with friends or family, who are having no negative consequences on the individual's housing stability

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# M. Self Care & Daily Living Skills

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Do you have any worries about taking care of yourself?</li> <li>Do you have any concerns about cooking, cleaning, laundry or anything like that?</li> <li>Do you ever need reminders to do things like shower or clean up?</li> <li>Describe your last apartment.</li> <li>Do you know how to shop for nutritious food on a budget?</li> <li>Do you know how to make low cost meals that can result in leftovers to freeze or save for another day?</li> <li>Do you tend to keep all of your clothes clean?</li> <li>Have you ever had a problem with mice or other bugs like cockroaches as a result of a dirty apartment?</li> <li>When you have had a place where you have made a meal, do you tend to clean up dishes and the like before they get crusty?</li> </ul>	NOTES

#### SCORING

#### Any of the following: □ No insight into how to care for themselves, their apartment or their surroundings

4 □ Currently homeless and relies upon others to meet basic needs (e.g. access to shelter, showers, toilet, laundry, food, and/or clothing) on an almost daily basis
 □ Engaged in hoarding or collecting behavior and is not aware that it is an issue in her/his life

#### Any of the following:

3

2

□ Has insight into some areas of how to care for themselves, their apartment or their surroundings, but misses other areas because of lack of insight

□ In the past 180 days, relied upon others to meet basic needs (e.g. access to shelter, showers, toilet, laundry, food, and/or clothing), 14+ days in any 30-day period

Engaged in hoarding or collecting behavior and is aware that it is an issue in her/his life

- □ Fully aware and has insight in all that is required to take care of themselves, their apartment and their surroundings, but has not yet mastered the skills or time management to fully execute this on a regular basis
- □ In the past 180 days, relied upon others to meet basic needs (e.g. access to shelter, showers, toilet, laundry, food, and/or clothing), fewer than 14 days in every 30-day period
- 1 □ In the past 365 days, accessed community resources 4 or fewer times, **and** is fully taking care of all their daily needs
- 0 □ For the past 365+ days, fully taking care of all their daily needs independently

# N. Meaningful Daily Activity

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How do you spend your day?</li> <li>How do you spend your free time?</li> <li>Does that make you feel happy/fulfilled?</li> <li>How many days a week would you say you have things to do that make you feel happy/fulfilled?</li> <li>How much time in a week would you say you are totally bored?</li> <li>When you wake up in the morning, do you tend to have an idea of what you plan to do that day?</li> <li>How much time in a week would you say you spend doing stuff to fill up the time rather than doing things that you love?</li> <li>Are there any things that get in the way of you doing the sorts of activities you would like to be doing?</li> </ul>	NOTE	ΞS

#### SCORING

- 4 🗆 No planned, legal activities described as providing fulfillment or happiness
- Discussing, exploring, signing up for and/or preparing for new activities or to re-engage with planned, legal activities that used to provide fulfillment or happiness
- Attempting new or re-engaging with planned, legal activities that used to provide fulfillment or happiness, but uncertain that activities selected are currently providing fulfillment or happiness, or the individual is not fully committed to continuing the activities.
- **1** Has planned, legal activities described as providing fulfillment or happiness 1-3 days per week
- 0 □ Has planned, legal activities described as providing fulfillment or happiness 4+ days per week

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# O. History of Homelessness & Housing

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How long have you been homeless?</li> <li>How many times have you been homeless in your life other than this most recent time?</li> <li>Have you spent any time sleeping on a friend's couch or floor? And if so, during those times did you consider that to be your permanent address?</li> <li>Have you ever spent time sleeping in a car or alleyway or garage or barn or bus shelter or anything like that?</li> <li>Have you ever spent time sleeping in an abandoned building?</li> <li>Were you ever in hospital or jail for a period of time when you didn't have a permanent address to go to when you got out?</li> </ul>	NOT	ΞS

#### SCORING

- 4 □ Over the past 10 years, cumulative total of 5+ years of homelessness
- 3 Over the past 10 years, cumulative total of 2+ years but fewer than 5 years of homelessness
- 2 Over the past 4 years, cumulative total of 30+ days but fewer than 2 years of homelessness
- 1 Over the past 4 years, cumulative total of 7+ days but fewer than 30 days of homelessness
- 0 Over the past 4 years, cumulative total of 7 or fewer days of homelessness

Client:	Worker:	Version:	Date:
COMPONENT	SCUBE	COMMENTS	
MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS AND COGNITIVE FUNCTIONING			
PHYSICAL HEALTH & WELLNESS			
MEDICATION			
SUBSTANCE USE			
EXPERIENCE OF ABUSE AND/ OR TRAUMA			
RISK OF HARM TO SELF OR OTHERS			
INVOLVEMENT IN HIGHER RISK AND/OR EXPLOITIVE SITUATIONS			
INTERACTION WITH EMERGENCY SERVICES			

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COMPONENT	SCORE	COMMENTS	
LEGAL INVOLVEMENT			
MANAGING TENANCY			
PERSONAL ADMINISTRATION & MONEY MANAGEMENT			
SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS & NETWORKS			
SELF-CARE & DAILY LIVING SKILLS			
MEANINGFUL DAILY ACTIVITIES			
HISTORY OF HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS			
TOTAL		Score: Recommendation: 0-19: No housing intervention 20-34: Rapid Re-Housing 35-60: Permanent Supportive Housing/Housing First	

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# **Appendix A: About the SPDAT**

OrgCode Consulting, Inc. is pleased to announce the release of Version 4 of the Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT). Since its release in 2010, the SPDAT has been used with over 10,000 unique individuals in over 100 communities across North America and in select locations around the world.

Originally designed as a tool to help prioritize housing services for homeless individuals based upon their acuity, the SPDAT has been successfully adapted to other fields of practice, including: discharge planning from hospitals, work with youth, survivors of domestic violence, health research, planning supports for consumer survivors of psychiatric care systems, and in work supporting people with fetal alcohol spectrum disorders. We are encouraged that so many service providers and communities are expanding the use of this tool, and OrgCode will continue to support the innovative use of the SPDAT to meet local needs.

# **SPDAT Design**

The SPDAT is designed to:

- Help prioritize which clients should receive what type of housing assistance intervention, and assist in determining the intensity of case management services
- Prioritize the sequence of clients receiving those services
- Help prioritize the time and resources of Frontline Workers
- Allow Team Leaders and program supervisors to better match client needs to the strengths of specific Frontline Workers on their team
- Assist Team Leaders and program supervisors to support Frontline Workers and establish service priorities across their team
- Provide assistance with case planning and encourage reflection on the prioritization of different elements within a case plan
- Track the depth of need and service responses to clients over time

The SPDAT is NOT designed to:

- Provide a diagnosis
- Assess current risk or be a predictive index for future risk
- Take the place of other valid and reliable instruments used in clinical research and care

The SPDAT is only used with those clients who meet program eligibility criteria. For example, if there is an eligibility criterion that requires prospective clients to be homeless at time of intake to be eligible for Housing First, then the pre-condition must be met before pursuing the application of the SPDAT. For that reason, we have also created the VI-SPDAT as an initial screening tool.

The SPDAT is not intended to replace clinical expertise or clinical assessment tools. The tool complements existing clinical approaches by incorporating a wide array of components that provide both a global and detailed picture of a client's acuity. Certain components of the SPDAT relate to clinical concerns, and it is expected that intake professionals and clinicians will work together to ensure the accurate assessment of these issues. In fact, many organizations and communities have found the SPDAT to be a useful method for bridging the gap between housing, social services and clinical services.

# **Version 4**

The SPDAT has been influenced by the experience of practitioners in its use, persons with lived experience that have had the SPDAT implemented with them, as well as a number of other excellent tools such as (but not limited to) the Outcome Star, Health of the Nation Outcome Scale, Denver Acuity Scale, Camberwell Assessment of Needs, Vulnerability Index, and Transition Aged Youth Triage Tool.

In preparing SPDAT v4, we have adopted a comprehensive and collaborative approach to changing and improving the SPDAT. Communities that have used the tool for three months or more have provided us with their feedback. OrgCode staff have observed the tool in operation to better understand its implementation in the field. An independent committee composed of service practitioners and academics review enhancements to the SPDAT. Furthermore, we continue to test the validity of SPDAT results through the use of control groups. Overall, we consistently see that groups assessed with the SPDAT have better long-term housing and life stability outcomes than those assessed with other tools, or no tools at all.

OrgCode intends to continue working with communities and persons with lived experience to make future versions of the SPDAT even better. We hope all those communities and agencies that choose to use this tool will remain committed to collaborating with us to make those improvements over time.

Version 4 builds upon the success of Version 3 of the SPDAT with some refinements. Starting in August 2014, a survey was launched of existing SPDAT users to get their input on what should be amended, improved, or maintained in the tool. Analysis was completed across all of these responses. Further research was conducted. Questions were tested and refined over several months, again including the direct voice of persons with lived experience and frontline practitioners. Input was also gathered from senior government officials that create policy and programs to help ensure alignment with guidelines and funding requirements.

