## **Department of County Human Services**



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# **Department Overview**

The Department of County Human Services' long-range vision is guided by the DCHS North Star, which states: **Every person – at every stage in life – has equitable opportunities to thrive**.

In order to achieve our North Star, we must actively work against systemic racism and socio-economic disparities within our communities by centering racial justice and equity in the work we do. DCHS strives to not only uplift our community members in times of need – but to invest in innovative, future-oriented approaches to human services that prevent crises, build assets and nurture self-determination within our communities by addressing and redressing the root causes of racism and all other forms of inequity.

DCHS is comprised of four divisions, supported by our department administration:

The Aging, Disability and Veterans Services Division (ADVSD) supports older adults, veterans, and people with disabilities of all ages by connecting them with benefits and resources, supporting caregivers and providers, investigating potential abuse and by coordinating food and nutrition services, among other functions. The Aging & Disability Resource Connection (ADRC) helpline operates 24/7 to help connect community members with resources.

The Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Services Division (IDD) supports community members with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. IDD offers specialized support to high school transition youth, adults and children. Many services include employment, culturally responsive case management, individualized care



planning and coordination, resource referrals and more: in order to increase overall quality of life, promote independence, and support community inclusion for individuals we serve.

The Youth and Family Services Division (YFS) supports families and youth in Multnomah County by connecting participants with food and nutrition resources, rent assistance and housing stability programs, domestic and sexual violence services, energy bill and home weatherization help, early childhood supports, education and youth empowerment, and a variety of culturally specific services which support historically underserved communities.

The Preschool and Early Learning Division (PEL) is the newest division within DCHS, and serves young children and their families by implementing Multnomah County's Preschool for All program. Through contracted slots with child care providers, PFA gives 3 and 4-year-olds access to free, high-quality, culturally responsive preschool experiences; PFA invests in system support to build the capacity of child care providers, increase the number of early educators, and outreach to families who currently have the least access to preschool.

**DCHS Department Administration** supports all DCHS divisions, and includes: DCHS Business Services (Accounting, Contracting and Procurement, Budgeting); Human Resources; Communications; Trauma Informed Practices; Racial Justice, Equity, and Inclusion; Policy; HIPAA compliance; legislative advocacy coordination; SHS Funded Program Oversight; and Severe Weather Shelters.

Outcomes for DCHS services are stronger when people are treated as experts in their own lives. That's why the department takes a trauma-informed and equitable services approach, providing the best opportunity to achieve the department's long-term goals and those of the County more broadly.

In addition to the key goals mentioned, DCHS serves as the Area Agency on Aging, the Community Action Agency, the managing partner for the Schools Uniting Neighborhoods (SUN) program, the Domestic and Sexual Violence Coordination Office for the County and City of Portland, and the Community Developmental Disability Program (CDDP) for Multnomah County.



# Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Efforts

The DCHS North Star aligns with the County's Workforce Equity Strategic Plan (WESP), which guides the equity work for our department and helps us strategically and intentionally uphold our commitment to Inclusively Leading With Race – meaning that we center racial justice while understanding that all forms of oppression intersect and overlap with one another and have a compounding effect on those who hold multiple marginalized identities. For this reason, we are explicit in naming racial justice when framing and implementing the department's work at all levels.

#### **Equity for DCHS Consumers:**

DCHS strives to incorporate equity into all of the department's programs and services via the equity and empowerment lens – in addition to programs that specifically serve BIPOC communities. For example, over 64 percent of Youth and Family Services Division funding is contracted out to partner agencies who work in the community, including a wide network of culturally specific and culturally responsive organizations. Another example of how equity is woven into the core functions of DCHS is the implementation of Preschool For All. All families in Multnomah County are eligible to apply and families who currently have the least access to preschool are prioritized, including Black, Indigenous, and Children of Color.

#### **Equity for the DCHS workforce:**

The department is improving its current organizational culture through the DCHS Sustainable Business Plan (SBP), and the Workforce Equity Strategic Plan (WESP). The goal is for DCHS to be an employer of choice on the journey to becoming the community's service provider of choice. Some examples of internal racial justice and equity initiatives at DCHS include:

- Uplifting the DESJC: The DCHS Diversity, Equity, and Social Justice Committee (DESJC) is
  a robust diversity committee that remains vigilant and committed to advocating for the
  DEI needs of the department. The DESJC has completed work on a Two Year Strategic
  Plan and will engage in the next steps of implementation in FY 2025. The DESJC also
  serves as the WESP Committee for DCHS and continues to promote Safety, Trust, & and
  Belonging within the department.
- **Division-level collaboration:** The Equity team works in partnership with each division initiative for the WESP. The team also engages with each division by providing training, technical assistance, and consultations.
- Restorative healing initiative: The Equity team has implemented the department-wide microaggression tool with a restorative healing focus that allows all employees to inform the department about microaggressions. We believe the work of addressing microaggressions is critical for safety, trust, and belonging as well as healing and relationships for all employees.



- **DEI Temperature checks IDDSD:** The DCHS Equity Team engaged in focus groups with all staff in the IDDSD Division to understand how staff imbed and implement DEI into their daily work and what resources staff may need to do so.
- Recruitment, onboarding and retention initiatives: Several groups within DCHS are
  working to improve recruitment and onboarding through a racial justice and equity
  framework.

#### **Equity in the DCHS budget process:**

DCHS centered racial justice and equity in the FY 2025 budgetary decision-making process by asking staff and leadership to consider systemic racial disparities when developing program offers. The DCHS Equity and Inclusion Manager also reviewed program offers using several equity tools consisting of specific and direct questions to guide the review process, including:

- What kinds of data are available, and how is data being used to inform decision-making?
- What kinds of community engagement, particularly with BIPOC communities, were utilized in the creation and/or review of the program offer or proposal?
- Who will benefit and/or who will be adversely impacted by our decision?

FY 2025 Equity Budget				
Offer Number	Program Name	Equity JCN & Position Title or Budget Category	Total Funds*	FTE
25000	DCHS Director's Office	9715 - HR Manager 1	\$219,677	1.00
25000	DCHS Director's Office	9748 - HR Analyst Sr	\$184,560	1.00
Total			\$404,237	2.00

<sup>\*</sup> Equity investment may only represent a portion of the total program offer budget.



# FY 2025 Budget Priorities and Key Issues

DCHS strives to be a leader in anti-poverty work and economic justice efforts focused on the needs of Black, Indigenous and People of Color (BIPOC) communities. To do this, we must maintain strong relationships and collaboration with our community partners and other County departments. In alignment with our commitments to interdepartmental collaboration, racial justice and innovation, DCHS has several key priorities for FY 2025 and beyond:

- I. Equity and Racial Justice. DCHS strives to incorporate Racial Justice & Equity into all of our work.
- **II. Consumer Health and Safety.** This is a core function of DCHS, and includes the Adult Protective Services team, Public Guardian program, IDD Abuse Investigations, and more.
- III. Early learning and educational success. This is a core function of DCHS, and includes the work of the department's Preschool & Early Learning Division, the SUN Service System, and the Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities Division's work with youth who experience I/DD.
- **IV. Eviction Prevention:** This includes Rent Assistance and related services to prevent eviction and homelessness.
- V. Making data-driven decisions that reflect the DCHS North Star and four pillars (Quality of Life, Economic Stability, Educational Success and Diverse and Inclusive Systems):
  This includes a new department-wide quarterly and annual reporting process organized by the DCHS four pillars in order to better understand investments and identify patterns.
- VI. Sustainable Business Strategies: Aligning the DCHS Sustainable Business Plan with Employee Survey feedback, including improving the department's onboarding practices, piloting stay interviews and other initiatives.
- VII. Contracting process improvements (in collaboration with the Chief Operating Officer):
  This includes improving the RFPQ process for large RFPs by using dedicated project
  managers, and utilizing the department's streamlined exceptions process to increase
  efficiency.
- VIII. Cross Departmental Collaboration: This includes collaboration with Public Health to address the Social Determinants of Health, and collaboration with the Joint Office of Homeless Services to address housing and shelter needs.
- **IX. Emergency Management:** Responding to climate crises and coordinating mass shelter during emergencies.



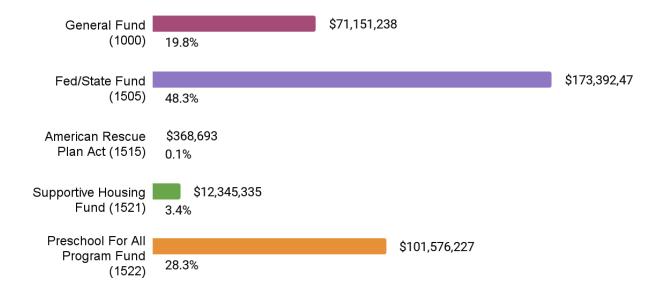
# **Budget Overview**

The Department of County Human Services budget submission totals \$369,509,910 and 989.00 FTE for FY 2025 for both in and out of target programs. In target programs are funded within the department's General Fund target allocation or by Other Funds; out of target programs are additional requests not funded within the department's General Fund target allocation. The submission is detailed in the table below showing the total allocation.

FY 20	FY 2025 Dept. County Human Services Budget Submission					
	FY 2025 General Fund	FY 2025 Other Funds	Total Funds	Total FTE		
In Target Programs	\$71,151,238	\$287,682,731	\$358,833,969	955.10		
Out of Target Programs	7,541,503	3,134,438	10,675,941	33.90		
Total FY 2025 Submission	\$78,692,741	\$290,817,169	\$369,509,910	989.00		

The Department of County Human Services is primarily funded by Federal/State Funds. The bar chart below shows the budget by fund for **in target programs**.

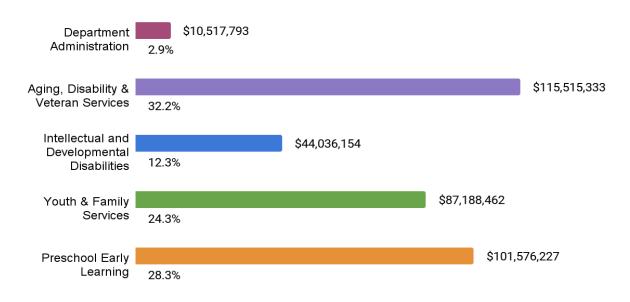
## FY 2025 In Target Budget by Fund \$358,833,969





The Department of County Human Services has 5 divisions, with the **in target budget** distributed as shown in the bar chart below.

## FY 2025 In Target Budget by Division \$358,833,969



DCHS has a critical role in the County because the department designs programs, services and funding to provide stability for people across the lifespan. This budget supports the core work of the department by:

- In early childhood, DCHS supports our youngest community members by ensuring equitable access to free, high-quality, developmentally appropriate, culturally responsive preschool experiences through the department's Preschool & Early Learning Division (PEL).
- **DCHS supports young people** by promoting positive parenting, improving educational access and support for youth, making sure children have enough to eat year round, and that their families are stably housed.
- In adulthood, DCHS supports young adults with disabilities who want to live in their
  own homes and have fulfilling and stable jobs, contributing to their economic stability.
   DCHS helps people stay in affordable homes and provides safety and support for
  survivors of domestc and sexual violence.
- DCHS supports older adults, people with disabilities and veterans to achieve quality of life and independence by helping them navigate public programs, providing community



programs that support people staying healthy and engaged, and intervening when older adults or people with disabilities are potentially being abused.

# **General Fund Target Allocation**

DCHS evaluated budget decisions using the following guiding principles, grounded in the DCHS North Star: Every person – at every stage in life – has equitable opportunities to thrive, as discussed in more detail in the FY 2024 Budget Priorities & Key Issues section.

## **General Fund Reductions**

	Proposal for Reductions to Meet FY 2025 General Fund Target Allocation				
Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund Reduction Re			
25000	DCHS Director's Office	\$1,437,544	8.00		
25000	DCHS Director's Office	19,229			
Multiple	ADVSD Medicaid Staffing	99,666	0.75		
25160	YFS - Data and Evaluation Services	185,481	1.00		
Total		\$1,741,920	9.75		

#### **Program Details:**

- 25000 DCHS Director's Office: Eliminates the Multnomah Idea Lab from the DCHS
  Director's Office in order to prioritize client facing programs and positions. Reduces 8.00
  FTE; 1.00 Human Services Policy Manager, 3.00 Research Evaluation Analyst Sr, 1.00
  Executive Specialist, 1.00 Management Analyst, 2.00 Program Specialist Sr.
- 25000 DCHS Director's Office: Decrease in supplies for the Director's Office to match current usage. With a primarily remote workforce, the need for supplies in the office is diminished.
- Multiple ADVSD Program Offers: A small portion of five positions in ADVSD were funded by County General Fund in FY 2024. When the Medicaid funding was reduced and these positions were eliminated from the FY 2025 budget, the general fund support for these five positions was also reduced.



• **25160 - YFS Data and Evaluation Services:** Reduces 1.00 Research Evaluation Analyst Sr. This position supports the SUN Service System with surveys, annual student specific outcome data analysis and overall evaluation of programs in that system. Eliminating this position may impact YFS involvement in department wide initiatives and dashboards. Will impact scope and scale of program evaluations for the SUN Service System.

### Reallocations

	FY 2025 Significant Departmental Changes (Reallocations)					
Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund	Other Funds	FTE		
Various - Admin	Various - Admin Division Program Offers	(\$75,000)				
25036	ADVSD Older Adults in Home Care Needs	75,000				
25118	YFS - Youth & Family Services Administration	(159,788)	159,788			
Total		(\$159,788)	\$159,788			

#### **Program Details:**

- Multiple Admin Program Offers: Reduce materials and supplies lines across Admin program offers.
- 25036 ADVSD Older Adults in Home Care Needs: This program provides funding for community based organizations focused on the most vulnerable older adults at risk of experiencing homelessness, connecting them to critical resources needed to continue living independently. In FY 2024, ADVSD received one-time-only funding for a program to support in-home care for older adults and DCHS has elected to retain this within the department General Fund constraint for FY 2025.
- **25118 YFS Administration:** Reduces 1.00 Program Specialist Sr in General Fund and moves to Oregon Housing and Community Services (OHCS) Emergency Housing Assistance (EHA) funding. This position supports two program areas related to housing (Housing Stability Program and the Housing Stability Team).



	FY 2025 Other Significant Distributions				
Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund	Other Funds	FTE	
Multiple	Multiple program offers across ADVSD	\$891,884	\$2,347,063	17.00	
Total		\$891,884	\$2,347,063	17.00	

### **Program Details:**

 Multiple ADVSD Program Offers: The addition of CGF to apply towards local match is necessary to draw down Medicaid to mitigate a reduction in Medicaid services for the 23-25 biennium. This additional funding will assist in the continuity of services for clients as well as keep workloads down as much as possible for staff. For each 38 cents in CGF, DCHS is able to purchase \$1 in Medicaid funding allowing DCHS to purchase \$2.3M in Medicaid for the 23-25 biennium.

# **Out of Target Requests**

# **Ongoing Out of Target Requests**

The following table lists the Department of County Human Services' ongoing out of target requests in order of priority:

		FY 2025 Out of Target Requests (Ongoing)				
Priority	Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund	Other Funds	FTE	New or Existing
1	25047B (was ARP 25399C in FY 2024)	YFS - Domestic Violence Services	\$237,061		1.00	New
2	25156B	YFS - Bienestar Social Services Expansion	62,049		0.40	New
3	25147B (was ARP 25399S in FY 2024)	YFS Food Security / Pantry Enhancement	179,235			New



		FY 2025 Out of Target Requests (Ongoing)				
Priority	Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund	Other Funds	FTE	New or Existing
4	25133B (was ARP 25490B/C in FY 2024)	YFS - Emergency Rent Assistance	5,623,600		8.50	New
5	25121B	YFS - Climate Resilience	153,419		1.00	New
	Total		\$6,255,364		10.90	

#### **Program Details:**

- 25047B YFS Domestic Violence Services: 1.00 FTE Response Advocate (YFS staff) and an outside community based contracted staff position. This funding would backfill critical capacity currently funded by ARPA.
- 25156B YFS Bienestar Social Services Expansion: Current caseload indicates an
  increase in demand for the drug and alcohol services following the pandemic in the Cully
  neighborhood and beyond. YFS tailors coordination of resources to meet the specific
  needs of BIPOC and families of color; these have increased in recent years and
  necessitate increasing the FTE of these two positions from 0.80 to 1.00.
- 25147B YFS Food Security / Pantry Enhancement: Pantry use has increased since 2019. Funds pay for one additional site and staffing for the volume of folks accessing services at school based pantries.
- 25133B YFS Emergency Rent Assistance: Funding to establish an ongoing eviction
  prevention program throughout Multnomah County. In the past year evictions for
  non-payment have increased, exceeding pre-pandemic levels, with disproportionate
  impacts on BIPOC families and other communities of color. Eviction prevention is a key
  component in preventing homelessness.
- 25121B YFS Climate Resilience: YFS' Energy Services Team has engaged in work focused around climate resilience with an emphasis on supporting low income renters and homeowners through the replacement of outdated wood burning stoves and installation of new heat pumps. This began as a one-time-only General Fund investment for staff capacity in FY 2023, paired with American Rescue Plan (ARP) funds through the Office of Sustainability, with the goal of replacing 50 wood burning stoves in 3 years. It was refunded as one-time-only for FY 2024.



## One-Time-Only Out of Target Requests

The following table lists the DCHS's one-time-only out of target requests in order of priority:

		FY 2025 Out of Target Requests (One-Time-Only)				
Priority	Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund	Other Funds	FTE	New or Existing
1	25023B	ADVSD Long Term Services & Supports Staffing Restoration	\$1,286,139	\$3,134,438	23.00	Restoration
	Total		\$1,286,139	\$3,134,438	23.00	

#### **Program Details:**

• 25023B - ADVSD Long Term Services & Supports Staffing Restoration: Using General Fund to restore Medicaid funding reduction for the 23-25 biennium. Reduction of 23 Medicaid positions across the Division is necessary due to a large reduction in Medicaid funding from the state. The ADVSD Medicaid program uses General Fund towards "local match" at a match rate of 38%. This means that for each 38 cents in General Fund, DCHS can purchase \$1 in Medicaid. This request of \$1.28 million in General Fund would leverage \$3.1 million in Medicaid dollars.

## **Voter Initiatives**

## Preschool For All

Multnomah County's Preschool for All connects 3- and 4-year-olds with free, inclusive, culturally affirming preschool experiences. All families in Multnomah County are eligible to apply and families who currently have the least access to preschool are prioritized. The program will grow over time, increasing the number of children and families that it serves each year until there is access to free public preschool for all interested families in 2030.

Preschool for All offered over 700 slots in FY 2023 and just under 1,400 slots in FY 2024, exceeding both our year 1 and year 2 slot goals. The program will grow to over 2000 slots in FY 2025 at more than 100 locations.



There are currently not enough classroom spaces or enough teachers to serve every child in the county. In order to reach Preschool for All long-term goals, investments in infrastructure development and teacher recruitment and training build future capacity. More than 800 early educators are expected to participate in Preschool for All workforce development efforts in FY 2024.

Preschool for All has a long-term financial plan that is designed to ensure consistent services to Multnomah County children and families. Investments in fiscal stability strategies protect the program from the volatility of personal income tax as a revenue source. This includes dollars that will be added to Preschool for All contingency and reserve funds (25200B) as well as dedicated savings dollars (25200C).

