



# Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program (YHDP)

FY 2017 Notice of Funding Availability



# Webinar Format and Housekeeping Items

- 60 minutes total
- Approximately 25 minutes for questions
- Participants are muted by default
- To ask a question at any time, use the Question and Answer feature on the Zoom toolbar
- We will answer as many as questions as possible during the Q&A portion of the webinar.
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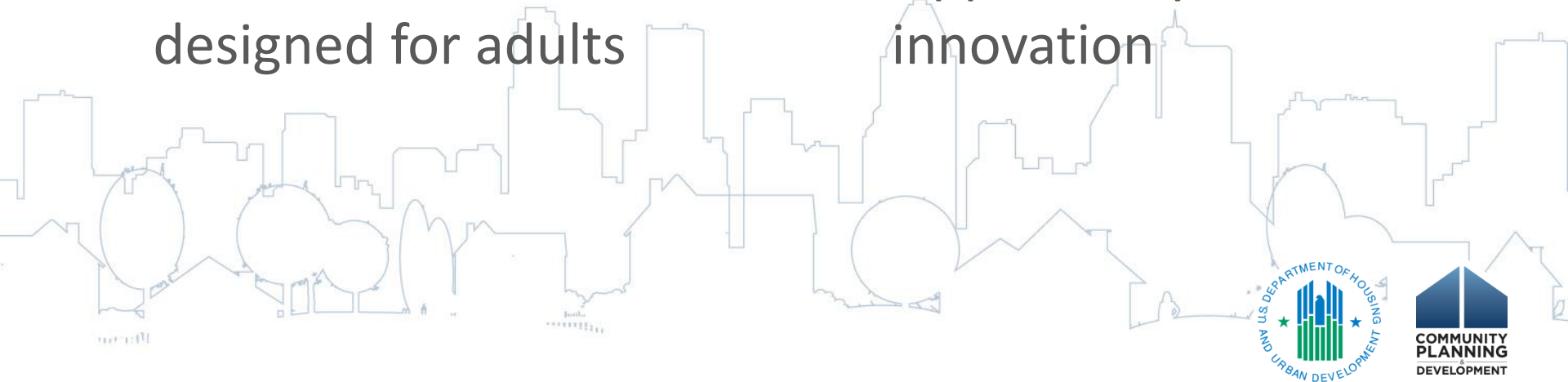
# Introduction

## Why is YHDP Needed?

- 40,799 unaccompanied youth homeless during the 2017 PIT count
- Siloed systems
- Service models designed for adults

## What does YHDP Offer?

- Integration of youth voice
- Coordinated Community Approach
- Opportunity for innovation