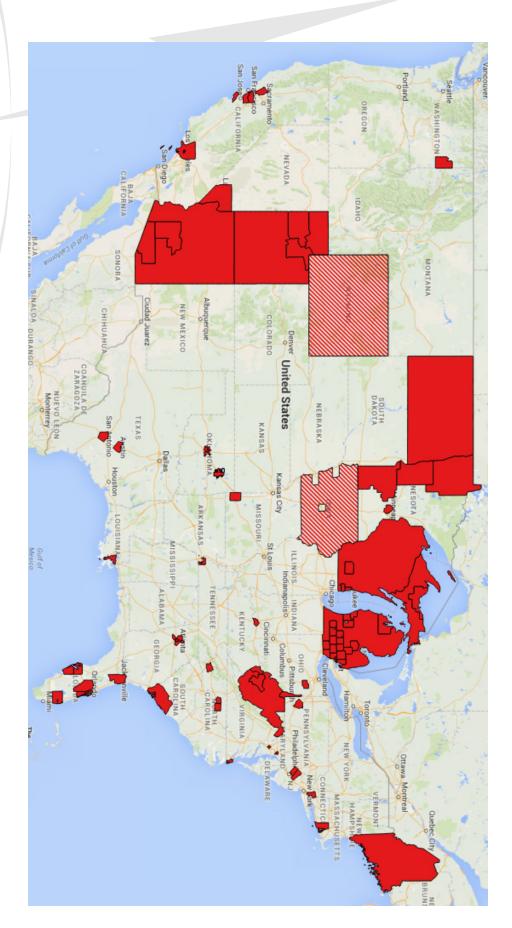
The major differences from Version 3 to Version 4 include:

- The structure of the tools is the same: four domains (five for families) with components aligned to specific domains. The names of the domains and the components remain unchanged.
- The scoring of the tools is the same: 60 points for singles, and 80 points for families.
- The scoring tables used to run from 0 through to 4. They are now reversed with each table starting at 4 and working their way down to 0. This increases the speed of assessment.
- The order of the tools has changed, grouped together by domain.
- Language has been simplified.
- Days are used rather than months to provide greater clarification and alignment to how most databases capture periods of time in service.
- Greater specificity has been provided in some components such as amount of debts.

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# Appendix B: Where the SPDAT is being used (as of May 2015)

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# Arizona

Statewide

# California

- Oakland/Alameda County CoC
- Richmond/Contra Costa County CoC
- Watsonville/Santa Cruz City & County CoC
- Napa City & County CoC
- Los Angeles City & County CoC
- Pasadena CoC
- Glendale CoC
- District of Columbia
- District of Columbia CoC

# Florida

- Sarasota/Bradenton/Manatee, Sarasota Counties CoC
- Tampa/Hillsborough County CoC
- St. Petersburg/Clearwater/Largo/Pinellas County CoC
- Orlando/Orange, Osceola, Seminole Counties CoC
- Jacksonville-Duval, Clay Counties CoC
- Palm Bay/Melbourne/Brevard County CoC
- West Palm Beach/Palm Beach County CoC

# Georgia

- Atlanta County Cot
- Fulton County CoC
- Marietta/Cobb County CoC
- DeKalb County CoC

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Parts of Iowa Balance of State CoC

# Kentucky

- Louisville/Jefferson County CoC
- ouisiana
- New Orleans/Jefferson Parish CoC

# Maryland

Baltimore City CoC

# Maine

- Statewide
- Michigan

# Statewide

# Minnesota

- Minneapolis/Hennepin County CoC
- Northwest Minnesota CoC
- Moorhead/West Central Minnesota CoC
- Southwest Minnesota CoC

# Missouri

Joplin/Jasper, Newton Counties CoC

# North Carolina

- Winston Salem/Forsyth County CoC
- Asheville/Buncombe County CoC

# Greensboro/High Point CoC

North Dakota

# Statewide

- Nevada
- Las Vegas/Clark County CoC

# **New York**

- Yonkers/Mount Vernon/New Rochelle/
- Westchester County CoC

# Ohio

Canton/Massillon/Alliance/Stark County

Toledo/Lucas County CoC

- Oklahoma
- Tulsa City & County/Broken Arrow CoC
- Oklahoma City CoC

# Pennsylvania

Lower Marion/Norristown/Abington/ Montgomery County CoC

- Pittsburgh/McKeesport/Penn Hills/ Bristol/Bensalem/Bucks County CoC
- Allegheny County CoC

# Rhode Island

Statewide

# South Carolina

- Charleston/Low Country CoC
- Tennessee Memphis/Shelby County CoC

# Texas

- San Antonio/Bexar County CoC
- Austin/Travis County CoC

# Utah

- Salt Lake City & County CoC
- Provo/Mountainland CoC Utah Balance of State CoC

# Virginia

- Virginia Beach CoC
- Arlington County CoC
- Washington
- Spokane City & County CoC
- Wisconsin
- Statewide
- West Virginia
- Statewide
- Wyoming
- Wyoming is in the process of implementing statewide

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# Canada

# Alberta

- Manitoba Province-wide
- City of Winnipeg
- New Brunswick
- City of Fredericton City of Saint John

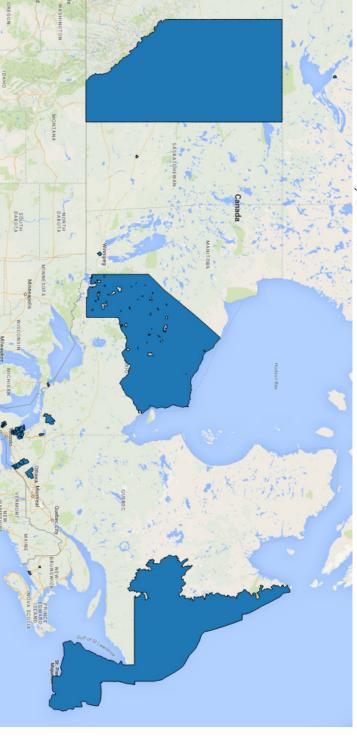
# **Newfoundland and Labrador**

Province-wide

# **Northwest Territories**

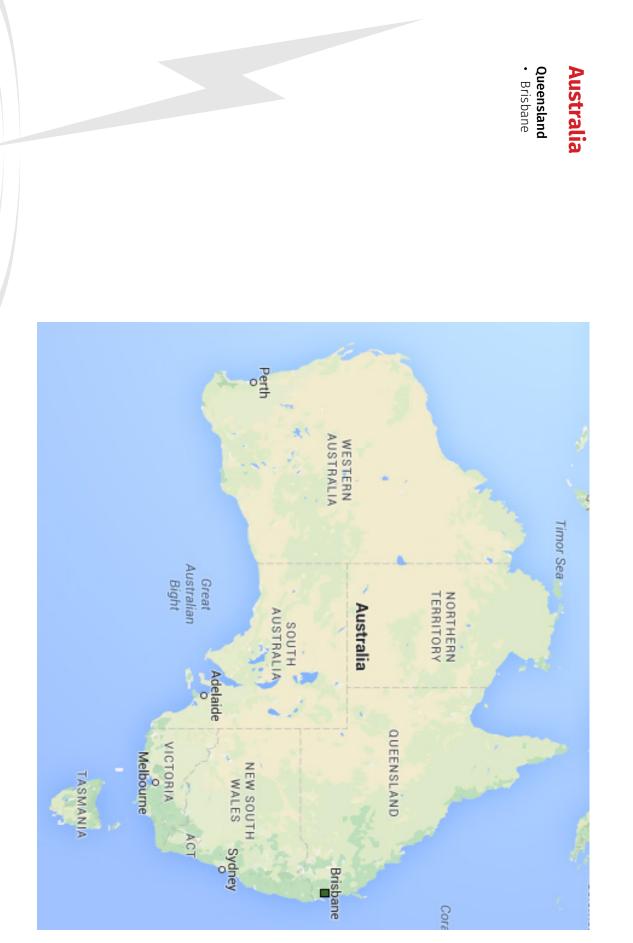
- City of Yellowknife
- Ontario
- City of Barrie/Simcoe County
- City of Brantford/Brant County
- City of Greater Sudbury
- City of Kingston/Frontenac County
- City of Ottawa
- City of Windsor

- District of Kenora District of Parry Sound
- District of Sault Ste Marie
- Regional Municipality of York Regional Municipality of Waterloo
- Saskatchewan
- Saskatoon



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# Welcome to the SPDAT Line of Products

The Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT) has been around in various incarnations for over a decade, before being released to the public in 2010. Since its initial release, the use of the SPDAT has been expanding exponentially and is now used in over one thousand communities across the United States, Canada, and Australia.

