



California Interagency Council on Homelessness

HHAP Round 5 Application

Part 1: Regional Identification and Contracting Information

Steps to complete this section:

1. Select the CoC Region.
2. Indicate which of the Eligible Applicants are participating in this HHAP-5 application.
3. For each participating Eligible Applicant, you will also be prompted to indicate whether and how the Eligible Applicant intends to contract with the state (i.e., indicate the Administrative Entity for that eligible applicant's HHAP-5 Allocation).

Please select the Continuum of Care region

Nevada County CoC

Application Participation Guidance:

Cal ICH encourages eligible applicants to apply in collaboration with all eligible applicants in their CoC Region and submit a single Regionally Coordinated Homelessness Action Plan. Applicants may apply together and still receive funds separately.

- *Large Cities **must** apply as part of the regional application with the County and CoC.*
- *Counties **must** apply as part of a regional application with the CoC and any overlapping Large Cities.*
 - *In a multi-county CoC: Counties **are strongly encouraged to** apply in collaboration with other counties that are served by the same CoC.*
- *A CoC that serves a single county **must** apply as part of the regional application with the County and any overlapping Large Cities.*
- *A CoC that serves multiple counties **must either:***

- *Apply as part of a regional application with multiple Counties and any overlapping Large Cities; and/or*
- *Participate in the regional application of **each** overlapping County and the Large Cities therein.*

Contracting Guidance:

Each Eligible Applicant (Large City, County, and CoC) has the discretion to receive their base allocation directly or may designate an Eligible Applicant in their region to serve as their Administrative Entity. This selection will indicate to Cal ICH which Eligible Applicant will enter into contract with the state to receive and administer each Eligible Applicant's HHAP-5 allocation.

The Administrative Entity is responsible for HHAP funds and meeting the terms and conditions of the contract. Broadly speaking, this means administering funds, contracting (when necessary) with sub-recipients, and reporting on HHAP-5 dollars and activities to Cal ICH.

- *If you plan to contract with the state to receive and administer **only** your (single) HHAP-5 allocation, select: "Will enter into contract with the state to receive and administer their HHAP-5 allocation individually" under the contracting selection.*
- *If you **do not plan to contract with the state** and instead plan to identify another participating Eligible Applicant in the region to enter into contract with the state to receive and administer your HHAP-5 allocation, select: "Identify another participating Eligible Applicant in their region to enter into contract with the state to receive and administer their HHAP-5 allocation" under the contracting selection. You will then be prompted to designate the Administrative Entity from a list of eligible applicants in the region.*
- *If you plan to contract with the state to **receive and administer multiple HHAP-5 allocations** within your region, select "Will enter into contract with the state to receive and administer their HHAP-5 allocation and allocation(s) from other Eligible Applicants in the region" under the contracting selection.*

Nevada County CoC Region

Nevada County CoC

CA-531 Participation

Is participating in this single collaborative application with the regional partner(s) listed.

CA-531 Contracting

Will enter into contract with the state to receive and administer their HHAP-5 allocation and allocation(s) from other eligible applicants in the region

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Nevada County

Nevada County Participation

Is participating in this single collaborative application with the regional partner(s) listed.

Nevada County Contracting

Identify another participating eligible applicant in their region to enter into contract with the state to receive and administer their HHAP-5 allocation

Nevada County Designated Administrative Entity

Nevada County CoC

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Number of Contracts

1

Part 2. Regionally Coordinated Homelessness Action Plan

Participating Jurisdictions' Roles and Responsibilities

Steps to complete this section:

1. Identify and describe the specific roles and responsibilities of **each participating Eligible Applicant** in the region regarding:
 - o Outreach and site coordination;
 - o Siting and use of available land;
 - o Development of interim and permanent housing options; and
 - o Coordination and connection to the delivery of services for individuals experiencing or at risk of experiencing homelessness within the region.
2. Describe and explain how all Participating Jurisdictions are coordinating in each area.

Optional: You may also include roles and responsibilities of small jurisdictions in the region that elect to engage and collaborate on the plan.

Guidance:

Each Eligible Applicant must identify and describe their role in the region for **each** table.

To add additional jurisdictions, click "Add a Participating Jurisdiction" near the bottom of each table.

Outreach & Site Coordination

Participating Jurisdictions	Roles & Responsibilities
CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care will continue to support and strengthen data collection, coordinated entry, and agency engagement
County of Nevada	County of Nevada will continue to support and strengthen outreach, engagement, and case management

Given the individual roles and responsibilities identified above, describe and explain how all participating jurisdictions are or will begin to coordinate these efforts to ensure comprehensive outreach and site coordination to individuals experiencing and at-risk of experiencing homelessness in the region.

Regional Coordination Narrative - Outreach & Site Coordination

Nevada County:

- Strengthen case management practices by training Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement (HOME) team members and relevant CoC stakeholders in Critical Time Intervention (CTI) and continue using the Housing Resource Team (HRT) meetings to facilitate weekly use of CTI navigation strategies to expedite linkage to services
- Strengthen the outreach system in partnership and collaboration with expanded outreach capacity at Hospitality House and Sierra Roots
- Connect the justice system to HMIS, Coordinated Entry, and the HRT meetings by collaborating with criminal justice systems to develop referral and diversion processes for individuals experiencing homelessness in justice settings
- Increase use of peers within the system of care to improve quality and quantity of care and case management capacity
- Implement Nevada County Behavioral Health CalAIM enhances Care Management (ECM) team to serve individuals experiencing homelessness with mental illness and/or substance use disorder

CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care:

- Continue to build community engagement with the five established board committees of the CoC
- Coordinate yearly Point in Time counts
- Produce specific policies to address disparities in access to services among racial demographic groups identified through HMIS, coordinated entry, and county census data
- Develop contracted deliverables for funded projects that address how projects actively engage communities disproportionately impacted by homelessness
- Coordinate for CoC provider and community trainings covering topics relevant to homeless service provision, evidence based practices, and leadership development
- Implement a process for authentically involving households experiencing homelessness to be part of the process for planning and implementing homeless services.
- Improve participation and utilization of the HMIS system and promote data quality and timeliness
- Adopt specific recommendations for coordinated entry improvements contained in the coordinated entry system improvement report provided by HCD technical assistance

- Address deficient areas in the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) system performance measures and work to raise the overall CoC score to build competitiveness for federal funding.

Land Use & Development

Participating Jurisdictions	Roles & Responsibilities
CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Support, through funding and RFP, the development of new developments and encourage support of land use. The CoC will continue to advocate for revision of zoning laws as it pertains to the development of affordable housing.
County of Nevada	Facilitate and promote partnerships for the development of affordable and supportive housing

Given the individual roles and responsibilities identified above, describe and explain how all participating jurisdictions are or will begin to coordinate these efforts to use and develop available land to address and end homelessness in the region.

Regional Coordination Narrative - Land Use & Development

Nevada County:

- Facilitate and promote partnerships for the development of affordable and supportive housing
- Act as lead jurisdiction for the Western Nevada County Regional Housing Trust Fund
- Leverage Permanent Local Housing Allocation (PLHA) funding to seek state housing trust fund match to expand support for the Western Nevada County Regional Housing Trust Fund, issue Requests for Proposals seeking development partners in need of financing through the Western Nevada County Regional Housing Trust Fund for affordable rental housing and owner-occupied housing, and collaborate locally to continue supporting Trust Fund activities
- Provide support to development projects that include units at or below 60% area median income and/or with set asides of supportive units
- Identify shovel ready partners and projects for funding to expand interim and permanent housing and permanent supportive housing
- Complete the 6-unit Ranch House permanent supportive housing project
- In collaboration with Nevada County Behavioral Health, explore the development of a board and care facility in Nevada County.
- Develop a standing collaborative housing policy and advocacy effort to build consensus around housing development needs, explore recommendations for changes to local housing development ordinances and codes, and to advocate for state and local policy changes that impact local housing development.

Development of Interim and Permanent Housing Options

Participating Jurisdictions	Roles & Responsibilities
CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase availability of rental and mortgage assistance funding to prevent individuals, youth, and families from entering homelessness • Expand services and housing opportunities to transition aged youth to prevent entry into the adult homeless system and long-term homelessness.

County of Nevada

- Increase availability of rental and mortgage assistance funding to prevent individuals, youth, and families from entering homelessness
- Expand services and housing opportunities to transition aged youth and families with children to prevent entry into the adult homeless system and long-term homelessness.
- Expand and strengthen non-congregate, navigation-based, interim housing options
- Facilitate and promote partnerships for the development of affordable and supportive housing
- Implement a centralized landlord liaison program (LLP)
- Strengthen housing focused case management

Given the individual roles and responsibilities identified above, describe and explain how all participating jurisdictions are or will begin to coordinate these efforts to develop adequate interim and permanent housing options to address and end homelessness in the region.