	FY 2025 Voter Initiatives - I	Preschool For All	(PFA)	
Offer Number	Program Name	Initiative Funds	FTE	Unappropriated and Contingency
25200A	PEL - Administration & System Support	\$1,651,282	5.00	
25200B	PEL - Contingency and Reserves			40,750,000
25200C	PEL - Dedicated Savings			421,251,623
25201	PEL - Program Development & System Support	7,190,909	37.00	
25202	PEL - Preschool Access: Family & Provider Navigation	1,460,000		
25203	PEL - Preschool Infrastructure Capacity Building	17,800,000		
25204	PEL - Program Quality: Coaching & Provider Supports	10,664,000		
25205	PEL - Preschool for All Pilot Sites	57,810,036		
25206	PEL - Early Educator Workforce Development	5,000,000		
Total		\$101,576,227	42.00	\$462,001,623



#### **Program Details:**

- 25201 PEL Program Development & System Support: Addition of 5.00 FTE in FY 2025: 1 to support contracts, 1 focused on data and evaluation, 2 focused on supporting preschool providers, 1 focused on inclusion of children with disabilities.
- 25202 PEL Preschool Access: Family & Provider Navigation: No significant changes.
- 25203 PEL Preschool Infrastructure Capacity Building: No significant changes.
- **25204 PEL Program Quality: Coaching & Provider Supports:** No significant changes.
- 25205 PEL Preschool for All Pilot Sites: Increased funding for PFA Pilot Sites in order to offer over 2,000 slots in FY 2025. The Preschool & Early Learning Division is partnering with Pilot Sites to refine and strengthen the program model, including support to stabilize infant and toddler care and include children with disabilities.
- 25206 PEL Early Educator Workforce Development: No significant changes.

## Supportive Housing Services (SHS)

In May 2020, voters in Multnomah, Clackamas and Washington counties approved the Metro Supportive Housing Services Measure 26-210, which introduced two new taxes that raise about \$250 million annually to fund solutions to homelessness. The measure funds services across the region that address chronic and short-term homelessness by providing permanent supportive housing, shelter, outreach, behavioral health services and other supports. Thanks to voters' historic investment, SHS has provided our communities with a truly regional set of resources and strategies to reduce homelessness.

The SHS Measure funds a variety of programs and services. In DCHS, these include eviction prevention, short and long term rent assistance, housing placement, retention case management, and outreach. Much of this housing programming is embedded in existing DCHS programs, such as Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities and Aging, Disability, and Veteran Services in order to meet consumers where they are already accessing services. With a "no wrong door" mindset, DCHS uses SHS funds to make housing services more accessible and available for DCHS consumers.



	FY 2025 Voter Initiatives - Supportive Housing Services (SHS)					
Offer Number	Program Name	Initiative Funds	FTE	New or Existing		
25000	DCHS Director's Office	\$163,072	1.00	Existing		
25011	IDDSD Budget and Operations	142,543	1.00	Existing		
25012	IDDSD Services for Adults	284,821	1.00	Existing		
25029B	ADVSD Transition & Diversion - SHS	958,770	6.00	Existing		
25050B	YFS - Domestics Violence Housing Support - SHS	698,460	2.00	Existing		
25118	YFS - Youth & Family Services Administration	154,704	1.00	Existing		
25133C	YFS - Eviction Prevention - SHS	5,000,000	6.00	New		
25139B	YFS - Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI) - SHS	4,758,357	1.00	Existing		
25160	YFS - Data and Evaluation Services	184,608	1.50	Existing		
Total		\$12,345,335	20.50			

#### **Program Details:**

- **25000 DCHS Director's Office:** Housing Advisor to support SHS-funded and other housing coordination throughout DCHS.
- **25011 IDDSD Budget and Operations:** Regional Long Term Rent Assistance (RLRA) housing case manager to provide intensive IDD and housing case management services to homeless IDD clients.
- **25012 IDDSD Services for Adults:** An assessment worker to outreach to people experiencing homelessness and assist them in enrolling in IDDSD services.
- **25029B ADVSD Transition & Diversion SHS:** A mobile team of assessment workers in ADVSD who outreach to people experiencing homelessness and assist them in enrolling ADVSD services.
- 25050B YFS Domestic Violence Housing Support SHS: 1.00 Housing Assessor
  FTE at Gateway Center to assist clients in completing Vulnerability Index Service
  Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (VI-SPDAT) assessments and accessing
  housing services. Additionally, Housing Advocates (1.00 FTE County staff
  stationed at the Gateway Center, 2.00 FTE contracted staff at culturally specific



programs) will provide eviction prevention, housing system navigation, shelter diversion, and other housing-related wraparound services, including housing retention support.

- **25118 YFS Administration:** Assertive Engagement Trainer.
- 25133C YFS Eviction Prevention SHS: Supports eviction prevention for households who meet any of these criteria; those with an eviction notice, written notice to vacate, or households at high risk who need short term case management to support housing stability. Activities include outreach to tenants with court cases filed, intake and case management services for households.
- 25139B YFS Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI) SHS: Program to assist homeless families housed through the Homeless Family System of Care (HFSC) gain long-term housing stability and asset building opportunities and transition into MSI services.
- **25160 YFS Data and Evaluation Services:** Additional data capacity to support the HMIS-equivalent "Comp Site."

# State, Federal, and Other Funds

	FY 2025 Other Fund Changes						
Offer Number	Program Name	General Fund	Other Funds	FTE	GF Backfill Requested		
25033, 25038	ADVSD Nutrition Program, ADVSD Advocacy & Community Program Operations		\$1,120,250	(1.00)			
Multiple	Multiple program offers across ADVSD		(2,393,222)	(26.00)	1,286,139		
25016	IDDSD Eligibility & Intake Services		519,677	1.00			
Multiple	Multiple program offers across IDDSD		6,464,543	21.00			
25014	IDDSD Abuse Investigations		541,874				
25119	YFS - Energy Assistance		(4,462,454)	(4.08)			
Total			\$1,790,668	(9.08)			



#### **Program Details:**

- 25033 ADVSD Nutrition Program, and 25038 ADVSD Advocacy & Community Program
   Operations: Increase is from Medicaid Title IIIC1 funding due to carryover from the
   prior fiscal year as well as allocating a larger portion of the biennium funding in the
   second year of the award.
- Multiple ADVSD Medicaid Title XIX funding: State Funding for the 2023-2025 biennium was lower than forecasted when building the FY 2024 budget. The FY 2025 amount is the net effect of cost saving in FY 2024 limiting the revenue needed in the first year of the award, however there is still a reduction in the second year. There is an FY 2025 out-of-target request for general fund to leverage Medicaid match funding, program offer 25023B.
- **25016 IDDSD Eligibility & Intake Services:** Increase is from the State Mental Health Grant (SMHG) DD 02 Eligibility and Licensing funding. Growth is from an increase in revenue for the 2023-2025 biennium, as well as deferring an additional 2% of the award into the second year, FY 2025.
- Multiple IDDSD State Mental Health Grant Service Element 48 funding: Increase is from the State Mental Health Grant (SMHG) DD 48 Case Management funding. Growth is from an increase in revenue for the 2023-2025 biennium, as well as deferring an additional 2% of the award into the second year, FY 2025.
- **25014 IDDSD Abuse Investigations:** Increase is from the State Mental Health Grant (SMHG) Service Element 55 Abuse Investigation Services funding. Growth is from an increase in revenue for the 2023-2025 biennium, as well as deferring an additional 2% of the award into the second year, FY 2025.
- 25119 YFS Energy Assistance: Reduction is due to a drop in estimated Low Income Home Energy Assistance (LIHEAP) funding for FY 2025. The FY 2024 budget included estimated carryover funding of \$1.8 million, which is not included in the FY 2025 budget. Additionally, the program is budgeting conservatively for FY 2025 as it is not clear if one-time-only funding from Disaster Relief LIHEAP or Emergency LIHEAP funding will continue into the second year of the biennium. There is potential for the award to increase later in the process and be updated on a revenue amendment or an FY 2025 budget modification.

# Other Significant Program Changes

- **Department wide Sunsetting of ARPA:** will impact several areas in the Department and with contracted partners. DCHS is working both internally and with partners to adapt to this loss of funding, workforce and programs.
- YFS Eviction Prevention: currently the FY 2025 DCHS budget has committed resources of \$5 million in Supportive Housing Services funds and Oregon Housing and Community Services (OHCS) Oregon Eviction Diversion & Prevention Program (OREDAP) funding in



- the amount of \$5.6 million. This is a significant decrease in rent assistance funding and will impact eviction prevention in the county.
- YFS SUN Service System: engagement with the key sponsors of the SUN Service System is underway in response to feedback from school districts and families. This work is focused on reaffirming commitments and joint ownership of the SUN Service System, collaborative decision making and responding to input from the community.
- ADVSD Lease Termination: terminated the lease at Cherry Blossom and moved into a temporary space rent free. Secured a site on 122nd/Glisan that will be ready for move in March, 2024. This site is smaller and accurately accounts for the decreased staffing presence due to telework options.
- ADVSD RFPQ for Older Americans Act programs: completed the RFPQ process:
  - o 42 Proposals from 24 different suppliers were submitted.
  - o Drafted 17 contracts and 16 have been executed (1/1/24) with one pending. Contracts will expire in 5 years.
  - o 5 new vendors, 4 of which are culturally specific providers.
  - o Budget for FY 2025 is \$5.9 million. 46% was allocated towards culturally specific providers (previously 38%).
- PEL Mid-Year Slots: will become a regular part of PFA implementation starting in FY 2025.
  - We are currently planning for approximately 100 mid-year slots. A higher number of anticipated slots starting in September or mid-year slots may require a FY 2025 budget modification.

# **Span of Control**

ADVSD	1:13
IDDSD	1:12
YFS	1:9
PEL	1:4
Administration	1:7
DCHS	1:11



# **Division Level Organization Chart**

#### Department of County Human Services \$358,833,969 In Target Budget | 955.10 FTE

Mohammad Bader, Director Rachel Pearl, Deputy Director

#### Department Administration \$10,517,793:50.00 FTE

Aging, Disability & Veterans Services Division

Irma Jimenez, ADVSD Director \$115,515,333 : 520.50 FTE Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities Services Division

Alexis Alberti, IDD Director \$44,036,154 : 233.00 FTE Youth & Family Services Division

Rachel Pearl & Lee Girard, Co-Interim YFS Directors \$87,188,462 : 109.60 FTE Preschool & Early Learning Division

Leslee Barnes, PEL Director \$101,576,227 : 42.00 FTE





#### Program #25000 - DCHS Director's Office

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Mohammad Bader

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Director's Office of the Department of County Human Services supports the work of four divisions to ensure that every person, at every stage of life has equitable opportunities to thrive. The Director's Office uses a racial justice and equity lens to: develop and lead the department's mission, policies, communications and strategic initiatives; ensure quality of services; provide financial management; ensure a skilled workforce that reflects the community; provide protection for survivors of domestic and sexual violence; and support the divisions' efforts to provide equitable, high quality, and innovative services to the communities we serve.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Department of County Human Services is made up of four divisions and one office tasked with providing human services to diverse communities. The Department is funded through a blend of local, State and Federal funding with accompanying requirements and roles and programmatic commitments to the community.

GOALS: The Office leads the Department-wide efforts to reach the DCHS North Star which states that in Multnomah County, every person - at every stage in life - has equitable opportunities to thrive. In addition to the existing priorities of ensuring quality of life, education access and support, and economic development and stability, we've added a fourth priority: ensuring a diverse and inclusive system. The Director's office works to advance the Department's strategic initiatives and program service delivery through four main goals: a) maintaining good government practices of accountability and transparency; b) advancing an equity agenda both internally and with community partners; c) ensuring high-quality program delivery; and d) effective engagement and communication with the community.

ACTIVITIES: The Director's Office ensures a safe, welcoming and equitable environment for staff and participants. The Office's immediate priority is to bring consistent equity and inclusion to HR recruitment, compensation and retention strategies, as well as coordinate the efforts of the Department's Equity and Inclusion Manager and Diversity, Equity, and Social Justice Committee (DESJC). Director's office activities also include: a) ensuring DCHS meets its financial and regulatory requirements through budget development, fiscal compliance, data collections, and reporting; b) Department-wide performance management and sharing of systems improvement tools and techniques; c) identifying new approaches to DCHS work and the application of research for emerging and best practices and solutions; d) leading the work of masscare sheltering during severe weather events and overseeing the Supportive Housing Service Funds for the Department; and e) communication and coordination with elected officials, partners and participants by using multiple methods to engage with the community, including online tools.

Performar	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of DCHS web page views*	384,326	450,000	385,000	400,000			
Outcome	Percent of visitors who were able to find what they were looking for on the DCHS website**	43%	85%	57%	85%			

<sup>\*</sup>Number of DCHS page views calculated using Google Analytics. Numbers exclude internal traffic.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Percentage of visitors who were able to find what they were looking for on the DCHS website is based on survey data from "was this page helpful?" surveys placed throughout the DCHS website.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$3,658,602	\$152,063	\$2,433,858	\$163,072
Contractual Services	\$190,103	\$0	\$181,948	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$187,966	\$0	\$127,156	\$0
Internal Services	\$460,663	\$0	\$424,800	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$4,497,334	\$152,063	\$3,167,762	\$163,072
Program Total:	\$4,649,397		\$3,33	0,834
Program FTE	21.00	1.00	13.00	1.00

Program Revenues				
Other / Miscellaneous	\$2,123,957	\$0	\$2,856,035	\$0
Total Revenue	\$2,123,957	\$0	\$2,856,035	\$0

#### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$2,856,035 - County General Fund Department Indirect: Based on FY 2025 Department Indirect Rates published by Central Finance.

\$163,072 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

#### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25000 DCHS Director's Office

In response to constraint and the prioritization of service delivery, the Director's Office eliminated the Multnomah Idea Lab. Decrease of 8.00 FTE; 1.00 Human Services Policy Manager, 3.00 Research Evaluation Analyst Sr, 1.00 Executive Specialist, 1.00 Management Analyst, 2.00 Program Specialist Sr.

FY 2024 Other Funds is Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30407A – Supportive Housing – Countywide Coordination – Dept of County Human Services.



#### Program #25001 - DCHS Human Resources

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Jeni Woods

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

DCHS Human Resources supports the quality of life, professional development, and education of employees, for 960 budgeted positions in FY 2024. HR ensures DCHS achieves its goals through equitable recruitment, selection and retention of employees, and anticipating and planning for staffing needs. HR functions include outreach and recruiting, hiring and onboarding, maintaining records, staff retention and workforce and succession planning, training, employee and labor relations including incorporating equity and inclusion best practices for hiring, training and supporting staff, and performance management.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: There are dynamics to ensure employees work in an environment that supports them and the community while also ensuring equity for a diverse workforce, in compliance with contracts, rules, and legal requirements.

GOALS: Ensure services and strategies support and add value to DCHS strategies; promote fair and equitable treatment of all employees; adhere to County personnel rules, policies and labor contracts; align with Central HR to develop and implement consistent and effective HR solutions and programs; and create workforce and succession planning to develop a diverse and talented pool of employees and candidates to meet staffing needs.

ACTIVITIES: Consultation to managers, supervisors, and employees while working with union representation and Central/County HR and County counsel when necessary. Efforts in FY 2025 will continue to support the workforce in a hybrid environment, equity (including supporting the department's Workforce Equity Strategic Plan), professional development, education, trauma informed practices, and compliance, while supporting Department-wide goals. Be a resource and support for using the ERP while maintaining service levels. HR continues to support department process improvement projects related to equity: 1) Creating a comprehensive onboarding and training practice throughout DCHS that supports staff to build skills by centering a relational approach. This project is designed to support a welcoming and comprehensive onboarding experience and support and retain current employees by focusing on employee and manager training and development; 2) Interview panel selection and preparation. Seeks to ensure diversity and training of panel members to ensure equitable assessment of candidates; 3) Workforce Equity - Recruiting and Retention. HR supports this project led by the Director's Office, addressing identified disparities in the first year of employment, and identifying the sources of perceived disparities in access to positions and promotions. Pursuant to the department's sustainable business plan, DCHS HR and the MIL developed content for a DCHS Culture Guidebook to help with recruiting and onboarding new employees. This will be implemented starting in FY 2024 and continued into FY 2025.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Recruitments	403	400	400	400			
Outcome	Percent of DCHS employees who identify as a person of color	48.47%	44.00%	47.89%	44.00%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$1,735,519	\$0	\$1,821,515	\$0
Contractual Services	\$3,000	\$0	\$8,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$23,760	\$0	\$19,800	\$0
Internal Services	\$203,640	\$0	\$240,900	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,965,919	\$0	\$2,090,215	\$0
Program Total:	\$1,965,919		\$2,09	0,215
Program FTE	10.00	0.00	10.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Other / Miscellaneous	\$1,709,921	\$0	\$1,821,515	\$0
Total Revenue	\$1,709,921	\$0	\$1,821,515	\$0

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$1,821,515 - County General Fund Department Indirect: Based on FY 2025 Department Indirect Rates published by Central Finance.

## **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25001 DCHS Human Resources



#### Program #25002 - DCHS Business Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Robert Stoll

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Business Services provides service in support of DCHS, ensuring effective and responsible stewardship of available financial resources and enabling informed decision-making for programs. Business Services' core functions are finance, procurement and contracting, budget, and accounting. Racial equity as well as alignment with the department's Workforce Equity Strategic Plan is a key focus in all our work.

#### **Program Description**

More than 40% of the total funds in the Department are contracted to community-based providers for services to the populations served by DCHS. DCHS includes culturally specific and culturally responsive requirements in the procurement process. This process allows DCHS to contract with a diverse pool of suppliers who are able to provide culturally specific and responsive services to clients that are tailored to specific populations. This process assists the department in ensuring that clients are comfortable accessing services and that we are not causing additional trauma to marginalized and vulnerable populations. About 50% of DCHS contracts contain culturally specific and culturally responsive requirements. Roughly 70% of funding comes from over 100 funding sources including State, Federal, and grants. The diverse funding streams require effective contract execution, compliance and reporting, payment processing, and constant review of financial and internal controls to ensure ethical and responsible use of available financial resources. Business Services' goals are to provide support to Divisions through budgeting and fiscal planning, contracting and procuring and paying for the services and to maintain financial control and oversight through accounting, fund management, and financial reporting and risk management. Business Services' activities include budget development, management, and reporting; accounts payable and receivable; procurement and contracting; grant accounting and reporting; and implementation of, and compliance with, all County, State and Federal fiscal policies and procedures related to the business of this department; problem solving and financial risk mitigation. We work across the County with other Departments and agencies. We serve as liaisons between the department and internal service providers such as County Finance, Central Budget, County Facilities, Fleet, Records, IT, Central Purchasing, Risk Management and County Attorney.

DCHS Business Services Management Team offers mentorship, WOC opportunities, cross-training and supporting education for staff with aspirations for promotion and those who have financial and time commitment issues. DCHS also offers remote working opportunities and varied schedules to help staff maintain good work/life balance. The DCHS Business Services Management Team also cultivates strong team building activities.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Percent of invoices paid in 30 days or less	92%	93%	90%	90%	
Outcome	Percent of annual contracts executed prior to start date	94%	94%	95%	95%	
Output	Number of anticipated contract actions including new contracts, amendments and purchase orders	350	365	360	365	

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$4,122,438	\$0	\$4,396,130	\$0
Contractual Services	\$40,000	\$0	\$40,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$52,684	\$0	\$29,371	\$0
Internal Services	\$521,525	\$0	\$631,243	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$4,736,647	\$0	\$5,096,744	\$0
Program Total:	\$4,736,647		\$5,09	6,744
Program FTE	26.00	0.00	26.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Other / Miscellaneous	\$4,117,366	\$0	\$5,052,647	\$0
Total Revenue	\$4,117,366	\$0	\$5,052,647	\$0

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$5,052,647 - County General Fund Department Indirect: Based on FY 2025 Department Indirect Rates published by Central Finance.

## **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25002 DCHS Business Services



#### Program #25010 - IDDSD Administration & Support

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alexis Alberti

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The IDDSD Administration team provides oversight to the division and ensures service delivery. It increases quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities such as cerebral palsy, autism, and intellectual disability. These are disabilities that a person is born with, or that develop during childhood. The Administration team focuses on the accurate and timely delivery of services, and generates revenue for the division through billable review of Personal Support Worker timesheets. It trains and retains case managers who provide culturally and linguistically specific service coordination in support of independent living. The Administration team leads the division in continuous quality improvement, advocacy at the local and state levels, collaborations with partner agencies, and examination of service equity data.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: IDDSD is the Community Developmental Disability Program (CDDP) for Multnomah County. This is a Medicaid authority status conferred by the state. The IDDSD Administration team provides oversight of staff, quality assurance, revenue generation, data validity and access, and system improvement. This team maximizes client services, maintains service and staffing levels, and provides leadership to the division.