More communities using the tool means there is an unprecedented demand for versions of the SPDAT, customized for specific client groups or service delivery contexts. With the release of SPDAT V4, there have been more current versions of SPDAT products than ever before.

# **VI-SPDAT Series**

The **Vulnerability Index – Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool** (VI-SPDAT) was developed as a pre-screening tool for communities that are very busy and may not have the resources to conduct a full SPDAT assessment for every client. It was made in collaboration with Community Solutions, creators of the Vulnerability Index, as a brief survey that can be conducted to quickly determine whether a client has high, moderate, or low acuity. The use of this survey can help prioritize which clients should be given a full SPDAT assessment first. Because it is a self-reported survey, no special training is required to use the VI-SPDAT.

# **Current versions available:**

- VI-SPDAT V 2.0 for Individuals
- VI-SPDAT V 2.0 for Families
- VI-SPDAT V 1.0 for Youth

All versions are available online at

# www.orgcode.com/products/vi-spdat/

# **SPDAT Series**

The **Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool** (SPDAT) was developed as an assessment tool for frontline workers at agencies that work with homeless clients to prioritize which of those clients should receive assistance first. It is an in-depth assessment that relies on the assessor's ability to interpret responses and corroborate those with evidence. As a result, this tool may only be used by those who have received proper, up-to-date training provided by OrgCode Consulting, Inc. or an OrgCode certified trainer.

# **Current versions available:**

- SPDAT V 4.0 for Individuals
- SPDAT V 2.0 for Families
- SPDAT V 1.0 for Youth

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- Level 1 SPDAT Training: SPDAT for Frontline Workers
- Level 2 SPDAT Training: SPDAT for Supervisors
- Level 3 SPDAT Training: SPDAT for Trainers

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- Excellence in Housing-Based Case Management
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- Motivational Interviewing
- Objective-Based Interactions

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# A. Mental Health & Wellness & Cognitive Functioning

	PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Mathematical constraints</li> &lt;</ul>	as anyone in your family ever received any help with their ental wellness? by you feel that every member in your family is getting all e help they need for their mental health or stress? as a doctor ever prescribed anyone in your family pills for rves, anxiety, depression or anything like that? as anyone in your family ever gone to an emergency room stayed in a hospital because they weren't feeling 100% notionally? bes anyone in your family have trouble learning or paying tention, or been tested for learning disabilities? by you know if, when pregnant with you, your mother did bything that we now know can have negative effects on e baby? What about when you were pregnant? as anyone in your family ever hurt their brain or head? by you have any documents or papers about your family's ental health or brain functioning? e there other professionals we could speak with that have owledge of your family's mental health?	NOTES
4	SCORING Any of the following among any family member: Serious and persistent mental illness (2+ hospitalizat psychiatric ward in the past 2 years) and not in a heig Major barriers to performing tasks and functions of d because of a brain injury, learning disability or developed	ghtened state of recovery currently daily living or communicating intent
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following among any family member:</li> <li>□ Heightened concerns about state of mental health, b without knowledge of presence of a diagnosable mer</li> <li>□ Diminished ability to perform tasks and functions of because of a brain injury, learning disability or development</li> </ul>	ntal health condition daily living or communicating intent
2	While there may be concern for overall mental health or m functions of daily living or communicating intent, <b>all</b> of th No major concerns about the family's safety or ability supports to assist with mental health or cognitive fur No major concerns for the health and safety of other	ne following are true: cy to be housed without intensive nctioning

functioning ability

No compelling reason for any member of the family to be screened by an expert in mental health or cognitive functioning prior to housing to fully understand capacity

All members of the family are in a heightened state of recovery, have a Wellness Recovery
 Action Plan (WRAP) or similar plan for promoting wellness, understands symptoms and strategies for coping with them, **and** are engaged with mental health supports as necessary.

0 □ No mental health or cognitive functioning issues disclosed, suspected or observed.

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# B. Physical Health & Wellness

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How is your family's health?</li> <li>Are you getting any help with your health? How often?</li> <li>Do you feel you are getting all the care you need for your family's health?</li> <li>Any illnesses like diabetes, HIV, Hep C or anything like that going on in any member of your family?</li> <li>Ever had a doctor tell anyone in your family that they have problems with blood pressure or heart or lungs or anything</li> </ul>	NOTE	S
<ul> <li>like that?</li> <li>When was the last time anyone in your family saw a doctor? What was that for?</li> <li>Do you have a clinic or doctor that you usually go to?</li> <li>Anything going on right now with your family's health that you think would prevent them from living a full, healthy, happy life?</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Are there other professionals we could speak with that have knowledge of your family's health?</li> <li>Do you have any documents or papers about your family's health or past stays in hospital because of your health?</li> </ul>		

### SCORING

**Any** of the following for any member of the family:

- □ Co-occurring chronic health conditions
- 4 □ Attempting a treatment protocol for a chronic health condition, but the treatment is not improving health
  - □ Pallative health condition

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Presence of a health issue among any family member with **any** of the following:

- □ Not connected with professional resources to assist with a real or perceived serious health issue, by choice
- □ Single chronic or serious health concern but does not connect with professional resources because of insufficient community resources (e.g. lack of availability or affordability)
- $\Box$  Unable to follow the treatment plan as a direct result of homeless status
- □ Presence of a relatively minor physical health issue, which is managed and/or cared for with appropriate professional resources or through informed self-care
- Presence of a physical health issue, for which appropriate treatment protocols are followed, but there is still a moderate impact on their daily living

Single chronic or serious health condition in a family member, but **all** of the following are true: Able to manage the health issue and live a relatively active and healthy life

- Connected to appropriate health supports
   Educated and informed on how to manage the health issue, take medication as necessary related to the condition, and consistently follow these requirements.
- □ No serious or chronic health condition
- □ If any minor health condition, they are managed appropriately

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# **C.** Medication

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Has anyone in your family recently been prescribed any medications by a health care professional?</li> <li>Does anyone in your family take any medication, prescribed to them by a doctor?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family ever had a doctor prescribe them a medication that wasn't filled or they didn't take?</li> <li>Were any of your family's medications changed in the last month? Whose? How did that make them feel?</li> <li>Do other people ever steal your family ever sell or share their medications with other people it wasn't prescribed to?</li> <li>How does your family store their medication and make sure they take the right medication at the right time each day?</li> <li>What do you do if you realize someone has forgotten to take their medications?</li> </ul>	NOTES

### SCORING

**Any** of the following for any family member:

- □ In the past 30 days, started taking a prescription which **is** having any negative impact on day to day living, socialization or mood
- □ Shares or sells prescription, but keeps **less** than is sold or shared
  - □ Regularly misuses medication (e.g. frequently forgets; often takes the wrong dosage; uses some or all of medication to get high)
    - □ Has had a medication prescribed in the last 90 days that remains unfilled, for any reason.

**Any** of the following for any family member:

- □ In the past 30 days, started taking a prescription which is **not** having any negative impact on day to day living, socialization or mood
- □ Shares or sells prescription, but keeps **more** than is sold or shared
- Requires intensive assistance to manage or take medication (e.g., assistance organizing in a pillbox; working with pharmacist to blister-pack; adapting the living environment to be more conducive to taking medications at the right time for the right purpose, like keeping nighttime medications on the bedside table and morning medications by the coffeemaker)
   Medications are stored and distributed by a third-party

**Any** of the following for any family member:

- Fails to take medication at the appropriate time or appropriate dosage, 1-2 times per week
   Self-manages medications except for requiring reminders or assistance for refills
   Successfully self-managing medication for fewer than 30 consecutive days
- 1 Successfully self-managing medications for more than 30, but less than 180, consecutive days

**Any** of the following is true for **every** family member:

■ No medication prescribed to them
 ■ Successfully self-managing medication for 181+ consecutive days

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# D. Substance Use

PROMPTS	<b>CLIENT SCORE:</b>	
<ul> <li>When was the last time you had a drink or used drugs? What about the other members of your family?</li> <li>Anything we should keep in mind related to drugs/alcohol?</li> <li>How often would you say you use [substance] in a week?</li> <li>Ever have a doctor tell you that your health may be at risk because you drink or use drugs?</li> <li>Have you engaged with anyone professionally related to your substance use that we could speak with?</li> <li>Ever get into fights, fall down and bang your head, do things you regret later, or pass out when drinking or using other drugs?</li> <li>Have you ever used alcohol or other drugs in a way that may be considered less than safe?</li> <li>Do you ever drink mouthwash or cooking wine or hand sanitizer or anything like that?</li> </ul>	NOTE	S

Note: Consumption thresholds: 2 drinks per day or 14 total drinks in any one week period for men; 2 drinks per day or 9 total drinks in any one week period for women.

