

Department: Homeless Services Department

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Program Offer Type: Operating

Program Offer Stage: Proposed

Related Programs:
Program Characteristics:

Program Description

This program offer funds housing and support services for survivors of domestic and sexual violence using a combination of flexible rent and client assistance and innovative, multi-agency case management focused on housing placement and retention, including culturally specific services. This program offer leverages State and Federal funding to support housing services for survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

Rapid rehousing (RRH) is a nationally recognized best practice model to address homelessness for individuals and families fleeing domestic violence, who are in need of financial assistance and support, the majority of whom identify as Black, Indigenous, and other People of Color (BIPOC). This program offer funds culturally responsive and culturally specific advocacy support and financial assistance rooted in racial equity to help survivors and their dependents quickly establish safe and permanent housing after fleeing domestic violence. Advancing racial equity is a core goal, and eliminating disparate rates of homelessness on the basis of race and ethnicity is a focus of all programming.

This program offer funds case management and supportive services for survivors of Domestic Violence (DV)/Sexual Violence (SV) and their children/dependents. Services include:

- HUD CoC Rapid Rehousing - Housing placements and support services, including advocacy, case management, client assistance, and rent assistance.
- Long-Term RRH - Supportive Services and Rental assistance to ensure housing placement/retention for up to 5 years, prioritizing immigrant and refugee survivors engaging in U-Visa or T-Visa processes.
- Emergency Housing Vouchers (EHV) - Case Management services supporting housing retention. The program operates in partnership with Home Forward and leverages EHV (HUD) Vouchers.
- DV Housing Advocates - culturally-specific DSV housing advocates, prioritizing services for Black, Latin, Native, and Immigrant & Refugee survivors.
- Shared Housing - Supportive Services for households living in democratically run "shared" homes.
- DSV In-Reach - DSV case management and housing placement services for DSV survivors in non-DSV emergency shelter, across all systems of care (Adult, Youth, and Family)
- Mobile DV Community Advocacy - Connects survivors in need of DV-specific services with safety planning, barrier removal, flexible client assistance, and referrals to DV housing programs and community resources.
- DSV Coordinated Access Navigation - Supports the rapid transition of survivors from homelessness to available shelter and housing resources.
- DSV Diversion - Diverts DSV survivors and their children from shelters and/or street homelessness through eviction prevention, housing placement, and support with Section-8 Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Emergency Transfers.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY24 Actual	FY25 Budgeted	FY25 Estimate	FY26 Target
Output	Number of participants newly placed in housing	330	N/A*	300	300
Outcome	Number of participants receiving ongoing retention support (sustained)	531	N/A*	775	750
Output	Participant BIPOC groups (out of 5) proportionately >= to those among homeless services population	4	Yes*	4	5
Output	Percentage of exits to permanent housing	89%	85%	90%	85%

Performance Measures Descriptions

*These are new measures in FY 2026 to replace "Number of households placed or retained in permanent housing" to clearly differentiate between participants receiving ongoing subsidy (sustained) and those newly placed.

**Measure methodology changed from "BIPOC placed or retained in housing at rate as high or higher than percent of HUD homeless population (Yes/No)" to disaggregate racial/ethnic groups, select a comparison group tailored to the equity metric, and reflect all program participants and whether services are being accessed equitably.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2025	2025	2026	2026
Personnel	\$0	\$312,197	\$0	\$329,928
Contractual Services	\$1,750,667	\$5,767,531	\$2,653,450	\$4,990,834
Materials & Supplies	\$21,585	\$390	\$0	\$0
Internal Services	\$0	\$199,514	\$0	\$160,610
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,772,252	\$6,279,632	\$2,653,450	\$5,481,372
Program Total:	\$8,051,884		\$8,134,822	
Program FTE	0.00	2.00	0.00	2.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$4,382,893	\$0	\$4,161,307
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$2,164,985	\$0	\$1,320,065
Total Revenue	\$0	\$6,547,878	\$0	\$5,481,372

Explanation of Revenues

This program generates \$160,610 in indirect revenues.

\$1,320,065 carryover from the FY 2025 Supportive Housing Services (SHS) allocation to Multnomah County through the SHS Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with Oregon Metro Regional Government (Local)

\$1,493,106 of the FY 2026 Supportive Housing Services (SHS) allocation to Multnomah County through the SHS Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with Oregon Metro Regional Government (Local)

\$2,668,201 of HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) Program awarded to Multnomah County. The CoC Program requires a 25 percent match of the awarded grant amount, which is met with County General Fund (Federal)

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2025: 30303A Housing Placement & Retention - Domestic Violence