Regional Coordination Narrative - Shelter, Interim, and PH Options

CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care:

- Improve coordinated entry practices to quickly identify households on the verge of homelessness or becoming homeless for the first time
- Implement a resource diversion strategy aimed at early identification for households at risk of homelessness and households that are recently homeless by including diversion strategies into the coordinated entry system and expanding diversion training to all CoC and county providers
- Fully utilize CoC funding to bolster prevention efforts.
- Gather data, assess gaps, determine strategies, and apply for funding to prevent homelessness among families and youth
- Increase availability of interim housing for transitional age youth
- Identify a provider(s) and contract for service enriched and permanent supportive housing for young adults at-risk of experiencing homelessness
- Work with Superintendent of Schools and youth and family providers to coordinate yearly youth and families Point in Time (PIT) count
- Leverage youth set-aside funding to apply for state and federal funding to support expansion of services benefiting youth and families utilizing a data-informed, collaborative process to identify service gaps to be addressed
- Maintain and support current shelter capacity
- Work with the youth services providers to explore development of interim shelter options for unaccompanied youth, Transitional Age Youth (TAY), and youth aging out of foster care.

County of Nevada:

- Develop an eviction/foreclosure prevention plan to stem entry into homelessness particularly due to COVID related unemployment and illness, including expanding rental assistance and mortgage assistance, and fully utilizing CoC funding, Family Stabilization funds, HOME funding, and Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA) to bolster prevention efforts,
- Gather data, assess gaps, determine strategies, and apply for funding to prevent homelessness among families and youth
- Develop a Request for Proposal to secure a provider or providers able to stand up non-congregate shelter to reduce the number of unsheltered households by 2025
- Work closely with shelter providers to ensure non-congregate shelter operations work hand in hand with congregate shelter operations

- Utilize HMIS to collect data on non-congregate shelter placement outcomes; adopt standardized processes aimed at moving people through the homeless system collaboratively and efficiently, ensure real time data input into HMIS, use coordinated entry to quickly identify newly homeless individuals, regularly review the by-name list, and incorporate a navigation strategy into substance use treatment and transitional housing programs
- Act as lead jurisdiction for the Western Nevada County Regional Housing Trust Fund
- Leverage Permanent Local Housing Allocation (PLHA) funding to seek state housing trust fund match to expand support for the Western Nevada County Regional Housing Trust Fund
- Issue Requests for Proposals seeking development partners in need of financing through the Western Nevada County Regional Housing Trust Fund for affordable rental housing and owner-occupied housing
- Provide support to development projects that include units at or below 60% area median income and/or with set asides of supportive units
- Identify shovel ready partners and projects for funding to expand interim and permanent housing and permanent supportive housing
- Complete the 6-unit Ranch House permanent supportive housing project
- In collaboration with Nevada County Behavioral Health, explore the development of a board and care facility in Nevada County
- In collaboration with Behavioral Health, explore the development of a board and care facility
- Collaborate towards housing policy and advocacy efforts for housing and development needs, considers recommendations for changes to local housing development ordinances and codes, and advocates for state and local policy changes that might impact local housing development.
- Support the Landlord Liaison program (LLP) in providing centralized services to landlords and coordinating placement with service providers across the CoC; develop and implement outreach, messaging, and media campaign highlighting to potential landlords the services offered by LLP, develop standardized tools and processes for landlord/tenant mediations and to coordinate service responses, and maximize utilization of vouchers in new units and to preserve affordability of existing units.
- Maximize the utilization of federal housing subsidies to promote a moving on strategy for highly stable permanent supportive housing participants
- Explore the use of Mainstream Housing Vouchers to subsidize housing for vulnerable CalWORKS families.
- Work with shelter providers to develop a process to move shelter stayers in the final stages of their housing case plan into non-congregate options to reduce long term shelter stays and build emergency bed capacity
- Work with Housing Support Program (HSP) provider and other family oriented service providers to expand family shelter options.
- Partner with Community Beyond Violence to expand available shelter for households fleeing domestic violence.
- Facilitate and participate in conversations in Eastern County for expanded shelter options.
- Continue to support seasonal shelter operations to respond to increased shelter needs during extreme seasonal weather conditions including during PSPS events where risk of wildfire is severe.
- Expand capacity of supportive housing units, including in Eastern County.

Coordination of & Connection to Service Delivery

Participating Jurisdictions	Roles & Responsibilities
CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand year-round shelter capacity • Support system wide improvement to data collection measures, collaboration on funding opportunities, and implementation of the County-CoC joint strategic plan
County of Nevada	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand services and housing opportunities to transition aged youth and families with children to prevent entry into the

adult homeless system and long-term homelessness. •
 Continue to support and strengthen outreach,
 engagement, and case management • Strengthen
 housing focused case management and post housing supportive
 services • Expand year-round shelter capacity • Strengthen
 the coordinated multi-disciplinary case conferencing team (HRT)

Given the individual roles and responsibilities identified above, describe how all participating jurisdictions are or will begin to coordinate to provide the full array of services, shelter, and permanent housing solutions to people experiencing and at-risk of experiencing homelessness in the region.

Regional Coordination Narrative - Coordination & Connection to Service Delivery

CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care:

- Maintain and support current shelter capacity
- Work with youth service providers to explore development of interim shelter options for unaccompanied youth, transitional age youth (TAY), and youth aging out of foster care
- Work to align County and CoC goals and priorities to achieve the shared goals contained in the Homeless Action Plan
- Support outreach and recruitment of new CoC board members within communities of color and other groups disproportionately impacted by homelessness
- Leverage County media opportunities and CoC partners to expand proactive messaging about the CoC, its role, and the steps it is taking to address homelessness over the next five years
- Secure ongoing funding to hire an executive director to lead the CoC
- Continue to build community engagement with the five established CoC board committees
- Coordinate yearly Point in Time (PIT) count
- Produce specific policies to address disparities in access to services among racial demographic groups identified through HMIS, coordinated entry, and county census data; develop contractable deliverables for funded project that address how projects actively engage communities disproportionately impacted by homelessness
- Continue to implement and strengthen Build for Zero processes and practices and track outcome data in line with key metrics and system performance evaluations and report monthly progress towards goals to CoC board
- Coordinate for CoC provider and community trainings covering topics relevant to homeless service provision, evidence based practices, and leadership development
- Implement a process for authentically involving households experiencing homelessness to be part of the process for planning and implementing homeless services
- Improve participation and utilization of the HMIS system and promote data quality and timeliness
- Adopt specific recommendations for coordinated entry services improvements contained in the CES Improvement report provided by HCD technical assistance
- Address deficient areas in the Housing and Urban Development system performance measures and work to raise the overall CoC score to build competitiveness for federal funding
- Improve data quality of the By-Name List and utilize the coordinated entry system and HMIS to track progress and report on the 5-year goals established in the strategic plan, including tracking Built for Zero seven key data metrics
- Develop and implement a reporting method to track progress for all goals identified in this plan

County of Nevada:

- Connect the justice system to HMIS, Coordinated Entry, and the HRT meetings by collaborating with criminal justice systems to develop referral and diversion processes for individuals experiencing homelessness in justice settings

- Increase use of peers within the system of care to improve quality and quantity of care and case management capacity
- Implement Nevada County Behavioral Health CalAIM Enhanced Care Management (ECM) team to serve individuals experiencing homelessness with mental illness and/or substance use disorders
- Continue to utilize Full-Service Partnership and Behavioral Health case management services to support individuals with serious mental illness in maintaining stable housing
- Implement the Housing Support Team (HST), a cross system post-housing support team established to support current permanent supportive housing (PSH) residents, households that need expanded services yet are not eligible for PSH, and households in the recovery residency system; integrate HST post housing case management for individuals who do not have behavioral health challenges with the LLP and rapid rehousing programs, link individuals in Recovery Residences to housing navigation support and post housing services, including in Truckee, and explore using the Housing Support Team to support newly homeless as well as actively homeless individuals.
- Ensure Full-Service Partnership (FSP) providers participate in Housing Resource Team (HRT) meetings to access housing resources
- Expand capacity of supportive housing units, including in Eastern County
- Maintain and support current shelter capacity
- Work with shelter providers to develop a process to move shelter stayers in the final stages of their housing case plan into non-congregate options to reduce long term shelter stays and build emergency bed capacity
- Work with Housing Support Program (HSP) provider and other family-oriented service providers to expand family shelter options
- Facilitate and participate in conversations in Eastern County for expanded shelter options
- Continue to support seasonal shelter operations to respond to increased shelter needs during extreme seasonal weather conditions including during PSPS events where risk of wildfire is severe
- Utilize the existing Housing Resource Team (HRT) to coordinate a navigation strategy and implement Critical Time Intervention (CTI) across the team
- Implement efforts to track coordinated entry data and reduce chronic, veteran, and family homelessness
- Work to align County and CoC goals and priorities to achieve the shared goals contained in the Homeless Action Plan
- Leverage County media opportunities and CoC partners to expand proactive messaging about the CoC, its role, and the steps it is taking to address homelessness over the next five years
- Increase availability of intensive mental health services for foster youth, youth at risk of entering the foster care system, and youth in unstable family situations to prevent homelessness, prevent out of home placements and reduce trauma through collaborative Rapid Response Team comprised of partnership between Child Welfare Services and Behavioral Health, increase number of children aged 0-5 receiving behavioral health services, particularly those involved with Child Welfare Services, and implement hub and spoke early psychosis program with UC Davis as funded by \$2.5M grant from the Mental Health Oversight and Accountability Commission to intervene at the onset of serious mental illness

System Performance Measures & Improvement Plan

Steps to complete this section:

1. Identify the most recent system performance measures for the region.
2. Describe the key action(s) the region intends to take to improve each system performance

measure.

Guidance:

Cal ICH shall provide each region with system performance measures by CoC, with the exception of the LA region, which will receive data from all four CoCs within LA County. Applicants must enter that data in the corresponding measures fields in the application. Applicants should not adjust the data provided even if the geographic region of the data does not perfectly align with the participating applicant geography of this application.