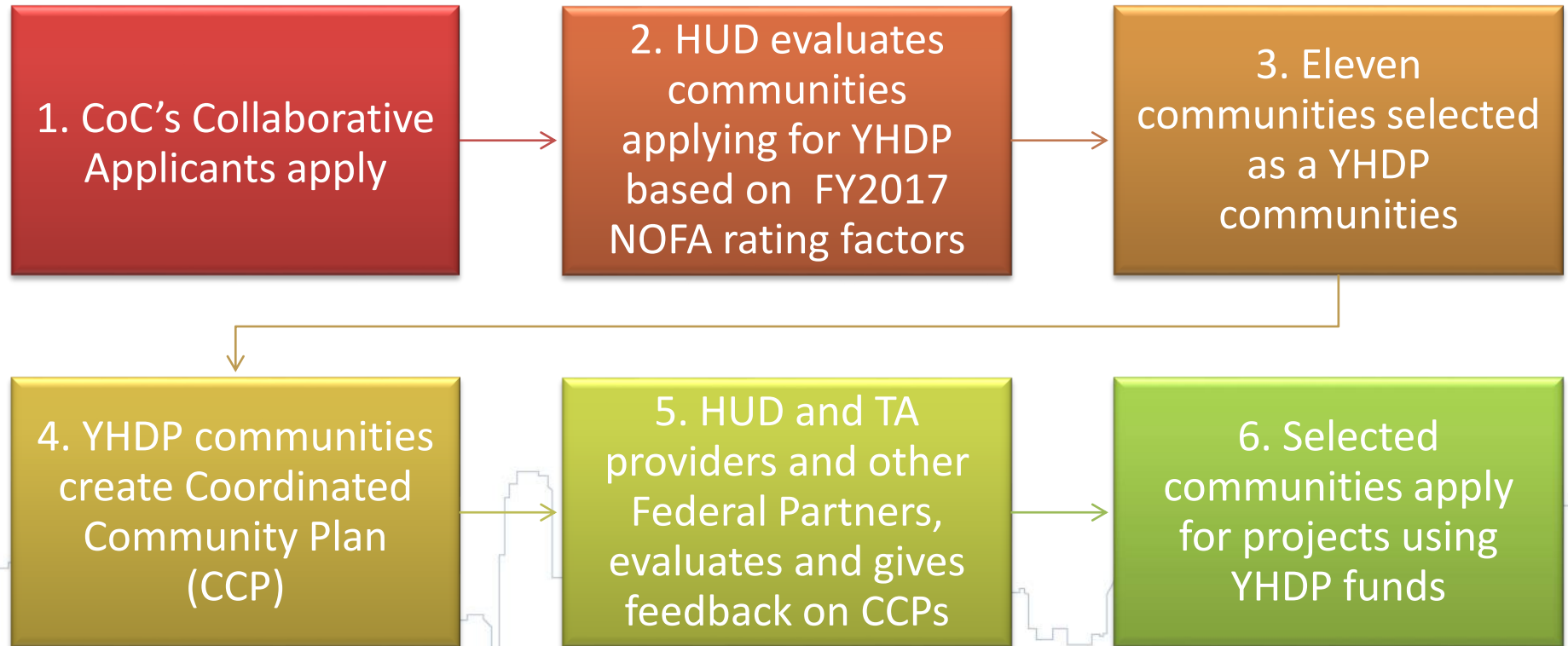


# We must:

- Improve and better understand the data we collect on youth homelessness
- Understand the definitional and eligibility differences that exist between the various youth serving systems
- Design and implement an array of programs that work for youth with different experiences and needs
- Coordinate with our partners to leverage the necessary resources and knowledge for the creation of an effective and coordinated community response



# Overview of YHDP process



# Purpose and Summary

Assist up to 11 communities, at least 5 of which will be rural, to:

- ✓ Develop and implement a coordinated community approach to preventing and ending youth homelessness
- ✓ Build national momentum
- ✓ Evaluate the coordinated community approach
- ✓ Evaluate performance measures
- ✓ Establish a framework for federal program and TA collaboration

Population to be served is youth experiencing homelessness, including unaccompanied and pregnant or parenting youth, where no member of the household is older than 24.



# What YHDP Offers

\$43 million set aside for YHDP projects (between \$1 – \$15 million per community over two years)

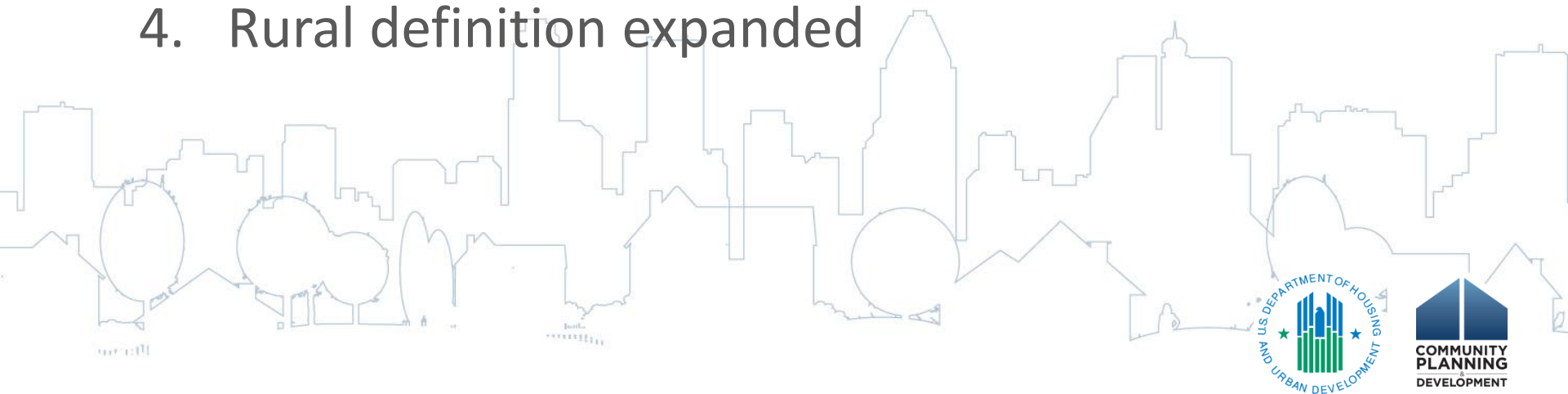
Implement new and innovative project models

Dedicated teams of technical assistance (TA) providers

Collaborate with broad array of partners including youth action board and the local or state public child welfare agency

# Changes from FY 2016 NOFA

1. \$43 million
2. Eleven communities, five of which must be rural
3. Youth Action Boards
4. Rural definition expanded





# Rural Definition

- Rural Communities has no part within an area designated as a standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA); **or**
- At least 50 percent of its population is located on U.S. Census blocks classified as non-urban; **or**
- Located in a state with a population density of less than 30 persons per square mile and at least 1.25 percent of the total acreage under federal jurisdiction, provided that no metropolitan city in such state is the sole beneficiary of the grant amounts awarded under this NOFA.



