



# KCRHA

King County Regional Homelessness Authority

## HUD CoC Special NOFO – Overview

Link to KCRHA Request for Proposal (RFP): [https://kcrha.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/2022-Unsheltered-Homelessness-Encampment-Health-and-Housing-RFP -Guidelines-and-Application-Instructions Revised-9.8.22.pdf](https://kcrha.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/2022-Unsheltered-Homelessness-Encampment-Health-and-Housing-RFP-Guidelines-and-Application-Instructions-Revised-9.8.22.pdf)

Link to HUD Announcement:

[https://www.hud.gov/program\\_offices/comm\\_planning/coc/specialCoCNOFO](https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/coc/specialCoCNOFO)

Link to KCRHA NOFA: [https://kcrha.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/KCRHA-NOFA-HUD-Special-Unsheltered-NOFO\\_Final.pdf](https://kcrha.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/KCRHA-NOFA-HUD-Special-Unsheltered-NOFO_Final.pdf)

### Overview of Funding Opportunity

- HUD released up to \$14,102,723 over a three-year period (\$4,700,907 annually) with NEW funding for CoCs nationwide.
  - This is a separate funding process and fund source than our Seattle-King County HUD CoC renewal process which the A/C just reviewed and approved.
  - These funds are prioritized for new programs that are not already funded by the Seattle-King County CoC.
- Funds seek to reduce unsheltered homelessness, improve service engagement, health outcomes and housing stability by using coordinated Housing First and public health principles to serve unsheltered individuals and families.
  - Ensure people living in unsheltered situations, including encampments, are successfully connected to healthcare and housing resources using Housing First and public health principles;
  - Gather and input data into the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS); Demonstrate an interest and ability to collaborate and coordinate with multiple systems and service organizations; and
  - Advance equity for Black, Indigenous, and other people of color as well as individuals who identify as LGBTQ+ and individuals with disabilities.
- KCRHA completed a series of community engagement meetings during the week of August 8<sup>th</sup> to help shape and inform the final *2022 Unsheltered Homelessness and Encampment Health and Housing Services RFP*.
- Permanent Support Housing (PH-PSH) and Joint Component Transitional to Rapid Rehousing (TH & PH-RRH) are the two eligible program models available by HUD and the KCRHA RFP.
- Based on community engagement, KCRHA removed “outreach” as an eligible activity for the RFP because stakeholders identified the need and investment towards more housing solutions vs outreach.