PROGRAM GOALS: This team implements business strategies related to system improvement and staff support to increase the delivery and accessibility of services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The goals of the Administration team include the following. First, optimize service capacity through staff training and development, staff retention, data accuracy and data access. This demonstrates public stewardship and accountability. Second, deliver quality, timely, culturally responsive and Medicaid compliant services. Third, improve policies and remove barriers to access by advocating for clients. Finally, increase resources for clients through collaborative partnerships.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The four general areas of activity are: coordination, quality, advocacy, and collaboration. Coordination efforts include staff training and development, office management, service database updates, data quality checks, data access tool development, and workflow innovations. Quality efforts include the creation of a strategic plan, metrics, dashboards, and quality improvement cycles. Data informs business improvements to reduce service inequities experienced by historically marginalized clients. Quality efforts also include the monitoring of the state inter-agency agreement. The team maintains quality assurance, and integrates customer feedback into practice. Advocacy includes continuous dialogue with state and local agencies to reduce service barriers. Collaboration efforts include work with a variety of community-based and culturally specific organizations. These collaborations increase access to equitable and inclusive service.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of indirect monitoring reviews to confirm delivered services and generate division revenue.1	6,147	6,480	6,480	6,480		
Quality	Percent of federally-funded plan waivers in compliance for re-authorization. <sup>2</sup>	40%	75%	60%	75%		
Outcome	Percent of survey respondents satisfied with the services they receive.	79%	90%	79%	90%		

<sup>1</sup>FY23 actual number is lower than expected due to staff leave and temporary staff reassignment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>New staff resulted in a lower percentage of waiver compliance in FY23; improved training is increasing compliance in FY24.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$625,081	\$2,559,307	\$792,045	\$3,408,960
Contractual Services	\$282,592	\$0	\$282,592	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$27,955	\$76,025	\$46,141	\$92,452
Internal Services	\$93,184	\$579,503	\$99,066	\$961,099
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,028,812	\$3,214,835	\$1,219,844	\$4,462,511
Program Total:	\$4,243,647		\$5,68	2,355
Program FTE	4.50	19.50	5.50	25.50

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$2,778,695	\$0	\$4,462,511	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$436,140	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$3,214,835	\$0	\$4,462,511	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$501,799 in indirect revenues. \$4,462,511- State Mental Health Grant Case Management (Federal)

## **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25010 IDDSD Administration & Support

Increase of 7.00 FTE. Added new 1.00 FTE Program Supervisor, 1.00 Case Manager Sr, 5.00 Case Manager 2



#### Program #25011 - IDDSD Budget and Operations

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alexis Alberti

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Budget and Operations team maintains regulatory compliance for mandated functions. These functions support quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and help clients live independent and healthy lives in the community. This team facilitates the delivery and payment of client-chosen services, ensuring the services meet compliance rules and regulations. This includes assistance with crisis housing services, such as rent assistance. This team also responds to changes in State service requirements to maximize revenue. This team uses targeted universalism to equitably support service providers from historically underserved communities. For example, offering individualized and translated technical support to providers who speak a primary language other than English.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: IDDSD Budget and Operations must meet the increasing demand for services. The team ensures that quality business and staffing practices adapt to change, while focusing on the need for timely service payments to ensure client health and safety.

PROGRAM GOALS: The goals of Budget and Operations include the following. First, increase the capacity of community based residential, personal support and employment providers. Do this by ensuring timely contracting, training, certification and payment. Second, increase equitable access to services by processing service requests based on client choice and needs. This also includes financial support for emergency and long term housing, with a focus on ensuring BIPOC clients have equitable access to housing funds. Third, implement policies, procedures, and training to maintain regulatory compliance at the County, State and Federal level. Finally, ensure fiscal accountability through budgeting and revenue tracking.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The four goals outlined above correspond to four general areas of activity. These areas are: capacity, access, compliance, and budgeting. Capacity efforts increase the knowledge and skills of residential, employment, and direct service providers. These efforts include technical support, timesheet approval, credentialing, certification, recruitment, training, and contracts. Access efforts include the administration of funded services. These services include: housing stability, 24-hour residential care, supported living, employment, transportation, and in-home support. Compliance efforts include the determination and administration of regulatory requirements. Administration of these requirements requires provider service agreements, public procurement, authorization of provider services, ensuring compliance of changes to provider payment amounts and service types, and administrative procedures. Finally, budgeting efforts include budget review, report and approval. This team works to settle contracts with the State. It also tracks budget costs for employees and client services, and ensures all program services are in place each biennium.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Number of direct service provider timesheets processed annually for clients receiving in-home services.	23,830	26,000	26,000	26,000	
Outcome	Percent of clients referred who are accepted into an employment setting.	81%	90%	85%	90%	
Quality	Percent of provider payment lines authorized and built in state billing system within 10 business days.1	70%	100%	70%	100%	
Outcome	Percent of clients who are stably housed 12 months after receiving housing funds. <sup>2</sup>	94%	90%	90%	90%	

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>In FY23 and FY24, the number of provider payment lines increased, while four Program Specialists assigned to plan building transitioned away from the team. In addition, new Service Coordinators led to increased plan corrections, as staff learned plan requirements.

<sup>2</sup>The FY24 estimate is lower than the FY23 actual due to the decline in housing funding available, as well as the ongoing rise of housing expenses for individuals with a low or fixed income.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$154,403	\$5,167,826	\$341,598	\$5,269,513
Contractual Services	\$162,621	\$727,508	\$218,802	\$676,740
Materials & Supplies	\$12,380	\$94,854	\$12,830	\$53,126
Internal Services	\$57,755	\$1,354,788	\$54,034	\$1,385,104
Total GF/non-GF	\$387,159	\$7,344,976	\$627,264	\$7,384,483
Program Total:	\$7,732,135		\$8,01	1,747
Program FTE	1.00	37.00	2.00	36.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$6,496,133	\$0	\$7,241,940	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$715,793	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$7,211,926	\$0	\$7,241,940	

#### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$754,691 in indirect revenues.

\$5,465,423 - State Mental Health Grant Case Management (Federal)

\$1,099,777 - State Mental Health Grant Local Admin (Federal)

\$185,751 - State Mental Health Grant Self Directed Individual/Family (Federal)

\$180,000 - State Mental Health Grant Long Term Support for Children (Federal)

\$142,543 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

\$100,000 - State Mental Health Grant Family Support Services (Federal)

\$75,092 - HAP - Housing Program (Local)

\$56,160 - Partners for Hunger Free Oregon (Local)

\$40,512 - State Mental Health Grant Special Projects (Federal), \$27,225 - State Mental Health Grant Ancillary Service (Federal), and \$12,000 - State Mental Health Grant Adult Foster Care (Federal)

#### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25011 IDDSD Budget and Operations

Decrease 1.00 FTE Budget Analyst in Federal/State Fund. Increase 1.00 FTE Manager 1 in General Fund.

FY 2024 Other Funds includes Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30407A – Supportive Housing – Countywide Coordination – Dept of County Human Services.



#### Program #25012 - IDDSD Services for Adults

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alexis Alberti

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The IDDSD Adult Services team supports quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Cerebral palsy, autism, and intellectual disability are examples of intellectual and developmental disabilities. These are disabilities that a person is born with, or that develop during childhood. They usually continue over the lifetime. The Adult Services team supports personal development, social inclusion, health, safety, and self-determination. This team provides service coordination, monitoring, support plans, needs assessments, and risk assessments, and supports individuals with connections to resources. All services are inclusive, culturally specific and culturally responsive and support clients to make informed decisions based on their goals.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Adult Services address the need for home and community based long-term support. Our system has ended expensive and isolating institutional care. Instead, Adult Services help people maintain their independence, health, and safety. They also help people live and work within the community.

PROGRAM GOALS: The eight domains that adult services operate to support quality of life include: emotional, material, and physical well-being, interpersonal relations, social inclusion, personal development, self-determination, and rights. The goals of Adult Services are aligned with these domains. The goals include the following. First, assist individuals in accessing a living situation of their choice. Second, provide planning and supports that increase client achievement of personal goals. Third, support clients in connecting to and using both funded and natural supports. Fourth, maintain and improve the health and safety of clients. Fifth, increase the life choices available to clients. Sixth, optimize client involvement in education, employment, and purposive activity. Adult services center the cultural and linguistic needs of clients. This increases service equity and improves client outcomes.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The five areas of activity aligned with the goals above include assessment, connection, service coordination, monitoring, and documentation. Assessment efforts include needs assessments to determine service levels and categories. Connection efforts link clients to education, employment and residential resources, including affordable housing. Connections are also made to social activities. Service coordination efforts include ongoing person-centered planning. This planning identifies interests, strengths, choices, goals, and a path to goal achievement. These are recorded in an Individual Support Plan. Monitoring efforts include regular monitoring of service providers. This ensures the health and safety of clients. Monitoring efforts also include partnerships with Community Justice, Mental Health and Addiction Services, Vocational Rehabilitation, and Crisis Services. Finally, staff document all service and client data in state and county databases. Documentation is a Medicaid requirement.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of adults served each month.1	2,428	2,500	2,550	2,650			
Output	Number of monitoring contacts for adults. <sup>2</sup>	30,373	38,000	38,000	38,000			
Outcome	Percent of adult survey respondents who report that they like where they live.	87%	90%	87%	90%			
Quality	Percent of Service Coordinators with KSA designation to support language or cultural needs.	9%	10%	10%	12%			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Adults included in this count are aged 22 and up. Adults aged 18 to 21 years are included in the "young adult" count in program offer 25013 - IDD Services for Children and Young Adults.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Lower than expected monitoring contacts in FY23 are a result of significant training periods for new service coordinator staff during the fiscal year.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$1,247,783	\$6,400,159	\$1,308,042	\$7,453,691
Contractual Services	\$10,000	\$56,695	\$10,000	\$167,542
Materials & Supplies	\$28,093	\$80,247	\$29,134	\$93,225
Internal Services	\$228,143	\$1,773,135	\$158,674	\$1,989,513
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,514,019	\$8,310,236	\$1,505,850	\$9,703,971
Program Total:	\$9,824,255		\$11,20	09,821
Program FTE	10.50	51.50	10.50	51.50

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$7,686,005	\$0	\$9,419,150	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$567,536	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$8,253,541	\$0	\$9,419,150	

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$1,079,919 in indirect revenues.

\$9,402,582 - State Mental Health Grant Case Management (Federal)

\$284,821 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

\$16,568 - State Mental Health Grant Psychiatric Treatment and Supervision (Federal)

#### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25012 IDDSD Services for Adults

FY 2024 Other Funds includes Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services programs:

- 30407A Supportive Housing Countywide Coordination Dept of County Human Services
- 30400D Supportive Housing Tenant-Based Commitments



#### Program #25013 - IDDSD Services for Children and Young Adults

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alexis Alberti

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The IDDSD Child and Young Adult Services team supports quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Cerebral palsy, autism, and intellectual disability are examples of intellectual and developmental disabilities. These are disabilities that a person is born with, or that develop during childhood. They usually continue over the lifetime. The team supports self-determination, personal development, social inclusion, health, and safety. They provide service coordination, monitoring, individual support plans, and needs assessments. They connect families to resources that support child development. The team also supports the transition from child to adult services. All services center the linguistic and cultural needs of the client and family. They support clients to make informed decisions.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Child and Young Adult Services address the need for home and community based long-term support. Services are provided in the family home, foster homes, and group homes. These services help children and youth develop secure caregiver attachments. They help families maintain independence, health, and safety within the community.

PROGRAM GOALS: Eight quality of life domains guide the implementation of services. These domains include emotional, material, and physical well-being, interpersonal relations, social inclusion, personal development, self-determination, and rights. The goals of Child and Young Adult Services align with these domains. They include the following. First, provide appropriate supports for children living in foster homes, group homes, or their family homes. The focus is to keep children in a stable, long term placement. Second, provide planning and supports that optimize child development. This includes the transition from child to adult services. Third, support clients and families in connecting to funded and natural supports. Fourth, support the health and safety of clients through service access and monitoring. Fifth, optimize client involvement in education and employment. Finally, center the cultural and linguistic needs of clients and families.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The five areas of activity aligned with the goals above include assessment, connection, service coordination, monitoring, and documentation. Assessments are conducted to determine levels and categories of service. Connection efforts link clients and families to community, educational, employment, and developmental resources. Service coordinators engage the client in person-centered planning. This helps the client identify choices and goals. It results in an Individual Support Plan that outlines a path to goal achievement. For young adults, this may include a plan to transition to independence. Service coordinators with KSA designation provide culturally and linguistically specific support. These service coordinators serve 32% of child and young adult clients. Monitoring is conducted for all Medicaid services to ensure the health and safety of clients and include collaborations with ODHS, ODDS, Behavioral Health, and emergency response services. Staff document all service and client data in state and county databases.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of children (birth - 17) served each month.	2,166	2,200	2,240	2,300		
Outcome	Percent of children retained in the family home.1	95%	90%	95%	N/A		
Output	Number of young adults (aged 18-21) served each month.	662	680	680	700		
Outcome	Number of monitoring contacts for children and young adults.	32,784	27,000	32,000	32,000		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This metric is being removed in FY25. The program has demonstrated a consistently high percentage that has not changed significantly in the years since k-plan started.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$1,148,762	\$6,477,332	\$1,229,896	\$7,479,947
Contractual Services	\$25,000	\$0	\$25,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$26,970	\$71,135	\$28,470	\$78,936
Internal Services	\$192,515	\$1,846,703	\$180,118	\$2,056,949
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,393,247	\$8,395,170	\$1,463,484	\$9,615,832
Program Total:	\$9,788,417		\$11,07	79,316
Program FTE	10.00	52.00	10.00	52.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$7,961,065	\$0	\$9,615,832	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$434,105	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$8,395,170	\$0	\$9,615,832	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$1,101,048 in indirect revenues. \$9,615,832 - State Mental Health Grant Case Management (Federal)

## **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25013 IDDSD Services for Children and Young Adults



#### Program #25014 - IDDSD Abuse Investigations

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alexis Alberti

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The IDDSD Abuse Investigation team provides abuse investigation and coordinates protective services. This increases the quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. These services ensure the health and safety of clients. They also support client rights and access to criminal justice protections. The team delivers timely, equitable, person centered, and responsive services. The team strives to be collaborative. The services provided by the Abuse Investigation team ensure compliance with Oregon Administrative Rules and statutes and reduce the risk of abuse, neglect, and exploitation of clients. Abuse reporting has surpassed pre-COVID pandemic levels.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Abuse Investigation team protects the health, safety, and rights of individuals who are at increased risk for exploitation and abuse due to their intellectual or developmental disability.

PROGRAM GOALS: The Abuse Investigation team addresses four domains identified by the research on quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. These include emotional, material, and physical well-being, and rights. The goals of the team include the following. First, increase access to services and criminal justice protections. The team does this through a process that centers clients' needs related to language, culture, race, health status, and financial situation. Second, consult on plans meant to increase and maintain client health and safety. Third, improve service delivery by partnering with local, state and federal agencies. Finally, mitigate further abuse through protective service action plans.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The three general areas of activity include access, collaboration, and prevention. In the area of access, investigators are responsible for ensuring that safety plans are in place to increase client access to supports for health and safety needs. Additional responsibilities include the review, screening, and investigation of allegations. These may be related to the death, alleged abuse, neglect, or exploitation of clients. Investigators use an equity lens to examine potential bias throughout this process, and use a trauma informed practice framework when determining appropriate follow up in each case. These services are conducted under the oversight of the Office of Training, Investigation, and Safety, which is an effort between DHS and OHA. They include investigations of care and non-care providers. Collaboration efforts include working relationships with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies and community partners. The team participates in the District Attorney's Multi-Disciplinary Team, the DD Advisory Committee, The Inter-Agency Committee for Abuse Prevention, the Incident Management Team, and the Critical Case Review Committee. This committee identifies safe options for high-risk clients experiencing complex situations. Prevention efforts include technical assistance and follow- up for protective services.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of abuse referrals. <sup>1</sup>	1,723	N/A	1,820	1,911		
Outcome	Percent of abuse referrals screened within 3 working days. <sup>2</sup>	69%	90%	70%	90%		
Output	Number of investigations and death reviews closed.	478	350	450	450		
Outcome	Percent of new investigations and death reviews closed within 55 days. <sup>3</sup>	44%	90%	50%	90%		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>New measure added in FY25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Percent of referrals screened within 3 days increased from FY22 to FY23, but still fell short of the target due to continued increase and complexity of state documentation requirements.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>This percentage does not include cases that were granted extensions from the state.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$3,405,304	\$0	\$4,006,342
Contractual Services	\$0	\$1,000	\$0	\$1,000
Materials & Supplies	\$3,571	\$51,383	\$3,571	\$39,470
Internal Services	\$719	\$942,366	\$0	\$1,090,735
Total GF/non-GF	\$4,290	\$4,400,053	\$3,571	\$5,137,547
Program Total:	\$4,404,343		\$5,14	1,118
Program FTE	0.00	26.00	0.00	26.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$4,196,805	\$0	\$5,137,547	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$203,248	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$4,400,053	\$0	\$5,137,547	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$589,733 in indirect revenues. \$4,409,104 - State Mental Health Grant Abuse Investigation Services (Federal) \$728,443 - State Mental Health Grant Case Management (Federal)

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25014 IDDSD Abuse Investigations



### Program #25016 - IDDSD Eligibility & Intake Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alexis Alberti

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Eligibility and Intake Services team provides the entryway to IDDSD services. They increase equitable access to resources. These resources support quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Entryway services emphasize awareness, access, choice, and community inclusion. The team follows State and Federal rules ensuring that eligibility and intake services are self-directed and inclusive. They provide services that are culturally and linguistically responsive. They support clients to make informed decisions based on their goals and provide opportunities for individuals to choose activities, supports and living arrangements. This team is the point of entry to all IDDSD vocational, residential, case management, and in-home services.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: There is a need for increased understanding of, and access to, IDDSD services. The Eligibility and Intake Services team addresses these needs. They provide help with navigating the application and eligibility processes for services.

PROGRAM GOALS: The Eligibility and Intake Services team increases service access and supports quality of life. The goals of this team include increasing the public's understanding of available services and eligibility requirements. Second, increasing the connection of individuals to community resources. Third, provide direct, trauma-informed application support. Finally, increase access to funded services by determining eligibility and enrolling clients. This is done according to State regulatory requirements.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The three general areas of activity are: awareness, equitable access, and connection. Awareness efforts include community outreach, increasing understanding of IDDSD services and processes. Efforts result in referrals from community partners, such as schools, medical providers, and parent networks. All referrals are followed up with service information. Equitable access efforts include contacting the potential client in their primary language. Supports include application assistance, initial needs assessment, service information, and eligibility determination. Once eligible, clients are paired with a Service Coordinator or referred to a brokerage. Brokerages are alternative non- County case management systems. Bilingual staff with KSA designation support Spanish speaking applicants and provide referrals to other social supports, such as housing, social security, energy assistance, and links to community agencies. Additionally, a Clinical Services Specialist with KSA designation provides outreach to the African American community and culturally responsive intake supports. Applicants are contacted in their preferred language regarding the outcome of their eligibility determination. Connection efforts include connecting potential clients to agencies providing additional resources, such as health insurance, social security benefits, early intervention, or housing support.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of intake eligibility referrals.	1,248	1,100	1,350	1,250		
Outcome	Percent of applicants found eligible for DD services.	82%	80%	82%	80%		
Outcome	Percent of newly eligible clients who identify as Black, Indigenous, or People of Color.	42%	34%	34%	34%		
Output	Number of linguistically and culturally responsive community outreach activities. <sup>1</sup>	10	N/A	10	20		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>New measure in FY25. Responsive community outreach includes presentations, materials, and staff consultation tailored to the language and cultural needs requested by the partnering organization.

## Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$1,890,634	\$0	\$2,291,618
Contractual Services	\$10,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$2,960	\$39,524	\$2,960	\$21,255
Internal Services	\$2,876	\$514,662	\$0	\$585,964
Total GF/non-GF	\$15,836	\$2,444,820	\$12,960	\$2,898,837
Program Total:	\$2,460,656		\$2,91	1,797
Program FTE	0.00	14.00	0.00	14.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$2,333,462	\$0	\$2,898,837	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$111,358	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$2,444,820	\$0	\$2,898,837	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$337,325 in indirect revenues. \$2,123,168 - State Mental Health Grant Local Admin (Federal) \$775,669 - State Mental Health Grant Case Management (Federal)

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25016 IDDSD Eligibility & Intake Services



### Program #25022 - ADVSD Adult Care Home Program

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Steven Esser

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Adult Care Home Program (ACHP) licenses and monitors adult care homes. It provides equitable access to adult care homes. ACHP licenses homes to ensure compliance with rules and regulations. Adult care homes are single-family homes in residential neighborhoods. They house and care for up to five adults in a homelike environment. Adult care homes serve people with intellectual, physical, and developmental disabilities, older adults, and behavioral health populations.

## **Program Description**

ISSUE: The State values the goal of reducing Medicaid costs and increasing choice. The State works to invest more Medicaid dollars in community settings. Adult Care Home settings are less costly than nursing facilities. Adult care homes are single-family homes in residential neighborhoods. They house and care for up to five adults in a homelike environment. These homes are a vital alternative to nursing facilities. Multnomah county has most of the nursing facilities in the state.

PROGRAM GOAL: The program regulates adult care homes. It ensures residents receive appropriate, person-directed, culturally specific, and safe services. A State exemption allows ACHP to create local licensing regulations. These regulations are the Multnomah County Administrative Rules (MCARs). The local regulations meet or exceed State requirements for adult care homes. They ensure the highest quality and safety for residents.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The ACHP receives, reviews, and approves license applications. The program monitors licenses for adult care homes. Licensing includes background checks and role approvals for staff. Licensing also monitors home and operator compliance with MCARs. ACHP provides technical help and training for operators and staff. In-person inspections check resident personal care, socialization, and nutrition. Inspections check physical safety, nursing care, and medication management.

Noncompliance with licensing requirements results in progressive corrective action. Actions are based on the frequency, severity, and seriousness of harm. Corrective actions range from technical help to license sanctions or home closure. ACHP has a quality improvement process to ensure efficiency, data quality, and program outcomes.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of licensed homes in operation throughout the fiscal year.	670	655	670	660			
Outcome	Percent of adult care home residents satisfied with services received in adult care homes <sup>1</sup>	93%	93%	93%	93%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>Based on 133 responses to an FY2022 survey of ACH residents. Survey administered by ADVSD every 3 years. Former measure: "Percent of adult care homes that were licensed accurately and timely based on ACHP audit findings." Dropped due to lack of accurate data. FY23 Actual & FY24 Estimate: Data not available. Former measure: "Average Medicaid cost savings for adult care home residents compared to nursing facility placement." Dropped due to non-alignment with the program outcomes. FY23 Actual & FY24 Estimate: Data not available.

Multnomah County has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer the licensing, monitoring, and training functions of Adult Care Homes. The Board of County Commissioners passed Multnomah County Resolution §23.66 - §223.999 establishing the Adult Care Home Program.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$86,344	\$4,231,161	\$0	\$4,235,494
Contractual Services	\$0	\$525,000	\$280,420	\$440,000
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$35,149	\$0	\$35,147
Internal Services	\$7,301	\$1,167,393	\$0	\$1,271,953
Total GF/non-GF	\$93,645	\$5,958,703	\$280,420	\$5,982,594
Program Total:	\$6,052,348		\$6,26	3,014
Program FTE	0.64	31.36	0.00	29.00

Program Revenues				
Fees, Permits & Charges	\$0	\$350,000	\$0	\$362,780
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$5,608,703	\$0	\$5,567,594
Service Charges	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$52,220
Total Revenue	\$0	\$5,958,703	\$0	\$5,982,594

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$623,465 in indirect revenues.

\$5,567,594 -Title XIX (Federal)

\$362,780 - Adult Care Home Program License Fees (Local)

\$37,457 - Adult Care Home Program Other Fees (Local)

\$14,763 - Adult Care Home Program Fines (Local)

### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25022 ADVSD Adult Care Home Program

Decrease of 3.00 FTE, 1.00 Office Assistant SR (0.02 General Fund), 1.00 Program Specialist (0.02 General Fund), 1.00 Program Technician (0.02 General Fund). Moved 0.58 FTE from General Fund to Federal/ State Fund (0.02 of 29 positions)



### Program #25023A - ADVSD Long Term Services & Supports (Medicaid)

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Joe Valtierra

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS) supports independence and quality of life. The program provides equitable and culturally appropriate access to services. It does this by providing resources and case management that are in line with consumer choice, culture and individual needs. The program supports living in the community and avoiding nursing facility care.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Older adults living below the poverty level and those with a physical disability, behavioral health need, or developmental disability can face health and safety risks. Often they are vulnerable and with complex social, daily living, and medical needs. They benefit from early intervention and effective management of their care needs.

PROGRAM GOAL: LTSS case management advocates and supports safe, healthy, and independent living in the community that considers individual needs and preferences along with quality of life. These goals help prevent or cut costly nursing facility placement, hospitalization, and readmission. The program prioritizes home and community-based services. Multnomah county has more people living in community-based settings than the national average.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: LTSS provides two Medicaid case management programs—service and eligibility. Service case management uses a person-centered approach to assess needs. The case manager and participant create a plan for their needs. Those receiving service case management meet State guidelines for nursing facility level care. Service case managers also authorize, coordinate, and monitor these services. The staff consists of diverse staff who speak multiple languages. They are culturally knowledgeable and trained in diversity, equity, and inclusion principles. Eligibility case management participants meet financial guidelines. However, they do not meet guidelines for nursing facility level care. They enroll in programs meeting basic health, financial, and nutritional needs. Programs include the Oregon Health Plan, Medicaid, and the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). They may also receive counseling to help them choose managed care and Medicare Part D plans. Counseling and service is provided with consideration of each person's individual and cultural background needs; this is essential to service equity.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of participants served in LTSS programs	48,800¹	50,000	48,800	48,800			
Outcome	Number of participants receiving Medicaid service case management	11,379	11,500	11,600	11,500			
Output	Percent of nursing facility eligible participants who are living in the community	88%	88%	88%	88%			

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>Estimated based on enrollment from Jul 2020 - Jan 2021. The conversion to the ONE system in Feb 2021 resulted in a lack of access to Medicaid Medical, SNAP and Medicare Savings Plan benefit data.

ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer the Medicaid and SNAP programs in Multnomah County. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities. The programs are guided by Federal regulations or rules including those in the Social Security Act, Medicaid Administration, and SNAP.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$36,183,018	\$0	\$36,507,215
Contractual Services	\$2,664,911	\$80,900	\$3,445,725	\$26,574
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$475,406	\$0	\$238,435
Internal Services	\$0	\$10,613,948	\$0	\$11,070,190
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,664,911	\$47,353,272	\$3,445,725	\$47,842,414
Program Total:	\$50,018,183		\$51,28	38,139
Program FTE	0.00	313.00	0.00	301.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$46,710,050	\$0	\$47,179,085	
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$643,222	\$0	\$663,329	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$47,353,272	\$0	\$47,842,414	

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$5,373,861 in indirect revenues.

\$47,179,085 - Title XIX (Federal)

\$183,306 - Kaiser Foundation Hospitals (Local)

\$167,077 - Case Management Assessments for Medicaid Patients (Local)

\$159,470 - Providence Medical Center (Local)

\$153,476- OHSU (Local)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25023 ADVSD Long Term Services & Supports (Medicaid)

Decrease of 13.00 FTE (Federal/ State Fund), 3.00 OA2, 2.00 Case Manager 1, 1.00 Case Manager 2, 1.00 Case Management Assistant, 3.00 Case Manager Sr, 1.00 Program Specialist Sr, 2.00 Program Supervisor

Increased/ Moved 1.00 FTE Case Manager 2 from program offer 25029 (Federal/ State Fund)



Program #25023B - ADVSD Long Term Services & Supports Staffing Restoration FY 2025 Department Requested

**Department:** County Human Services **Program Contact:** Joe Valtierra

Program Offer Type: Restoration Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: One-Time-Only Request, Out of Target

## **Executive Summary**

Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS) supports independence and quality of life. The program provides equitable and culturally appropriate access to services. It does this by providing resources and case management that are in line with consumer choice, culture and individual needs. The program supports living in the community and avoiding nursing facility care.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Older adults living below the poverty level and those with a physical disability, behavioral health need, or developmental disability can face health and safety risks. Often they are vulnerable and with complex social, daily living, and medical needs. They benefit from early intervention and effective management of their care needs.

PROGRAM GOAL: LTSS case management advocates and supports safe, healthy, and independent living in the community that considers individual needs and preferences along with quality of life. These goals help prevent or cut costly nursing facility placement, hospitalization, and readmission. The program prioritizes home and community-based services. Multnomah county has more people living in community-based settings than the national average.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: LTSS provides two Medicaid case management programs—service and eligibility. Service case management uses a person-centered approach to assess needs. The case manager and participant create a plan for their needs. Those receiving service case management meet State guidelines for nursing facility level care. Service case managers also authorize, coordinate, and monitor these services. The staff consists of diverse staff who speak multiple languages. They are culturally knowledgeable and trained in diversity, equity, and inclusion principles. Eligibility case management participants meet financial guidelines. However, they do not meet guidelines for nursing facility level care. They enroll in programs meeting basic health, financial, and nutritional needs. Programs include the Oregon Health Plan, Medicaid, and the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). They may also receive counseling to help them choose managed care and Medicare Part D plans. Counseling and service is provided with consideration of each person's individual and cultural background needs; this is essential to service equity. Restoration of these positions will support the entire Division.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of participants served in ADVSD programs	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,000			
Outcome	Percent of nursing facility eligible participants who are living in the community	N/A	N/A	N/A	88%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

## Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$99,665	\$2,732,250
Contractual Services	\$0	\$0	\$1,186,474	\$0
Internal Services	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$402,188
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$0	\$1,286,139	\$3,134,438
Program Total:	\$0		\$4,42	0,577
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.75	22.25

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,134,438
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,134,438

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$402,188 in indirect revenues. \$3,134,438 - Title XIX (Federal)

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was:



#### Program #25024 - ADVSD Adult Protective Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Brian Hughes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Adult Protective Services Program (APS) helps to improve the quality of life for vulnerable older adults and people with disabilities. APS protects against abuse through quick and equitable access to quality services. APS investigates abuse and self-neglect of older adults and people with disabilities with the goal of ending abuse and neglect and holding perpetrators responsible.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Older adults and people with disabilities can be at risk of abuse, financial exploitation, neglect, and self-neglect for many reasons. About one in nine vulnerable adults is the victim of abuse at some time during their life.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the Adult Protective Services program is to protect vulnerable adults from abuse and self-neglect. APS helps the department towards ending abuse and neglect and holds perpetrators responsible. APS also works to balance the safety and independence of vulnerable adults. Finally, APS provides community education on abuse, neglect, and exploitation.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: APS investigates abuse and self-neglect of older adults and people with disabilities. Forty-three APS investigators conduct abuse investigations. Some investigators serve people living in the community. Other investigators serve people living in long-term care facilities. APS staff connect vulnerable adults to resources like healthcare, housing, and advocacy agencies. The APS team includes clinical services specialists, investigators, risk case managers, and screeners. APS works with law enforcement and the District Attorney's Office to prosecute offenders. Many different agencies work together in monthly meetings to discuss criminal cases. The APS risk case managers provide longer-term follow-up for people facing threats to their health or safety. Risk case management services last for up to a year. Risk case managers reduce risk by connecting people to the right agencies and setting up needed services.

The Training and Outreach Coordinator for APS provides education and training about the program to community partners and culturally specific organizations. The coordinator builds relationships and gives presentations to connect APS and our services with diverse communities.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of Adult Protective Service intakes	9,502	9,300	9,400	9,400		
Outcome	Percent of investigations with timely response	98%	98%	98%	98%		
Output	Number of Adult Protective Service investigations completed	3,153	3,000	2,800¹	2,800		
Outcome	Re-abuse rate for individuals involved with APS	3%	3%	3%	3%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>In FY24, the State will introduce a new process for approving community abuse reports, which is expected to delay the completion of investigations.

Adult Protective Services is a mandated service by Oregon Administrative Rules. Multnomah County acts as the designated Area Agency on Aging and is required to perform this function under contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services.

# Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$55,643	\$7,684,656	\$58,008	\$7,761,535
Contractual Services	\$465,582	\$5,000	\$1,238,439	\$5,000
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$68,260	\$0	\$68,260
Internal Services	\$3,997	\$2,022,944	\$5,525	\$2,311,081
Total GF/non-GF	\$525,222	\$9,780,860	\$1,301,972	\$10,145,876
Program Total:	\$10,306,082		\$11,44	17,848
Program FTE	0.35	57.00	0.35	54.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$9,780,860	\$0	\$10,145,876
Total Revenue	\$0	\$9,780,860	\$0	\$10,145,876

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$1,142,498 in indirect revenues. \$10,145,876 - Title XIX (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25024 ADVSD Adult Protective Services

Decrease of 3.00 FTE, 1.00 Office Assistant 2, 1.00 Case Manager Sr, 1.00 Case Management Assistant



### Program #25025 - ADVSD Veterans Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The County Veterans Services (VS) program ensures equitable and efficient access to services and programs to anyone who served on active duty with the U.S. Armed Forces and their families. VS helps Veterans and dependents to get pension, disability, and health benefits administered by the Veterans Benefits Administration. VS also provides in-home case management and support to Veterans who are nursing facility eligible through a program called Veterans Directed Care (VDC). Multnomah County Aging Disability and Veterans Services is also the lead for the statewide VDC program that currently includes Clackamas, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, and Washington counties.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Accessing Federal Veterans' benefits is complex. The wait time to get a decision can be long—delaying access to needed benefits. Nursing home eligible Veterans need to have options to remain in their home and direct their care.

PROGRAM GOAL: The VS goals are to provide information, help, and advocacy to improve Veteran access to a pension, disability, and health benefits. The VS leverages strong community partnerships to increase community referrals for underrepresented Veterans. Veterans eligible for VDC are supported to direct their care and remain in their home.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs trains and accredits Veterans services officers (VSOs). They know applicable Federal and State laws to provide the best representation possible—free of charge. The office provides comprehensive Veterans Administration (VA) benefits counseling and enrollment. The VS submits claims for VA compensation and pensions, and coordinates appeals. VSOs help Veterans to navigate the claims process. ADVSD leads the County's Veterans Services Task Force to strengthen the network of community partners. This program promotes fair access to underrepresented communities. The VS uses intentional and targeted outreach to aging, LGBTQ, women, justice involved, houseless, and BIPOC Veterans.

Veteran Directed Care gives Veterans of all ages the opportunity to receive the Home and Community Based Services they need in a consumer-directed way. This program is for Veterans who need personal care services and help with activities of daily living. (e.g., help with bathing, dressing, fixing meals), and for Veterans who are isolated or their caregiver is experiencing burden. Veterans in this program are given a budget for services that is managed by the Veteran or the Veteran's representative. With the help of a case manager/service coordinator, Veterans hire their own workers to meet their daily needs to help them live at home.

Performar	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of service contacts held by Veterans Services Officers <sup>1</sup>	3,787	3,800	3,900	3,950			
Outcome	New monthly compensation or pension awarded for ongoing benefit to Veterans due to VSO representation	\$862,568	\$980,000	\$980,000	\$980,000			
Output	Number of claims filed for Veterans or eligible family members	968	850	900	900			
Outcome	New retroactive benefits awarded to Veterans because of VSO representation in the last fiscal year	\$4,282,038	\$4,500,000	\$4,500,000	\$4,500,000			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This metric does not account for 3500 other inquiries that the VS program screens and triages to other community services, but includes 2500 follow-up actions of the Veteran Service Officers. Of the people surveyed after a service contact, 82% (n=134) said they got the help they were looking for and 86% (n=135) would recommend the program to family and friends.

# Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$579,327	\$386,220	\$544,293	\$602,974
Contractual Services	\$10,500	\$21,560	\$0	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$30,859	\$271	\$30,859	\$271
Internal Services	\$139,681	\$50,539	\$102,197	\$63,016
Total GF/non-GF	\$760,367	\$458,590	\$677,349	\$666,261
Program Total:	\$1,218,957		\$1,34	3,610
Program FTE	4.80	3.20	4.40	4.60

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$458,590	\$0	\$666,261
Total Revenue	\$0	\$458,590	\$0	\$666,261

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$417,215- Oregon Department of Veteran Affairs (Federal) \$249,046- Veteran's Directed Home & Community Services (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25025 ADVSD Veterans Services

Increase of 1.00 FTE. Moved 1.00 FTE Case Manager 2 from program offer 25038 Moved 0.40 FTE Program Supervisor from General Fund to Federal/ State Fund



### Program #25026 - ADVSD Public Guardian/Conservator

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Mark Sanford

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Public Guardian and Conservator Program (PGC) protects and enhances the quality of life for the most vulnerable adults. PGC supports older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. The program serves adults who need daily intensive assistance and support. They also need specialized housing. They are often victims of abuse, neglect, and financial exploitation. BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, and/or People of Color) participants receive culturally specific services. The program recently added a KSA position to further enhance culturally responsive service. Guardians create personcentered care plans. PGC diverts those at risk or underserved to less restrictive and costly alternatives to public guardianship.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The vital decisions PGC makes under court authority ends or reduces:

- · Victimization, emergency department and hospital admissions,
- · Houselessness, protective services, and law enforcement involvement,
- Involuntary civil commitments, and increased risk of premature death.

The demand for PGC services is growing due to an increasing aging population and the rising incidence of abuse and neglect. The growing number of people experiencing houselessness and the need for long term care adds to the need for this program.

PROGRAM GOAL: PGC provides legal protection and access to services and benefits. Client health and welfare improve by minimizing unnecessary emergency department or hospital visits. Public guardians arrange for their medical, behavioral health, and residential care. The program is essential to the department strategy to reduce financial fraud, abuse, and neglect while enhancing quality of life.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Public guardians are court-appointed representatives. Clients have mental incapability, behavioral health needs, developmental disabilities, dementias or brain injury. They are dependent on others to meet their basic needs. The program seeks to balance the need for protection with the right to autonomy. PGC uses a culturally specific approach to address specific needs and help reduce health disparities. Guardians create person-centered care plans. The plan addresses risks, care arrangements, and stabilizes medical and psychiatric conditions. Public guardians are available 24/7 to make necessary decisions. Guardians provide quality services while carrying higher caseloads than the state PGC standard of 25. The program provides community consultation to identify alternatives to the restrictions of guardianship. PGC educates community partners. The program works with adult protective services, families, law enforcement, hospitals, multidisciplinary teams, and the court to intervene early to resolve fraud, abuse, and neglect of vulnerable adults.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of County residents with a Public Guardian/Conservator	145	170	155¹	155			
Outcome	Percent of new high-risk PGC participants with a reduction in hospital visits within a year <sup>2</sup>	100%	95%	95%	95%			
Outcome	Percent of PGC participants with properly managed assets to ensure ongoing eligibility and fraud protection	100%	100%	100%	100%			
Outcome	Percent of PGC contacts diverted to a less costly and less restrictive resource	28%	40%	40%	40%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>During the COVID-19 pandemic some Multnomah County PGC consumers were transferred to the Oregon Public Guardian (OPG) program due to Multnomah County staff turnover and shortage. Multnomah County PGC intended to transfer those cases back to their program in FY24 but determined that this course of action might be harmful to those consumers who were now likely stabilized within OPG. <sup>2</sup>Because this measure requires a 12-month service window, the FY 2023 Actual reflects high-risk participants with an FY2022 petition date.

The decision to provide PGC service is established and guided by ORS Ch. 125 and County Ordinance, Ch. 23.501. If the County chooses to reduce the service, it remains obligated to current participants that are open with the court but can stop taking new participants if the Board of County Commissioners makes a finding that the service is no longer needed.

