

Program #40088 - Coordinated Diversion for Justice Involved Individuals

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

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics: In Target

Executive Summary

Coordinated diversion includes three jail and/or hospital diversion programs for justice-involved individuals experiencing severe mental health issues. Mental health professionals staff the Community Court, Mental Health Court, and Forensic Diversion Program. Programs provide intensive support, to connect to appropriate community treatment options. Each program works to divert individuals experiencing a serious mental health issue from lengthy jail stays and promote stability in the community.

Program Summary

Community Court works with defendants who have been involved in low-level quality of life crimes. The focus is on restorative justice and clients are able to participate in a variety of social services as an alternative to jail or community service. Mental Health Court provides time-limited intensive monitoring services to persons involved in the criminal justice system post-adjudication. Defendants plea into the court and are supported by Parole/probation, mental health court monitors and peer specialists. The focus is on connecting defendants to community treatment, housing, and financial and medical entitlements. Staff provides ongoing monitoring and support for persons enrolled in the Mental Health Court. The Community Court program served 675 defendants in FY19 with a 54.82% completion success rate.

The Forensic Diversion Program is a pre-adjudication program, focusing on diverting mentally ill defendants from the criminal justice system. The program also works with persons charged with felonies and misdemeanors and ordered to undergo evaluation/restoration at the Oregon State Hospital (OSH). Staff provides mental status evaluations and linkage to basic needs in the community; time-limited coordination/linkage to treatment services, housing, financial and medical entitlements, and social services. In addition, Forensic Diversion provides community restoration as an alternative to being placed in the Oregon State Hospital. This option is less restrictive and provides the client with continued stability and services while maintaining safely in their community as an alternative to extended time in the Multnomah County Detention Center.

Performance Measures								
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY19 Actual	FY20 Budgeted	FY20 Estimate	FY21 Offer			
Output	# of participants in Community Court	675	630	718	718			
Outcome	% of participants in good standing or have successfully completed services	52%	57%	52%	52%			
Output	# of participants served by Forensic Diversion	317	435	316	400			
Outcome	% of participants served in the Community by Forensic Diversion	15%	12%	16%	16%			

Performance Measures Descriptions

The outcomes measure the program's effectiveness to engage clients toward community based stabilization.

Legal / Contractual Obligation

Oregon Health Authority, Intergovernmental Agreement for the Financing of Community Additions and Mental Health Services

State of Oregon Safe Neighborhood Advocacy Partnership grant

US Dept of Health & Human Services Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) grant

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Requested General Fund	Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2020	2020	2021	2021
Personnel	\$265,677	\$1,188,548	\$241,820	\$1,630,496
Contractual Services	\$478,131	\$208,473	\$501,468	\$1,197,557
Materials & Supplies	\$3,458	\$2,955	\$3,645	\$4,058
Internal Services	\$126,440	\$133,262	\$149,371	\$211,871
Total GF/non-GF	\$873,706	\$1,533,238	\$896,304	\$3,043,982
Program Total:	\$2,406,944		\$3,940,286	
Program FTE	2.00	9.70	1.90	12.90

Program Revenues								
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,533,238	\$0	\$3,032,669				
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$11,313				
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,533,238	\$0	\$3,043,982				

Explanation of Revenues

This program generates \$44,235 in indirect revenues.

- \$ 1,158,190 Oregon Health Authority: Aid & Assist Grant
- \$ 286,000 Northwest Re-Entry and Recovery Center project
- \$ 1,588,479 State Mental Health Grant: MHS Special Projects based on 2019-2021 IGA with State of Oregon
- \$ 11,313 Beginning Working Capital

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2020: 40088-20 Coordinated Diversion for Justice Involved Individuals