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Program Offer Type: Existing Operating Program **Program Offer Stage:** As Requested

Related Programs:
Program Characteristics: Measure 5 Education, In Target

Executive Summary

Education Services is Multnomah County Library’s public service outreach team that connects children birth to five, K-12 students, parents, and educators with educational support and information resources. Early learning staff provide services that prepare children for kindergarten by offering education, motivation, and support for parents and caregivers to provide language and literacy experiences that foster children’s brain development and early literacy skills. School age staff support curriculum, multiple literacies, and reading for fun. All members of the team support educators and caregivers with specialized services.

Program Summary

This program includes multiple outreach programs that use an equity-based service model along with providing oversight to systemwide youth and teen services efforts. School age focused staff are trained in research, book-talking and reading promotion. They serve students, educators, parents and primarily through the K-12 school setting but also via community agencies and other locations serving school age youth. School Corps staff provide workshops to educators and parents with a focus on information literacy and library materials that promote equity and social justice. Books 2 U staff and volunteers introduce students to books through book talks, and then leave a small collection of high interest and culturally reflective paperbacks in the classroom. Juvenile Detention Center outreach provides services using a restorative justice model and by maintaining a collection of materials at the detention center. Systemwide Youth Services focus on providing services to youth and families, initiatives and advocacy around issues that youth and families face, and a strong commitment to equity, diversity, and inclusion. Leadership for youth services is provided by Youth Services Management and fostered in youth and teen librarians who provide location-specific direction to staff who serve youth. Library Connect is offered in partnership with school districts across the county to connect seamlessly connect students with library services. Every Child staff, who are trained in child development, brain development and early reading research, visit parents and caregivers childcare centers, Head Start centers, teen parent programs, and other school-based locations serving children birth to age five. Classes, taught in multiple languages help adults learn how to read, talk, sing, play and rhyme with babies, toddlers and preschoolers so that children develop the pre-reading skills they need before they enter kindergarten.

Education Services provides services using an equitable service model for K-12 services. Additionally, this program implemented an equity-based service model for book delivery services to child care providers. The program continues prioritizing serving children and families of color and other marginalized communities to reduce the opportunity gap that exists for children from birth through 12th grade.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY20 Actual	FY21 Budgeted	FY21 Estimate	FY22 Offer
Output	Youth, caregivers, and educators who participated in a workshop, storytime or other program	N/A	N/A	67,000	135,000
Outcome	% of participants whose knowledge/skills increase after youth services presentation	N/A	N/A	90%	90%
Output	Number of books circulated	N/A	N/A	80,000	68,000

Performance Measures Descriptions

These measures are new for FY22.

Legal / Contractual Obligation

The budget reflects the passage of Measure 26-143: "Form Library District with permanent rate to fund library services," November 2012 General Election. The district summary states in pertinent part: "If approved, the Multnomah County Library District would be formed with a permanent rate dedicated to library services, operations, books, materials, programs, activities and oversight of the district. Formation of a District would ... prevent reductions in services, programs and activities, and hours."

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Requested General Fund	Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2021	2021	2022	2022
Personnel	\$0	\$2,237,768	\$0	\$2,354,655
Contractual Services	\$0	\$97,867	\$0	\$52,000
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$601,235	\$0	\$425,649
Internal Services	\$0	\$66,875	\$0	\$89,621
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$3,003,745	\$0	\$2,921,925
Program Total:	\$3,003,745		\$2,921,925	
Program FTE	0.00	17.25	0.00	18.00

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

Explanation of Revenues

This program generates \$75,584 in indirect revenues.

The revenue allocated to this program offer reflects an intergovernmental service reimbursement from the Library District (99.96%) and resources from the County's Library Fund (0.04%). It represents a pro-rated share of property taxes (98.03%) and other revenues such as overdue fines, interest earnings, grants, and user charges for services provided to library patrons (1.97%).

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2021: 80006 Youth Services Management

This program offer is changing due to management restructuring. Education Services combines Every Child Initiative (80007) and Youth Services Management (80006) program offers from FY 2021.