### **Revenue/Expense Detail**

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$1,520,082	\$0	\$1,602,435	\$0
Contractual Services	\$28,811	\$0	\$29,877	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$31,428	\$0	\$39,147	\$0
Internal Services	\$347,816	\$0	\$281,432	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,928,137	\$0	\$1,952,891	\$0
Program Total:	\$1,928,137		\$1,95	2,891
Program FTE	11.00	0.00	11.00	0.00

Program Revenues					
Fees, Permits & Charges	\$0	\$0	\$55,000	\$0	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$55,000	\$0	

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$55,000 - Fees paid by clients for conservatorship and guardianship services. These fees are only collected from clients who are above the Medicaid allowable resource limit.

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25026 ADVSD Public Guardian/Conservator



#### Program #25027 - ADVSD Administration

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Irma Jimenez

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The ADVSD Administration provides division-wide support to ensure high quality services and advance County and Department initiatives. ADVSD Administration helps the division build racial equity and quality improvement. It ensures program and fiscal integrity and accountability. It does this through planning, community engagement, analysis, and evaluation.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Aging, Disability, and Veterans Services Division (ADVSD) serves older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans focusing on communities that have been harmed by systemic racism and other forms of discrimination. There are 32 unique programs in ADVSD. Some are managed by ADVSD employees. Others are provided by contracted staff in community-based organizations. The ADVSD Administration supports the coordination between programs to provide equitable, high quality service and public accountability.

PROGRAM GOAL: The ADVSD Administration helps to ensure alignment with County and Department values. It plays a lead role in developing the ADVSD Service Equity Plan, and the Older Americans Act Area Plan. It also supports the goals of the County Workforce Equity Strategic Plan, and the ADVSD Strategic Work Portfolio. The ADVSD Administration team engages with division staff, community partners, community advisory councils and consumers to help achieve these goals. This team values transparency, efficiency, and collaboration.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: ADVSD is committed to promoting racial equity. The ADVSD Administration supports this commitment in many ways. Team members engage with the community to seek input on program decisions. They identify gaps in service delivery and participant outcomes. They also provide insights on program budgets to help Division leaders make strategic investments in diverse communities.

There are many teams in ADVSD who lead complex projects. The ADVSD Administration supports these by providing project management and data solutions. The team also provides administrative support and quality improvement coaching. When programs want to measure the effectiveness of their services, the Administration team helps them gather and analyze information to make improvements. Programs collect large amounts of data. The Administration team helps organize and analyze that data so that it can be used to make informed decisions and support quality of life for consumers.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of opportunities for participants and community members to give feedback to ADVSD	74	37	138	138		
Outcome	Percent of diverse <sup>1</sup> representation on ADVSD Advisory Councils	75%	65%	65%	70%		
Outcome	Percent of ADVSD employees who identify as Black, Indigenous, and/or People of Color (BIPOC)	46%	43%	45%	45%		
Outcome	Percent of ADVSD promotions that went to BIPOC employees	57%	50%	50%	50%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Those who identify as Black, Indigenous ,and/or People of Color, a person with a disability, an immigrant or refugee, non-English speaking, LGBTQ+.

ADVSD is designated the Type B Transfer Area Agency on Aging (AAA) for Multnomah County through a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services and as guided by ORS Ch 410, to provide mandatory functions for older adults and people with disabilities. These include provision of quality staffing, service planning, senior and disability advisory councils, and comprehensive and coordinated service delivery for older adults and people with disabilities.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$394,525	\$2,235,630	\$324,762	\$1,840,261
Contractual Services	\$250,895	\$1,599,620	\$509,979	\$65,750
Materials & Supplies	\$96,103	\$71,949	\$83,792	\$118,555
Internal Services	\$147,202	\$620,131	\$180,040	\$643,455
Total GF/non-GF	\$888,725	\$4,527,330	\$1,098,573	\$2,668,021
Program Total:	\$5,41	\$5,416,055		6,594
Program FTE	2.25	12.75	1.80	10.20
Program FTE	2.25	12.75	1.80	

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$4,525,330	\$0	\$2,666,021	
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$2,000	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$4,527,330	\$0	\$2,668,021	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$270,887 in indirect revenues. \$2,666,021 - Title XIX (Federal) \$2,000 - Special Risk Fund (Local)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25027 ADVSD Administration

\$1 million decrease in contractual services is the removal of "Future of Work" dollars for the moving of staff out of the Cherry Blossom building and into the Glisan Street building. This is no longer needed in FY 2025.

Decrease of 3.00 FTE; 1.00 Office Assistant 2, 1.00 Program Specialist, 1.00 Program Specialist Senior.



### Program #25028 - ADVSD Multi-Disciplinary Team

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Brian Hughes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) helps vulnerable older adults and people with disabilities with equitable access to quality services. The MDT works with mental health and nursing providers to develop a coordinated service plan to help stabilize participants and support them living in the community. The program provides complex case consultation and in-home mental health and nursing services to isolated individuals to improve safety and quality of life.

## **Program Description**

ISSUE: Older adults and people with disabilities may experience complex health issues. Such issues can impact their ability to live safely in the community. The public services these individuals rely on are often uncoordinated.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the MDT is to help stabilize participants and support them in living in the community. The MDT supports and encourages participation in mental health and medical services.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The MDT serves older adults and people with disabilities who struggle to get help. Case coordination occurs in five offices located throughout the county. Each Multi-Disciplinary Team consists of an APS clinical services specialist, a community health nurse, a contracted mental health specialist, and an APS human services investigator or case manager. Other professionals help as needed. These teams work to improve participant safety and connect them to appropriate services.

The Training and Outreach Coordinator for Adult Protective Services (APS) provides education and training about the program to case managers and district center staff, encouraging the use of MDT to help get services for their clients. The MDT may provide short-term help after an APS investigation for people with complex care plans. MDT services provide equitable access to in-home nursing and mental health support that otherwise would not be available. MDT works to connect participants to permanent mental and physical health providers and culturally specific services.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of participants served by the Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT)	472	435	432	300¹			
Outcome	Percent of participants referred to nursing clinical supports and/or mental health services through MDT	N/A	N/A	N/A	23%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>Reduction of the number of participants served by the multi-disciplinary team due to the elimination of funding for mental health services.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$458,774	\$588,909	\$357,137	\$747,168
Contractual Services	\$375,482	\$160,687	\$550,128	\$24,878
Materials & Supplies	\$224	\$11,318	\$224	\$11,318
Internal Services	\$30,301	\$117,725	\$36,173	\$183,088
Total GF/non-GF	\$864,781	\$878,639	\$943,662	\$966,452
Program Total:	\$1,743,420		\$1,91	0,114
Program FTE	2.45	3.20	1.85	3.80

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$878,639	\$0	\$966,452	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$878,639	\$0	\$966,452	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$109,984 in indirect revenues. \$941,574 - Title XIX (Federal) \$24,878 - Older/Disabled Mental Health (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25028 ADVSD Multi-Disciplinary Team

Last year this program received funding from the Health Department and County General Fund (CGF) to support mental health services to older and isolated adults by providing in-home screening, assessment and counseling to participants. Over the past several years, State and Health Department funding has been reduced for this program, resulting in the need for additional CGF.

In FY 2025, state mental health funding and CGF have been reduced, needing additional CGF to maintain the mental health services provided by the MDT program.



#### Program #25029A - ADVSD Transition & Diversion

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Joe Valtierra

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Transition and Diversion program helps people access home and community living options. Benefit recipients would otherwise live in a nursing facility if not provided with alternatives. Living in the setting of choice improves the quality of life of benefit recipients. The program provides equitable and culturally appropriate access. The program offers consumers choices that reflect cultural, and individual needs. Available staff speak multiple languages, are culturally knowledgeable, and train in diversity, equity, and inclusion.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Oregon is a national leader in offering alternatives to nursing facilities. The Aging, Disability, and Veterans Services Division helps older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans live in a community setting. These places are less costly and less restrictive than nursing facilities. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services sees living in a community setting as a best practice. It provides a better experience for those needing Medicaid long-term services and supports.

PROGRAM GOAL: The Transition and Diversion Program (T&D) serves older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. T&D uses equity principles to help people live in the setting of their choice. To the fullest extent, services are provided by culturally knowledgeable providers. The goal is to avoid placement in an institutional setting. This results in minimizing the use of more costly nursing facility care and reducing unnecessary hospitalizations and readmissions. The costs that are saved by serving people in the community are reinvested in the programs, allowing more people to be served in the setting of their choice.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Transition and Diversion Program serves all nursing facility eligible individuals in Multnomah County. Transition and Diversion staff assess and assist individuals who live in nursing facilities to relocate to community settings if they desire to leave the nursing facility. This is done by connecting them with equity centered services and assistance to help them live safely in the community. Transition and Diversion works with individuals discharging from the hospital, who do not want to live permanently in a nursing facility, to return home or find a community living option such as an adult care home, assisted living facility, or residential living facility. They arrange for supports to ensure the safety of the individual returning to community living. The Transition and Diversion Program supports independent living and the DCHS priority to reduce housing insecurity. The Transition team works closely with the Houseless Mobile Intake Team (HMIT) funded by the Joint Office of Homeless Services. Transition coordinators leverage the culturally specific resources developed and fostered by the 3 culturally specific positions on the HMIT.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Annual number of transitions from a nursing facility <sup>1</sup>	409	400	400	400		
Outcome	Percent of transitions where participants returned home	45%	40%	45%	45%		
Outcome	Percent of transitions where participants returned to a community-based facility	55%	60%	55%	55%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This measure and all following measures include both transitions and diversions.

ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer the Medicaid and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) programs in Multnomah County. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities. The programs are guided by Federal regulations or rules including those in the Social Security Act, Medicaid Administration, and SNAP.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$3,847,186	\$0	\$4,520,179
Contractual Services	\$336,352	\$5,000	\$594,886	\$2,500
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$89,610	\$0	\$44,806
Internal Services	\$0	\$1,342,115	\$0	\$1,330,951
Total GF/non-GF	\$336,352	\$5,283,911	\$594,886	\$5,898,436
Program Total:	\$5,620,263		\$6,49	3,322
Program FTE	0.00	35.00	0.00	34.00

Program Revenues						
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$5,686,250	\$0	\$5,720,489		
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$165,902	\$0	\$177,947		
Total Revenue	\$0	\$5,852,152	\$0	\$5,898,436		

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$650,996 in indirect revenues. \$5,720,489 - Title XIX (Fed thru State)

\$177,947 - Case Management Assessments for Medicaid Patients (Local)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25029 ADVSD Transition & Diversion

Decrease of 1.00 FTE. Moved 1.00 FTE Case Manager 2 to program offer 25023 (Federal/ State Fund)



#### Program #25029B - ADVSD Transition & Diversion - SHS

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Joe Valtierra

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Multnomah County's Supportive Housing Services (Measure) Local Implementation Plan (LIP) calls out the importance of aligning the work of multiple County departments around the commitment to preventing and ending homelessness. This program offer provides Measure funding to better serve participants with disabilities that are experiencing homelessness in the Aging, Disability and Veterans Services Division (ADVSD) of the Department of County Human Services (DCHS).

#### **Program Description**

The Multnomah County's Measure LIP recognizes the importance of aligning ending homelessness efforts across County Departments, including between DCHS and the JOHS. This program offer specifically funds programs that will advance the LIP's commitment to racial equity, connect disabled homeless households to disability resources, and connect those being served by ADVSD to critical permanent housing opportunities. Specifically, the program offer funds:

- A mobile team of assessment workers in ADVSD who partner with JOHS-funded homeless outreach and shelter programs to ensure that people experiencing unsheltered and sheltered homelessness are being assessed and, as appropriate, enrolled in enhanced Medicaid disability services, and have access to the critical support services that accompany that enrollment.
- Staffing capacity to support 15 chronically homeless households with connecting to Regional Long-Term Rent Assistance through Home Forward, including completing housing search, placement, providing ADVSD Medicaid case management, and other supportive retention services to achieve housing stability.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of people assessed for ADVSD services.	223	275	350	275		
Output	Number of households enrolled in permanent housing programs*	N/A	15	15	15		
Outcome	Percent of total unduplicated households remaining in housing at 6 months	N/A	80%	80%	80%		
Outcome	Percent of total unduplicated households remaining in housing at 12 months	N/A	70%	70%	70%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>\*</sup>The basis for "Placed & Retained" has been changed from Entry Date to Housing Move-in date, consistent with an FY 2022 change to the measure in system wide reporting, and ""Enrolled,"" which is based on Entry Date, has been added for more robust reporting and to preserve continuity with reporting in previous years.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$1,136,482	\$0	\$733,257
Contractual Services	\$0	\$112,810	\$0	\$225,513
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$1,249,292	\$0	\$958,770
Program Total:	\$1,249,292		\$958	3,770
Program FTE	0.00	6.00	0.00	6.00

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

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$958,770 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 30407A Supportive Housing - Countywide Coordination - Dept of County Human

FY 2024 Other Funds is Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services programs:

- 30407A Supportive Housing Countywide Coordination Dept of County Human Services
- 30400D Supportive Housing Tenant-Based Commitments



#### Program #25032 - ADVSD Outreach, Information & Referral

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Outreach, information, referral, and assistance services are the entry point for help. The program helps people maintain their independence and improve their quality of life. The Aging and Disability Resource Connection Helpline (ADRC) is a 24/7/365 contact center. The program helps older adults, people with disabilities, Veterans, and their families. The ADRC is available by phone or online. The ADRC provides access to information, help, and resources specific to the needs of the participant.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The network of public and private services and resources is complex and difficult to navigate. Barriers are greater for BIPOC communities (Black, Indigenous, and/or People of Color). Certified specialists help consumers to navigate the aging and disability network. They provide information, help, and connection to community programs and benefits.

PROGRAM GOAL: The ADRC's goal is to increase awareness of and equitable access to services. The ADRC provides information and referral/assistance (I&R/A). Services meet or exceed national Association of Information & Referral Services standards. This program helps to meet a department-wide goal to increase ease of resource navigation and equity in access for the community.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The ADRC serves older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. ADVSD is the federally designated Area Agency on Aging. Specialized services include information referral and assistance, follow-up, and crisis intervention. Specialists pre-screen and refer for Medicare, long-term care counseling, and public benefits. The ADRC also screens for intensive services such as Options Counseling, Oregon Project Independence, and Medicaid in-home services. The ADRC refers people to adult protective services, intellectual and developmental disability services, and the mental health crisis line. The ADRC partners with 211info to create a cohesive information and assistance network. Top referrals are for Medicare, housing and energy assistance, and senior centers. Community partnerships are important to program success. Contracted district senior centers and enhancing equity partners provide 29% of all I&R/A client contacts. Community partners are culturally responsive and use person-centered intergenerational services.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Total reception, information, assistance and referral contacts to the ADRC Helpline <sup>1</sup>	53,611	N/A	47,425²	47,000		
Output	Number of contacts to the ADRC Helpline seeking referrals to County or community resources <sup>3</sup>	31,747	37,500	29,000	30,000		
Outcome	Percent of contacts seeking referrals that resulted in at least one referral4	99%	N/A	98%	98%		
Output	Number of referrals to County or community resources from the ADRC <sup>5</sup>	48,190	60,000	48,604	45,538		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

¹New measure. Includes 21,864 non-logged reception contacts. ²Decrease expected due to new State criteria for logging contacts. ³Measure reworded from: "Number of contacts to the Aging and Disability Resource Connection Helpline." ⁴New measure. Based on logged contacts only. ⁵Measure reworded from: "Number of referrals to County and community partner agencies from the ADRC." Former measure: "Percent of participants with a new ADVSD service after an ADVSD referral from the ADRC." Dropped due to lack of accurate data. FY23 Actual: 33% FY24 Estimate: Data not available.

In Multnomah County, ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer programs under the Federal Older Americans Act. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$398,792	\$2,313,116	\$413,730	\$2,216,268
Contractual Services	\$953,467	\$302,925	\$1,334,165	\$170,489
Materials & Supplies	\$280	\$91,146	\$280	\$112,989
Internal Services	\$65,261	\$487,305	\$69,392	\$620,668
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,417,800	\$3,194,492	\$1,817,567	\$3,120,414
Program Total:	\$4,612,292		\$4,93	7,981
Program FTE	3.28	19.12	3.12	17.54

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$3,194,492	\$0	\$3,120,414
Total Revenue	\$0	\$3,194,492	\$0	\$3,120,414

#### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$215,063 in indirect revenues.

\$2,470,594 - Title XIX (Federal)

\$345,191 - Outreach & Enrollment - MIPPA (Federal)

\$225,345 - ADRC – System-Wide Technical Assistance (State)

\$23,500 - Medicare (Federal)

\$19,800 - Title IIIB (OAA - Supportive Services) (Federal)

\$18,500 - Senior Medicare Patrol Grant (Federal)

\$12,828 - Title VIIB (OAA - Elder Abuse) (Federal)

\$2.880 - City of Troutdale (Local)

\$1,776 - City of Fairview (Local)

#### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25032 ADVSD Outreach, Information & Referral

Decrease of 1.75 FTE. Decreased 1.00 Community Information Specialist.

Moved 0.50 FTE Program Specialist Sr to program offer 25038 and 0.35 FTE to program offer 25035 Increased one Community Information Specialist by 0.10 FTE



### Program #25033 - ADVSD Nutrition Program

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Nutrition Program provides meals to older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans who may be at nutritional risk. Nutrition services increase health and reduce social isolation. The program uses culturally responsive and culturally specific services. These services help maintain participants' independence and improve their quality of life. A network of community partners provides nutrition education and nutritious meals.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Participants from diverse communities report they need more affordable food and access to culturally specific meals.

PROGRAM GOAL: The Nutrition Program provides meals to older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans who may be at nutritional risk. Access to good nutrition helps to support better health and results in consumers' ability to remain independent in their own home. A nutrition risk assessment measures this risk. This program gives access to healthy meals. Healthy meals prevent disease, improve nutritional status, and reduce social isolation. The program also links people to community-based services.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: ADVSD provides funding to community partners to provide nutrition education and nutritious meals. Service delivery has returned to the pre-pandemic model, which offers both home-delivered meals and meals at dining sites. These meals meet the tastes of diverse participants. The program serves people with the greatest social and economic needs. Nutrition services pay special attention to isolated, low-income, minority, and limited English participants. Culturally specific providers maximize funds and community impact by using culturally specific restaurants and stores when possible. This increases the economic well-being of the communities where the elders live. ADVSD uses a dietitian to review menus and follow nutrition guidelines.

The new Nutrition contracts that begin during FY 2024 will expand culturally specific services to the Black and African American community which was a Division goal for this new contract process. Beginning January 1, 2025, with the new RFPQ services, the budget for culturally specific nutrition providers will increase from 38% to 46%.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of meals served	405,360¹	450,000	380,000 <sup>2</sup>	360,000 <sup>2</sup>		
Outcome	Percent of meals through culturally specific services	13%	19%	14%²	14%		
Output	Percent of high nutritional risk participants who experienced an improvement in their annual risk score	38%	45%	38%	38%		
Outcome	Percent of home-delivered meal participants satisfied or very satisfied with nutritional services <sup>3</sup>	96%	92%	92%	92%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>Decrease in # of meals served is due to the exclusion of non-invoiced meals served by Meals on Wheels People, which were included in previous budgeted and actual amounts. The FY23 Actual includes ARP funded meals. <sup>2</sup>Estimate is lower for FY24 and FY25 due to an increase in meal rates and the reduction in ARP funds, which had mostly been allocated to culturally specific providers. <sup>3</sup>Based on 1,628 responses to a survey of home delivered meal recipients administered by Meals on Wheels People in FY2023.