	SCORING
4	<ul> <li>An adult is in a life-threatening health situation as a direct result of substance use, or,</li> <li>Any family member is under the legal age but over 15 and would score a 3+, or,</li> <li>Any family member is under 15 and would score a 2+, or who first used drugs prior to age 12, or,</li> <li>In the past 30 days, any of the following are true for any adult in the family</li> <li>Substance use is almost daily (21+ times) and often to the point of complete inebriation</li> <li>Binge drinking, non-beverage alcohol use, or inhalant use 4+ times</li> </ul>
	□ Substance use resulting in passing out 2+ times
3	<ul> <li>An adult is experiencing serious health impacts as a direct result of substance use, though not (yet) in a life-threatening position as a result, <b>or</b>,</li> <li>Any family member is under the legal age but over 15 and would score a 2, <b>or</b>,</li> <li>Any family member is under 15 and would score a 1, <b>or</b> who first used drugs at age 13-15, <b>or</b>,</li> <li>In the past 30 days, <b>any</b> of the following are true for any adult in the family</li> <li>Drug use reached the point of complete inebriation 12+ times</li> <li>Alcohol use usually exceeded the consumption thresholds (at least 5+ times), but usually not to the point of complete inebriation</li> <li>Binge drinking, non-beverage alcohol use, or inhalant use occurred 1-3 times</li> </ul>
	Any family member is under the legal age but over 15 and would otherwise score 1, <b>or</b> ,
2	In the past 30 days, <b>any</b> of the following are true for any adult in the family Drug use reached the point of complete inebriation fewer than 12 times Alcohol use exceeded the consumption thresholds fewer than 5 times
1	□ In the past 365 days, no alcohol use beyond consumption thresholds, <b>or</b> , □ If making claims to sobriety, no substance use in the past 30 days
0	□ In the past 365 days, no substance use

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# E. Experience of Abuse & Trauma of Parents

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
*To avoid re-traumatizing the individual, ask selected approved questions as written. Do not probe for details of the trauma/abuse. This section is entirely self-reported.	NOTES
*Because this section is self-reported, if there are more than one parent present, they should each be asked individually.	
<ul> <li>"I don't need you to go into any details, but has there been any point in your life where you experienced emotional, physical, sexual or psychological abuse?"</li> <li>"Are you currently or have you ever received professional assistance to address that abuse?"</li> <li>"Does the experience of abuse or trauma impact your day to day living in any way?"</li> <li>"Does the experience of abuse or trauma impact your ability to hold down a job, maintain housing or engage in meaningful relationships with friends or family?"</li> <li>"Have you ever found yourself feeling or acting in a certain way that you think is caused by a history of abuse or trauma?"</li> <li>"Have you ever become homeless as a direct result of experiencing abuse or trauma?"</li> </ul>	

### SCORING

- 4 □ A reported experience of abuse or trauma, believed to be a direct cause of their homelessness
- The experience of abuse or trauma is **not** believed to be a direct cause of homelessness, but abuse or trauma (experienced before, during, or after homelessness) is impacting daily functioning and/or ability to get out of homelessness

#### **Any** of the following:

- 2 A reported experience of abuse or trauma, but is not believed to impact daily functioning and/or ability to get out of homelessness
  - □ Engaged in therapeutic attempts at recovery, but does not consider self to be recovered
- 1 A reported experience of abuse or trauma, and considers self to be recovered
- 0 □ No reported experience of abuse or trauma

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# F. Risk of Harm to Self or Others

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>Does anyone in your family have thoughts about hurting themselves or anyone else? Have they ever acted on these thoughts? When was the last time? What was occurring when that happened?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family ever received professional help – including maybe a stay at hospital – as a result of thinking about or attempting to hurt themself or others? How long ago was that? Does that happen often?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family recently left a situation you felt was abusive or unsafe? How long ago was that?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family been in any fights recently – whether they started it or someone else did? How long ago was that? How often do they get into fights?</li> </ul>	NOTES

### SCORING

**Any** of the following for any family member:

- □ In the past 90 days, left an abusive situation
- □ In the past 30 days, attempted, threatened, or actually harmed self or others □ In the past 30 days, involved in a physical altercation (instigator or participant)

**Any** of the following for any family member:

- □ In the past 180 days, left an abusive situation, but no exposure to abuse in the past 90 days
- ☐ Most recently attempted, threatened, or actually harmed self or others in the past 180 days, but not in the past 30 days
- □ In the past 365 days, involved in a physical altercation (instigator or participant), but not in the past 30 days

Any of the following for any family member:

- □ In the past 365 days, left an abusive situation, but no exposure to abuse in the past 180 days □ Most recently attempted, threatened, or actually harmed self or others in the past 365 days,
  - but not in the past 180 days
  - □ 366+ days ago, 4+ involvements in physical alterations
- 1 □ 366+ days ago, a family member had 1-3 involvements in physical alterations
- 0 □ Whole family reports no instance of harming self, being harmed, or harming others

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# G. Involvement in Higher Risk and/or Exploitive Situations

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>[Observe, don't ask] Any abcesses or track marks from injection substance use?</li> <li>Does anybody force or trick people in your family to do things that they don't want to do?</li> <li>Do you or anyone in your family ever do stuff that could be considered dangerous like drinking until they pass out outside, or delivering drugs for someone, having sex without a condom with a casual partner, or anything like that?</li> <li>Does anyone in your family ever find themselves in situations that may be considered at a high risk for violence?</li> <li>Does your family ever sleep outside? How do you dress and prepare for that? Where do you tend to sleep?</li> </ul>	NOTE	S

# SCORING

Any of the following:

4 □ In the past 180 days, family engaged in a total of 10+ higher risk and/or exploitive events □ In the past 90 days, any member of the family left an abusive situation

Any of the following:

In the past 180 days, family engaged in a total of 4-9 higher risk and/or exploitive events
 In the past 180 days, any member of the family left an abusive situation, but not in the past 90 days

**Any** of the following:

- 2 □ In the past 180 days, family engaged in a total of 1-3 higher risk and/or exploitive events □ 181+ days ago, any member of the family left an abusive situation
- Any involvement in higher risk and/or exploitive situations by any member of the family occurred more than 180 days ago but less than 365 days ago
- 0 □ In the past 365 days, no involvement by any family member in higher risk and/or exploitive events

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# H. Interaction with Emergency Services

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>How often does your family go to emergency rooms?</li> <li>How many times have you had the police speak to members of your family over the past 180 days?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family used an ambulance or needed the fire department at any time in the past 180 days?</li> <li>How many times have members of your family called or visited a crisis team or a crisis counselor in the last 180 days?</li> <li>How many times have you or anyone in your family been admitted to hospital in the last 180 days? How long did they stay?</li> </ul>	NOTES

Note: Emergency service use includes: admittance to emergency room/department; hospitalizations; trips to a hospital in an ambulance; crisis service, distress centers, suicide prevention service, sexual assault crisis service, sex worker crisis service, or similar service; interactions with police for the purpose of law enforcement; interactions with fire service in emergency situations.

# SCORING

- 4 □ In the past 180 days, cumulative family total of 10+ interactions with emergency services
- 3 □ In the past 180 days, cumulative family total of 4-9 interactions with emergency services
- 2 🗆 In the past 180 days, cumulative family total of 1-3 interactions with emergency services
- Any interaction with emergency services by family members occurred more than 180 days ago but less than 365 days ago
- 0 □ In the past 365 days, no interaction with emergency services

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# I. Legal

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PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Does your family have any "legal stuff" going on?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family had a lawyer assigned to them by a court?</li> </ul>	NOTE	ES
<ul> <li>Does anyone in your family have any upcoming court dates? Do you think there's a chance someone in your family will do time?</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Any outstanding fines?</li> <li>Has anyone in your family paid any fines in the last 12</li> </ul>		
<ul><li>months for anything?</li><li>Has anyone in your family done any community service in the last 12 months?</li></ul>		
• Is anybody expecting someone in your family to do community service for anything right now?		
<ul> <li>Did your family have any legal stuff in the last year that got dismissed?</li> <li>Is your family's housing at risk in any way right now because</li> </ul>		
of legal issues?		

### SCORING

Any of the following among any family member:

- □ Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in fines of \$500+ 4
  - □ Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in incarceration of 3+ months (cumulatively), inclusive of any time held on remand

**Any** of the following among any family member:

- □ Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in fines less than \$500
- 3 □ Current outstanding legal issue(s), likely to result in incarceration of less than 90 days (cumulatively), inclusive of any time held on remand

**Any** of the following among any family member:

- □ In the past 365 days, relatively minor legal issue has occurred and was resolved through community service or payment of fine(s)
  - Currently outstanding relatively minor legal issue that is unlikely to result in incarceration (but may result in community service)
- There are no current legal issues among family members, **and** any legal issues that have historically occurred have been resolved without community service, payment of fine, or 1 incarceration
- □ No family member has had any legal issues within the past 365 days, **and** currently no 0 conditions of release

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# J. Managing Tenancy

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Is your family currently homeless?</li> <li>[If the family is housed] Does your family have an eviction notice?</li> <li>[If the family is housed] Do you think that your family's housing is at risk?</li> <li>How is your family's relationship with your neighbors?</li> <li>How does your family normally get along with landlords?</li> <li>How has your family been doing with taking care of your place?</li> </ul>	NOTE	ΞS

Note: Housing matters include: conflict with landlord and/or neighbors, damages to the unit, payment of rent on time and in full. Payment of rent through a third party is <u>not</u> considered to be a short-coming or deficiency in the ability to pay rent.

