

Program #10053E - Housing Placement & Retention - Domestic Violence

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Program Offer Type: Existing Operating Program Program Offer Stage: As Proposed

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

A Home for Everyone prioritizes addressing the intersection of homelessness and domestic and sexual violence. Many survivors must leave their home to be safe, while others face eviction due to problems created by an abusive partner's behavior. Rapid re-housing is a nationally recognized best practice to address homelessness for individuals fleeing domestic violence who are in need of financial assistance and support. This program provides housing and support services to more than 550 individuals of whom 85% identify as people of color.

Program Summary

Rapid re-housing programs provide advocacy support and financial assistance to help survivors and their children quickly establish safe, permanent housing after fleeing domestic violence (DV). Providers assist survivors with safety planning, reducing barriers to safe housing, identifying housing options, advocating with landlords, providing flexible financial assistance for housing placement and retention, and connecting survivors to community resources. This program supports:

- Rapid rehousing housing placements and support services, including advocacy, case management, client assistance, rent assistance and safety planning. Additionally, participants receive support for housing retention through the provision of vocational, educational, and financial management training to help increase their economic stability.
- Domestic Violence Housing Advocacy at culturally-specific domestic violence programs, providing rapid re-housing services, as well as eviction prevention for survivors who can safely remain in their homes.
- Shared housing for survivors and their children through democratically run homes. Funding assists with move-in costs, rent assistance, and short-term needs, and participants have access to case management, economic empowerment services, and advocacy support.
- Mobile DV Community Advocacy at non-traditional DV services settings, connecting survivors in need of DV specific services with safety planning, barrier removal, flexible client assistance, and referrals to DV housing programs and other community resources.
- Shelter to Stabilization Advocacy co-located at domestic violence emergency shelters, to assist survivors with barrier removal to employment and housing, client assistance for short-term needs, and referrals to housing programs and community resources.

Performance Measures									
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY18 Actual	FY19 Purchased	FY19 Estimate	FY20 Offer				
Output	Number of participants served	987	550	600	650				
Outcome	Percentage of participants who will exit to permanent housing	89%	85%	85%	85%				

Performance Measures Descriptions

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2019	2019	2020	2020
Personnel	\$46,078	\$13,312	\$66,736	\$122,589
Contractual Services	\$1,633,084	\$838,630	\$1,699,780	\$988,726
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$0	\$269	\$17,955
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,679,162	\$851,942	\$1,766,785	\$1,129,270
Program Total:	\$2,531,104		\$2,896,055	
Program FTE	0.45	0.13	0.60	1.00

Program Revenues							
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$838,630	\$0	\$1,129,270			
Total Revenue	\$0	\$838,630	\$0	\$1,129,270			

Explanation of Revenues

Department of Justice Office of Violence Against Women (OVW) - \$333,000 Housing & Urban Development Horizons Domestic Violence - \$671,000 City of Portland General Fund - \$44,970 HUD Continuum of Care Planning Grant - \$80,300

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2019: 10053E-19 Housing Placement & Retention - Domestic Violence

Through the HUD Continuum of Care Grant, the JOHS was awarded a 1.00 Domestic Violence Coordinated Access Coordinator to strengthen and support the Domestic Violence System of Care.