Multnomah County ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer programs under the Federal Older Americans Act. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$76,200	\$0	\$0
Contractual Services	\$726,437	\$1,600,706	\$21,052	\$2,827,212
Materials & Supplies	\$2,000	\$3,786	\$2,000	\$3,786
Internal Services	\$0	\$6,256	\$0	\$7,254
Total GF/non-GF	\$728,437	\$1,686,948	\$23,052	\$2,838,252
Program Total:	\$2,415,385		\$2,86	1,304
Program FTE	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,686,948	\$0	\$2,838,252
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,686,948	\$0	\$2,838,252

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$1,524,279- Title IIIC-1 (OAA – Congregate Meals) (Federal)

\$872,340 - Title IIIC-2 (OAA – Home Meals) (Federal)

\$372,658 - U.S. Department of Agriculture (Federal)

\$44,226 - PWD OPI Pilot Project (State)

\$13,709 - ARPA Federal Older Americans Act Title III-C Congregate/Delivered Meals (Federal)

\$11,040 - Title IIIB (OAA - Supportive Services) (Federal)

#### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25033 ADVSD Nutrition Program

Decrease of 0.50 FTE. Moved 0.25 FTE Program Specialist to program offer 25035, Moved 0.25 FTE Program Specialist to program offer 25038



#### Program #25034 - ADVSD Health Promotion

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Health promotion supports healthy, active living, and chronic disease self-management. The program serves older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. Community organizations provide culturally specific and responsive services. Program activities improve health through exercise. They also provide classes on disease self-management, healthy eating, and other social activities. Community agencies offer in person activities as well as expanded virtual course offerings.

## **Program Description**

ISSUE: Older adults are at higher risk for developing chronic health conditions. As people age the risk of falling increases. Studies show that falls result in health decline and potential hospitalization. Adults with chronic conditions have higher rates of hospital readmissions.

PROGRAM GOAL: ADVSD provides evidence-based health promotion programs (EBHP) and disease prevention classes. Evidence-based programming helps reduce hospital readmissions. Programs focus on healthy behaviors and improved health status. Other programs address taking an active role in the management of chronic conditions. The Care Transitions Coaching program helps to reduce hospitalization. The program helps reduce the risks for falling. The coaching improves health outcomes and reduces healthcare costs. Ongoing partnership with culturally specific agencies makes these classes more accessible to communities of color and those most at risk for chronic conditions.

PROGRAM ACTIVITIES: Classes offered support regular physical activity. Workshops teach how to better manage chronic conditions. The Care Transitions program supports the move from hospital to home. Coaching helps participants take an active role in managing their health. It helps them follow their discharge plan. Topics include reviewing medication and understanding red flags associated with their health conditions. The classes foster community engagement. This helps reduce social isolation, and support a healthy lifestyle. Programs include Tai Chi, diabetes prevention, chronic disease self-management, and Walk with Ease. ADVSD coordinates community partnerships to streamline access to services. Contracted agencies provide culturally responsive and specific services to increase access. This program helps prevent health decline, supports aging in place and reduces healthcare costs.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of evidence based health promotion (EBHP) courses offered	22	28	25	25		
Outcome	Percent of EHBP courses offered by culturally-specific providers	36%	35%	55%	60%		
Output	Number of participants served by Care Transitions <sup>1</sup>	479	529²	480	480		
Outcome	Percent of evidence based Care Transition participants with no hospital readmission in 30 days	87%	88%	88%	87%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>Includes the full Metro Care Transitions Program, which includes Multnomah, Clackamas, Washington and Yamhill county residents. <sup>2</sup>This amount is the maximum number of clients served per year based on budget rates. Because clients are occasionally seen multiple times during a fiscal year, this amount is not always reached.

The Federal Older Americans Act requires funding be used for evidence-based activities that meet their standards for effectiveness as tested through clinical trials.

### **Revenue/Expense Detail**

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$28,658	\$359,579	\$0	\$405,056
Contractual Services	\$33,023	\$42,560	\$91,633	\$123,335
Materials & Supplies	\$12,408	\$275	\$12,408	\$1,586
Internal Services	\$29,112	\$80,404	\$0	\$98,514
Total GF/non-GF	\$103,201	\$482,818	\$104,041	\$628,491
Program Total:	\$586,019		\$732	2,532
Program FTE	0.22	2.78	0.00	3.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$364,439	\$0	\$378,538	
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$118,379	\$0	\$249,953	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$482,818	\$0	\$628,491	

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$59,624 in indirect revenues.

\$321,879 - ADRC – Person Centered Option Counseling Medicaid (State)

\$249,953 - Providence Health Services - Metro Care Transitions (Local)

\$32,128 – Title IIID (OAA – Health Promotion) (Federal)

\$24,531 - ARPA Federal Older Americans Act Title III-D Preventive Health (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25034 ADVSD Health Promotion

Moved 0.22 FTE from General Fund to Federal/ State Fund



Program #25035 - ADVSD Case Management & In-Home Services (non-Medicaid) FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

This program serves older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans who do not qualify for traditional Medicaid case management. They may experience complex or many problems that make it hard to remain in their homes. They are at risk for nursing facility placement. This program provides critical support that lets them remain at home.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: This program serves older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. They may experience complex or many problems that make it hard to remain in their homes. ADVSD developed a strategic plan for service delivery based on community listening sessions. The Division also changed its funding allocation strategy to increase culturally specific services. Services focus on trauma informed case management and in-home support.

PROGRAM GOAL: Case management and in-home services use a comprehensive, person-centered approach. It supports participants to remain as independent as possible at home. The program supports family caregivers and delays the need for costly Medicaid services. It also helps avoid nursing facility placement. As an example, the program can help to arrange housekeeping and grocery shopping. Research shows case management can improve housing stability and prevent isolation. Partnerships with culturally specific agencies to provide this much needed case management, respite and support has a significant positive impact on communities of color and other severely marginalized communities that are disproportionately affected by lack of resources.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Case Management and In-Home Services program is separate from the Long Term Services and Supports program. The program partners with community organizations to provide culturally responsive and specific services. Case managers work with participants and their families. They assess the needs for services and determine eligibility. Case managers also authorize and coordinate services. They develop and support person-centered care plans. Other continued in-home services include respite, housekeeping, personal care, and grocery shopping. Case managers contact participants by phone and in-home visits. They reassess participant needs, provide reassurance, and advocate on their behalf. As needed, they provide information, help, and referral. In FY 2024 this program will include Medicaid funding from Oregon Project Independence-Medicaid (OPI-M).

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of people receiving case management and/or inhome services	2,165	3,400¹	2,698	2,400			
Outcome	Percent of participants served by a culturally specific provider <sup>2</sup>	45%	N/A	46%	45%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>The FY24 Budget amount was based on the expectation that OPI-M would be implemented in FY24. The OPI-M rollout is now expected in late FY24. <sup>2</sup>New measure. Includes participants served by culturally specific providers in the following programs: Older Americans Act Case Management, Oregon Project Independence (OPI), OPI-Expansion, and Options Counseling. Former measure: "Percent of Oregon Project Independence participants who did not enroll in Title XIX services." Dropped due to implementation of OPI-M. FY23 Actual: 84%. FY24 Estimate: 93%.

In Multnomah County, ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer programs under the Federal Older Americans Act. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities.

#### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$251,148	\$1,004,049	\$203,507	\$1,455,126
Contractual Services	\$1,373,377	\$10,763,703	\$1,132,717	\$9,950,500
Materials & Supplies	\$104	\$16,191	\$104	\$29,182
Internal Services	\$94,315	\$378,177	\$112,284	\$354,140
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,718,944	\$12,162,120	\$1,448,612	\$11,788,948
Program Total:	\$13,881,064		\$13,23	37,560
Program FTE	1.43	9.26	1.05	12.05

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$12,154,334	\$0	\$11,780,773	
Service Charges	\$0	\$7,786	\$0	\$8,175	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$12,162,120	\$0	\$11,788,948	

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$15,484 in indirect revenues.

\$9,475,266 - Veteran's Directed Home & Community Services (Federal)

\$765,245 - Title XIX (Federal)

\$597,479 - Oregon Project Independence (State)

\$296,008 - Title IIIB (OAA - Supportive Services) (Federal)

\$174,091 - PWD OPI Pilot Project (State)

\$149,100- Oregon Money Management Program (State)

\$247,220- Title IIIE (OAA - Caregiver Support) (Federal)

\$76.364- Title IIID (OAA – Health Promotion) (Federal)

\$8,175 - Client Employer Provider Fees (Local)

#### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25035 ADVSD Case Management & In-Home Services (non-Medicaid)

Increase of 2.41 FTE. Moved 0.35 FTE Program Specialist Sr from program offer 25032. Moved 0.25 FTE Program Specialist from program offer 25033. Moved 0.25 FTE Data Analyst and 0.50 Program Specialist from program offer 25037. Moved 0.25 FTE Program Specialist and 1.00 OA Sr from program offer 25038. Added new 1.00 Program Technician

Moved 1.00 Case Management Assistant and 0.19 FTE Program Specialist to program offer 25038



### Program #25036 - ADVSD Safety Net Program

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Safety Net Program helps prevent eviction and stabilize housing for vulnerable older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. It also helps prevent participant health decline by providing things like dentures, eyeglasses, and prescription medicine assistance. This program offer also provides contractor funding for the Older Adult In-Home Care Program (OAIHC) which serves participants age 55+ who have been chronically homeless and recently placed into stable housing.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Many older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans struggle with the increasing cost of housing and medical expenses. In addition, poor housekeeping can have negative consequences on health, including increased risk of falls, infection and social isolation, and can even lead to eviction.

PROGRAM GOAL: The Safety Net and OAIHC Programs help participants remain safely and stably housed and offer wraparound support to address a variety of factors that contribute to eviction and health decline. The Safety Net team provides training to referring County and community-based case managers to ensure equitable access and reduce barriers to the program, particularly for marginalized communities.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Safety Net Program provides housing assistance to individuals who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness. They address health and safety concerns that might lead to eviction. Safety Net participants can also receive assistance with items often not covered by other programs, such as eyeglasses, dentures, durable medical equipment and short-term help with prescription medications. The OAIHC Program supports individuals with a history of chronic homelessness who've recently been placed in stable housing by providing the critical resources needed to continue living independently. Services are determined based on a person-centered care plan and can include support with: housekeeping, eviction prevention, transportation, grocery delivery, checking and understanding mail, advocacy during medical appointments, and more.

The 2022 Point in Time Report indicated that 17% of individuals experiencing homelessness in Multnomah County identified as Black and African American. In 2023, 27% of consumers who received Safety Net housing and eviction prevention services identified as Black and African American. In the coming year, the program will increase outreach efforts to partners who serve the Latino/a/x/e, Native American, Alaskan Native, and Indigenous communities.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of people who received Safety Net services	564	650	406¹	485		
Outcome	Percent of requests for Safety Net services fulfilled to avert eviction	60%	70%	68%	70%		
Output	Number of people served through the Older Adult In- Home Care (OAIHC) Program	N/A	30	30	30		
Outcome	Percent of OAIHC participants stably housed / moved to more stable housing 6 months post services	N/A	80%	80%	80%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>The FY24 estimated amount is lower due to the fact that costs of all services have increased (deposits, rent, utilities and contracted services).

## Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$132,589	\$132,589	\$138,336	\$138,336
Contractual Services	\$633,399	\$0	\$575,055	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$1,932	\$0	\$1,932	\$0
Internal Services	\$8,589	\$26,561	\$13,267	\$33,630
Total GF/non-GF	\$776,509	\$159,150	\$728,590	\$171,966
Program Total:	\$935,659		\$900	),556
Program FTE	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$159,150	\$0	\$171,966
Total Revenue	\$0	\$159,150	\$0	\$171,966

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$20,363 in indirect revenues. \$171,966 - Title XIX (Federal)

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25036 ADVSD Safety Net Program



#### Program #25037 - ADVSD Transportation Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Transportation Program helps older adults, people with disabilities, and Veterans. This program helps them with their transportation needs. Services provide transportation to social activities, nutrition programs, stores, pharmacies, and medical appointments. The program removes mobility barriers that may reduce a person's independence or quality of life. Services include transportation assessments, ride coordination, and authorization. Services offered include TriMet HOP cards, door-to-door service, and emergency rides. Specialized vehicles accommodate mobility devices.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: A 2020 community needs assessment of older adults found access to transportation an unmet need. Affordable transportation options support good health and an active lifestyle. Transportation also connects participants to their community which improves their quality of life.

A 2022 county transportation survey was conducted in 13 languages. The survey sought input specifically from participants who speak languages other than English and/or identify as Black, Indigenous, or a Person of Color in order to identify services and supports needed by those communities. It found transportation support was an essential service—transportation services to get to appointments, community events, and senior centers. Aging & Disability Advisory councils advocate for lower ride costs and more frequent service. They also ask for changes to provide safety personnel. The survey results showed that safety is a top concern for Transportation program participants and many prefer door-to-door transportation options.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of Transportation Services is to improve equitable access to community services. It supports community needs and efforts to extend outreach for ride services. Agencies and transportation services help people who speak other languages by providing translation services or drivers who speak their language. This program promotes hiring culturally diverse staff who speak more than one language.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: County and contracted community partners use case managers and transportation coordinators to screen for eligibility and estimate current transportation needs. They authorize services based on available resources and coordinate rides. Senior centers and Enhancing Equity programs provide services through ADVSD contracts with TriMet, Ride Connection, and Radio Cab. Clients with Medicaid receive transportation services through the ADVSD contract with TransDev.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Number of participants who received transportation assistance	1,276	1,200	1,194	1,200	
Outcome	Percent of non-Medicaid participants who report increased mobility because of transportation services <sup>1</sup>	91%	85%	91%	90%	
Outcome	Percent of non-Medicaid participants who were satisfied with transportation services received <sup>2</sup>	89%	N/A	89%	90%	

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>Methodology updated to only include valid responses of "yes" or "no". Based on 103 responses to a survey of FY2022 service recipients administered by ADVSD. Survey is administered every 3 years. <sup>2</sup>New Measure. Based on 99 responses to a survey of FY2022 service recipients administered by ADVSD. Survey is administered every 3 years.

In Multnomah County, ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer programs under the Federal Older Americans Act. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$164,361	\$0	\$0
Contractual Services	\$149,122	\$1,889,201	\$154,639	\$2,014,113
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$40	\$9,000	\$40
Internal Services	\$0	\$32,388	\$0	\$12,465
Total GF/non-GF	\$149,122	\$2,085,990	\$163,639	\$2,026,618
Program Total:	\$2,235,112		\$2,190,257	
Program FTE	0.00	1.38	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$2,085,990	\$0	\$2,026,618
Total Revenue	\$0	\$2,085,990	\$0	\$2,026,618

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$1,421,256 - Medicaid Community Transportation (Federal) \$546,430 - TriMet Community Transportation Local Match (Local) \$50,921 - PWD OPI Pilot Project (State) \$8,011 -Title IIIB (OAA – Supportive Services) (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25037 ADVSD Transportation Services

Decrease of 1.38 FTE. Moved 0.25 FTE Data Analyst and 0.50 Program Specialist to program offer 25035. Moved 0.13 FTE Data Analyst to program offer 25038.



### Program #25038 - ADVSD Advocacy & Community Program Operations

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

This program seeks to center the voice of historically marginalized communities. It supports an equity-focused, participant-directed service system. The program includes Area Plan development and management. The program provides contract administration, program support, network advocacy, volunteer engagement, and coordination.

#### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Division engages with diverse communities. These communities share their needs and issues. These engagements help in planning and developing services. The program ensures that publicly funded programs operate effectively.

PROGRAM GOAL: Advocacy efforts ensure diverse feedback and enhance equity for volunteers, staff, and participants. Program operations provide administrative support to contracted community-based organizations. This support helps ensure consistent, equitable, and quality-focused services to participants. ADVSD desires diverse community participation.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The program includes advocacy, contract monitoring, and Area Plan implementation. ADVSD develops and monitors social service and nutrition program contracts. The Older Americans Act requires an Area Plan. The Area Plan describes the scope of diverse needs in the service area and addresses service equity. It outlines program goals, objectives, and key tasks. ADVSD recruits and retains racially, ethnically, culturally, and regionally diverse community participation. The program supports regular meetings, and coordinating opportunities for community engagement and advocacy. Volunteers participate in programs such as the Foster Grandparents Program where volunteers help children learn to read and provide one-on-one tutoring or mentor teenagers and young parents; or the Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance (SHIBA) program where volunteers assist seniors with Medicare plans enrollment, file claims and to compare insurance policies.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Number of volunteer hours donated to ADVSD¹	3,874	38,000	6,400²	22,000	
Outcome	Percent of ADVSD contract funding for culturally specific providers <sup>3</sup>	38%	38%	42%	46%	
Outcome	Percent of SHIBA participants who reported improved understanding of Medicare options4	83%	N/A	78%	80%	

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>This measure includes the full Foster Grandparents Program (FGP) service area (Multnomah, Washington, and Clackamas County). <sup>2</sup>This decrease is largely due to a reduction in school-based placement opportunities for FGP volunteers. <sup>3</sup>Contracts are specific to the Federal Older Americans Act and Oregon Project Independence. FY24 estimate and FY25 offer are based on budgeted amounts and FY23 are actual expenditures. <sup>4</sup>New measure. Percent of 53 responses from SHIBA's Participant Experience Project Survey conducted during Fall 2022 Open Enrollment.

ADVSD is designated the Type B Transfer Area Agency on Aging for Multnomah County through a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services and as guided by ORS Ch 410, to provide mandatory functions for older adults and people with disabilities. These include the provision of quality staffing, service planning, senior and disability advisory councils, and comprehensive and coordinated service delivery for older adults and people with disabilities.

### Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$433,231	\$2,087,778	\$464,373	\$2,058,480
Contractual Services	\$131,647	\$2,315,643	\$67,909	\$1,259,087
Materials & Supplies	\$9,578	\$112,918	\$9,576	\$84,077
Internal Services	\$80,906	\$525,597	\$106,275	\$532,934
Total GF/non-GF	\$655,362	\$5,041,936	\$648,133	\$3,934,578
Program Total:	\$5,697,298		\$4,582,711	
Program FTE	3.31	16.12	3.33	14.92

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$4,798,419	\$0	\$3,691,061
Service Charges	\$0	\$243,517	\$0	\$243,517
Total Revenue	\$0	\$5,041,936	\$0	\$3,934,578

#### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$78,304 in indirect revenues.

\$1,259,157 - Title XIX (Federal)

\$576,952 - Title IIIB (OAA - Supportive Services) (Federal)

\$435.504 - Veteran's Directed Home & Community Services (Federal

\$380,016 - Oregon Money Management Program (State)

\$358,761 - Foster Grandparent Program (Federal)

\$243,517 - Contractor Rentals (Local)

\$187,493 - Title IIIC-1 (OAA - Congregate Meals) (Federal)

\$177.661 - State GF-SEQ Assist (Federal)

\$128,531 - ARPA Federal Older Americans Act Title III-B Supportive Services (Federal)

\$186,986 - Older/Disabled Mental Health (Federal)

### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25038 ADVSD Advocacy & Community Program Operations

Decrease of 1.18 FTE. Moved 1.00 Case Manager 2 to program offer 25025, moved 1.00 OA Sr and 0.25 Program Specialist Sr to program offer 25035, moved 0.50 OA2 to program offer 25039, cut 1.00 Program Specialist Sr

Increases: Moved 0.50 FTE Program Specialist Sr from program offer 25032, moved 0.25 FTE Program Specialist from program offer 25033, moved 1.00 Case Management Assistant and 0.19 Program Specialist from program offer 25035, moved 0.13 FTE Data Analyst and 0.50 Program Technician from program offer 25037



## Program #25039 - ADVSD Family Caregiver Program

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Marina Khalina

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Family Caregiver Support Program (FCSP) helps caregivers. FCSP participants care for older family members or are older adults raising grandchildren. Unpaid caregivers face stress, a financial burden that impacts their own health and family well-being. FCSP reduces burnout, maximizes independence, and provides support. This help allows people to remain in their homes. Support may include case management, respite, financial awards, and education.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: AARP estimates that 30% of the general population provides care for an older adult. These unpaid caregivers represent the largest source of long-term services and support. Stress and financial burden impact caregiver health. These issues can increase nursing facility placement for their loved ones.

