

Division: Behavioral Health

Program Characteristics:

Program Description

Without insurance, people are not able to access outpatient behavioral health services. If they experience a gap in coverage, they immediately lose access to these services. For various reasons, we currently face increased risk of individuals losing access to insurance or being ineligible and therefore not having access to care.

The Multnomah Treatment Fund (MTF) prioritizes community-based services for people who experience challenges associated with severe mental illness. MTF provides funds to outpatient behavioral health providers to ensure that people who experience a gap in funding do not lose access to needed care, preventing more drastic and resource intensive consequences including hospitalization, incarceration, loss of housing and other potential negative outcomes. Services can include individual and group therapy, case management, community outreach, housing assistance, medication management, co-occurring disorder treatment, care coordination, and crisis intervention. Clients are linked to other supports and get help accessing OHP benefits. The program supports client stability, and can reduce trauma and suffering. Contracted providers are responsible to ensure diversity training for staff, to maintain a diverse workforce, and to incorporate social equity innovation into their policy development and service delivery.

Equity Statement

This program is designed to serve those in the community that are disproportionately impacted by systemic racism and marginalization. Services directly support care for our most vulnerable and impacted community members.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	2026 General Fund	2026 Other Funds	2027 General Fund	2027 Other Funds
Contractual Services	\$298,127	\$0	\$197,933	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$298,127	\$0	\$197,933	\$0
Total Expenses:	\$298,127		\$197,933	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Performance Measures

Performance Measure	FY25 Actual	FY26 Estimate	FY27 Target
Total # of adults who received County funded outpatient services or medication	168	178	225
Total # of community providers serving uninsured individuals with this funding	3	3	3