

The Aid to Agencies program funds organizations that provide services in the following areas to Arapahoe County residents:

- Affordable housing
- Case management
- Domestic violence support
- Employment skills/services
- Food assistance
- Mental/behavioral health
- Substance abuse
- Shelter
- Transportation

Each application will be reviewed and scored based on the following criteria.

Criteria	Weight	Considerations
Agency Expertise and Background	20%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do the agency's mission, vision, and values align with Arapahoe County's Strategic Plan? Did the organization successfully demonstrate how their work is promoting inclusivity and diversity??
Agency Capacity	25%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is the agency able to administer public funds? Does the agency have the staffing capacity to provide the services outlined in the grant? Has the agency previously managed government grants? Is the agency running a deficit?
Scope of Services	40%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do the agency's services align with an identified AC service category? Does the program extend county-wide and/or provide a geographic-specific service? Are services affordable to low-income or indigent populations? Did the agency define the demographic breakdown of the population served? Did the agency specify engagement strategies to reach its intended population?
County Investment	15%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does the funding serve an appropriate/proportionate amount of Arapahoe County residents? Is this the only source of funding the organization would receive from Arapahoe County?