PROGRAM GOAL: FCSP helps those caring for an older adult family member or raising grandchildren or related family members. This program reduces burnout and maximizes independence. It provides support that allows people to remain in their homes. Providing support can reduce nursing facility placement and increase family well-being.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The FCSP provides a system of support for unpaid family caregivers. This helps them provide quality care to their loved ones and makes caregiving easier. Unpaid family caregivers get information, training, counseling, case management, and peer support. Respite, financial awards, and education help reduce caregiver burnout. The program uses a hybrid model of virtual and in-person connections that include support groups, events, and training. FCSP targets outreach to diverse communities by collaborating with Enhancing Equity partners to develop and provide culturally specific programming. In FY25 the program plans to provide additional elder specific training and events.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of participants served by the Family Caregiver Support Program	329	325	334	325		
Outcome	Percent of caregivers satisfied with services received <sup>1</sup>	92%	N/A	92%	92%		
Outcome	Percent of caregivers who said services received helped them keep their loved one(s) at home <sup>2</sup>	90%	N/A	90%	90%		

## **Performance Measures Descriptions**

<sup>1</sup>New measure. Based on 50 responses to a survey of FY2023 participants. Survey is administered by ADVSD every 3 years. Former measure: "Percent of family caregivers who report services received were excellent or good". Dropped due to changes in survey design. FY23 Actual and FY24 Estimate: Data not available. Former measure: "Percent of family caregivers who attended a training or event that would recommend the program" Dropped due to insufficient response rate. FY23 Actual and FY24 Estimate: Data not available.

## **Legal / Contractual Obligation**

In Multnomah County, ADVSD has a contract with the Oregon Department of Human Services to administer programs under the Federal Older Americans Act. Oregon Revised Statute 410 allows for the administration of services to older adults and people with disabilities through local governmental entities.

## **Revenue/Expense Detail**

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$92,681	\$59,255	\$146,876	\$51,389
Contractual Services	\$100,387	\$291,170	\$0	\$414,780
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$21,031	\$0	\$21,031
Internal Services	\$61	\$15,681	\$14,054	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$193,129	\$387,137	\$160,930	\$487,200
Program Total:	\$580,266		\$648	3,130
Program FTE	0.61	0.39	1.00	0.50

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$387,137	\$0	\$487,200
Total Revenue	\$0	\$387,137	\$0	\$487,200

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$385,278 - Title IIIE (OAA - Caregiver Support) (Federal)

\$101,922 - ARPA Federal Older Americans Act Title III-E Family Caregivers

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25039 ADVSD Family Caregiver Program

Increase of 0.50 FTE. Moved 0.50 FTE Office Assistant 2 from program offer 25038



## Program #25041 - YFS - Domestic Violence Crisis Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Emergency and Crisis Services support individuals and families who are seeking safety from domestic violence. Domestic violence does not present in the same way across all demographics, meaning that survivors need access to client-centered and culturally-relevant services when the time is right for them. Crisis services are flexible, trauma-informed, and collaborative to meet the unique needs of each individual and family served.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: Domestic violence is a leading cause of violent victimization, accounting for more than 40% of all reported violent crime and 25% of all homicides in Multnomah County. Multnomah County spends an estimated \$10 million addressing domestic violence-related criminal costs and \$2.5 million in victim services annually. Crisis services help ensure that support is available for survivors when the time is right for them.

PROGRAM GOAL: In their lifetimes, 1 in 4 women and 1 in 9 men experience intimate partner violence. This program funds immediate safety and advocacy services for individuals and families. Services are provided through contracted community-based agencies. They serve a racially and ethnically diverse population.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: There are two program activities funded by this program: Shelter-based services and Mobile Advocacy.

Shelter-based programming is provided in partnership with the Joint Office of Homeless Services confidential shelters. Advocates provide confidential, 24-hour services for survivors. This includes ongoing safety planning and help navigating the domestic violence service continuum.

Mobile advocacy services serve survivors who are at risk of homelessness due to domestic violence. Advocates provide confidential support to survivors who have barriers to accessing available shelter services (ex. large families or those needing accommodation for disabilities). Mobile advocates are available to meet survivors anywhere in the county. Services include ongoing risk assessment and safety planning, emergency short-term motel stays, and support navigating the domestic violence system.

Performar	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of domestic violence survivors and children receiving comprehensive, specialized crisis services	437	400	400	400		
Outcome	Percentage of adult survivors who engaged in safety planning with an advocate	94%	90%	90%	90%		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$452,856	\$0	\$467,800	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$452,856	\$0	\$467,800	\$0
Program Total:	\$452	2,856	\$467	7,800
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25041 YFS - Domestic Violence Crisis Services



Program #25044 - YFS - Domestic and Sexual Violence Coordination FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

In their lifetimes, 1 in 4 women and 1 in 9 men will experience domestic violence. To serve a diverse community of survivors, our system must be collaborative. Domestic and Sexual Violence Coordination provides planning, coordination, evaluation, and support for the continuum of domestic and sexual violence services in Multnomah County

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Domestic violence is a leading cause of violent victimization, accounting for more than 40% of all reported violent crime and 25% of all homicides in Multnomah County. Domestic violence is a complex issue that requires a coordinated countywide response that focuses on prevention and support for survivors.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the program is to address domestic and sexual violence and support the full continuum of domestic and sexual violence services. Coordination is a key piece of the response. This supports system-wide collaboration and leadership for our community. It also supports our system to work toward improving our services, making them more accessible, and ensuring that the voice of survivors is at the center of our efforts.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program undertakes 4 key activities. First, we coordinate system-wide collaboration for the continuum of domestic and sexual violence services. We staff several advisory bodies centering the lived experience of survivors, especially BIPOC survivors and those from underserved communities. We also connect with service providers from across the system to lead system improvement efforts. Second, we lead community engagement work with participants and service providers. This includes engaging survivors from diverse backgrounds as leaders and experts. Third, we provide contract support for the full continuum of funded service providers. We support contract compliance as well as problem solving and connection with program staff. Finally, our work focuses on system-wide quality improvement and planning for future programming.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Percentage of survivors from BIPOC and/or underserved communities engaged in community advisory bodies	54%	50%	50%	50%	
Outcome	Percentage of non-profit partners receiving higher scores on the 'Performance Indicator tool'	100%	70%	85%	N/A	
Output	Number of DV Continuum collaborative meetings staffed by the DSVCO	166	150	150	125	
Outcome	Percentage of contracted providers reporting that the DSVCO is responsive and supportive of their work	N/A	85%	N/A	85%	

- 1. The DSVCO is phasing out the use of the Performance Indicator Tool due to the close of the federal grant that required its use
- 2. FY24 was the first year of new contracts to partner agencies, and a survey was not conducted. Survey will be conducted in FY25

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$627,018	\$89,519	\$668,411	\$50,000
Contractual Services	\$25,927	\$25,800	\$19,035	\$25,600
Materials & Supplies	\$13,529	\$0	\$12,200	\$0
Internal Services	\$114,492	\$4,869	\$94,502	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$780,966	\$120,188	\$794,148	\$75,600
Program Total:	\$901,154		\$869	,748
Program FTE	3.77	0.45	3.78	0.22

Program Revenues				
Fees, Permits & Charges	\$0	\$3,600	\$0	\$3,600
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$94,588	\$0	\$72,000
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$22,000	\$0	\$0
Total Revenue	\$0	\$120,188	\$0	\$75,600

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$50,000 - City of Portland Intergovernmental Agreement (Local)

\$22,000 - Weston Grant (Local)

\$3,600 - Domestic Partnership Fees (Local)

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25044 YFS - Domestic and Sexual Violence Coordination

Decrease 0.23 FTE Program Specialist Senior



# Program #25046 - YFS - Domestic Violence Legal Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Domestic violence is a complex issue, often requiring legal intervention to address client safety and offender accountability. The legal system is complex and navigating it can be traumatic for survivors. High quality legal services assist survivors who choose a legal intervention and need support through the process.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The court system can be difficult to navigate without professional legal representation and the cost of legal representation can be a barrier. There are very few resources for legal support available for low income survivors. As a result, survivors are often forced to appear in court without representation or legal advocacy. Survivors and provider agencies report that legal services are one of the highest unmet needs in the service continuum.

PROGRAM GOAL: Civil legal services help survivors navigate the court system. Funded programs provide support, consultation and legal representation for survivors.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Program activities focus on the provision of legal support. These specialized legal services for survivors help ensure better outcomes in legal proceedings. Services include support with restraining order hearings, custody and parenting time, immigration, housing, and other victim's rights related issues.

This program also supports services based in the Multnomah County Courthouse. The Restraining Order Services Room advocates assist survivors in obtaining protection orders. The Court Care program provides childcare in the Courthouse for families attending legal proceedings. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, courthouse services have moved to remote operation, and Court Care has suspended operation temporarily. In-person courthouse services will resume in line with Oregon Health Authority guidance.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of domestic violence survivors assisted with courthouse-based restraining order advocacy	2,569	800	800	800		
Outcome	Percentage of retained cases with a court action filed or contested by an attorney	100%	75%	80%	75%		
Output	Percentage of participants who identify as BIPOC	50%	40%	40%	40%		

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Legal Services contractors served significantly more participants in FY23 because of a shift to phone-based services that was necessary due to ongoing closure of the court to in-person advocacy services. The number reported represents 649 unique individuals served with in-person support, plus 1950 total calls made to the funded protection order hotline. We anticipate that service levels will return to their previous baseline in FY24 and FY25, as in-person court support has restarted.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$216,401	\$35,000	\$221,355	\$35,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$216,401	\$35,000	\$221,355	\$35,000
Program Total:	\$251	,401	\$256,355	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$35,000	\$0	\$35,000
Total Revenue	\$0	\$35,000	\$0	\$35,000

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$35,000 - Oregon Judicial Department Court Care Center (State)

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25046 YFS - Domestic Violence Legal Services



### Program #25047A - YFS - Domestic Violence Crisis Response Unit

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Domestic violence is a leading cause of violent victimization, accounting for more than 40% of all reported violent crime and 25% of homicides in Multnomah County. Survivors need access to trauma-informed services when the time is right for them. The Domestic Violence Crisis Response Unit (DVCRU) serves survivors in complex and high-risk cases. The DVCRU works with law enforcement to provide crisis response and victim advocacy. This co-located program also helps to ensure that law enforcement has the tools they need to best serve survivors.

## **Program Description**

ISSUE: Complex cases of ongoing, severe abuse require an immediate collaborative response. Strong collaboration between law enforcement and trained advocates can help prevent domestic violence homicides.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the DVCRU program is to increase victim safety and offender accountability. DVCRU focuses efforts where there is high risk of homicide or concern of immediate/severe violence.

PROGRAM ACTIVITIES: DVCRU advocates are co-located with the Portland Police Bureau Special Victims Unit, and include bilingual/bicultural advocates in an effort to reflect the population of survivors served. Daytime and after-hours victim advocates provide crisis response and support following domestic violence crimes. As essential employees, DVCRU advocates have provided in-person services since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic.

#### DVCRU includes four program components:

- -Domestic Violence Enhanced Response Team (DVERT) coordinates high-risk cases of domestic violence. These cases involve multiple systems and service providers to address survivors' needs. DVERT advocates provide coordination, ongoing support, and advocacy.
- Domestic Violence Response Advocates (DVRA) provide after-hours crisis support following police response to domestic violence related crimes. Advocates are available seven days a week, including late nights and holidays.
- -Elder & Vulnerable Adults Advocate collaborates with the Elder Crimes unit. This advocate supports adults over 55 or who have a disability. Advocates provide financial assistance, safety planning and help accessing protection orders.
- -Domestic Violence Reduction Unit advocates collaborate with the investigation unit of Portland Police Bureau. DVRU advocates provide advocacy, court accompaniment, and coordination with community agencies.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of survivors receiving multi-disciplinary, intensive intervention	171	250	200	200		
Outcome	Percentage of survivors who engaged in safety planning with an advocate	N/A	N/A	N/A	85%		
Output	Number of domestic violence survivors referred by police to afterhours victim advocates	486	500	500	500		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Measure 2 in new this year, and replaces an outcome measure that no longer captures the work done by the DVCRU

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$988,119	\$348,827	\$1,045,917	\$343,583
Contractual Services	\$60,000	\$0	\$60,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$7,940	\$0	\$7,830	\$0
Internal Services	\$222,923	\$0	\$234,348	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,278,982	\$348,827	\$1,348,095	\$343,583
Program Total:	\$1,62	\$1,627,809		1,678
Program FTE	8.00	3.00	8.09	

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$348,827	\$0	\$343,583
Total Revenue	\$0	\$348,827	\$0	\$343,583

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$343,583 - City of Portland General Fund (Local)

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25047 YFS - Domestic Violence Crisis Response Unit

0.09 FTE Victim Advocate moved from Federal/ State Fund to General Fund



### Program #25047B - YFS - Domestic Violence Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: New Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: Backfill State/Federal/Grant, Out of Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Domestic violence is a multifaceted issue, with both individual and community-level effects. Because domestic violence does not present uniformly across racial/ethnic and other intersectional demographics, individuals seeking safety from domestic violence need access to client-centered and culturally-relevant services when the time is right for them. This funding retains a portion of the capacity (previously funded through the American Rescue Plan) in multiple areas of the domestic violence service continuum in an effort to meet the unique needs of survivors with both community-based and criminal justice responses.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE:ISSUE: Domestic violence is a leading cause of violent victimization, accounting for more than 40% of all reported violent crime and 25% of all homicides in Multnomah County. Domestic violence services help ensure that support is available for survivors when the time is right for them.

PROGRAM GOAL: Peer-delivered community-based advocacy services and system-based advocacy embedded with law enforcement are both vital components of the response to domestic violence in Multnomah County. The goal of this program is to prevent and address domestic violence by investing in these approaches to increase the overall capacity of the domestic violence services continuum.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program funds two distinct programs activities--

- 1. Domestic Violence Recovery Mentor (DVRM): This program supports community-based advocates working at the intersection of domestic violence and substance abuse recovery. Peer Mentors offer lived experience as survivors in recovery, and are uniquely positioned to provide participants with a wide range of intensive, long-term support and advocacy. This offer funds one DVRM with a culturally-specific focus, contracted with Raphael House of Portland.
- 2. Domestic Violence Enhanced Response Team (DVERT): DVERT is a multi-disciplinary approach to address high-lethality, complex domestic violence cases. Co-located with Portland Police Bureau, DVERT staff provide long-term case management, client assistance and advocacy. Case staffing with the multi-disciplinary team helps to ensure that survivors in these complex cases receive the services and support they need as they navigate multiple systems.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of individuals receiving culturally/population- specific domestic violence services	91	200	180	30		
Output	Number of survivors receiving multi-disciplinary, intensive intervention	114	150	150	75		
Outcome	Percentage of adult survivors who engage in safety planning with an advocate by exit	100%	85%	85%	85%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Reductions in FY25 targets reflect the reduction in funded staff positions from FY24 (PO 25399C)

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$229,351	\$126,643	\$0
Contractual Services	\$0	\$584,433	\$110,418	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$813,784	\$237,061	\$0
Program Total:	\$813,784		\$237	7,061
Program FTE	0.00	2.00	1.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$813,784	\$0	\$0
Total Revenue	\$0	\$813,784	\$0	\$0

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25399C ARP - Domestic Violence Services

In FY 2024, this program was funded with Federal American Rescue Plan (ARP) Direct County Funding.



Program #25048 - YFS - Culturally Specific and Underserved Domestic & Sexual FY 2025 Department Requested Violence Services

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**Department:** County Human Services **Program Contact:** Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Domestic violence is a complex issue, with both individual and community-level effects. Experiencing racism or other forms of oppression intensifies the trauma of domestic and sexual violence. Culturally-specific services address this critical intersection through relationship-based advocacy and support. Trusted community-based providers administer these programs. They provide high-quality, holistic services to survivors and their families.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The experience of domestic and sexual violence can differ depending on the community. Cultural considerations are an important factor in effective service delivery. Survivors report an increased level of comfort when they are able to access services from within their own community.

PROGRAM GOAL: To prevent and address domestic violence in under-served communities by providing access to high-quality, relationship-based advocacy services.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program funds domestic violence services for the following populations: African American, Latinx, Native American, immigrants and refugees, LGBTQ, older adults and people with disabilities. Culturally-specific services are reflective of the needs and values of survivors from these communities. Survivors can access safety planning, advocacy, case management, and help navigating systems. Programs offer support accessing housing, legal support, and financial assistance. Programs also connect survivors with natural support networks in their community. This supports long-term healing and healthy relationships.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of individuals receiving culturally/population- specific domestic violence services	514	450	450	450		
Outcome	Percentage of adult survivors who engage in safety planning with an advocate	87%	90%	90%	90%		
Output	Percentage of participants who identify as BIPOC	82%	75%	75%	75%		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$837,198	\$0	\$864,826	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$837,198	\$0	\$864,826	\$0
Program Total:	\$837	,198	\$864,826	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25048 YFS - Culturally Specific and Underserved Domestic & Sexual Violence



## Program #25049 - YFS - Sexual Assault Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Alix Sanchez

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

In the wake of a sexual assault, many support services require a survivor to engage with the criminal justice system. Sexual assault survivors need access to advocacy, regardless of whether they choose to prosecute their offender. This program supports community-based sexual assault advocacy to address the unique needs of survivors. These services are mobile, and available 24/7. All services are provided by contracted, community-based nonprofit agencies.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: Oregon has the second-highest lifetime prevalence of sexual assault in the country. Crisis lines in Multnomah County report more than 2,000 calls each year seeking sexual assault services. 75% of survivors choose to avoid working with the criminal justice system. Because of this, they are not eligible for traditional sexual assault victim services. Many never receive specialized trauma or medical services that can help them with their recovery.

PROGRAM GOAL: Community-based sexual assault and trauma services are available to survivors regardless of their choice to engage with the criminal justice system.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program funds services to survivors of rape or sexual assault. Mobile advocates connect with survivors in a variety of non-traditional settings including hospitals, health clinics, urgent care centers, shelters, and schools. Funded positions include 24/7 crisis response, as well as bilingual/bicultural advocacy.

Sexual assault advocates provide medical and legal advocacy, case management, and flexible client funds for emergency needs. Limited relocation funds are also available. Contracted providers work with a variety of partners to coordinate our community's response to sexual assault.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of sexual assault survivors who receive specialized crisis services	206	150	150	150		
Outcome	Percentage of adult survivors who engage in safety planning with an advocate	97%	90%	90%	90%		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$173,413	\$0	\$180,714	\$0
Contractual Services	\$668,661	\$0	\$690,727	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$0	\$1,300	\$0
Internal Services	\$20,904	\$0	\$21,497	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$862,978	\$0	\$894,238	\$0
Program Total:	\$862,978		\$894	,238
Program FTE	1.00	0.00	1.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25049 YFS - Sexual Assault Services



### Program #25050A - YFS - Gateway Center

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Gateway Center is a service center which serves as a primary access point for domestic and sexual violence services in Multnomah County. Gateway Center provides a wide range of critical services to survivors and their children. These services ensure that survivors can learn about and access available resources, and get support navigating complex systems. The Gateway Center contracts for services from a wide variety of culturally-specific partners. This supports equitable access for a diverse population of survivors.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: Domestic violence is a leading cause of violent victimization, accounting for more than 40% of all reported violent crime and 25% of all homicides in Multnomah County. Domestic violence is a complex issue. Survivors often need support to access available resources and understand their options.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the Gateway Center is to address the impact of domestic and sexual violence, and prevent further harm. Gateway provides access to critical services and safety planning in a trauma-informed, culturally-responsive and welcoming environment. The Gateway Center seeks to interrupt the cycle of power and control that survivors experience by centering survivor autonomy and choice, and improving access to services and resources.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program funds the Gateway Intake Team and contracted navigation/support services, and legal advocacy services. The Gateway Intake Team coordinates a complex service delivery system. This consists of 16 on-site partners including civil attorneys, prosecutors, DHS, and 12 nonprofits. The intake team is the initial point of contact for every survivor served by the Gateway Center (more than 10,000 in 2021). The Intake team assesses, triages and refers each survivor to the appropriate services. The team also manages a busy satellite courtroom in partnership with the Multnomah County Circuit Court. This allows survivors to access protection orders remotely, with support from trained advocates.

Contracted services include Navigators trained to provide high quality domestic violence advocacy. Navigators provide a broad spectrum of services including safety planning, support with restraining orders, access to financial assistance, and economic empowerment services. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Gateway Center services have been primarily offered remotely. However, at least one staff member is present during regular hours of operation to ensure emergency walk-in participants can be accommodated if needed.

