



Program #40017 - FQHC-Dental Services FY 2025 Proposed

Department: Health Department **Program Contact:** Azma Ahmed
Program Offer Type: Operating **Program Offer Stage:** Proposed
Related Programs:
Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

Integrated Clinical Services (ICS) is the largest Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) in Oregon, providing high-quality, patient-centered health care and related services to communities across Multnomah County. ICS-Dental provides County residents with essential, urgent, routine, and preventive services in clinic settings and school-based programs. ICS-Dental works with community partners, targeting under-served populations, providing service to nearly 27,000 people in Multnomah County. ICS-Dental is the largest Safety Net provider for vital dental care in the County and provides additional child based services to uninsured and underinsured clients.

Program Description

Our healthcare center is committed to providing culturally and linguistically appropriate care, tailoring our support to meet the unique needs of each patient. With a diverse patient population, exceeding 60% identifying as people of color, and over 40% requiring services in languages other than English, encompassing more than 100 different languages, we embrace diversity and strive for inclusivity. Approximately 15% of our patients are uninsured, while 95% live below 200% of the FPL. Our Dental program comprises three distinct service components.

Seven dental clinics offer comprehensive and urgent dental treatment for both Medicaid and self-pay patients. These clinics proactively reach out to clients who have not had a visit in the past 12-24 months. With a special emphasis on pregnant women, the clinical program aims to minimize the risk of premature birth and foster a collaborative learning environment for good oral health between the dental program and expectant mothers.

The School and Community Oral Health (SCOH) Program delivers dental education and sealant services to children in Multnomah County schools. Additionally, the program conducts outreach, education, and dental treatment tailored for children aged 0-36 months through our clinic's Baby Day program.

The program's newest component involves mentoring and training dental assistants, dental hygiene students, and dental students and residents. These individuals offer services under the guidance of our providers, contributing to the development of a workforce passionate about public healthcare. In FY 25, the dental program will persist in its internal workforce development initiative, encouraging individuals from the communities we serve to become dental assistants in our clinic system.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target
Output	Billable patient visits	59,002	80,496	72,824	75,816
Outcome	No show rate	18%	17%	19%	18.6

Performance Measures Descriptions

Legal / Contractual Obligation

Dental services are a requirement of the Bureau of Primary Health Care 330 Grant. Dental services in the scope of the Primary Care 330 Grant must follow the HRSA Community Health Center Program operational and fiscal compliance requirements. The Dental Program is also accredited under The Joint Commission and follows TJC accreditation standards, which include infection control, patient safety, patient rights, and many more. All costs and revenues generated by this program must also comply with the HRSA FQHC requirements.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$20,739,587	\$0	\$22,485,698
Contractual Services	\$0	\$362,801	\$0	\$493,216
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$1,298,895	\$0	\$2,171,922
Internal Services	\$0	\$6,118,276	\$0	\$7,472,419
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$28,519,559	\$0	\$32,623,255
Program Total:	\$28,519,559		\$32,623,255	
Program FTE	0.00	120.46	0.00	122.09

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$312,000	\$0	\$312,000
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$2,083,173	\$0	\$3,640,582
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$1,667,228	\$0	\$2,237,133
Service Charges	\$0	\$24,457,158	\$0	\$26,433,540
Total Revenue	\$0	\$28,519,559	\$0	\$32,623,255

Explanation of Revenues

This program generates \$3,692,655 in indirect revenues.
The primary source of revenue is Medicaid payments and patient fees.

BWC/Incentives	\$2,237,133
Non-Governmental Care OR	\$3,640,582
Dental Patient Fees	\$2,496,335
Intergovernmental Fees	\$23,937,205
Federal Primary Care (330) Grant	\$312,000

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 40017 FQHC-Dental Services

The dental program will improve efficiency by changing the way it utilizes dental chairs and EFDA staffing to allow for increased access to patient care. This scheduling change will impact 50% of the dentist workforce. This fiscal year, we are creating a workforce development pathway for dental assistants. The program will also leverage partnership with community colleges & dental hygiene schools to increase the workforce pipeline.

The projected number of encounters have been adjusted to align with patient demand for services, predicted staffing, and historical no show rates. Based on this information we project that the dental program can deliver 75,816 visits in FY 2025, a number that will provide access and program fiscal viability.