

Department: County Human Services

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Program Offer Type: Existing Operating Program

Program Offer Stage: As Adopted

Related Programs:
Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

Anti-Poverty Services (APS) contribute to the County's anti-poverty/prosperity system of care designed to assist low-income households to gain the skills necessary to achieve self-sufficiency and future prosperity, as well as address the root causes of societal poverty.

Program Summary

Services delivered through the SUNSS Anti-Poverty System using the Action for Prosperity (AFP) program model, youth employment support services, low-income tax preparation services, CourtCare, school-based initiatives, benefits outreach, and the County's Interfaith Initiative are funded in this offer.

Approximately 1,047 households receive assistance through four core services - Basic Needs, Action for Prosperity (AFP), Housing, and System Collaboration - delivered as part of the SUNSS Anti-Poverty System, a countywide integrated and coordinated system of care for school-age youth and their families.

In the most recent data available, 72% of the households served were at or below the Federal Poverty Level and 52% were headed by a single parent (48% were single female parents). 56% of the adults in households served identify themselves as ethnic minorities.

In FY13 20 low-income youth received flexible client assistance funds to support their employment training.

Approximately 9,657 tax returns were prepared by IRS volunteers at no cost to the filing household. For every \$1 of general fund invested \$20 is returned to the household, spent in the local economy.

989 children received developmentally appropriate childcare while their parents/care givers attended to legal proceedings.

228 homeless children attended culturally specific alternative school.

Approximately 8,000 contacts with bi-lingual/cultural individuals seeking benefits were made.

The Interfaith Initiative provides staffing and support to partner with faith communities seeking to assist with the County's core mission.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY13 Actual	FY14 Purchased	FY14 Estimate	FY15 Offer
Output	# of households served	5,525	4,854	4,854	4,854
Outcome	% of households served that remain in permanent housing six months after exit ¹	96%	80%	80%	80%

Performance Measures Descriptions

¹Permanent housing is long-term community-based housing with attached appropriate support services, where a household can stay without time limit.

Legal / Contractual Obligation

N/A

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2014	2014	2015	2015
Personnel	\$168,614	\$270,807	\$249,201	\$147,112
Contractual Services	\$1,025,805	\$746,642	\$997,100	\$767,868
Materials & Supplies	\$8,465	\$0	\$17,630	\$305
Internal Services	\$31,875	\$34,964	\$24,921	\$40,318
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,234,759	\$1,052,413	\$1,288,852	\$955,603
Program Total:	\$2,287,172		\$2,244,455	
Program FTE	1.70	3.30	2.38	1.43

Program Revenues				
Indirect for Dept. Admin	\$18,182	\$0	\$21,412	\$0
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$996,377	\$0	\$877,680
Total Revenue	\$18,182	\$996,377	\$21,412	\$877,680

Explanation of Revenues

\$806,810 - OHCSO CSBG: Based on current grant award \$41,480 - Oregon Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP); based on current grant award \$29,390 - Oregon Judicial Department: Based on FY15 grant award

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: 25139A Anti-Poverty Services (AP)

25139B AP - Tax Prep Capacity was funded in FY14 and is included.

\$10,000 of one time only General Fund is included for Culturally Specific Day Labor programming.