	SCORING
4	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Currently homeless</li> <li>In the next 30 days, will be re-housed or return to homelessness</li> <li>In the past 365 days, was re-housed 6+ times</li> <li>In the past 90 days, support worker(s) have been cumulatively involved 10+ times with housing matters</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ In the next 60 days, will be re-housed or return to homelessness, but not in next 30 days</li> <li>□ In the past 365 days, was re-housed 3-5 times</li> <li>□ In the past 90 days, support worker(s) have been cumulatively involved 4-9 times with housing matters</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ In the past 365 days, was re-housed 2 times</li> <li>□ In the past 180 days, was re-housed 1+ times, but not in the past 60 days</li> <li>□ Continuously housed for at least 90 days but not more than 180 days</li> <li>□ In the past 90 days, support worker(s) have been cumulatively involved 1-3 times with housing matters</li> </ul>
1	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ In the past 365 days, was re-housed 1 time</li> <li>□ Continuously housed, with no assistance on housing matters, for at least 180 days but not more than 365 days</li> </ul>
0	$\square$ Continuously housed, with no assistance on housing matters, for at least 365 days

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# K. Personal Administration & Money Management

	PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
• • • •	How are you and your family with taking care of money? How are you and your family with paying bills on time and taking care of other financial stuff? Does anyone in your family have any street debts or drug or gambling debts? Is there anybody that thinks anyone in your family owes them money? Do you budget every single month for every single thing your family needs? Including cigarettes? Booze? Drugs? Does your family try to pay your rent before paying for anything else? Is anyone in your family behind in any payments like child support or student loans or anything like that?	NOTES
	SCORING	
	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>No family income (including formal and informal sou</li> <li>Substantial real or perceived debts of \$1,000+, past of</li> <li>Or, for the person who normally handles the household's</li> <li>Cannot create or follow a budget, regardless of supp</li> <li>Does not comprehend financial obligations</li> <li>Not aware of the full amount spent on substances, in user</li> </ul>	due or requiring monthly payments s finances, <b>any</b> of the following: ports provided
:	<ul> <li>Real or perceived debts of \$999 or less, past due or record for the person who normally handles the household's fine</li> <li>Requires intensive assistance to create and manage mandated guardian/trustee that provides assistance</li> <li>Only understands their financial obligations with the Not budgeting for substance use, if the household in</li> </ul>	nances, <b>any</b> of the following: a budget (including any legally e or manages access to money) e assistance of a 3rd party
:	<ul> <li>In the past 365 days, source of family income has chan</li> <li>For the person who normally handles the household's fin</li> <li>Budgeting to the best of ability (including formal and money every month for essential needs</li> <li>Voluntarily receives assistance creating and managing own money (e.g. guardian/trusteeship)</li> <li>Self-managing financial resources and taking care of than 90 days</li> </ul>	nances, <b>any</b> of the following: d informal sources), but still short of ng a budget or restricts access to their
-	The person who normally handles the household's final resources and taking care of associated administrative than 180 days	
	□ The person who normally handles the household's fina resources and taking care of associated administrative	

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# L. Social Relationships & Networks

	PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
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	SCORING	
4	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Currently homeless and would classify most of friend</li> <li>Friends, family or other people are placing security o impacting life, wellness, or safety</li> <li>In the past 90 days, left an exploitive, abusive or dep</li> <li>No friends or family and any family member demonstitution</li> </ul>	f housing at imminent risk, <b>or</b> rendent relationship
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>Currently homeless, and would classify some of frien</li> <li>In the past 90-180 days, left an exploitive, abusive or</li> <li>Friends, family or other people are having some negative housing stability</li> <li>No friends or family but all family members demonst</li> <li>Any family member is meeting new people with an in</li> <li>Any family member is reconnecting with previous fried experiencing difficulty advancing the relationship</li> </ul>	dependent relationship ative consequences on wellness or trate ability to follow social norms itention of forming friendships
2	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ Currently homeless, and would classify friends and fa</li> <li>□ More than 180 days ago, left an exploitive, abusive or</li> <li>□ Any family member is developing relationships with r them</li> </ul>	dependent relationship
1	Has been housed for less than 180 days, and family is e having no negative consequences on the individual's ho	

■ Has been housed for at least 180 days, **and** family is engaged with friends or family, who are having no negative consequences on the individual's housing stability

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# M. Self Care & Daily Living Skills of Family Head

-	PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
yo • Dc or • Dc • Dc • Dc • Dc • Dc • Cc • Hc co • Wł do	you have any worries about taking care of yourself or ur family? you have any concerns about cooking, cleaning, laundry anything like that? wes anyone in your family ever need reminders to do ings like shower or clean up? scribe your family's last apartment. you know how to shop for nutritious food on a budget? you know how to shop for nutritious food on a budget? you know how to make low cost meals that can result in tovers to freeze or save for another day? you tend to keep all of your family's clothes clean? you tend to keep all of your family's clothes clean? her you ever had a problem with mice or other bugs like ckroaches as a result of a dirty apartment? hen you have had a place where you have made a meal, you tend to clean up dishes and the like before they get usty?	NOTES
4	<ul> <li>4 Any of the following for head(s) of household:</li> <li>Any of the following for head(s) of household:</li> <li>No insight into how to care for themselves, their apartment or their surroundings</li> <li>Currently homeless and relies upon others to meet basic needs (e.g. access to shelter, showers, toilet, laundry, food, and/or clothing) on an almost daily basis</li> <li>Engaged in hoarding or collecting behavior and is not aware that it is an issue in her/his life</li> </ul>	
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following for head(s) of household:</li> <li>□ Has insight into some areas of how to care for thems surroundings, but misses other areas because of lack</li> <li>□ In the past 180 days, relied upon others to meet basic toilet, laundry, food, and/or clothing), 14+ days in any</li> <li>□ Engaged in hoarding or collecting behavior and is away</li> </ul>	c of insight c needs (e.g. access to shelter, showers, y 30-day period
2	<ul> <li>Any of the following for head(s) of household:</li> <li>□ Fully aware and has insight in all that is required to the and their surroundings, but has not yet mastered the execute this on a regular basis</li> <li>□ In the past 180 days, relied upon others to meet basin toilet, laundry, food, and/or clothing), fewer than 14 content of the surrounder of the surrou</li></ul>	e skills or time management to fully c needs (e.g. access to shelter, showers,
1	In the past 365 days, family accessed community resour household is fully taking care of all the family's daily ne	

**0** □ For the past 365+ days, fully taking care of all the family's daily needs independently

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# N. Meaningful Daily Activity

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
<ul> <li>How does your family spend their days?</li> <li>How does your family spend their free time?</li> <li>Do these things make your family feel happy/fulfilled?</li> <li>How many days a week would you say members of your family have things to do that make them feel happy/fulfilled?</li> <li>How much time in a week would you or members of your family say they are totally bored?</li> <li>When people in your family wake up in the morning, do they tend to have an idea of what they plan to do that day?</li> <li>How much time in a week would you say members of your family spend doing stuff to fill up the time rather than doing things that they love?</li> <li>Are there any things that get in the way of your family doing the sorts of activities they would like to be doing?</li> </ul>	NOTES

# SCORING

4	Any member of the family has no planned, legal activities described as providing fulfillment or happiness
3	Any member of the family is discussing, exploring, signing up for and/or preparing for new activities or to re-engage with planned, legal activities that used to provide fulfillment or happiness
2	□ Some members of the family are attempting new or re-engaging with planned, legal activities that used to provide fulfillment or happiness, but uncertain that activities selected are currently providing fulfillment or happiness, <b>or</b> they are not fully committed to continuing the activities.
1	Each family member has planned, legal activities described as providing fulfillment or happiness 1-3 days per week
0	Each family member has planned, legal activities described as providing fulfillment or happiness 4+ days per week

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# O. History of Homelessness & Housing

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>How long has your family been homeless?</li> <li>How many times has your family experienced homelessness other than this most recent time?</li> <li>Has your family spent any time sleeping on a friend's couch or floor? And if so, during those times did you consider that to be your family's permanent address?</li> <li>Has your family ever spent time sleeping in a car, alleyway, garage, barn, bus shelter, or anything like that?</li> <li>Has your family ever spent time sleeping in an abandoned building?</li> <li>Was anyone in your family ever been in hospital or jail for a period of time when they didn't have a permanent address to go to when they got out?</li> </ul>	NOTE	S

	SCORING
4	$\square$ Over the past 10 years, cumulative total of 5+ years of family homelessness
3	Over the past 10 years, cumulative total of 2+ years but fewer than 5 years of family homelessness
2	Over the past 4 years, cumulative total of 30+ days but fewer than 2 years of family homelessness
1	Over the past 4 years, cumulative total of 7+ days but fewer than 30 days of family homelessness
0	$\Box$ Over the past 4 years, cumulative total of 7 or fewer days of family homelessness

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# P. Parental Engagement

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Walk me through a typical evening after school in your family.</li> <li>Tell me about what role, if any, the older kids have with the younger kids. Do they babysit? Walk them to school? Bathe or put the younger kids to bed?</li> <li>Does your family have play time together? What kinds of things do you do and how often do you do it?</li> <li>Let's pick a day like a Saturdaydo you know where your kids are the entire day and whom they are out with all day?</li> </ul>	NOT	ES

Note: In this section, a child is considered "supervised" when the parent has knowledge of the child's whereabouts, the child is in an age-appropriate environment, and the child is engaged with the parent or another responsible adult. "Caretaking tasks" are tasks that may be expected by a parent/caregiver such as getting children to/from school, preparing meals, bathing children, putting children to bed, etc.

