

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL CONSOLIDATED PLAN GRANTEES (CDBG, HOME, HOPWA, AND ESG GRANTEES)

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HUD's Office of Community Planning and Development is offering four webinars on Consolidated Plan enhancements and a demonstration of a new GIS Mapping Tool

The Office of Community Planning and Development announces a series of four Consolidated Plan webinars starting in the month of July. These webinars, primarily designed for grantee staff, will provide information about the development of a new web-based mapping tool and systems upgrades to make the Consolidated Plan more useful for planning and decision-making.

LEARN ABOUT:

- Upgrades to CPD's Integrated Disbursement Information System (IDIS)
- A redesigned Con Plan submission template that simplifies and standardizes information
- Key features of a new GIS Mapping Tool for Con Plan data
- Expanded data, including public housing and economic development data

WEBINAR DATES/TIMES:

Each webinar is targeted toward a specific type of grantee: Entitlements/Participating Jurisdictions, CDBG-only grantees, and States. We suggest that grantees pre-register as HUD expects a high volume of participants and space is limited. Participants should follow the link to pre-register. After you register, you will receive an e-mail that contains the information to connect to the webinar. The schedule is as follows:

All webinars will be held from 2:00-3:30 p.m. EST

- Wednesday, July 20 – Entitlement Grantees and Participating Jurisdictions
- Wednesday, July 27 – CDBG-only Grantees
- Wednesday, August 3 – Entitlement Grantees and Participating Jurisdictions
- Wednesday, August 10 – States