

**Department:** County Human Services      **Program Contact:** Mary Li  
**Program Offer Type:** Existing Operating Program      **Program Offer Stage:** As Adopted  
**Related Programs:**  
**Program Characteristics:**

**Executive Summary**

The system of care for child victims of commercial sexual exploitation, under the oversight of the Victims' Services Implementation Team (VSIT) provides services to approximately 74 girls under 18 years of age annually with highly intensive and population-specific shelter and assertive engagement services in order to intervene with this significantly traumatized group of children.

**Program Summary**

Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) is a growing concern nationally. Locally, the Pacific NW has gained the unenviable reputation as a hub for this crime. Efforts to address CSEC comprehensively through a variety of strategies and services involving an exceptionally diverse group of stakeholders have been extremely successful. As a result, Multnomah County is now also seen as a place of promising practice in the field.

As a part of these efforts, a system of care for victims' services has been developed and implemented. Funds support crisis and short-term shelter; assertive engagement services; and system support, coordination; and on-going development through VSIT.

Services are provided in a holistic manner and coordinated systems collaboration among law enforcement, child welfare, juvenile justice, and community advocates has been established. In FY14 74 child victims were served, 70% of whom were served for six months or longer.

Results of a process evaluation conducted by the Department of County Human Services (DCHS) determined that 90% of those participating in VSIT found value in networking with others providing services in the system of care, and 75% were satisfied with the overall functioning of the group.

**Performance Measures**

| Measure Type | Primary Measure   | FY14 Actual | FY15 Purchased | FY15 Estimate | FY16 Offer |
|--------------|---|-------------|----------------|---------------|------------|
| Output       | Number of youth served  | 74          | 140            | 140           | 140        |
| Outcome      | Percentage of youth who remained enrolled in services for at least six months | 70%         | 50%            | 50%           | 50%        |

**Performance Measures Descriptions**

Due to trauma of the population, and based in a recovery-oriented model of healing, success is defined as keeping youth participating in services over time.

**Legal / Contractual Obligation**

N/A

**Revenue/Expense Detail**

|                        | Proposed General Fund | Proposed Other Funds | Proposed General Fund | Proposed Other Funds |
|------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Program Expenses       | 2015                  | 2015                 | 2016                  | 2016                 |
| Personnel              | \$0                   | \$0                  | \$107,039             | \$0                  |
| Contractual Services   | \$467,262             | \$0                  | \$477,542             | \$0                  |
| Internal Services      | \$0                   | \$0                  | \$7,033               | \$0                  |
| <b>Total GF/non-GF</b> | <b>\$467,262</b>      | <b>\$0</b>           | <b>\$591,614</b>      | <b>\$0</b>           |
| <b>Program Total:</b>  | <b>\$467,262</b>      |                      | <b>\$591,614</b>      |                      |
| <b>Program FTE</b>     | 0.00                  | 0.00                 | 1.00                  | 0.00                 |

| Program Revenues     |            |            |            |            |
|----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| <b>Total Revenue</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> |

**Explanation of Revenues****Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2015: 25135A Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) - Victims System of