



FY2026 Northwestern Illinois CoC Application Schedule

On Monday, June 1, 2026, HUD released the FY2 Continuum of Care Notice of Funding Opportunity [NOFO]. The NOFO can be found [on Grants.gov here](#).

HUD has not yet released the nation’s FY26 Preliminary Pro Rata Need [PPRN]; therefore, as of June 2, 2026, we do not yet know how much funding is available in IL-518 Northwestern Illinois CoC for renewals, CoC Bonus, or DV Bonus. That information will be announced when it is available.

This timeline will change as more information is made available. Changes will be posted to the [CoC's page](#) on the CoC Lead Agency’s website.

FY26 CoC APPLICATION TIMELINE

| DATE | TASK |
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| Monday, June 1, 2026 | HUD released FY26 CoC NOFO |
| Friday, June 12, 2026 | Intent to Apply letters due to il518CoC@projectnow.org by 4pm CST |
| Tuesday, June 16, 2026 | CoC Competition Overview Zoom meeting at 4pm CST |
| Friday, June 12, 2026 | CoC Board meets via Zoom to review CoC Scoring Matrix |
| Friday, July 17, 2026 | CoC Scoring Matrix and attachments due to il518CoC@projectnow.org 4pm CST |
| Tuesday, July 21, 2026 | CoC Scoring Matrix reviewed and results approved |
| TBD | HUD posts project applications to esnaps |
| Friday, July 24, 2026 | Project application submission deadline 4pm CST |
| Thursday, July 30, 2026 | Committee reviews project applications and submits recommendation to CoC Board |
| Thursday, August 6, 2026 | CoC Board & General Membership vote on Project Applications |
| Tuesday, August 11, 2026 | Project applicants are notified of acceptance, rejection, or reduction and their inclusion/exclusion in the final CoC Consolidated Application |
| Sunday, August 23, 2026 | CoC target date for publicly posting complete CoC Consolidated Application |
| Tuesday, August 26, 2026 | Complete CoC Consolidated Application due to HUD by 8 pm EST |

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