*The application must include **at least one** key action for **each** system performance measure. All columns must be filled out for each action.*

For "Funding Type" select one of the options. If you select the blank field, you may type in a unique funding source type.

To add additional actions or racial equity measures, click the appropriate "Add" buttons near the bottom of each table.

Note: While Cal ICH expects most of the disparities listed to be based on race or ethnicity, applicants may identify other populations that are also overrepresented among people experiencing homelessness in the region.

Definitions:

- **Key Actions** may include a brief description of a strategic initiative or step identified to address or improve the specific system performance measure. This can be a policy, program, partnership, target measure, or any other approach which reflects an improvement and delivers positive impact. Provide a clear description of the action and its intended outcome.
- **Lead Entity** should include the name of the regional Eligible Applicant responsible for managing the key action.
- **Collaborating Entity/ies** may include a group, organization, or jurisdiction within your region working to address or improve the system performance measure. This can be another participating jurisdiction, a system partner, or any organization actively participating in the key action.
- **Timeframe** should include a target date for completion of the key action.
- **Success Measurement Methods** may include a systematic approach or tool used to assess the effectiveness and impact of the key action on the system performance measure. This can be quantitative measures, qualitative feedback, or any combination that provides insight into the progress and outcomes pertaining to the key action. Provide a clear description of how you plan to track and report on the success of your key action.

SPM 1a: Number of people accessing services who are experiencing homelessness.

SPM 1a
1,258

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Continue to support and strengthen outreach, engagement, and case management	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding PLHA Competitive Family Stabilization Program Enhanced Care Management SAMSHA – PATH Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI SAMHSA - GBHI DSH Diversion for those with potential to be incompetent to stand trial or have been charged with a felony	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Increase in the total number of persons accessing services.

SPM 7.1a: Racial and ethnic disparities among those accessing services who are experiencing homelessness.

Racial/Ethnic Group Measure

For Native Americans and Latinos, the number of households experiencing homelessness is disproportionate compared to the overall size of those groups in the general population. These groups are also less likely to have access to services across service types (shelter, rapid rehousing etc.)

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Continue to support and strengthen outreach, engagement, and case management	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding PLHA Competitive Family Stabilization Program Enhanced Care Management SAMSHA – PATH Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI SAMHSA - GBHI DSH Diversion for those with potential to be incompetent to stand trial or have been charged with a	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Native American and Latinos will be enrolled in services at least proportional to their representation in the homeless system

SPM 1b: Number of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness on a single night (unsheltered PIT count)

SPM 1b

243

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Expand year-round shelter capacity.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CESH PLHA	State	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County	6/30/2028	See a decrease in the number of unsheltered homeless and an increase in the number of shelter beds utilized annually.
Expand partnerships and strengthen non-congregate, navigation-based, interim housing options.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 PLHA CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act CSS Behavioral Health Bridge Housing	State	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care/Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care/Nevada County	6/30/2028	Increased use of non-congregate, navigation-based, interim housing options.

Continue to support and strengthen outreach, engagement, and case management	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding PLHA Competitive Family Stabilization Program Enhanced Care Management SAMSHA – PATH Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI SAMHSA - GBHI DSH Diversion for those with potential to be incompetent to stand trial or have been charged with a felony	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Increase in the total number of persons accessing services and shelter.
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SPM 7.1b: Racial and ethnic disparities among those experiencing unsheltered homelessness on a single night

Racial/Ethnic Group	Measure
Native Americans and Latinos access shelter at a lower rate than other demographic groups.	25

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
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Increase outreach and engagement to Native American and Latino communities to ensure access to shelter and other services.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding PLHA Competitive Family Stabilization Program Enhanced Care Management SAMSHA – PATH Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI SAMHSA - GBHI DSH Diversion for those with potential to be incompetent to stand trial or have been charged with a felony	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Double the rate of shelter and transitional housing utilization by these groups

SPM 2: Number of people accessing services who are experiencing homelessness for the first time.

SPM 2
568

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborati ng	Target Date for	Success Measurement
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	region intends to use to achieve the action			Entity/ies	Completion	Method
Increase the availability of rental and mortgage assistance funding to prevent individuals, youth, and families from entering homelessness and Implement a CoC-wide diversion strategy.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 HOME 2019 CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS Home Safe - via CDSS	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Increased utilization of rental and mortgage assistance funds.
Expand services and housing opportunities to transition-aged youth and families with children to prevent entry into the adult homeless system and long-term homelessness.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 HOME 2019 CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS Home Safe - via CDSS	State	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care/Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care/Nevada County	6/30/2028	Increased number of transition-aged youth and families with children actively engaged with case management and supportive services.

SPM 7.2: Racial and ethnic disparities in the number of people accessing services who are experiencing homelessness for the first time

Racial/Ethnic Group	Measure
Families, transitional-age youth, and unaccompanied minors are underrepresented in shelter and services, likely due to a lack of shelter resources specific to the needs of these groups. Overall, a focus on these groups utilizing stepped-up and resourced prevention and diversion programs is	52

required

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Expand services and housing opportunities to transition-aged youth and families with children to prevent entry into the adult homeless system and long-term homelessness.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 HOME 2019 CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS Home Safe - via CDSS	State and Federal	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care/Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care/Nevada County	6/30/2028	Increased number of transition-aged youth and families with children actively engaged with case management and supportive services. A reduction in the number of families with children, TAY, and minors entering the homeless system.

SPM 3: Number of people exiting homelessness into permanent housing.

SPM 3
183

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Facilitate and promote partnerships for the development of affordable and supportive	No Place Like Home Homekey CDBG Homekey Rehab CDBG DR	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Expanded partnerships for the development of affordable and supportive housing.

housing	HPG Community Care Expansion Ranch House Community Care Expansion Preservation Permanent Local Housing Allocation (PLHA) Local Housing Trust Fund ARPA					
Continued support for the centralized Landlord Liaison Program (LLP)	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Expanded outreach and utilization of the Landlord Liaison Program (LLP)

SPM 7.3: Racial and ethnic disparities in the number of people exiting homelessness into permanent housing.

Racial/Ethnic Group	Measure
Native Americans and Latinos access housing placement program at a far lower rate than other demographic groups.	90

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Increase engagement with Native and Latino communities and ensure access and enrollment in housing programs.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding PLHA	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Ensure access and enrollment in housing programs at least proportional to their representation in the homeless system

Competitive
 Family
 Stabilization
 Program
 Enhanced Care
 Management
 SAMSHA –
 PATH
 Mental Health
 Services Act
 INN
 Mental Health
 Services Act
 PEI
 SAMHSA -
 GBHI
 DSH Diversion
 for those with
 potential to be
 incompetent to
 stand trial or
 have been
 charged with a
 felony

SPM 4: Average length of time that people experienced homelessness while accessing services

SPM 4
 162

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Continue to support and strengthen outreach, engagement, and case management.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	A reduction in time people experience homelessness through strengthened outreach, engagement, and case management.

PLHA
 Competitive
 Family
 Stabilization
 Program
 Enhanced Care
 Management
 SAMSHA –
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<p>Strengthen housing-focused case management and post-housing supportive services.</p>	<p>HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS PLHA Competitive Enhanced Care Management Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI Mental Health Services Act CSS</p>	<p>State</p>	<p>Nevada County</p>	<p>CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care</p>	<p>6/30/2028</p>	<p>Continue to utilize Full-Service Partnership and Behavioral Health case management services to support individuals with serious mental illness in maintaining stable housing.</p> <p>Continue the Housing Support Team (HST) established to support current permanent supportive housing (PSH) residents</p>
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SPM 7.4: Racial and ethnic disparities in the average length of time that people experienced homelessness while accessing services.

Racial/Ethnic Group	Measure
Those experiencing significant mental illness have the highest average length of time that people experienced homelessness while accessing services.	171
	140

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Continue to support and strengthen outreach, engagement, and case management.	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CSBG 2023 CSBG 2023 Discretionary CSBG 2024 Whole Person Care CDBG - Sutton Opioid Settlement Funding PLHA Competitive Family Stabilization Program Enhanced Care Management SAMSHA – PATH Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI SAMHSA -	State and Federal	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Maintain a median average length of time homeless of 104 days for those with significant mental illness and substance use to eliminate any bottleneck while reducing the return to homelessness rate.

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SPM 5: Percent of people who return to homelessness within 6 months of exiting homelessness response system to permanent housing.

SPM 5
 11.00%

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Strengthen housing focused case management and post housing supportive services	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS PLHA Competitive Enhanced Care Management Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI Mental Health Services Act	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Continue to utilize Full-Service Partnership and Behavioral Health case management services to support individuals with serious mental illness in maintaining stable housing. Continue the Housing Support Team (HST) established to support current permanent supportive housing (PSH) residents

SPM 7.5: Racial and ethnic disparities in the percent of people who return to homelessness within 6 months of exiting homelessness response system to permanent housing.

Racial/Ethnic Group	Measure
Those experiencing significant mental illness have a high rate of return to homelessness within 6 months of exiting to permanent housing.	19.00%
Those experiencing substance use issues have a high rate of return to homelessness within 6 months of exiting to permanent housing.	17.00%

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Strengthen housing focused case management and post housing supportive services	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS PLHA Competitive Enhanced Care Management Mental Health Services Act INN Mental Health Services Act PEI Mental Health Services Act	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Reduce the number of returns to homelessness for these populations to the baseline rate of 13%.

