

FY 2026 Continuum of Care (CoC) Program Competition

Certification Regarding Illegal Drug Injection / Safe Consumption Sites

NOFO No. CPD-2600-DC-0025

Sample Certification — for adaptation on the applicant organization's own letterhead

Applicant Organization: _____

Project Name: _____

As the authorized representative of the organization identified above, I hereby certify that:

1. The organization will comply with all applicable federal laws, regulations, and requirements governing the FY 2026 HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) Program.
2. The organization does not operate, and will not use HUD CoC Program funds to operate, any illegal drug injection site or “safe consumption site” in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 856.
3. The organization will not knowingly permit the use or distribution of illicit drugs on property under its control in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 856(a)(2).
4. The organization will not knowingly distribute drug paraphernalia in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 863.
5. The organization understands that this certification does not require program participants to maintain sobriety as a condition of receiving assistance, nor does it require termination of assistance for a first-time drug-related program or lease violation, consistent with the FY 2026 HUD CoC Program NOFO.

I certify that the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that I am authorized to execute this certification on behalf of the applicant organization.

Organization: _____

Authorized Representative: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

This certification is required as part of the Alabama Rural Coalition for the Homeless (ARCH), Collaborative Applicant for the Alabama Balance of State Continuum of Care FY 2026 Local Continuum of Care Competition and is based on the requirements contained in the FY 2026 HUD Continuum of Care Program Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO No. CPD-2600-DC-0025).