# Rural Area Calculator

## FY 2017 YHDP Rural Area Worksheet

### Instructions:

1. Beginning on line 15 in the "Target Community Area," select from the pull-down menu the first county you intend to include for your FY 2017 YHDP application.
2. Continue selecting up to 50 counties—if you intend to include more than 50 counties, email [youthdemo@hud.gov](mailto:youthdemo@hud.gov) for an expanded form.
3. The Target Area Community is prohibited from crossing CoC boundaries or including multiple states.
4. Cells under each category of the rural definition self-populate.
5. The "Rural Eligibility Categories Summary" is a summary of all areas indicated in the table.

| Rural Eligibility Categories Summary |                                      | Eligible         |                      |                                   |                |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
|                                      | Category A                           |                  |                      |                                   |                |
|                                      | Category B                           |                  |                      |                                   |                |
|                                      | Category C                           |                  |                      |                                   |                |
|                                      | Rural?                               | No               |                      |                                   |                |
| Target Area Community (by county)    | Category A                           | Category B       | Category B           | Category B                        | Category C     |
|                                      | In an Metropolitan Statistical Area? | Total Population | Non-Urban Population | % of Population that is Non-Urban | Eligible State |
| Total                                |                                      | -                | -                    |                                   |                |
|                                      |                                      |                  |                      |                                   |                |
|                                      |                                      |                  |                      |                                   |                |
|                                      |                                      |                  |                      |                                   |                |

[www.hudexchange.info/resource/5670/fy-2017-yhdp-rural-area-worksheet/](http://www.hudexchange.info/resource/5670/fy-2017-yhdp-rural-area-worksheet/)



# Available Funding

**\$43 million is available through the FY 2017 NOFA**



HUD could make more funds available for award under this NOFA if it recaptures unused funds, uses carryover funds, or if Congress appropriates additional funds.



# Who is eligible?

CoC-designated Collaborative Applicants that registered during the FY 2017 CoC Program Registration Process may apply for funding under this NOFA for:

- any community located within its CoC's geographic area
- multiple communities located within its CoC's geographic area

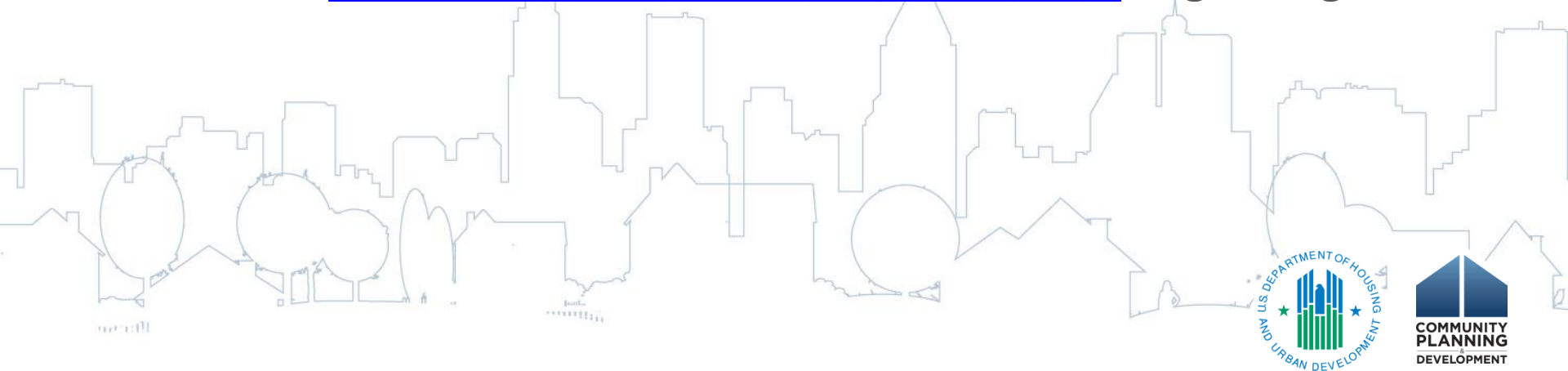


# How to apply

**Who:** Continuum of Care Collaborative Applicants (CA)

**When:** NOFA Deadline—Tuesday, April 17, 2018  
11:59:59 p.m. Eastern time

**How:** Submit applications located at  
[www.hudexchange.info/programs/yhdp/](http://www.hudexchange.info/programs/yhdp/) to **grants.gov**