SPM 6: Number of people with successful placements from street outreach projects.

SPM 6
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Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Support system wide improvement to data collection measures, collaboration on funding opportunities, and implementation of the County-CoC joint strategic Homeless Action Plan	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5	State	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County	6/30/2028	Continue to implement and strengthen Built for Zero processes and practices and track outcome data in line with key metrics and system performance evaluations. Report monthly progress towards goals to CoC board
Strengthen the coordinated multi-disciplinary case conferencing team	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 PLHA Competitive	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Continued utilization of the existing Housing Resource Team (HRT) to coordinate a Navigation Strategy and implement Critical Time Intervention across the team.

SPM 7.6: Racial and ethnic disparities in the number of people

with successful placements from street outreach projects.

Racial/Ethnic Group	Measure
Latinos make up an average of 10% of the homeless population (sheltered and unsheltered.) Currently, there are no Latino persons with successful placements from street outreach projects.	0

Key Actions PM 1

Key Action	Funding Source(s) the region intends to use to achieve the action	Funding Type	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies	Target Date for Completion	Success Measurement Method
Strengthen the coordinated multi-disciplinary case conferencing team	HHAP 3 HHAP 4 HHAP 5 PLHA Competitive	State	Nevada County	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	6/30/2028	Increase street outreach for Latinos by 10% proportional to their representation in the homeless system

Equity Improvement Plan

Steps to Complete this Section:

1. Identify and describe the key actions the region will take to ensure racial and gender equity in:

- Service delivery;
- Housing placements;
- Housing retention; and
- Identify any changes to procurement or other means to affirm equitable access to housing and services for groups overrepresented among residents experiencing homelessness.

2. Identify if place-based encampment resolution is occurring in the region and if so, the CoC must describe and provide evidence of collaboration with the cities or counties providing encampment resolution services that addresses how people served through encampment resolution have or will be prioritized for permanent housing within the Coordinated Entry System.

Optional: upload any evidence the region would like to provide regarding collaboration and/or prioritization

as it relates to question 2.

Guidance:

Of the four tables below, the first three must include at a minimum one key action to address racial equity and one key action to address gender equity. The fourth and final table must include at least one key action.

To add additional actions, click "Add an Action" at the bottom of the table.

Definitions:

- **Key Actions** may include a brief description of a strategic initiative or step identified to address or improve the inequity. This can be a policy, program, partnership, target metric, or any other approach which reflects an improvement and delivers positive impact. Provide a clear description of the action and its intended outcome.
- **Lead Entity** should include the name of the regional Eligible Applicant responsible for managing the key action.
- **Collaborating Entity/ies** may include a group, organization, or jurisdiction within your region working to address or improve the inequity. This can be another participating jurisdiction, a system partner, or any organization actively participating in the key action.

Key Actions the Region Will Take to Ensure Racial and Gender Equity in Service Delivery

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
CA 531 and Nevada County will enhance data collection mechanisms to capture intersectional experiences related to race and gender within service delivery contexts. By analyzing disaggregated data, the region can identify disparities and tailor interventions to address the specific needs of different demographic groups. The intended outcome will result in informed decision-making and targeted interventions leading to improved equity and outcomes for racially and gender-diverse populations.	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County

Key Actions the Region Will Take to Ensure Racial and Gender Equity in Housing Placements

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
CA 531 and Nevada County will conduct outreach initiatives targeted at communities	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County

disproportionately affected by housing inequities, including racial and gender minority groups. These efforts will involve partnerships with local organizations to increase awareness and access to housing placement resources.

Key Actions the Region Will Take to Ensure Racial and Gender Equity in Housing Retention

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
CA 531 and Nevada County will share best practices and anti-discrimination policies with partner agencies within housing programs, including monitoring and addressing instances of discrimination based on race or gender to ensure equitable treatment and retention of housing for all individuals. These practices are requested and required with any contracting with the Continuum of Care (CA 531).	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County

Key Actions the Region Will Take to Change Procurement or Other Means to Affirm Equitable Access to Housing and Services for Overrepresented Groups Among People Experiencing Homelessness in the Region

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
CA 531 and Nevada County will enhance data collection mechanisms to monitor and evaluate equity in procurement practices, including tracking outcomes by demographic characteristics such as race and gender. By analyzing procurement data, the region can identify disparities, address barriers, and ensure fair and inclusive procurement processes that benefit all stakeholders.	CA 531 Nevada County Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County

Is place-based encampment resolution occurring within the region?

Yes

The CoC must describe and provide evidence of collaboration with the cities or counties providing encampment resolution services that addresses how people served through encampment resolution have or will be prioritized for permanent housing within the Coordinated Entry System.

Narrative for place-based encampment resolution

Nevada County and the CoC have a strong partnership working together and coordinated entry is used as a tool to prioritize housing placements. Encampment Resolution Funds will prioritize individuals on the By-name list for housing placement to reduce the number of unhoused individuals in the community, and data relating to HHAP outcomes is reviewed monthly at CoC meetings with discussion focusing on progress towards outcomes, including reducing unsheltered homelessness.

Optional Upload: Evidence of Collaboration and/or Prioritization

Plan to Reduce the Number of People Experiencing Homelessness Upon Exiting an Institutional Setting

Steps to Complete this Section:

1. Identify and describe the key actions **each participating Eligible Applicant** will take to reduce the number of people falling into homelessness as they exit institutional settings including:
 - Jails
 - Prisons
 - Hospitals:
 - Other Institutional Settings (such as foster care, behavioral health facilities, etc. as applicable in the region)

Guidance:

At a minimum, if an institutional setting is present in an Eligible Applicant's jurisdiction, the Eligible Applicant must identify their role.

To add additional actions, click "Add an Action" at the bottom of the table.

If an institution is not present in a jurisdiction, type N/A.

Definitions:

- **Key Actions** may include a brief description of a strategic initiative or step identified to address or improve the specific performance measure. This can be a policy, program, partnership, target measure, or any other approach which reflects an improvement and delivers positive impact. Provide a clear description of the action and its intended outcome.
- **Lead Entity** should include the name of the regional Eligible Applicant responsible for managing the key action.
- **Collaborating Entity** may include a group, organization, or jurisdiction within your region working to address or improve the performance measure. This can be another participating jurisdiction, a system partner, or any organization actively participating in the key action.

Key Actions to Reduce the Number of People Experiencing

Homelessness Upon Exiting a Jail

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
Connect the justice system to HMIS, Coordinated Entry and the HRT meetings	County of Nevada	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
Collaborate with criminal justice systems to develop referral and diversion process for individuals experiencing homelessness in justice settings.	County of Nevada	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
Improve participation and utilization of the HMIS system and promote data quality and timeliness	County of Nevada	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care

Key Actions to Reduce the Number of People Experiencing Homelessness Upon Exiting a Prison

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
NA – There is no prison in Nevada County’s jurisdiction	NA	NA

Key Actions to Reduce the Number of People Experiencing Homelessness Upon Exiting a Hospital

Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
Improve participation and utilization of the HMIS system and promote data quality and timeliness	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care	County of Nevada

Key Actions to Reduce the Number of People Experiencing Homelessness Upon Exiting Other Institutional Settings (such as foster care, behavioral health facilities, etc. as applicable in the region)

Institutional Setting	Key Action	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
Foster Care	Work with the youth services providers to explore development of interim shelter options for unaccompanied youth,	Nevada County Social Services	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care

	Transitional Age Youth (TAY), and youth aging out of foster care.		
Foster Care	Increase availability of interim housing for TAY youth not eligible for foster care programs and PSH for youth with severe and persistent mental illness.	Nevada County Social Services	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
Behavioral Health residences	Increase availability of interim housing for TAY youth with severe and persistent mental illness.	Nevada County Behavioral Health	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
Behavioral Health residences	Identify a provider(s) and contract for service enriched and permanent supportive housing for young adults at-risk of experiencing homelessness	Nevada County Behavioral Health	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
Behavioral Health and recovery residences	Implement Nevada County Behavioral Health CalAIM Enhanced Care Management (ECM) team to serve individuals experiencing homelessness with mental illness and/or substance use disorder.	Nevada County Behavioral Health	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
Behavioral Health and recovery residences	Link individuals in Recovery Residences to housing navigation support and post housing services, including in Truckee	Nevada County Behavioral Health	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care
All Institutions	Improve participation and utilization of the HMIS system and promote data quality and timeliness	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care	Nevada County

Plan to Utilize Local, State, and Federal Funds to End Homelessness

Steps to Complete this Section:

1. The plan must include the total amount of available funding, the amount prioritized for permanent housing solutions, and an explanation of how **each participating applicant** is utilizing local, state, and federal funding programs to end homelessness. These programs must include, but are not limited to:
 - The Homekey Program,
 - The No Place Like Home Program
 - The Multifamily Housing Program
 - The Housing for a Healthy California Program
 - The Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Prevention Program
 - Building Homes and Jobs Act
 - The California Emergency Solutions Grants Program
 - The National Housing Trust Fund established pursuant to the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008
 - HOME Investment Partnerships Act
 - Parolee or probation programs that are intended to prevent homelessness upon release.

