

Department:

Program #60311 - Clinic Escort Deputies

Sheriff

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FY 2026 Proposed

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Proposed

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics:

Program Description

MCSO supports Corrections Health by increasing its Clinic Escort Deputy Staff by one at each facility creating a swing shift clinic at Multnomah County Inverness Jail (MCIJ) and the Multnomah County Detention Center (MCDC). This has significantly increased Adult In Custody access to mental health clinicians, physicians, nurse practitioners, and physician assistants. Moreover, the length of appointments and quality of care to Adults In Custody is enhanced with the extended hours of clinician availability.

Previously, clinics only operated during day shift, Monday through Friday. This schedule could not accommodate Adults In Custody seeking medical or mental health appointments. Other aspects of jail operations which require the presence of an Escort Deputy such as court appearance movements, off-site for work crew projects, kitchen work crews, attorney visits, social services visits and other necessary tasks often limits staffing. These multiple demands on Escorts at times limited the ability to move Adults In Custody for regular medical/mental health appointments due to the lack of Escort Deputy availability. The addition of swing shift hours has increased access for Adults In Custody.

MCSO Clinic Escort deputies work in collaboration with Corrections Health to provide increased access to medical/mental health appointments. The dedication of one additional Clinic Escort Deputy for expanded hours on swing shift at MCDC and MCIJ has allowed medical/mental health appointments to be made much more frequently significantly increasing access for Adults In Custody to these critical services. A further expected outcome of additional clinic access is a shortening of jail stays, lessening of use of force events, increased therapeutic assessments, fewer injuries to Adults In Custody and staff, potential release from custody, and an increased placement of Adults In Custody in the appropriate venues such as the Oregon State Hospital, Unity Center, Hospital, etc.

The staffing of the swing shift Clinic Escort Deputy position facilitates safe and secure supervision of Adults In Custody requiring clinic services and creates a safe and secure working environment for Corrections Health Staff.

The Clinic Escort Deputies Program:

- Provides expanded access to medical and mental health services for Adults In Custody

Performance Measures									
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY24 Actual	FY25 Budgeted	FY25 Estimate	FY26 Target				
Output	Number of nursing assessments / visits on evening shift at MCDC	1,700	1,300	2,000	2,000				
Output	Number of nursing assessments / visits on evening shift at MCIJ	2,100	2,000	2,300	2,300				

Performance Measures Descriptions

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	
Program Expenses	2025	2025	2026	2026	
Personnel	\$347,208	\$0	\$379,834	\$0	
Total GF/non-GF	\$347,208	\$0	\$379,834	\$0	
Program Total:	\$347,208		\$379,834		
Program FTE	2.00	0.00	2.00	0.00	

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

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2025: 60311 Clinic Escort Deputies