

# Program #50063 - Juvenile Behavioral Rehabilitation (BRS) Assessment &

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**Evaluation** 

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

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Assessment and Evaluation (A&E) Program is a Behavior Rehabilitation Services (BRS) short term residential program designed to provide comprehensive assessment, temporary structure, stabilization and treatment readiness. The A&E program serves youth who may otherwise be in detention awaiting a community placement. The goal of this program is to provide a safe place where youth and family can make longer term plans for the youth.

## **Program Summary**

The BRS A&E program is a voluntary program for youth of all genders, ages 13-17, who require a staff secured, out of home placement for assessment, evaluation, stabilization, and transition planning. Youth may be enrolled for up to 90 days based on individual needs. Capacity for the program is 16 youth. Participants receive an assessment administered by a licensed mental health professional, as well as a service plan that is developed by the Primary Counselor, parent (guardian), and the youth.

Each youth in the program has an individualized service plan that reflects how the program will address the youth's issues, describes anticipated outcomes, and is reviewed and approved by the youth and the parent/guardian. Additional assessments (alcohol and drug, psychiatric evaluation) may be provided as indicated as well as assistance in obtaining assessments in the community (psychological or psycho sexual). The core philosophy of the program is to provide holistic, trauma-informed, client- and family-focused services for young people and their families, engaging youth in an array of services with consideration given to their developmental levels, gender needs, cultural background, community support, parental involvement, and other social support. The program follows best practices for trauma-informed care and has adopted a model which emphasizes strength-based and cognitive-behavioral interventions. Services also include individual and group counseling in a culturally responsive environment, skill training, family counseling, and parent training.

The COVID-19 pandemic impacted operations of this program. While it continues to serve as an important alternative to detention, there was a need to track the census in an effort to maintain physical distancing.

Performance Measures									
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY20 Actual	FY21 Budgeted	FY21 Estimate	FY22 Offer				
Output	Number of youth assessed	55	50	55	50				
Outcome	Percent of youth exited with a successfully completed discharge plan	71%	80%	70%	80%				

## **Performance Measures Descriptions**

## Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Requested General Fund	Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2021	2021	2022	2022
Personnel	\$564,851	\$1,581,019	\$1,839,043	\$393,153
Contractual Services	\$143,851	\$30,751	\$159,422	\$1,000
Materials & Supplies	\$12,509	\$0	\$5,073	\$0
Internal Services	\$255,420	\$193,121	\$273,659	\$66,365
Total GF/non-GF	\$976,631	\$1,804,891	\$2,277,197	\$460,518
Program Total:	\$2,781,522		\$2,737,715	
Program FTE	2.76	13.24	13.02	2.98

Program Revenues							
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,242,619	\$0	\$0			
Service Charges	\$0	\$562,272	\$0	\$460,518			
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,804,891	\$0	\$460,518			

#### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$66,365 in indirect revenues.

County General Fund plus 1) 198,622 Oregon Health Authority, Medical Assistance Programs provides intensive rehabilitation services to Medicaid eligible youth who are authorized for Behavior Rehabilitation Services (BRS). Budget per average of 3 years (actuals FY 2019 & 2020, FY 2021 current year estimate) 2) \$135,397 IGA Oregon Dept. of Human Services ends 06/30/2022. Cost reimbursement. Funding provides 4 A&E beds to youths exhibiting debilitating psychosocial, emotional and behavioral disorders and have been authorized to receive BRS 3) \$126,499 IGA Clackamas County. Funding provides 2 A&E beds for Clackamas youth requiring a staff-secured, out of home placement for assessment & evaluation, stabilization and transition planning. IGA ends 06/30/2021. Funding to continue in FY 2022.

## **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2021: 50063 Juvenile Behavioral Rehabilitation (BRS) Assessment & Evaluation

The program offer has a matching General fund budget of \$78,555 for Medicaid Leveraging for JII youth who are authorized to receive Behavior Rehabilitation Services (BRS). Medicaid leveraging is when a Medicaid provider submits claims to a state Medicaid agency (Oregon Health Authority) to collect federal medical assistance dollars for services provided. This is referred to as Federal Financial Participation (FFP). The federal dollars are a percentage of the Medicaid payment referred to as the Federal Medical Assistance Percentages (FMAP).

Contractual Services - reduction of psychiatric consultant professional fees of \$29,752 in other funds. Material & Supplies - Ricoh copier rental expense consolidated in the BAT program - \$7,436.