Guidance:

*All of the above programs **must** be included and fully explained in the table. Where the region has multiple awards for the same program that are administered by different entities, those may be listed on separate lines. For example, in a region with one county and one CoC who receive their HHAP awards separately, each Eligible Applicant may enter their HHAP awards in separate lines. Simply click "Add Funding Program", then select the program from the drop down list.*

If one of the ten required programs is not present in a region, type N/A under Local Fund Administrator.

In addition to the listed programs, participating Eligible Applicants should add any other funds and programs that are being utilized to address and end homelessness in the region. Simply click "Add Funding Program" then select the blank field and you may type in the name of the funding program.

To add additional funding programs, click "Add Funding Program" at the bottom of the table.

Definitions:

1. **Local Fund Administrator:** *The entity responsible for administering the given funding source.*
2. **Description of How Funds are/will be Utilized to End Homelessness in the Region:** *Comprehensive summary of how the funding program will be utilized in the region. Applicants should highlight whether, how, and to what extent the funds are being used for permanent housing.*
3. **Funding Amount:** *Amount of known dollars secured or available to spend within the HHAP-5 grant timeframe (FY 23-24 through FY 27-28)*
4. **Timeframe of Use:** *The date range the local fund administrator anticipates expending the identified program funds.*

Funding Landscape

Funding Program	Funding Type	Local Fund Administrator	Description of How Funds are/will be Utilized to End Homelessness in the Region	Funding Amount	Amount Prioritized for permanent Housing Solutions	Timeframe of Use
CDBG DR	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Developer support for the construction of 31 units of low-income senior housing at Lone Oak II in Nevada County.	\$419,196.00	\$419,196.00	FY 2023-2028
The No Place Like Home Program	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	NPLH funds were used for the development of 16 units of Permanent Supportive Housing at Ranch House and Pacific Crest Commons in Nevada County.	\$3,789,176.00	\$3,789,176.00	FY 2023-2028
HOME Investment Partnerships Act	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Federal funding to provide First-Time Homebuyer down payment assistance for low to moderate income individuals/Families whose income does not exceed 80% AMI. Funds may also be used to provide Tenant-Based Rental Assistance for low-income individuals/families whose income does not exceed 60% AMI.	\$1,000,000.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028
CSBG 2023	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	CSBG funds were used to support economic security through services that address homelessness, hunger, unemployment, health and nutrition, emergencies, and more.	\$138,944.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028

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The Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Prevention Program	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	General funding support for all regional activities listed in the HHAP 4 Action Plan, including: - Prevention and Diversion - Outreach and Supportive Services - Emergency Shelter - Housing - Regional Collaboration	\$748,958.00	\$583,527.00	FY 2023-2028
CSBG 2023 Discretionary	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	CSBG funds support economic security through services that address homelessness, hunger, unemployment, health and nutrition, emergencies, and more.	\$18,324.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028
CDBG Homekey Rehabs	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	CDBG funds were coupled with Homekey funding for the rehabilitation of a Permanent Supportive Housing Homekey site.	\$78,530.00	\$78,530.00	FY 2023-2028
HPG	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Covers or reduces the cost of repair and rehabilitation, to remove or correct health or safety hazards, to comply with applicable development standards or codes, or to make needed repairs to improve the general living conditions of the resident(s), including improved accessibility by handicapped persons.	\$48,910.00	\$48,910.00	FY 2023-2028
CESH	State	Nevada County	CESH funds are designated for coordinated entry	\$14,403.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028

		Housing and Community Services	support, HMIS licenses, and shelter operations to support regional homeless services.			
Community Care Expansion Ranch House	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	CCE funds are utilized for the development of 6 units of permanent supportive housing in Nevada County.	\$277,562.00	\$277,562.00	FY 2023-2028
Community Care Expansion Preservation	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	CCE funds are being used for operations and capital improvements to board and care facilities serving SSI/SSP/CAPI clients in Nevada County.	\$418,403.00	\$418,403.00	FY 2023-2028
Permanent Local Housing Allocation (PLHA)	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	PLHA funds are being used for housing development costs of units serving 30-80% AMI.	\$1,623,171.00	\$1,393,504.00	FY 2023-2028
Local Housing Trust Fund	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	LHT funds are being used for housing development costs of units serving 30-80% AMI.	\$547,576.00	\$547,576.00	FY 2023-2028
Whole Person Care	State	Nevada County Housing and Comm	WPC funds are being used for rehabilitation and operational costs for the Navigation Center serving persons experiencing	\$426,715.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028

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CDBG - Sutton	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	CDBG funds are being used for rehabilitation and operational costs for the Navigation Center serving persons experiencing homelessness in Nevada County.	\$83,567.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028
Opioid Settlement	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Funds from the Opioid Settlement are being used for rehabilitation and operational costs for the Navigation Center serving persons experiencing homelessness in Nevada County.	\$300,000.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028
ARPA	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Federal ARPA dollars have been used as matching funds for Local Housing Trust Fund for the development of affordable rental and owner-occupied housing.	\$400,000.00	\$400,000.00	FY 2023-2028
CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) - via CDSS	State	County Social Services	Rental assistance, non-congregate shelter support for CalWORKS families	\$547,307.00	\$365,550.00	FY 2023-2024
Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) - via CDSS	State	County Social Services	Rental Assistance, and non-congregate shelter support, Disability Advocacy for disabled homeless	\$150,000.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2024
Home Safe - via CDSS	State	Home Safe - via CDSS	Rental assistance and non-congregate sheltering for HOMESAFE eligible recipients in Nevada County.	\$41,883.00	\$41,883.00	FY 2023-2024
Family Stabilization	State	County	The Family Stabilization	\$207,866.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-

Program		Social Services	program provides prevention and stabilization funds for CalWORKS-eligible families in Nevada County.	0		2024
PLHA Competitive	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	PLHA funds are being used for operational costs for the Post Housing Case Management team in Nevada County.	\$877,681.00	\$877,681.00	FY 2023-2025
DSH Diversion for those with potential to be incompetent to stand trial or have been charged with a felony	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	DSH Diversion provides a pathway for those with the potential to be incompetent to stand trial or have been charged with a felony. These funds provide housing supported by onsite staff and services.	\$1,436,000.00	\$1,436,000.00	FY 2023-2025
Enhanced Care Management	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	Funds for Enhanced Care Management are being maximized for outreach, case management, care and support in Nevada County.	\$2,650,000.00	\$2,650,000.00	FY 2023-2028
HUD PSH	Federal	Nevada County Behavioral Health	HUD funds are being utilized for the development of permanent supportive housing in Nevada County.	\$931,245.00	\$931,245.00	FY 2023-2028
SAMSHA – PATH	Federal	Nevada County Behavioral Health	PATH funds were secured for the county homeless outreach team. The HOME team identifies, engages, and provides case management and housing support to highly vulnerable homeless individuals, while meeting people where they are at in the community. The HOME Team consists of eight	\$85,060.00	\$85,060.00	FY 2023-2028

team members: four outreach workers, two housing navigators, one peer supporter, and one registered nurse.

Mental Health Services Act INN	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	States funds were used to support the HOME team with outreach, non-congregate sheltering, and funds for permanent supportive housing. The HOME team identifies, engages, and provides case management and housing support to highly vulnerable homeless individuals, while meeting people where they are at in the community.	\$600,000.00	\$105,000.00	FY 2023-2024
Mental Health Services Act PEI	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	State funds were used to support case management services in Nevada County,	\$521,000.00	\$521,000.00	FY 2023-2028
Mental Health Services Act CSS	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	Mental Health Services Act CSS funds were used for county non-congregate sheltering, permanent supportive housing, and rental assistance.	\$1,227,265.00	\$250,000.00	FY 2023-2028
SAMHSA - GBHI	Federal	Nevada County Behavioral Health	SAMHSA - GBHI were secured for the county's homeless outreach team. The HOME team identifies, engages, and provides case management and housing support to highly vulnerable homeless individuals, while meeting people where they are at in the community.	\$347,731.00	\$347,731.00	FY 2023-2024
Proposition 47 funds	State	Nevada	Proposition 47 funds were used for	\$10,693.00	\$10,693.00	FY 2023-2024

		County Behavioral Health	operational costs connected to the county diversion program.			
Behavioral Health Community Infrastructure Program	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	Property purchase for day and navigation center to navigate homeless individuals and those at risk of homelessness into permanent housing	\$1,999,975.00	\$1,999,975.00	FY 2023-2025
Behavioral Health Bridge Housing	State	Nevada County Behavioral Health	Bridge Housing funds were used for the expansion of non-congregate shelter beds and housing navigation services in Nevada County.	\$3,601,814.00	\$3,601,814.00	FY 2024-2027
Home 2019	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Federal funding to provide First-Time Homebuyer down payment assistance for low to moderate income individuals/Families whose income does not exceed 80% AMI. Funds may also be used to provide Tenant-Based Rental Assistance for low-income individuals/families whose income does not exceed 60% AMI.	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	FY 2023-2028
CSBG 2024	Federal	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Alleviate the causes and conditions of poverty in communities: promotes economic security through services that address homelessness, hunger, unemployment, health and nutrition, emergencies, and more.	\$298,666.00	\$0.00	FY 2023-2028
The Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Prevention Program	State	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care	HHAP 2: Services coordination response. Funds were used to provide direct client services to remove	\$250,000.00	\$0.00	FY 2021-2024

any housing barriers.

The Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Prevention Program	State	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care	HHAP 4: Operating subsidies for permanent supportive housing and emergency shelters non-congregate shelter/interim shelter and permanent supportive and service-enriched housing	\$1,357,783.05	\$497,105.00	FY 2023-2025
The Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Prevention Program	State	CA 531 Regional Continuum of Care	CoC HHAP funds were used as rental support for permanent supportive housing projects.	\$374,658.00	\$374,658.00	FY 2023-2025
The Homekey Program	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	Homekey funds were used for the acquisition of the Coach N Four Motel located at 628 South Auburn Street in Grass Valley.	\$2,800,000.00	\$0.00	FY 2020-2025
The Multifamily Housing Program	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A
The Housing for a Healthy California Program	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A
Building Homes and Jobs Act	State	Nevada County	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A

Housing and Community Services

The California Emergency Solutions Grants Program	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	ESG funds were designated for the Rapid Re-Housing Program to assist individuals and families who are currently experiencing homelessness with locating permanent, stable housing.	\$80,804.00	\$80,804.00	FY 2020-2025
Parolee or probation programs that are intended to prevent homelessness upon release	State	Nevada County Housing and Community Services	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A
The National Housing Trust Fund established pursuant to the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008	Federal	Nevada County	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A

Total \$ Available to prevent and end homelessness: \$31,730,866.05

Total Prioritized for Permanent Housing Solutions: 3.00

Plan to Connect People Experiencing Homelessness to All Eligible Benefit Programs

Steps to Complete this Section:

1. Explain how the region is connecting, or will connect, individuals to wrap-around services from all eligible federal, state, and local benefit programs, including, but not limited to, housing and homelessness services and supports that are integrated with the broader social services systems and supports. Benefit Programs include, but are not limited to:
 - CalWORKs
 - CalFresh
 - Supplemental Security Income/State Supplemental Program (SSI/SSP) and disability benefits advocacy;
 - In-home supportive services;
 - Adult protective services;
 - Child welfare;
 - Child care; and
 - Medi-Cal benefits through Managed Care Plans

Guidance:

All of the above benefit programs *must* be included and fully explained in the table. In addition to these benefit programs, participating eligible applicants should add other benefit programs that provide wrap-around services in the region.

To add additional benefit programs, click "Add Benefit Program" at the bottom of the table. If you select the blank field and you may type in the name of the benefit program.

Definitions:

- **Connection Strategy/ies means methods and actions that support client access and/or enrollment in eligible benefit programs. This may be a method or action that supports connection between a benefit program and clients, between benefits programs, and/or between benefits programs and the homeless services system, so long as the method or action supports client access and/or enrollment in the eligible benefit program.**
- **Lead Entity should include the name of the regional Eligible Applicant responsible for managing the benefit program.**
- **Collaborating Entity may include a group, organization, or jurisdiction within your region working to provide the benefit. This can be another participating jurisdiction, a system partner, or any organization actively participating in providing the benefit.**

Benefit Programs

Benefit Program	Connection Strategy/ies	Lead Entity	Collaborating Entity/ies
CalWORKs	Nevada County is actively working to connect individuals to comprehensive wrap-	Nevada County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nevada County Social Services • Sierra Nevada Connecting Point

around services through a coordinated network of broader social service systems. The approach involves multiple agencies and programs collaborating to ensure seamless service delivery and maximize resource utilization. Below is an overview of the connection strategies to achieve this:

- The 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for and provides referrals to CalWORKs.
- The CalWORKS program contains the Housing Support Program (HSP), which provides housing support to families. HSP participates in County led Housing Resource Team (HRT) meetings to connect homeless individuals and those at risk of homelessness to housing resources. Individuals receiving services are entered into HMIS for further coordination of services.
- CalWORKS administers Family Stabilization Program funds and participates in HRT meetings.
- Referrals to CalWORKS are made through other partners and stakeholders
- The Booth Family Center provides housing resources and referrals to CalWORKS
- The Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team, located at

- Booth Family Center
- Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team
- Community Beyond Violence
- Foothill House of Hospitality

the Resource Commons Navigation Center, contains outreach case managers that connects homeless individuals to all eligible services, and attends HRT meetings.

- Community Beyond Violence, a domestic violence shelter and service provider, partners with Nevada County to provide referrals to CalWORKs and provide services to CalWORKS eligible customers.

- Foothill House of Hospitality partners with Nevada County and provides housing resources, including case management for access to eligible services

CalFresh

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- The 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for, provides referrals, and starts applications for programs such as CalFresh.

- The Enhanced

Nevada County

- Nevada County Social Services
- Sierra Nevada Connecting Point
- Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team
- Foothill House of Hospitality
- Community Beyond Violence

Care Management (ECM) Team, located at the Resource Commons Navigation Center, contains outreach case managers that connects homeless individuals to all eligible services, and attends HRT meetings.

- CalWORKS provides referrals to CalFresh
- Foothill House of Hospitality partners with Nevada County and provides housing resources, including case management for access to eligible services
- Community Beyond Violence, a domestic violence shelter and service provider, partners with Nevada County to provide referrals to CalWORKS and provide services to CalWORKS eligible customers.

Supplemental Security Income/State Supplemental Program (SSI/SSP) and disability benefits advocacy

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- 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for and provides

Nevada County

- Nevada County Social Services
- Sierra Nevada Connecting Point
- FREED Center for Independent Living

referrals.

- IHSS and APS can recommend a customer look into SSI eligibility and may refer customers to FREED Center for Independent Living, a partner agency for aging and disability resources.
- Foothill House of Hospitality partners with Nevada County and provides housing resources, including case management for access to eligible services and referrals to other partners, such as FREED

In-home supportive services

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Nevada County

- Nevada County Social Services
- Sierra Nevada Connecting Point
- FREED Center for Independent Living

- 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for and provides referrals to programs such as IHSS.
- FREED Center for Independent Living provides connection to services for aging and disabilities

Adult protective services

Nevada County is actively working to

Nevada County

- Nevada County Adult Protective Services

connect individuals to comprehensive wrap-around services through a coordinated network of broader social service systems. The approach involves multiple agencies and programs collaborating to ensure seamless service delivery and maximize resource utilization.

Below is an overview of the connection strategies to achieve this:

- 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for and provides referrals to programs, including Adult Protective Services (APS).

Individuals that are homeless or at risk of homelessness are entered into HMIS for further coordination of services.

- APS Home Safe program provides funds to stabilize eligible individuals in their current housing.

- An APS staff member attends the Housing Resource Team (HRT) meeting to connect individuals to services and housing resources.

- The Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team, located at the Resource Commons Navigation Center, contains outreach case managers that connects homeless individuals to all eligible services, and attends HRT meetings.

- Foothill House of Hospitality partners with

- Sierra Nevada Connecting Point
- Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team
- Foothill House of Hospitality

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Child welfare

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Nevada County

Nevada County Social Services

- Child Welfare lead worker participates in Housing Resource Team (HRT) meetings to connect families involved with Child Welfare to housing resources.

Child care

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Nevada County

Nevada County Social Services

- CalWORKS provides child-care

options for families, including families that are homeless or at risk of homelessness, participating in the program. Referrals are made through County social workers.

Medi-Cal benefits through Managed Care Plans

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Nevada County

- Nevada County Social Services
- County of Nevada Behavioral Health
- Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team
- Foothill House of Hospitality
- Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement (HOME) Team

- The Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement (HOME) Team attends each opening of emergency shelter to assist shelter stayers with HMIS entry, coordination of services, and case management, including Medi-Cal coordination.
- The Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team, located at the Resource Commons Navigation Center, contains outreach case managers that connects homeless individuals to all eligible services, and attends HRT meetings.
- Foothill House of Hospitality partners with Nevada County and provides housing resources, including

case management and connections to eligible services

Behavioral Health Services, Including Substance Use Disorder Services

Nevada County is actively working to connect individuals to comprehensive wrap-around services through a coordinated network of broader social service systems. The approach involves multiple agencies and programs collaborating to ensure seamless service delivery and maximize resource utilization. Below is an overview of the connection strategies to achieve this:

- A Behavioral Health representative participates in Housing Resource Team (HRT) meetings to connect individuals participating in behavioral health services to housing resources.
- The Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement (HOME) Team works with individuals in camps, non-congregate shelter, attends each opening of emergency shelter to assist shelter stayers with HMIS entry, coordination of services and case management, vulnerability assessment, and behavioral health needs assessment.
- The Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team, located at the Resource Commons Navigation Center, contains outreach case managers that connects

Nevada County

- Nevada County Behavioral Health Services
- Law Enforcement
- Foothill House of Hospitality
- AMI Housing
- SPIRIT Peer Empowerment Center
- Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team
- Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement (HOME) Team

homeless individuals to all eligible services, and attends HRT meetings.

- The Mobile Crisis Unit works alongside law enforcement to deliver behavioral health de-escalation services in the field and connect individuals to longer term services.

