Multnomah County				
Program #25001 - DCHS	Human Resources			3/7/2022
Department:	County Human Services	Program Contact:	Mohammad Bader	
Program Offer Type:	Support	Program Offer Stage:	As Requested	
Related Programs:				
Program Characteristic	s: In Target			

Executive Summary

DCHS Human Resources supports the quality of life, professional development, and education of employees, for 911 budgeted positions in FY23. HR ensures DCHS achieves its goals through equitable recruitment, selection and retention of employees, and anticipating and planning for staffing needs. HR functions include outreach and recruiting, hiring and onboarding, maintaining records, staff retention and workforce and succession planning, training, employee and labor relations including equity for hiring and treatment of staff, and performance management.

Program Summary

ISSUE: There are many dynamics to ensure employees work in an environment that supports them and the community while also ensuring equity for a diverse workforce, in compliance with contracts, rules, and legal requirements.

GOALS: HR's goals are to ensure services and strategies support and add value to DCHS strategies; promote fair and equitable treatment of all employees; adhere to County personnel rules, policies and labor contracts; align with Central HR to develop and implement consistent and effective HR solutions and programs; and create workforce and succession planning to develop a diverse and talented pool of employees and candidates to meet future staffing needs.

ACTIVITIES: DCHS HR achieves its goals by providing consultation to managers, supervisors, and employees while working with union representation and aligning with Central/County HR and County counsel when necessary. Efforts in FY 2023 will focus on supporting the workforce in an uncertain environment, equity (including supporting the department's Workforce Equity Strategic Plan), professional development, education, compassion, and compliance, while supporting Department-wide goals. HR will continue to support implementation of the new ERP while maintaining service levels. HR continues to support department process improvement projects related to equity. Those projects include: 1) Bilingual pay assessment and selection. This project is designed to maximize the use of employees' bilingual skills to serve clients. The project takes into account new contract language for ad hoc pay and ensuring language proficiency; 2) Interview panel selection and preparation. This project seeks to ensure diversity in panel selection and training panel members to ensure equitable assessment of interviewees; 3) Workforce Equity - Recruiting and Retention. HR supports this project led by the Director's Office including participation on the ADVSD Recruitment WESP Project Team. The project will address identified disparities in the first year of employment, and seek to identify the sources of perceived disparities in access to positions and promotions. Improvements will be made to current processes for selection/hiring and for support during the initial trial service period.

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY21 Actual	FY22 Budgeted	FY22 Estimate	FY23 Offer
Output	Recruitments	216	345	725	400
Outcome	Placement/reassignment of employees impacted by reduced staffing	3%	1%	5%	3%
Outcome	Percent of DCHS employees who identify as a person of color*	42.6%	N/A	43%	44%

* Percent of DCHS employees who identify as a person of color is a new measure for FY 2022.

Revenue/Expense Detail							
	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Requested General Fund	Requested Other Funds			
Program Expenses	2022	2022	2023	2023			
Personnel	\$1,254,070	\$0	\$1,635,693	\$0			
Contractual Services	\$3,000	\$0	\$3,000	\$0			
Materials & Supplies	\$10,036	\$0	\$9,906	\$0			
Internal Services	\$189,085	\$0	\$222,707	\$0			
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,456,191	\$0	\$1,871,306	\$0			
Program Total:	\$1,456,191		\$1,871,306				
Program FTE	8.00	0.00	10.00	0.00			
Program Revenues							
Other / Miscellaneous	\$1,254,070	\$0	\$1,641,893	\$0			
Total Revenue	\$1,254,070	\$0	\$1,641,893	\$0			

Explanation of Revenues

\$1,641,893 - County General Fund Department Indirect: Based on FY 2023 Department Indirect Rates published by Central Finance.

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2022: 25001 DCHS Human Resources

FTE increased by 2.00: 1.00 HR Analyst 2, 1.00 HR Manager 1; both added during FY22 by SUPP02-DCHS-001-22