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4	<ul> <li>No sense of parental attachment and responsibility</li> <li>No meaningful family time together</li> <li>Children 12 and younger are unsupervised 3+ hours each day</li> <li>Children 13 and older are unsupervised 4+ hours each day</li> <li>In families with 2+ children, the older child performs caretaking tasks 5+ days/week</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Weak sense of parental attachment and responsibility</li> <li>Meaningful family activities occur 1-4 times in a month</li> <li>Children 12 and younger are unsupervised 1-3 hours each day</li> <li>Children 13 and older are unsupervised 2-4 hours each day</li> <li>In families with 2+ children, the older child performs caretaking tasks 3-4 days/week</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Sense of parental attachment and responsibility, but not consistently applied</li> <li>Meaningful family activities occur 1-2 days per week</li> <li>Children 12 and younger are unsupervised fewer than 1 hour each day</li> <li>Children 13 and older are unsupervised 1-2 hours each day</li> <li>In families with 2+ children, the older child performs caretaking tasks fewer than 2 days/week</li> </ul>
1	<ul> <li>Strong sense of parental attachment and responsibility towards their children</li> <li>Meaningful family activities occur 3-6 days of the week</li> <li>Children 12 and younger are never unsupervised</li> <li>Children 13 and older are unsupervised no more than an hour each day</li> </ul>
0	<ul> <li>Strong sense of attachment and responsibility towards their children</li> <li>Meaningful family activities occur daily</li> <li>Children are never unsupervised</li> </ul>

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# Q. Stability/Resiliency of the Family Unit

-	PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:
s c f • C ii f y	Over the past year have there been any different adults staying with the family like a family friend, grandparent, aunt or that sort of thing? If so, can you tell me when and for how long and the changes that have occurred? Other than kids being taken into care, have there been any instances where any child has gone to stay with another family member or family friend for any length of time? Can you tell me how many times, when and for how long that happened?	NOTES
-	SCORING	
4	In the past 365 days, <b>any</b> of the following have occurred: □ Parental arrangements and/or other adult relative with □ Children have left or returned to the family 4+ times	in the family have changed 4+ times

In the past 365 days, **any** of the following have occurred:

Parental arrangements and/or other adult relatives within the family have changed 3 times □ Children have left or returned to the family 3 times

In the past 365 days, **any** of the following have occurred:

2 □ Parental arrangements and/or other adult relatives within the family have changed 2 times □ Children have left or returned to the family 2 times

In the past 365 days, **any** of the following have occurred:

- Parental arrangements and/or other adult relatives within the family have changed 1 time
   □ Children have left or returned to the family 1 time
  - In the past 365 days, **any** of the following have occurred:
- No change in parental arrangements and/or other adult relatives within the family
   Children have not left or returned to the family

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# R. Needs of Children

PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
<ul> <li>Please tell me about the attendance at school of your school-aged children.</li> <li>Any health issues with your children?</li> <li>Any times of separation between your children and parents?</li> <li>Without going into detail, have any of your children experienced or witnessed emotional, physical, sexual or psychological abuse?</li> <li>Have your children ever accessed professional assistance to address that abuse?</li> </ul>	NOTI	ES
SCORING		

	SCORING
4	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ In the last 90 days, children needed to live with friends or family for 15+ days in any month</li> <li>□ School-aged children are not currently enrolled in school</li> <li>□ Any member of the family, including children, is currently escaping an abusive situation</li> <li>□ The family is homeless</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the last 90 days, children needed to live with friends or family for 7-14 days in any month</li> <li>School-aged children typically miss 3+ days of school per week for reasons other than illness</li> <li>In the last 180 days, any child(ren) in the family has experienced an abusive situation that has since ended</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the last 90 days, children needed to live with friends or family for 1-6 days in any month</li> <li>School-aged children typically miss 2 days of school per week for reasons other than illness</li> <li>In the past 365 days, any child(ren) in the family has experienced an abusive situation that has ended more than 180 days ago</li> </ul>
1	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>□ In the last 365 days, children needed to live with friends or family for 7+ days in any month, but not in the last 90 days</li> <li>□ School-aged children typically miss 1 day of school per week for reasons other than illness</li> </ul>
0	<ul> <li>All of the following:</li> <li>In the last 365 days, children needed to live with friends or family for fewer than 7 days in every month</li> <li>School-aged children maintain consistent attendance at school</li> <li>There is no evidence of children in the home having experienced or witnessed abuse</li> <li>The family is housed</li> </ul>

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# S. Size of Family Unit

PROMPTS	<b>CLIENT SCORE:</b>	
<ul> <li>I just want to make sure I understand how many kids there are, the gender of each and their age. Can you take me through that again?</li> <li>Is anyone in the family currently pregnant?</li> </ul>	NOTE	ES

SCORING				
	FOR ONE-PARENT FAMILIES:	FOR TWO-PARENT FAMILIES:		
4	Any of the following: □ A pregnancy in the family □ At least one child aged 0-6 □ Three or more children of any age	<b>Any</b> of the following: □ A pregnancy in the family □ Four or more children of any age		
3	<b>Any</b> of the following: □ At least one child aged 7-11 □ Two children of any age	<b>Any</b> of the following: □ At least one child aged 0-6 □ Three children of any age		
2	□ At least one child aged 12–15.	<b>Any</b> of the following: □ At least one child aged 7-11 □ Two children of any age		
1	□ At least one child aged 16 or older.	□ At least one child aged 12 or older		
0	Children have been permanently removed from the family and the household is transitioning to services for singles or couples without children			

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# T. Interaction with Child Protective Services and/or Family Court

	PROMPTS	CLIENT SCORE:	
pe • Hc th th • Hc	y matters being considered by a judge right now as it rtains to any member of your family? ave any of your children spent time in care? When was at? For how long were they in care? When did you get em back? as there ever been an investigation by someone in child elfare into the matters of your family?	NOTES	
SCORING			
4	<ul> <li>Any of the following:</li> <li>In the past 90 days, interactions with child protective services have occurred</li> <li>In the past 365 days, one or more children have been removed from parent's custody that have not been reunited with the family at least four days per week</li> <li>There are issues still be decided or considered within family court</li> </ul>		
3	<ul> <li>In the past 180 days, <b>any</b> of the following have occurred:</li> <li>Interactions with child protective services have occurred, but not within the past 90 days</li> <li>One or more children have been removed from parent's custody through child protective services (non-voluntary) <b>and</b> the child(ren) has been reunited with the family four or more days per week;</li> <li>Issues have been resolved in family court</li> </ul>		
2	□ In the past 365 days, interactions with child protective s	services have occurred, but not within	

- the past 180 days, and there are no active issues, concerns or investigations
- 1 No interactions with child protective services have occurred, within the past 365 days, and there are no active issues, concerns or investigations.
- **0** There have been no serious interactions with child protective services because of parenting concerns

# FAMILY SERVICE PRIORITIZATION DECISION ASSISTANCE TOOL (F-SPDAT)

FAMILIES

# **Client:** Worker: Version: Date: SCORE COMMENTS COMPONENT **MENTAL HEALTH &** WELLNESS AND COGNITIVE FUNCTIONING **PHYSICAL HEALTH &** WELLNESS **MEDICATION** SUBSTANCE USE **EXPERIENCE OF ABUSE AND/ OR TRAUMA RISK OF HARM TO SELF OR OTHERS INVOLVEMENT IN HIGHER RISK AND/OR EXPLOITIVE** SITUATIONS **INTERACTION WITH EMERGENCY SERVICES**

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# FAMILY SERVICE PRIORITIZATION DECISION ASSISTANCE TOOL (F-SPDAT)

FAMILIES

# **Client**: Worker: Version: Date: COMPONENT SCORE COMMENTS LEGAL INVOLVEMENT MANAGING TENANCY PERSONAL ADMINISTRATION & MONEY MANAGEMENT **SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS & NETWORKS SELF-CARE & DAILY LIVING** SKILLS **MEANINGFUL DAILY** ACTIVITIES **HISTORY OF HOUSING &** HOMELESSNESS

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# FAMILY SERVICE PRIORITIZATION DECISION ASSISTANCE TOOL (F-SPDAT)

# **Client:** Worker: Version: Date: COMPONENT SCORE COMMENTS PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT **STABILITY/RESILIENCY OF** THE FAMILY UNIT **NEEDS OF CHILDREN** SIZE OF FAMILY **INTERACTION WITH CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES AND/ OR FAMILY COURT** TOTAL

#### FAMILIES

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# **Appendix A: About the SPDAT**

OrgCode Consulting, Inc. is pleased to announce the release of Version 4 of the Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (SPDAT). Since its release in 2010, the SPDAT has been used with over 10,000 unique individuals in over 100 communities across North America and in select locations around the world.