- AMI Housing provides housing resources, including supportive housing case management for access to behavioral health services

- AMI Housing partners with Nevada County and provides housing resources, including supportive housing case management for access to behavioral health services

- Foothill House of Hospitality partners with Nevada County and provides housing resources, including supportive housing case management for access to behavioral health services

- SPIRIT partners with Nevada County and provides referrals for access to behavioral health services

Veterans Services

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Nevada County

- County of Nevada Social Services
- Sierra Nevada Connecting Point
 - Foothill House of Hospitality
 - FREED Center for Independent Living
 - Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team

seamless service delivery and maximize resource utilization. Below is an overview of the connection strategies to achieve this:

- 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for and provides referrals.
- A Veterans Services lead worker participates in Housing Resource Team (HRT) meetings to connect veterans to housing resources.
- A Veterans Services worker attends each opening of emergency shelter to assist veterans with receiving veterans' benefits.
- The Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Team, located at the Resource Commons Navigation Center, contains outreach case managers that connects homeless individuals to all eligible services, and attends HRT meetings.
- Foothill House of Hospitality provides low barrier and ongoing shelter as well as case management services, including referrals to Veterans Services, and attends HRT meetings.
- FREED provides referrals for veteran's services to eligible individuals and attends HRT meetings.
- The Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement (HOME) Team works with

individuals in camps, non-congregate shelter, attends each opening of emergency shelter to assist shelter stayers with HMIS entry, coordination of services and case management, vulnerability assessment, and behavioral health needs assessment.

<p>Public Health Services</p>	<p>Nevada County is actively working to connect individuals to comprehensive wrap-around services through a coordinated network of broader social service systems. The approach involves multiple agencies and programs collaborating to ensure seamless service delivery and maximize resource utilization. Below is an overview of the connection strategies to achieve this:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Homeless Outreach and Medical Engagement Team connects homeless individuals with Public Health Services, such as vaccines. 	<p>Nevada County</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nevada County Housing and Community Services • Homeless Medical Outreach and Engagement (HOME) Team
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<p>Housing and Community Services</p>	<p>Nevada County is actively working to connect individuals to comprehensive wrap-around services through a coordinated network of broader social service systems. The approach involves multiple agencies and programs collaborating to ensure seamless service delivery and maximize resource utilization. Below is an overview of</p>	<p>Nevada County</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nevada County Housing and Community Services • Sierra Nevada Connecting Point
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the connection strategies
to achieve this:

- Housing and Community Services (HCS) administers rental and mortgage assistance when available. 211 Call center informs individuals of any services they may be eligible for, enters people into HMIS and the prevention by-name list, and provides referrals to rental and mortgage assistance programs in HCS.

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)

Upload the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that reflects the Regionally Coordinated Homelessness Action Plan submitted under this application.

Optional: Upload any additional supporting documentation the region would like to provide.

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)

HHAP MOU - Nevada County and CA 531.pdf

Supporting Documentation (Optional)

Application Process Certification:

By checking the box below, I certify that that all participating eligible applicants met the statutory public meeting process requirements in developing the Regionally Coordinated Homelessness Action Plan in compliance with HSC section 50233(d)-(e) and all of the following is true:

- All Eligible Applicants electing to collaborate to complete the Regionally Coordinated Homelessness Action Plan have engaged in a public stakeholder process that included at least three public meetings before the plan was completed.

Meeting Dates

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2/15/2024

2/23/2024

2/21/2024

- All of the following groups were invited and encouraged to engage in the public stakeholder process:

Stakeholder engagement

Stakeholders

Description of how Stakeholders were invited and encouraged to engage in the public stakeholder process

People with lived experience of homelessness

The Homeless Resource Council of the Sierras implemented a robust strategy to invite and encourage public stakeholders to engage in a transparent and inclusive process. Leveraging various tools and platforms, they ensured broad participation and collaboration:

Establishing a Comprehensive Mailing List:
HRCS compiled a comprehensive mailing list comprising agencies, organizations, and key community contacts involved in homelessness-related services and advocacy. This list ensured that stakeholders were directly informed about upcoming meetings, initiatives, and opportunities for involvement.

Utilizing Email Marketing Software:
To streamline communication and outreach efforts, HRCS employed user-friendly software like Constant Contact. This allows us to send out regular updates, invitations, and announcements regarding public meetings, initiatives, and relevant resources. Through targeted email campaigns, we effectively reached stakeholders and kept them informed about opportunities for engagement with the HHAP 5 process.

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Persons of populations overrepresented in homelessness

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Local department leaders and staff from qualifying smaller jurisdictions, including child welfare, health care, behavioral health, justice, and education system leaders

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Homeless service and housing providers operating within the region

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Medi-Cal Managed Care Plans contracted with the State Department of Health Care Services in the region

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Street medicine providers and other service providers directly assisting people experiencing homelessness or at risk of homelessness

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I certify under penalty of perjury that all of the information in the above section is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Open

Part 3: Funding Plan

Steps to complete this section:

1. Identify all Eligible Use Categories the Administrative Entity anticipates using.
2. Provide the **dollar amount** budgeted per eligible use category. Again, this must account for 100 percent of the HHAP-5 Allocation(s) the Administrative Entity will be responsible for administering.
3. Where applicable, provide the **dollar amount** that will be designated under the Youth Set-Aside from the selected eligible use categories. **Reminder: the youth set-aside must total at least 10% of all monies received.**
4. Provide a brief description of activities HHAP-5 funds will support in each selected eligible use category.
5. Provide an explanation of how the activities therein align with the state's HHAP-5 priorities to:
 - sustain existing investments towards long-term housing stability and supportive services and
 - prioritize permanent housing solutions.
6. Indicate whether the budget proposes to support **ANY** new interim housing solutions outside of the youth set-aside.
7. Indicate whether the budget proposes to support new interim housing solutions for youth in excess of 10% of the total HHAP-5 Dollars budgeted
 - If the Administrative Entity answers “yes” to either 6 or 7, they will be asked to demonstrate dedicated, sufficient resources from other funding sources for long-term housing stability and permanent housing solutions. This entails summarizing total available dollars for preventing and ending homelessness in the region, including the percentage of these resources dedicated to permanent and interim housing solutions, providing the status of

five policy actions for each eligible applicant in the region, and demonstrating the need for additional shelter.

Guidance:

Each Administrative Entity must submit a **single** Funding Plan that accounts for the entire HHAP-5 Allocation(s) which the Administrative Entity will be responsible for administering. This includes:

- 100 percent of the HHAP-5 Base allocation(s);
- 100 percent of the HHAP-5 Planning allocation(s); and
- 100 percent of the Initial Supplemental Funding allocation(s).

The youth set-aside must total at least 10% of all monies received.

Administrative costs **may not exceed 7%** of all monies received.

Up to 1% of all monies received may be budgeted for costs related to the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS). Related costs include HMIS licenses, training, system operating costs, and costs associated with carrying out related activities. Upon agreement between the grantee and the Homeless Management Information System lead entity, the grantee shall transfer the authorized amount of funds directly to the HMIS lead entity.

To add another funding plan for an additional Administrative Entity, click "Add Funding Plan" near the bottom of the page. You will be prompted to provide a specific number of funding plans (1 per Administrative Entity) based on the participation and contracting selections from Part 1: Regional Identification and Contracting Information.

Funding Plans from Administrative Entity/ies in Nevada County CoC Participating in this Application

Administrative Entity 1

Which Administrative Entity is submitting the below budget?

Nevada County CoC

Funding Plan - Nevada County CoC

Eligible Use Category	HHAP-5 Dollars Budgeted	If applicable, Dollars budgeted for the Youth Set-Aside	Activities These Funds will Support	How are these Activities Aligned with the State's Priorities?
Rapid Rehousing				
Prevention and Shelter Diversion	\$378,511.00	\$38,700.00	Prevention and Diversion funds will be braided with other county funds to provide 1)	This program aligns with state priorities of long-term housing stability

<p>Delivery of Permanent Housing and Innovative Housing Solutions</p>	<p>\$361,910.00 \$50,000.00</p>	<p>\$162,051.00 for the continuation of the Landlord Liaison Program (LLP) and 2) \$216,460.00 for diversion support programs for people at risk of homelessness. Affordable rental housing options in Nevada County are limited and those who have been homeless or are at risk of homelessness have challenges that require additional support to landlords that rent to them. The Landlord Liaison Program aims to bridge that gap by providing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Guaranteed rent and master leasing - Financial incentives for landlords - Money for repair costs and appliance replacement - One number to call for next day assistance 	<p>by preventing evictions and ensuring that individuals can remain in their homes, these programs contribute to sustaining existing housing investments and minimizing the loss of affordable housing units. This activity relates to the Key Action in SPM 2 and SMP 3 by increasing the availability of rental and mortgage assistance funding to prevent homelessness and continue support for the centralized Landlord Liaison Program (LLP).</p>
<p>Operating Subsidies- Permanent Housing</p>	<p>\$361,910.00 \$50,000.00</p>	<p>Operating subsidies will be used to continue the operations of existing permanent, affordable, or supportive housing units, including Homekey sites. The total number of units</p>	<p>By allocating funding for PSH, the County and CoC are aligned and committed to the shared goal of applying a housing-</p>

Operating Subsidies-Interim Sheltering	\$563,216.00 \$50,000.00	served has not been finalized, but will at a minimum provide subsidies for the 18-units of permanent housing run by AMI Housing.	focused approach that prioritizes permanent housing solutions in our region. This activity will support SPM 3 by creating pathways for people exiting homelessness into permanent housing.
Interim Sheltering		Funds will be used to support the Navigation Center and operation of existing interim housing options to provide temporary housing and comprehensive support services to individuals experiencing homelessness. These funds will support existing center services; no funds will be spent on new interim interventions. This activity will support SPM 1B by increasing the utilization of current interim housing beds.	Under SPM 1B, we indicate the expansion of partnerships with other organizations in the continuum to improve the rate of individuals utilizing existing interim housing as well as then exiting into permanent housing. By offering temporary housing solutions, Navigation Centers and interim housing options help individuals transition out of homelessness and into long-term housing stability, aligning with prioritizing permanent housing solutions.

