

provide specific housing and economic development opportunities for those at or below poverty income guidelines.

NON-HOMELESS SPECIAL NEEDS HOUSING

Non-homeless Special Needs (91.220 (c) and (e))

1. Identify actions taken to address special needs of persons that are not homeless but require supportive housing, (including persons with HIV/AIDS and their families).

Special needs populations include the elderly, persons with disabilities, persons with HIV/AIDS, the mentally ill, persons with substance abuse problems, and victims of domestic abuse. These persons are especially high risk at becoming homeless, and a variety of agencies within the Continuum of Care are dedicated to providing specialized services for each sub-population. Continuum of Care agencies that either provide or promote development of supportive housing for special needs populations include the following: Hillsborough County Health and Social Services Department, Mental Health Care, Inc., Metropolitan Ministries, Inc., The Salvation Army, Alpha House of Tampa, Inc., Hillsborough County Homeless Recovery program, the Veterans Administration, Tampa Community Health Center, and Agency for Community Treatment Services, Inc. (ACTS). Please reference "General Questions Assessment of the One-Year Goals and Objectives," (part d) for a comprehensive list of funding awards and expenditures for PY05 program activities that specifically address the special needs of persons who are not homeless but require supportive housing. A full analysis of HIV/AIDS special needs populations and the actions taken to address their supportive housing needs follows.

Specific HOPWA Objectives

1. Overall Assessment of Relationship of HOPWA Funds to Goals and Objectives Grantees should demonstrate through the CAPER and related IDIS reports the progress they are making at accomplishing identified goals and objectives with HOPWA funding. Grantees should demonstrate:

- a. That progress is being made toward meeting the HOPWA goal for providing affordable housing using HOPWA funds and other resources for persons with HIV/AIDS and their families through a comprehensive community plan;**

Until the city's 2-year resource identification project is completed (reference chart of HOPWA Project Sponsors below), the city's current comprehensive community plan for HIV/AIDS persons and their families is the PY02-06 Consolidated Planning Document and annual Action Plan. HOPWA-related goals, objectives and outputs and a chart of service goal achievement for PY05 are described below:

PY02-06/FY03-07 Consolidated Plan Strategic Plan Goal 1: The city will increase the opportunities for all its citizens to purchase or rent affordable decent, safe and sanitary housing by encouraging the rehabilitation, revitalization, and redevelopment of the existing housing stock in an effort to further stem the current rate of decline, extend the economic life of existing housing, and to build upon the positive aspects of existing neighborhoods.

PY02-06/FY03-07 Consolidated Plan Strategic Plan Objectives (related to persons with HIV/AIDS):