HARTFORD HOPWA CAN PRIORITIZATION PROCESS
UPDATED 8/11/21

HIV+ Client is Referred to HOPWA CAN System

ACT receives application, reviews for completeness and adds client to waitlist*

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Priority 1
- Literally Homeless with one or more comorbidities
  - 1 Elevated Viral Load and/or out of care
    - Verified by MD/Lab report
  - 2 Unstable health, chronic health condition undergoing treatment
    - Verified by MD
  - 3 Chronic Mental Health and/or substance use disorder
    - Verified by treating clinician/self report

Priority 2
- Literally Homeless and Member of Priority Population
  - 1 Aging Individuals (>50)
    - Self report
  - 2 Transgender
    - Under treatment for hormone therapy verified by MD
  - 3 Men who have sex with men (MSM)
    - Self report

Priority 3
- Literally Homeless

Priority 4
- Unstably Housed/at risk for homelessness
  - 1 Elevated Viral Load and/or out of care
    - Verified by MD/Lab report
  - 2 Unstable health, chronic health condition undergoing treatment
    - Verified by MD
  - 3 Chronic Mental Health and/or substance use disorder
    - Verified by treating clinician/self report

Priority 5
- Unstably Housed/at risk for homelessness
  - 1. Aging Individuals (>50)
    - Self report
  - 2. Transgender
    - Under treatment for hormone therapy verified by MD
  - 3 Men who have sex with men (MSM)
    - Self report

Priority 6
- Unstably Housed/at risk for homelessness
  - Aging Individuals (>50)
    - Self report
  - Transgender
    - Under treatment for hormone therapy verified by MD
  - Men who have sex with men (MSM)
    - Self report

*HOPWA Eligibility requires individuals are HIV+ and at or below 80% Area Median Income (AMI)