



Program #60305A - Booking & Release 2/20/2019

Department: Sheriff **Program Contact:** Jeffery Wheeler
Program Offer Type: Existing Operating Program **Program Offer Stage:** As Requested
Related Programs:
Program Characteristics: In Target

Executive Summary

Booking is the process by which persons subject to arrest enter the criminal justice system. The MCSO Booking Facility serves all Law Enforcement agencies in the county; safely and efficiently admitting and releasing arrestees, and readying them for transfer to both MCSO facilities and outside agencies. The Booking Facility has 18 beds that are included in the jail system bed count.

Program Summary

Booking is located in the basement of the Multnomah County Detention Center. Every person arrested in the County is processed through the MCSO Booking Facility. Highly trained staff process these people to safely admit them to the criminal justice system. The booking process includes thorough checks for identity and for possible additional warrants.

Booking works collaboratively with Corrections Health who provide medical screening and care to those arrested. A registered nurse from Corrections Health sees each person to identify and isolate individuals who appear potentially contagious, seriously ill, injured or dangerous, thus protecting the health and safety of the person, the staff, and the community. Also, as part of the booking process, the Recog Unit interviews all defendants with a pending local charge.

Release, located on the second floor of MDCD, is the office through which every arrestee and inmate who is released from custody must pass to return to the community.

The Sheriff is under statutory obligation to maintain the jail system. Booking and release act as the “Enter” and “Exit” doors to this system, providing a process allowing arrestees to be positively identified, medically screened and treated, assigned court dates relative to their local charges and released or transferred to MCSO jail facilities or scheduled for transport to outside agencies. Corrections Health is the only health care available inside the jail.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY18 Actual	FY19 Purchased	FY19 Estimate	FY20 Offer
Output	Number of standard and in transit bookings processed	30,497	29,400	30,948	31,000
Outcome	Number of releases processed to MDCD	30,076	29,000	30,522	31,000

Performance Measures Descriptions

The number of bookings processed and the number of releases processed to MDCD are distinct measures. Booking is a program that processes arrestees into the corrections system. The booking process includes search, identification, corrections health and state recog as well as property storage. Booking is a process and not a program per se. Release is a function that supports booking as well as the entire system. Programs may be associated with release as to placement and transition back into the community.

Legal / Contractual Obligation

Federal law, state statute and county charter mandate the Sheriff maintain the local detention facility(s) within the Sheriff's jurisdiction. Under those same laws, local detention facility managers are mandated to operate safe and humane facilities. The right to health care in jail is legally mandated under Federal and state law. When an individual is arrested and incarcerated, the obligation for health care falls upon the government as a matter of constitutional law, enforceable under the U.S. Constitution's 8th Amendment and the 14th Amendment's due process clause.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2019	2019	2020	2020
Personnel	\$8,773,762	\$0	\$9,223,846	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$286,174	\$0	\$277,954	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$9,059,936	\$0	\$9,501,800	\$0
Program Total:	\$9,059,936		\$9,501,800	
Program FTE	59.24	0.00	59.24	0.00

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

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2019: 60305A-19 Booking & Release