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ESG Regional Application Answers for Section 7: Written Standards

NCCEH staff have prepared the answers for Section 7 of the ESG Regional Application. Please enter the answers below into the Regional Application for your Regional Committee.

7.1 Does your Continuum of Care have approved Written Standards for the following activities?

Emergency Shelter: Yes

Street Outreach: No

Rapid Rehousing: Yes

Prevention: Yes

Permanent Supportive Housing: Yes

7.1.1 If yes, please attach written standards under tab 3.

The NC BoC CoC's written standards are posted at <http://www.ncceh.org/bos/esg/>. Please download and attach the written standards to your Regional Application.

7.2 If the Continuum of Care does not have approved Written Standards, please describe your anticipated process and plan for developing and approving them.

The Balance of State CoC does not currently have written standards for street outreach but plans to develop these written standards and put them in place by the end of 2017. The written standards will be drafted by staff of the CoC lead agency and will be provided to the CoC Steering Committee for review and approval. Following this approval, the written standards will be made available to all street outreach programs and CoC stakeholders via the lead agency's website.

7.3 ESG subrecipients are required to adhere to the Continuum of Care's Written Standards. Please describe how the Continuum of Care will ensure compliance.

The CoC lead agency will provide training and technical assistance that incorporates the CoC's written standards. When working with ESG subrecipients on programmatic issues, the lead agency will incorporate the written standards into all technical assistance that is provided. If subrecipients are not in compliance with the written standards, the lead agency will provide performance improvement assistance to bring the programs into compliance. If subrecipients remain noncompliant after receiving this assistance, the lead agency will inform the state ESG office.