# Scoring Criteria

HUD assigned 100 possible points to seven rating factors

| Rating Factor             | Points |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Leadership Capacity       | 20     |
| Current Resource Capacity | 5      |
| Community Need            | 10     |
| Capacity for Innovation   | 15     |
| Collaboration             | 20     |
| Financial Resources       | 10     |
| Data and Evaluation       | 20     |



# Resources

Resources and assistance to support HUD's community partners



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## FY 2017 YHDP Application Resources

The Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program (YHDP) Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) was published on January 17, 2018. HUD strongly encourages all communities to learn more about the program and consider applying by using the links to the NOFA and application posted below. More YHDP resources are located on the [Resources for Homeless Youth Service Providers](#) page.

[YHDP NOFA \(grants.gov\)](#)

- [YHDP NOFA \(pdf\)](#)
- [Appendix A \(pdf\)](#)
- [Appendix B \(pdf\)](#)

▸ [YHDP Fact Sheet](#)

▸ [Upcoming Webinar: FY 2017 YHDP Requirements](#)

▸ [FY 2017 YHDP Rural Area Worksheet](#)

▸ [YHDP FAQs](#)

The deadline for submissions is April 17, 2018 at 11:59:59 PM EDT.

Ask a YHDP  
Question

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Select CoC in the "My question is related to" field.



# Resources

## **YHDP Website**

<https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/yhdp/>

## **Resources for Homeless Youth Service Providers**

[www.hudexchange.info/homelessness-assistance/resources-for-homeless-youth/resources-for-homeless-youth-service-providers](http://www.hudexchange.info/homelessness-assistance/resources-for-homeless-youth/resources-for-homeless-youth-service-providers)

## **Ending Youth Homelessness (USICH)**

[www.usich.gov/goals/youth](http://www.usich.gov/goals/youth)

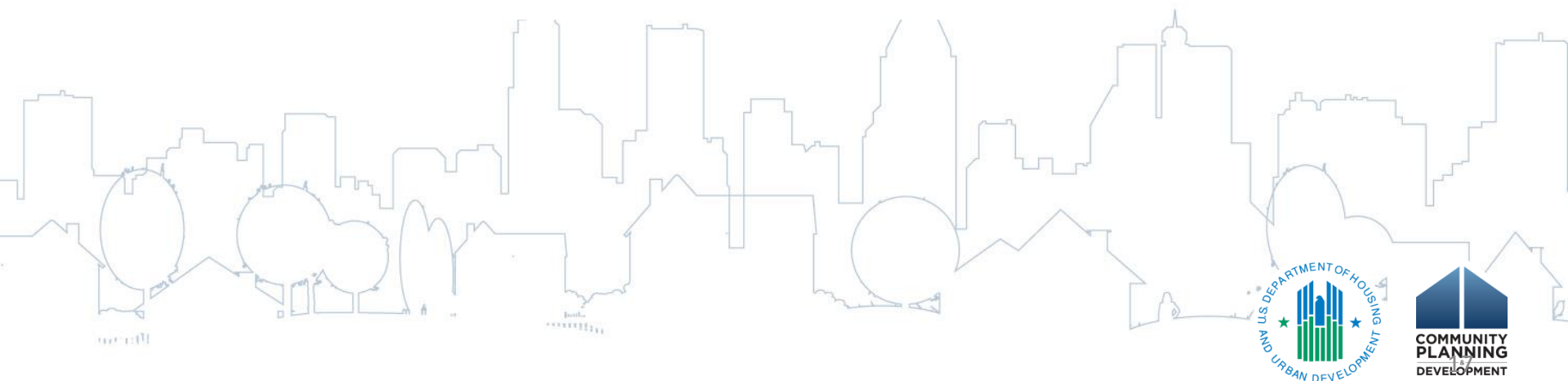
## **USICH webinar on YHDP**

[https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_o7TeWOfbSHOp7vojytFJMA](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_o7TeWOfbSHOp7vojytFJMA)





# Questions?



# Thank you!

Please submit any questions that were not answered during this webinar to HUD AAQ:

<https://www.hudexchange.info/get-assistance/my-question/>

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