No Place Like Home (NPLH) Round 2/Non-Competitive Funding RFP Questions & Answers

Question #1: Does the County have a plan to end homelessness and is it complete?
Answer #1: Yes. The County of Ventura’s Plan to End Homelessness can be found here: http://www.venturacoc.org/images/Final_VC_Homelessness_Plan_1.9.19.pdf

Question #2: Are you able to provide a breakdown (total number) of people currently in VC that would qualify for an Assisted NPLH Unit? How about a breakdown of Fillmore residents and the Heritage Valley?
Answer #2: Since NPLH requires the use of Coordinated Entry System (CES) to place people into homes, we can request a report from the Human Services Agency that tells us how many people in CES are currently eligible for NPLH (Literally or Chronically Homeless or At Risk of Homelessness with a Mental Health Diagnosis). We can request same report by community.

Question #3: Shall we provide a supportive services plan for the non NPLH assisted units and leave space for this to be integrated with the County’s plan if our application is selected?
Answer #3: Yes

Question #4: Is there a provision or preference that the County must be the lead service provider in this case?
Answer #4: Yes. The County of Ventura Behavioral Health Department is the lead service provider and the eligible applicant for NPLH. However, applicant may and should build in usual services and leave room to incorporate the County’s plan.

Question #5: Has Ventura County and/or Fillmore received funds through Bronzan-McCorquodale?
Answer #5: No

Question #6: The NPLH Supplemental Application Excel Form includes more attachments than what is listed on page 4 of the RFP. Should we provide all of the attachments listed in the supplemental application or only those items listed in the RFP?
Answer #6: Please provide all of the Supplemental Application documents (except BOS Resolution) required by HCD found here: http://www.hcd.ca.gov/grants-funding/active-funding/nplh.shtml

Question #7: Is it okay to use the 2018 NPLH Competitive Universal and Supplemental Application forms since we do not know when the 2019 forms will be released by HCD?
Answer #7: Yes

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