Originally designed as a tool to help prioritize housing services for homeless individuals based upon their acuity, the SPDAT has been successfully adapted to other fields of practice, including: discharge planning from hospitals, work with youth, survivors of domestic violence, health research, planning supports for consumer survivors of psychiatric care systems, and in work supporting people with fetal alcohol spectrum disorders. We are encouraged that so many service providers and communities are expanding the use of this tool, and OrgCode will continue to support the innovative use of the SPDAT to meet local needs.

# **SPDAT Design**

The SPDAT is designed to:

- Help prioritize which clients should receive what type of housing assistance intervention, and assist in determining the intensity of case management services
- Prioritize the sequence of clients receiving those services
- Help prioritize the time and resources of Frontline Workers
- Allow Team Leaders and program supervisors to better match client needs to the strengths of specific Frontline Workers on their team
- Assist Team Leaders and program supervisors to support Frontline Workers and establish service priorities across their team
- Provide assistance with case planning and encourage reflection on the prioritization of different elements within a case plan
- Track the depth of need and service responses to clients over time

The SPDAT is NOT designed to:

- Provide a diagnosis
- Assess current risk or be a predictive index for future risk
- Take the place of other valid and reliable instruments used in clinical research and care

The SPDAT is only used with those clients who meet program eligibility criteria. For example, if there is an eligibility criterion that requires prospective clients to be homeless at time of intake to be eligible for Housing First, then the pre-condition must be met before pursuing the application of the SPDAT. For that reason, we have also created the VI-SPDAT as an initial screening tool.

The SPDAT is not intended to replace clinical expertise or clinical assessment tools. The tool complements existing clinical approaches by incorporating a wide array of components that provide both a global and detailed picture of a client's acuity. Certain components of the SPDAT relate to clinical concerns, and it is expected that intake professionals and clinicians will work together to ensure the accurate assessment of these issues. In fact, many organizations and communities have found the SPDAT to be a useful method for bridging the gap between housing, social services and clinical services.

# **Family SPDAT**

Upon the release of SPDAT Version 3, a special version was released - the Family SPDAT Version 1. This tool introduced five new components that specifically address the unique challenges to housing stability faced by homeless families. In addition, the tool has a focus on households throughout.

# SPDAT Version 4/Family SPDAT Version 2

The SPDAT has been influenced by the experience of practitioners in its use, persons with lived experience that have had the SPDAT implemented with them, as well as a number of other excellent tools such as (but not limited to) the Outcome Star, Health of the Nation Outcome Scale, Denver Acuity Scale, Camberwell Assessment of Needs, Vulnerability Index, and Transition Aged Youth Triage Tool.

In preparing SPDAT v4 and F-SPDAT v2, we have adopted a comprehensive and collaborative approach to changing and improving the SPDAT. Communities that have used the tool for three months or more have provided us with their feedback. OrgCode staff have observed the tool in operation to better understand its implementation in the field. An independent committee composed of service practitioners and academics review enhancements to the SPDAT. Furthermore, we continue to test the validity of SPDAT results through the use of control groups. Overall, we consistently see that groups assessed with the SPDAT have better long-term housing and life stability outcomes than those assessed with other tools, or no tools at all.

OrgCode intends to continue working with communities and persons with lived experience to make future versions of the SPDAT even better. We hope all those communities and agencies that choose to use this tool will remain committed to collaborating with us to make those improvements over time.

The new versions build upon the success of previous versions of the SPDAT products with some refinements. Starting in August 2014, a survey was launched of existing SPDAT and F-SPDAT users to get their input on what should be amended, improved, or maintained in the tool. Analysis was completed across all of these responses. Further research was conducted. Questions were tested and refined over several months, again including the direct voice of persons with lived experience and frontline practitioners. Input was also gathered from senior government officials that create policy and programs to help ensure alignment with guidelines and funding requirements.

The major differences from F-SPDAT Version 1 to Version 2 include:

- The structure of the tools is the same: four domains (five for families) with components aligned to specific domains. The names of the domains and the components remain unchanged.
- The scoring of the tools is the same: 60 points for singles, and 80 points for families.
- The scoring tables used to run from 0 through to 4. They are now reversed with each table starting at 4 and working their way down to 0. This increases the speed of assessment.
- The order of the tools has changed, grouped together by domain.
- Language has been simplified.
- Days are used rather than months to provide greater clarification and alignment to how most databases capture periods of time in service.
- Greater specificity has been provided in some components such as amount of debts.

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# Appendix B: Where the SPDAT is being used (as of May 2015) United States of America

#### Vancouver Seattle • WASHINGTON Quebec Cit MONTANA NESOTA Ottawa Montreal Portland SOUTH VERMONT Toronto OREGON NEW HAMPS Hamilton NEW YORK MASSACHUSETTS Chicago CONNECTIC eveland NEBRASKA New Fork PENNSYLVANIA OHIO o Pittsbu Philadelphi ILLINOIS INDIANA Denver NEVADA **United States** Indianapoliso Columbus Kansas City COLORADO St Louis DELAWARE Cincinnati KANSAS MISSOURL San F 00 KENTUCKY IRGINIA San Jose CALIFORNIA TENNESSEE OKL CAROLINA Albuquerque ARKANSAS NEW MEXICO SOUTH MISSISSIPPI San Diego Dallas ALABAMA GEORGIA Ciudad Juarez TEXAS BAJA SONORA LOUISIANA Houston San CHIHUAHUA COAHUILA DE NUEVO LEÓN Monterrey BAJA SINALOA DURANGO

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### Arizona

• Statewide

### California

- Oakland/Alameda County CoC
- Richmond/Contra Costa County CoC
- Watsonville/Santa Cruz City & County CoC
- Napa City & County CoC
- Los Angeles City & County CoC
- Pasadena CoC
- Glendale CoC

# **District of Columbia**

• District of Columbia CoC

# Florida

- Sarasota/Bradenton/Manatee, Sarasota Counties CoC
- Tampa/Hillsborough County CoC
- St. Petersburg/Clearwater/Largo/Pinellas County CoC
- Orlando/Orange, Osceola, Seminole Counties CoC
- Jacksonville-Duval, Clay Counties CoC
- Palm Bay/Melbourne/Brevard County CoC
- West Palm Beach/Palm Beach County CoC

# Georgia

- Atlanta County CoC
- Fulton County CoC
- Marietta/Cobb County CoC
- DeKalb County CoC

# Iowa

- Parts of Iowa Balance of State CoC **Kentucky**
- Louisville/Jefferson County CoC Louisiana
- New Orleans/Jefferson Parish CoC

# Maryland

• Baltimore City CoC

# Maine

• Statewide

### Michigan

• Statewide

# Minnesota

- Minneapolis/Hennepin County CoC
- Northwest Minnesota CoC
- Moorhead/West Central Minnesota CoC
- Southwest Minnesota CoC

# Missouri

- Joplin/Jasper, Newton Counties CoC North Carolina
- Winston Salem/Forsyth County CoC
- Asheville/Buncombe County CoC
- Greensboro/High Point CoC

# North Dakota

• Statewide

# Nevada

• Las Vegas/Clark County CoC

# New York

• Yonkers/Mount Vernon/New Rochelle/ Westchester County CoC

# Ohio

- Canton/Massillon/Alliance/Stark County CoC
- Toledo/Lucas County CoC

# Oklahoma

- Tulsa City & County/Broken Arrow CoC
- Oklahoma City CoC

# Pennsylvania

 Lower Marion/Norristown/Abington/ Montgomery County CoC

- Bristol/Bensalem/Bucks County CoC
- Pittsburgh/McKeesport/Penn Hills/ Allegheny County CoC

