

Program #40096B - Public Health In/Out of Scope Services

FY 2024 Proposed

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Program Offer Type: Support Program Offer Stage: Proposed

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

In FY 2021, ICS received technical assistance from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) regarding financial and governance requirements related to Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs). This included clarification of how FQHC funds could be applied to services of the health center and staff roles that also supported non-health center services. After review, HRSA clarified that funds from the FQHC cannot be spent on these out-of-scope programs or for staff who support out-of scope activities. In response, in FY22, Multnomah County removed County General Fund allocations from the ICS Budget and re-allocated them to Corrections Health and Public Health services. Multnomah County will continue using the County General Fund to support these services.

Program Description

Public Health's Parent Child Family Health (PCFH), Communicable Disease (CD) Clinical and Community Services, and Harm Reduction programs provide home visiting and clinical services. These services require infrastructure support for Epic electronic health record (EHR), laboratory tests, pharmacy, managing medical records, and managing protected health information.

Clinical Systems Information supports PCFH and the CD and Harm Reduction clinics with all Epic operations. Main functions include: day-to-day requests, staff passwords, label printing, face sheets, and system problem-solving; monthly maintenance and other updates as needed; program planning and implementation, including building programs and form development; and acting as the liaison to OCHIN, the Department's EHR vendor.

Central Lab supports the CD and Harm Reduction clinics. Main functions include performing a variety of lab tests for TB, STDs, and HIV; assisting with blood draws; and acting as a liaison between the lab and the clinics.

Pharmacy supports the CD and Harm Reduction clinics. The main function is filling prescriptions for clients.

Health Information Management supports PCFH and the CD and Harm Reduction clinics. Main functions include: responding to court system records requests; creating copies containing appropriate information and sending them to the courts; providing protected health information (PHI) consultation; acting as a liaison between programs and the County Attorney related to PHI; and providing record retention guidance.

Performance Measures									
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY22 Actual	FY23 Budgeted	FY23 Estimate	FY24 Offer				
Output	# of lab tests per year	7,436	6,000	8,034	6,000				
Outcome	# of prescriptions filled	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,368				

Performance Measures Descriptions

All performance measures are only for Parent Child Family Health, Communicable Disease (CD) Clinical and Community Services, and Harm Reduction programs and clients.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	
Program Expenses	2023	2023	2024	2024	
Personnel	\$576,700	\$0	\$548,291	\$0	
Materials & Supplies	\$79,617	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total GF/non-GF	\$656,317	\$0	\$548,291	\$0	
Program Total:	\$656,317		\$548,291		
Program FTE	4.27	0.00	3.87	0.00	

Program Revenues					
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2023: 40096B Public Health In/Out of Scope Services