Improvements to Existing Emergency Shelter

Street Outreach

Services Coordination

Systems Support

HMIS \$7,202.37

HMIS Licenses
HMIS supports the States priorities of regional coordination and improved response to homelessness.

Administrative Costs \$75,427.00

Administrative Costs
Administration allows for the programs to run smoothly, ensuing reporting is up to date.

Total HHAP-5 Dollars Budgeted:	Total HHAP-5 Youth Set-Aside Dollars Budgeted:
\$1,386,266.37	\$138,700.00

Youth Set-Aside Minimum
\$138,626.64

HMIS Maximum
\$13,862.66

Administrative Maximum
\$97,038.65

Does this budget propose to support any new interim housing solutions outside of the youth set-aside?
No

Does this budget propose to support new interim housing solutions for youth in excess of 10% of the total HHAP-5 Dollars budgeted?
No

Certification

Participating Eligible Applicant 1

Participating Eligible Applicant

Nevada County CoC

Certification Nevada County CoC

On behalf of the above entered participating eligible applicant, I certify that all information included in this Application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

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Participating Eligible Applicant 2

Participating Eligible Applicant

Nevada County

Certification Nevada County

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Name

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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
NEVADA COUNTY CONTINUUM OF CARE, AND
THE COUNTY OF NEVADA
FOR THE PROVISION OF COLLABORATIVE APPLICANT AND LEAD AGENCY
FOR THE HOMELESS HOUSING, ASSISTANCE, AND PREVENTION PROGRAM
(HHAP) GRANT FUNDS**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is made and entered into by and between the County of Nevada, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as County, and the Nevada County Continuum of Care-531 through fiscal agent the Homeless Resource Council of the Sierras, hereinafter referred to as CoC or HRCS, individually, "Party" and/or collectively "Parties", for the designation of Collaborative Applicant and Lead Agency positions for Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention Program (HHAP) grant funding, and commitment to uphold, participate in, and comply with actions, roles, and responsibilities of each collaborative applicant in the region as described in the HHAP Regionally Coordinated Homeless Action Plan, "Homeless Action Plan" .

I. Purpose and Background

The purpose of this MOU is to confirm agreements between the County and the CoC related to the positions of Collaborative Applicant and Lead Agency for HHAP grant funding and commit to uphold, participate in, and comply with the actions, roles, and responsibilities for implementation of the Homeless Action Plan.

The HHAP Program funding, made available from California's Interagency Council on Homelessness ("Cal ICH") within California's Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency is intended to support local jurisdictions in their unified regional response to reduce and end homelessness.

On September 27, 2021, the Governing Board of the CoC elected to delegate the role of Collaborative Applicant and Lead Agency to the County and approved the County to apply jointly for HHAP Round 3 funding.

On May 23, 2023, Nevada County elected to delegate the CoC as the Collaborative Applicant and Lead Agency for HHAP Round 4 funding, as well as for future HHAP rounds.

Collaborative Applicant is defined to mean an eligible applicant that has been designated by the Parties to apply for HHAP grant funding on behalf of the Parties.

The Lead Agency is defined to mean the Party who shall take all required steps to comply with the terms of the HHAP grants, including but not limited to all administrative and reporting requirements of the funding agency (State of California).

II. Duration

Except as provided in Section V (Termination), the duration of this amended MOU shall be from March 26, 2024 through June 30, 2026.

By execution of this MOU, the Parties agree that the responsibilities and agreements outlined in this MOU shall be effective March 26, 2024, and related activities conducted prior to the execution of the agreement shall be in compliance with all language stated in this original MOU.

III. Specific Responsibilities of the Parties

a. Joint County and CoC/HRCS

- i. Commitments to uphold, participate in, and comply with actions, roles, and responsibilities of each collaborative applicant as described in the HHAP Regionally Coordinated Homeless Action Plan, "Homeless Action Plan".
 1. Commitments to the roles and responsibilities as they pertain to outreach and site coordination, siting and use of available public land, the development of interim and permanent housing options, and coordinating, connecting, and delivering services to individuals experiencing homelessness or at risk of experiencing homelessness, within the region; section 2.1 of the Homeless Action Plan.
 2. Commitments to Key Actions to improve the system performance measures; section 2.2 of the Homeless Action Plan.
 3. Commitments to Key Actions to ensure racial and gender equity in service delivery, housing placements, housing retention, and any other means to affirm equitable access to housing and services for racial and ethnic groups overrepresented among residents experiencing homelessness; section 2.3 of the Homeless Action Plan.
 4. Commitments to actions to reduce homelessness among individuals exiting institutional settings, including but not limited to jails, prisons, hospitals, and any other institutions such as foster care, behavioral health facilities, etc. as applicable in the region; section 2.4 of the Homeless Action Plan.
 5. Commitments to roles for the utilization of local, state, and federal funding programs to end homelessness; section 2.5 of the Homeless Action Plan.

6. Commitments to the roles and responsibilities to connect individuals to wrap-around services from all eligible federal, state, and local benefit programs; section 2.6 of the Homeless Action Plan.

b. County

- i. Designate the CoC and fiscal agent HRCS as Collaborative Applicant and Lead Agency for HHAP grants.
- ii. Assist the CoC with HHAP reporting requirements by providing information for HHAP grant funds allocated to the County and used in County contracts.
- iii. Participate in continuous quality improvement meetings within the CoC to review performance metrics towards Homeless Action Plan goals and metrics.
- iv. Participate in annual meetings as a function of the CoC with the County and contractors, to discuss contracts and projects and their relevance to the Homeless Action Plan.

c. CoC and HRCS

- i. As Collaborative Applicant, the CoC shall:
 1. Serve as the collaborative applicant to jointly submit a single application for HHAP funds on behalf of the County and the CoC and receive grant funds directly from the administering state agency.
 2. Develop a collaborative process for the development of joint HHAP applications and ensure compliance with grant criteria.
- ii. As Lead Agency, the CoC and HRCS shall:
 1. Build strategic partnerships and cultivate new service partnerships within the community.
 2. Lead completion of the annual Homeless Action Plan update with local and county governments and stakeholders as required by HHAP grant applications.
 3. Lead continuous quality improvement meetings within the CoC to review performance metrics towards Homeless Action Plan goals and metrics.
 4. Lead annual meetings as a function of the CoC with the County and contractors to discuss contracts and projects and their relevance to the Joint Homeless Action Plan.

5. Review and adhere to state guidance related to data reporting requirements and processes published by the administering state agency for HHAP funds, including:
 - HHAP Annual report guide
 - HHAP Annual report checklist
 - HHAP NOFAs
 - Health and Safety Code Section 50222, subdivision (a)
 - Coding HCFC Grants as funding Sources in HMIS
6. Enter into formal contracts with providers for projects that are in alignment with the Homeless Action Plan goals and HHAP metrics and conduct all contract administration with providers.
7. Work with providers to establish data collection and reporting measures as required by HHAP.
8. Measure and monitor performance of CoC funded projects as related to the Homeless Action Plan goals and performance metrics. This includes developing strategic goals to end homelessness, collecting and disseminating data to measure performance toward those goals, and continuously evaluating and improving performance.
9. Use 75% of the total annual HHAP allocation, for this year and the following years, to fund the following programs or such programs as determined by the CoC. This amount is inclusive of 75% of the administrative allocation.
 - Hospitality House Low Barrier Shelter
 - Sierra Guest Home
 - Truckee Day Center Housing Supports and Operations
 - North San Juan Warming Shelter
 - Landlord Liaison Program through AMI
 - Master Leasing through AMI
 - HRCS CoC Coordination System Supports (HMIS Licenses)
 - Coordinated Entry
10. Provide 25% of the total annual HHAP allocation to Nevada County, for this year and the following years. This amount is inclusive of 25% of the administrative allocation. The County will fund the operations listed below, or those to be determined by the County.
 - Empire Mine Courtyard operations
 - Resource Center operations
 - North Tahoe-Truckee Extreme Weather Shelter
 - Western County Extreme Weather Shelter

IV. Amendments

This MOU may be amended upon mutual agreement of both County and CoC. Any additional responsibilities delegated to the Lead Agency shall be consistent with the CoC Governance Charter.

V. Termination

Either party may terminate this MOU at a date prior to the renewal date specified in this MOU by giving 60 days written notice to the other parties. If the funds relied upon to undertake activities described in this MOU are withdrawn or reduced, or if additional conditions are placed on such funding, any party may terminate this MOU within 60 days by providing written notice to the other parties. The termination shall be effective on the date specified in the notice of termination.

VI. Notice

Either party may provide notice to the other party in writing at the following addresses:

County

Attention:
Mike Dent, Housing and Community Services, and Child Support Director
Address:
Nevada County Housing and Community Services
950 Maidu Avenue
PO Box 599002
Nevada City, CA 95959-7902


CoC

Attention:
CoC/HRCS Executive Director
Address:
Homeless Resource Council of the Sierra
PO Box 130
Auburn, CA 95604

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By: *Mike Dent*
Mike Dent (Mar 26, 2024 13:51 PDT)

Director of Housing and Community Services
County of Nevada

By: 

Board President
HRCS