# Rhode Island

Statewide

# South Carolina

• Charleston/Low Country CoC

# Tennessee

• Memphis/Shelby County CoC

# Texas

- San Antonio/Bexar County CoC
- Austin/Travis County CoC

# Utah

- Salt Lake City & County CoC
- Utah Balance of State CoC
- Provo/Mountainland CoC

# Virginia

- Virginia Beach CoC
- Arlington County CoC

# Washington

• Spokane City & County CoC

# Wisconsin

- Statewide
- West Virginia
- Statewide

# Wyoming

• Wyoming is in the process of implementing statewide

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# Canada

# Alberta

• Province-wide

# Manitoba

• City of Winnipeg

# **New Brunswick**

- City of Fredericton
- City of Saint John

# Newfoundland and Labrador

• Province-wide

# **Northwest Territories**

• City of Yellowknife

# Ontario

- City of Barrie/Simcoe County
- City of Brantford/Brant County
- City of Greater Sudbury
- City of Kingston/Frontenac County
- City of Ottawa
- City of Windsor

- District of Kenora
- District of Parry Sound
- District of Sault Ste Marie
- Regional Municipality of Waterloo
- Regional Municipality of York

# Saskatchewan

• Saskatoon



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# ATTACHMENT J

# Housing Plan including Discharge Plan

HAWAII STATE HOUSING PLAN

## **Department of Human Services Homeless Programs Office**

Initial Housing Plan Date:

Review #:

Entry Date:

Client	
Name:	Date:
Date of Birth:	Chronically Homeless:   Yes or  No
VI-SPDAT Date:	VI-SPDAT Score:
Assessment:  □ None (Self Resolve)  □ P/D	□ Shelter □ RRH/TH □ PSH
Address:	Phone:
Address (City, State)	Email:

### **Case Manager**

Name:	Agency:
Phone:	Email:

### **Emergency Contact**

Name:	Phone:
Relationship to Client:	

### Supporter

Name:	Phone:
Relationship to Client:	Support Provided:

### **Client Strengths, Aspirations, and Priorities**

Client Strengths	
Client Aspirations, Hopes, Dreams:	
Client Needs, Priorities, and Preferences:	

### Cultural, Linguistic, and Spiritual Considerations

Cultural Identity	
Personal Values	

Summary of Barriers to Obtaining Permanent Housing from the SPDAT including but not limited to housing history, criminal history, credit history, employment/income, tenancy information, relationships, other etc.

## Goal: To obtain and/or retain permanent housing.

Secure Housing				
Goal	Action Steps	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date	
Address benefits issues that	threaten housing stability			
Action	Action Steps	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date	
<b>a</b>				
Secure employment to pron	note long-term housing stability			
Action	Action Steps	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date	
	<b><u>AE HERE</u></b> with mainstream resources t		-	
Action	Action Steps	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date	
Discharge/Transition Plan (s	hall include, but not limited to: exit st	trategy/intervention. resources	s: service	
coordination; and communi			,	
_ Leaves with this Heusing (	New			
□ I agree with this Housing F				
<ul> <li>I have been offered a copy of this Housing Plan</li> <li>I          accepted</li></ul>				
Client Signature:	, cop, of the plan		Date:	
Case Manager Signature:			Date:	
Suponvisor Signatura			Data:	
Supervisor Signature:			Date:	

# ATTACHMENT K

**Performance Measures and Outcomes** 

#### HPO Performance Measures and Outcome Form 4 Quarters Calculation

Contract Number:					
Provider:					
Period:					
Program:	State Housing First Program				
	Fill in Total Contract Amount and Percent of Contract that is Performance Based	-			
Total Contract Amount:	\$0.00				
Performance % of Contract:	0%				
Performance Contract Amount:					
Performance Contract Amount.	30.00				
	1ST Quarter Performance Measures	Assign Weight		If Moosu	e Met, then 1
	Fill In Name of Performance Measures	Of Measure	\$ Value of Each Measure		t, then blank or 0
Performance Measure 1:	50% of All Households will have a permanent housing move-in date within 30 days of project entry date	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 1	\$0.00	FALSE
Performance Measure 1.		0.00 % Value	\$ value of ivieasure 1	\$0.00	FALSE
	90% of All Households will remain in project or will exit to a Permanent Housing Exit Destination (households exiting due to the following				
Derfermence Messure 2	reasons are excluded: deceased; long-term care facility or nursing home; hospital or other residential non-psychiatric medical facility; and	0.00 % value	¢ Value of Massure 2	¢0.00	FALSE
Performance Measure 2:	foster care home or foster care group home)	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 2	\$0.00	
Performance Measure 3:	10% of Households in program will increase income (earned and non-earned)	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 3	\$0.00	FALSE
Performance Measure 4:	10% of Households in program will increase non-cash benefit (e.g. SNAP, WIC, Child care services, etc.)	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 4	\$0.00	FALSE
	Total % for 1st Quarter:	0.00	Total \$ Value of Qtr 1 Measures:	\$0.00	\$0.00
				Qt	r Amount to be Paid
	2ND Quarter Performance Measures	Assign Weight			e Met, then 1
	Fill In Name of Performance Measures	Of Measure	\$ Value of Each Measure		t, then blank or 0
Performance Measure 1:	50% of All Households will have a permanent housing move-in date within 30 days of project entry date	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 1	\$0.00	FALSE
	90% of All Households will remain in project or will exit to a Permanent Housing Exit Destination (households exiting due to the following				
Performance Measure 2:	reasons are excluded: deceased; long-term care facility or nursing home; hospital or other residential non-psychiatric medical facility; and foster care home or foster care group home)	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 2	\$0.00	FALSE
Performance Measure 3:	10% of Households in program will increase income (earned and non-earned)	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 3	\$0.00	FALSE
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Performance Measure 4:	10% of Households in program will increase non-cash benefit (e.g. SNAP, WIC, Child care services, etc.)	0.00 % value	\$ Value of Measure 4	\$0.00	FALSE
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## ATTACHMENT L

## **Program and Fiscal Reports**

Payment Request with attachments Quarterly Financial Reports Language Access Reporting Tool

## (Copy form onto Agency letterhead) **PAYMENT REQUEST FORM** HOUSING FIRST PROGRAM Form No. HPO HFP-01, (09/2018)

(Date)

*(Director's name)* Director, Department of Human Services (DHS) Homeless Programs Office (HPO) 1010 Richards Street, Suite 312 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Attention: Homeless Programs Office (HPO)

Dear Director:

RE: HOUSING FIRST PROGRAM CONTRACT NO: \_\_\_\_\_ PAYMENT REQUEST #: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby request payment under the above stated contract for the Housing First Program in the amount of

dollars (\$	). This amount represents the payment for the period
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•	of my agency's total allocation for the
Housing First Progra	im for the contract period
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I certify that the services for which the payment is being made will be and are being satisfactorily rendered and that all contractual obligations under the contract identified above are being duly fulfilled.

> Authorized Representative Printed name: Title:

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### Actual Income and Expenditures Report Form 1 Income and Expenditures All Funding Sources

Agency Name:	
Program Name:	
Shelter Name (if applicable):	
Reporting Period:	
Fiscal Year:	

Funding Sources	<enter program<br="">Name Above&gt; (a)</enter>	Other State Funding (b)	Other City or County Funding (c)	Other Federal Funding (d)	Program Fees (e)	Fundraising & Other Sources (f)	Total YTD Actuals (h)
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### Actual Income and Expenditures Report Form 2 Income and Expenditures (HPO Budget Only) Enter Program Name in the 2nd Box Below

Agency Name:	
Program Name:	
Shelter Name (if applicable):	
Reporting Period:	
Fiscal Year:	

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# Work Plan

## HPO Housing First (HF) Work Plan Date Range: Contract Start Date:

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1	Participants Served (Unduplicated)	Proposed					
	1. Adults in households						
	2. Children in households						
	3. Total Participants Served						
2	Households Served (Unduplicated)	Proposed					
	1. Adult-only households						
	2. Family households (at least one child under 18 at entry)						
	3. Total Households Served						
3	Prior Living Situation of Households Served						
	Total Households by Category	Proposed					
	1. Unsheltered						
	2. Sheltered: emergency shelters (includes interim housing)						
	3. Institutional (e.g. hospital, prison, nursing home, drug treatment, foster care, halfway house, etc.)						
	4. Total Households Served						

## HPO Housing First (HF) Performance Measures

	Housing Performance Measures
PMO 1	50% of All Households will have a permanent housing move-in date within 30 days of project entry date
PMO 2	90% of All Households will remain in project or will exit to a Permanent Housing Exit Destination ( <i>households exiting due to the following reasons are excluded: deceased; long-term care facility or nursing home; hospital or other residential non-psychiatric medical facility; and foster care home or foster care group home</i> )
	Households Increasing Income or Non-Cash Benefits at Project Exit
PMO 3	10% of Households in program will increase income (earned and non-earned)
PMO 4	10% of Households in program will increase non-cash benefit (e.g. SNAP, WIC, Child care services, etc.)