Performan	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of community members who are able to access protection orders at the Gateway Center	1,355	1,300	1,300	1,300		
Outcome	Percentage of participants reporting increased knowledge of and access to resources	91%	85%	85%	85%		
Output	Number of domestic violence and/or sexual assault survivors seen at intake for legal consultation	427	375	375	375		
Output	Number of retained cases with immigration relief actions filed by legal service attorneys	33	14	20	20		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$218,535	\$578,429	\$231,188	\$613,717
Contractual Services	\$150,028	\$518,888	\$154,979	\$487,842
Materials & Supplies	\$8,350	\$0	\$9,350	\$0
Internal Services	\$339,382	\$30,731	\$393,675	\$1,248
Total GF/non-GF	\$716,295	\$1,128,048	\$789,192	\$1,102,807
Program Total:	\$1,844,343		\$1,89	1,999
Program FTE	2.00	4.00	2.00	4.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,128,048	\$0	\$1,102,807
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,128,048	\$0	\$1,102,807

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$1,102,807- City of Portland Intergovernmental Agreement (Local)

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25050 YFS - Gateway Center



Program #25050B - YFS - Domestic Violence Housing Support - SHS FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: One-Time-Only Request, In Target

## **Executive Summary**

Domestic violence is one of the leading causes of homelessness for women and children in Multnomah County. In the 2022 Point in Time Count of unhoused individuals, over one third of respondents indicated that they had experienced domestic violence. Dedicated housing support provides survivors of domestic and sexual violence with specialized services to both prevent homelessness and support unhoused survivors in accessing and retaining safe and stable housing.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: Domestic violence is one of the leading causes of homelessness for women and children in Multnomah County. The majority of survivors also experience financial abuse, which can make accessing and retaining stable housing even more challenging.

PROGRAM GOAL: Support survivors of domestic and sexual violence to access and retain safe, stable housing through housing-focused case management, flexible client assistance and eviction prevention services. These services are open to all survivors in Multnomah County, with a priority to serve BIPOC survivors and those from other historically marginalized communities.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Housing advocates (1.00 FTE County staff stationed at the Gateway Center, 2.00 FTE contracted staff at culturally specific programs) will provide eviction prevention, housing system navigation, shelter diversion, and other housing-related wraparound services, including housing retention support at culturally specific agencies. Each position is allocated a significant client assistance budget to be utilized in a variety of ways to support survivors in their unique housing related needs. This includes eviction prevention, clearing housing-related debt, move-in costs, and rental/deposit assistance. This program also includes a 1.00 FTE Housing Assessor (County staff).

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of individuals receiving individualized housing support services	N/A	N/A	N/A	200			
Outcome	Percentage of participants exiting to stable housing	N/A	N/A	N/A	80%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$109,268	\$0	\$238,934
Contractual Services	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$459,526
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$109,268	\$0	\$698,460
Program Total:	\$109,268		\$698	3,460
Program FTE	0.00	1.00	0.00	2.00

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

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$698,460 Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations. Of this amount, \$580,495 is one-time-only funding. The one-time-only funding includes \$120,969 (1.00 FTE) in personnel and \$459,526 in contractual services

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 30407A Supportive Housing - Countywide Coordination - Dept of County Human

FY 2024 Other Funds is Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30303A/B – Housing Placement & Retention – Domestic Violence.



# Program #25118 - YFS - Youth & Family Services Administration

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Youth and Family Services Division (YFS) aims to provide high quality, equitable, and culturally relevant services that help people thrive. The YFS Administration provides strategic division-wide leadership to support this goal. This means using a racial equity lens to oversee daily operations, develop budgets, design programs, and manage contracts. YFS Administration also supports its staff so that they can experience safety, trust, and belonging in the workplace.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Youth and Family Services Division supports the County's investments in five areas: Energy Services, Housing Stability, Education Supports, Early Childhood, and Domestic & Sexual Violence. It is also the County's Community Action Program office. The YFS Administration supports 29 unique programs and initiatives.

PROGRAM GOAL: The YFS Administration is committed to equity, accountability, and quality of service. It provides the infrastructure needed to guide programs, drive policy, and build partnerships. Together with staff, YFS Administration seeks to uplift the Department's North Star: That every person at every stage of life has equitable opportunities to thrive.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Anchored by racial equity, the YFS Administration supports the division in a few ways.1) Ongoing budget development and monitoring. This includes ensuring that YFS activities adhere to funding guidelines. 2) Overseeing daily operations for the division. This includes supervising staff and creating structures that foster innovation and creativity. 3) Supporting staff and improving workplace culture, with staff experience at the core. 4) Convening and supporting partners in the community. 5) Uplifting Department priorities, such as the Workforce Equity Strategic Plan and the North Star.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Percent of invoices processed within 30 days.	96%	90%	90%	90%			
Outcome	Percent of staff & managers who report receiving support for their career and professional development goals. (1)	N/A	60%	60%	60%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

(1) Outcome data was not gathered in FY23; we will begin in FY24.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$2,389,250	\$133,856	\$2,236,634	\$154,704
Contractual Services	\$51,020	\$0	\$51,020	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$70,210	\$0	\$43,560	\$0
Internal Services	\$318,428	\$0	\$300,402	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,828,908	\$133,856	\$2,631,616	\$154,704
Program Total:	\$2,962,764		\$2,78	6,320
Program FTE	15.00	1.00	.00 13.00	

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

## **Explanation of Revenues**

\$154,704 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25118A YFS - Youth & Family Services Administration

Decrease of 2.00 FTE; 1.00 Data Analyst moved to program offer 25160, 1.00 Program Specialist Sr moved to program offer 25133.

FY 2024 Other Funds is Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30407A – Supportive Housing – Countywide Coordination – Dept of County Human Services.



## Program #25119 - YFS - Energy Assistance

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

In order for people to have quality of life, they need to have enough heat in their home, the lights on, and hot water. Functional utilities help ensure that a young person can learn at home, an older adult is safe, and families remain stable. The Energy Assistance Program (EAP) supports housing stability by providing financial help to people who live on a fixed or low income. The EAP emphasizes providing equitable access for all people who need help meeting their energy needs.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: The average energy burden for low-income households is 8.2% - 3 times higher than higher-income households. Many low-income households use expensive heating fuels. Their homes are often older and less efficient, and they face barriers to accessing the technology that would help reduce their energy costs. Additionally, Black, Indigenous, and Communities of Color bear a further disproportionate energy burden. In 2016, the American Council for Energy Efficient Economy found that almost half of all energy-poor households in the US were Black. We also know that people in BIPOC households were more likely to lose their jobs or experience a reduction in wages during the COVID-19 pandemic and the long term economic hardships can make it even more difficult for households to meet their basic energy needs.

PROGRAM GOAL: The Energy Assistance Program provides one-time annual energy bill payments for households who live on a fixed or low income and who are struggling with energy costs. This will help keep these families in stable housing.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Energy Assistance Program provides direct utility payments to income-eligible households. The EAP also provides energy education, case management, and other services. This helps households manage and pay for their energy costs, as well as learn about other services. The EAP consists of seven community nonprofit agencies who deliver the energy bill payments for fixed and low-income households. On average, program participants received \$670 in utility help last year. To better meet community needs, the EAP is prioritizing culturally-specific outreach to BIPOC populations, as well as elders and families who may need energy cost help.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of households served. <sup>1</sup>	29,474	30,000	19,000	19,000			
Outcome	Percentage of households served after receiving shutoff notice who avoid disconnection.	100%	100%	100%	100%			

# **Performance Measures Descriptions**

1.Estimated targets for FY24 & 25 return to pre-pandemic levels as a result of pandemic-era additional funding for Energy Services.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$1,159,808	\$0	\$955,991
Contractual Services	\$0	\$14,960,391	\$0	\$10,607,706
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$477,383	\$0	\$110,176
Internal Services	\$0	\$319,787	\$0	\$301,530
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$16,917,369	\$0	\$11,975,403
Program Total:	\$16,917,369		\$11,97	75,403
Program FTE	0.00	10.00	0.00	7.50

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$16,917,369	\$0	\$11,975,403
Total Revenue	\$0	\$16,917,369	\$0	\$11,975,403

## **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$140,720 in indirect revenues.

\$7,321,480 - OHCSD Oregon Energy Assistance Program (OEAP) (State).

\$4,573,923 - OHCSD Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program - Energy (LIHEAP) (Federal). Decreased by \$4.5 million from FY 2024.

\$80,000 - PDX Water/Sewer D/A (Local)

### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25119 YFS - Energy Assistance

FY 2025 reduction is due to a drop in estimated Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) funding for. The FY 2024 budget included estimated carryover funding of \$1.8 million, which is not included in the FY 2025 budget. Additionally, the program is budgeting conservatively for FY 2025 as it is not clear if one-time-only funding from Disaster Relief LIHEAP or Emergency LIHEAP funding will continue into the second year of the biennium.

Decrease of 2.50 FTE; Reduced 2.00 Program Technician, moved 0.50 Program Specialist to program offer 25121.



### Program #25121A - YFS - Weatherization

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

## **Executive Summary**

People's homes need to be safe, comfortable, and energy efficient. Energy efficiency creates healthier, safer living environments. It also saves people living on fixed and low incomes money so that they can keep it for when they need it most. The Weatherization Program uses County staff and contracted vendors to provide energy use audits, weatherization services, furnace repair and replacement, and appliance replacement to fixed and low-income households.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: According to the Department of Energy, every weatherized home saves its occupants about \$300 each year on energy bills, on average. Low-income people spend a higher percentage of their income on energy costs compared to people with higher incomes. Black, Indigenous, and People of Color are even more likely to experience these burdens because their communities receive less investment. The Weatherization Program reduces some of these challenges by saving people money and reducing pollution impacts. This improves health, helps fight the climate crisis, and, through the use of contracted vendors, helps people get back to work.

PROGRAM GOAL: The Weatherization Program aims to make homes more livable and affordable for low income residents. Weatherized homes help reduce energy consumption and lower utility bills. Those who are living in weatherized homes are also safer and healthier. Energy efficiency also reduces the energy burden and creates significant greenhouse gas savings.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Weatherization Program provides home energy audits to low-income households. This includes older adults, people with disabilities, Veterans, communities of color, and families. The energy audits determine the scope of repairs and/or improvements needed for the home. These repairs reduce energy use and lower utility bills so that the home is more comfortable and safe. Weatherization services might include: insulating attics, floors, and walls; air and duct sealing; and repairing/replacing heating systems. Every household also receives energy education and information about other community services.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of households served.	175	250	200	250			
Outcome	Percent of individuals served who identify as Black, Indigenous, and People of Color.	62%	70%	65%	70%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

FY23 output is lower due to staff capacity challenges in FY23. Program is fully staffed in FY24.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$1,540,372	\$0	\$1,686,404
Contractual Services	\$0	\$5,290,619	\$0	\$5,238,303
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$326,027	\$0	\$313,362
Internal Services	\$0	\$374,021	\$0	\$686,996
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$7,531,039	\$0	\$7,925,065
Program Total:	\$7,531,039		\$7,92	5,065
Program FTE	0.00	12.00	0.00	12.50

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$6,986,039	\$0	\$7,920,065
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$545,000	\$0	\$5,000
Total Revenue	\$0	\$7,531,039	\$0	\$7,925,065

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$248,241 in indirect revenues.

\$3,792,285 - OHCSD ECHO (SB1149) (State)

\$2,328,891 - OHCSD DOE Weatherization (Federal)

\$938,889 - OHCSD Low Income Energy Assistance Program - Weatherization (Federal)

\$540,000 - County Weatherization Rebates (Local)

\$300,000 - Earth Advantage (Local)

\$10,000 - Energy Conservation show rebates (Local)

\$10,000 - PDX Water and Sewer (Local)

\$5,000 - Beginning Working Capital (Local)

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25121A YFS - Weatherization

Increase of 0.50 FTE; moved 0.50 FTE Program Specialist from program offer 25119



### Program #25121B - YFS - Climate Resilience

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: New Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs: 10018

**Program Characteristics:** Out of Target

#### **Executive Summary**

This program continues, and expands, the Wood Stove Replacement Program for Multnomah County. The program began in FY 2023 and exchanges old and highly polluting bulk fuel heating devices with new and highly efficient electric heat pumps. This program impacts air quality, health and climate change. It funds staff capacity to implement the program; the equipment and installation comes from leveraged local and federal dollars.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Clean air greatly affects the health and safety of people who live in Multnomah County. Smoke from burning wood to heat homes is a major cause of air pollution; other bulk fuel heating devices (pellet stoves, old gas furnaces and fireplaces) also contribute to poor indoor and outdoor air quality. Higher levels of wood smoke in the air have been connected to higher levels of sickness like heart and lung illnesses.

Poor air quality and pollution is an environmental justice issue for Black, Indigenous and other People of Color (BIPOC). BIPOC communities have higher rates of asthma than other groups. Reducing wood smoke & other pollutants will benefit these groups. It is also a way for the county to have a positive effect on the heat problems we face due to climate change and on the lives of all people in the county.

PROGRAM GOAL: Improve the environment and lives of people in Multnomah County by providing more efficient heating that will reduce air pollution and result in better health of 1) those living in the homes with new heating and cooling, 2) those living in nearby areas, 3) BIPOC people who experience more pollution and higher rates of lung problems and 4) the county as a whole.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Wood Stove Replacement Program provides heating exchanges - removing efficient older highly polluting bulk fuel devices and replacing them with efficient heating and cooling devices. Households can replace an old wood stove, fireplace or fireplace insert with a cleaner, more efficient option such as a new furnace or a heat pump. People who use wood as their main source of heat would receive the new heating. The program includes 1.00 FTE ongoing staff to carry out the program including reaching out to people heating with wood, signing them up, doing inspections and managing contracts to do the replacement work. Funding for equipment and installation will come from leveraged state and federal dollars.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of bulk fuel devices replaced	25	50	50	50			
Outcome	Percent of households in high priority communities of Multnomah County	N/A	N/A	N/A	80%			

# **Performance Measures Descriptions**

FY23 was the start up year for the program.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$244,283	\$0	\$143,419	\$0
Contractual Services	\$0	\$0	\$10,000	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$244,283	\$0	\$153,419	\$0
Program Total:	\$244,283		\$153	3,419
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25121B YFS - Woodstove Replacement

In FY 2024, this program was funded with one-time-only General Fund and included 2.00 limited duration assignment (LDA) positions. In FY 2025, this program replaces the 2.00 LDA's with a 1.00 FTE Program Specialist.



# Program #25130 - YFS - Family Unification Program

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs: 25139A/B
Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Family Unification Project (FUP) is a culturally specific program and it addresses the consequences of systemic racism in the Child Welfare system--especially the high rates of Black, Indigenous and Children of Color. FUP helps secure safe and stable housing which is a foundation for reunification with the children. The program is a partnership with County Human Services, Youth & Family Services (DCHS/YFS), Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS), Home Forward (HF), Metropolitan Public Defenders and community agencies. Direct services are contracted to non-profits. YFS staff support FUP through program development by bringing service providers together, offering guidance and support to providers and contract monitoring.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The legacy of systemic racism in Child Welfare profoundly affects families. Black, Indigenous, Native and families of color are overrepresented in the DHS child welfare system. Because of the impacts of racism, FUP uses culturally specific approaches of family engagement and support in order to help keep/regain custody of their child/children, including housing, education, employment, child care and parenting support.

PROGRAM GOAL: The program goal is to provide culturally specific services to support and empower families so they can remain intact and/or reunite, remain stably housed, and exit from DHS child welfare system involvement.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Each organization receiving FUP funds provides a key service to help families. This ensures families have a comprehensive and coordinated range of supports. Home Forward provides HUD-funded Housing Choice vouchers for families with DHS child welfare involvement. DCHS/YFS provides funds for case management through culturally specific and responsive community agencies, and DHS supports family reunification. Case managers use the Assertive Engagement model which recognizes the individual as the expert in their own life and helps families choose their own path and goals. Metropolitan Public Defenders help remove legal barriers, such as record expungement and mitigation of fines. Flexible service options are also available and may include payments for household and life-needs, supporting involvement in groups and activities and related services.

The range of services FUP provides help families, especially those from Black, Indigenous, and Communities of Color to reunite and remain stably housed.

Performar	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of families who engage in services	71	135	135	191			
Outcome	Percent of families that engage in case management	62%	80%	80%	80%			

# **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Output is lower for FY23 due to staff capacity issues. Output for FY25 is increased due to new funding.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$627,725	\$0	\$648,440	\$300,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$627,725	\$0	\$648,440	\$300,000
Program Total:	\$627	7,725	\$948	3,440
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$300,000
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$300,000

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$300,000 - Family Unification Program (TBD). This is a new award from Oregon Department of Human Services to support the Family Unification Project.

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25130 YFS - Family Unification Program



## Program #25131A - YFS - Legal Services & Supports

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

## **Executive Summary**

Multnomah County is in a severe housing crisis and many low-income residents lack housing and/or economic stability. Having legal issues and not having financial resources to address them are roadblocks to overall stability. It can prevent access to housing, employment, education and community involvement. Black, Indigenous, Native and Communities of Color and people with disabilities are disproportionately impacted by debt and legal barriers because of systemic racism and discrimination. Legal services and supports help remove legal issues that may be barriers to opportunity and stability.

# **Program Description**

ISSUE: Residents experiencing poverty, in particular Black, Indigenous and Communities of Color and people with disabilities often experience discrimination and more frequent contact with the criminal justice system. This systemic racism results in legal and financial barriers that prevent them from accessing housing, employment, education and other opportunities.

PROGRAM GOAL: Legal Services and Supports provide free legal services and advice to participants who need assistance with fines, fees and other legal issues. By reducing and/or eliminating the legal issues, it removes barriers to housing, employment, education, etc. and thus increases the potential for stability and opportunity

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program uses two strategies: Legal Service Days and Community Legal Clinics.

1) Legal Service Days: District Attorneys, Judges, Public Defenders and Social Services agencies collaborate to host legal clinics which help clients reduce or eliminate fees, fines and legal barriers. These legal clinics are located virtually, and when in-person, throughout the County, close to low-income residents and Communities of Color.

2) Community Legal Clinics: To increase trust and engagement, contracted legal services staff Attorneys work with culturally specific case managers and County program staff. and receive referrals to no cost barrier screening, representation and legal services. Participants are engaged in the Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI), and the Family Reunification Program (FUP). Legal supports depend on the individual need and include expungement, eviction prevention, housing voucher hearings, reduction of fees and fines, drivers' license restoration, felony reduction, appeal of exclusions, gang designations and other legal barrier removal cases.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Number of participants engaged in services <sup>1</sup>	1,378	1,175	1,175	1,175	
Outcome	Percentage of participants receiving legal advice or services resulting in barrier reduction	50%	90%	90%	90%	
Output	Amount of fees and fines waived or reduced	\$2,231,079	\$1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$475,552	\$0	\$491,246	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$475,552	\$0	\$491,246	\$0
Program Total:	\$475,552		\$491,246	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25131A YFS - Legal Services & Supports



## Program #25131B - YFS - Peer Navigators

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

Economically disadvantaged people and people of color are 20x more likely to be incarcerated, and even a single arrest can lead to the loss of housing, jobs, children, benefits, and education, creating immediate and intergenerational trauma. Incarceration causes irrevocable harm to about 70 million Americans, exacerbates inequity, and does not make our communities safer. Defense based case managers will provide necessary support to these individuals.

## **Program Description**

### ISSUE:

Individuals charged with a crime in Multnomah County often have a high level of need for services. While the type will differ for each client, the most common stabilizing services include housing (temporary, short-term, and long-term), behavioral health, medical, employment, and family/child care. However, given the scarcity of these services, as well as the complexities of accessing them, most clients will not engage with them without assistance.

#### PROGRAM GOAL:

Defense-based case managers are uniquely situated to provide that type of support to pretrial clients. In addition to assurances of confidentiality, defense-based case managers can effectively engage clients through shared experience. Case managers with lived experience and/or prior system involvement can connect with clients in ways that system actors, and even defense counsel cannot. They can offer clients advice based on their own struggles with substances, plug clients into existing recovery support networks, and overcome barriers of distrust and skepticism of the criminal legal system. Including a defense-based case manager in the process allows service coordination engagement at the outset of the criminal case.

#### PROGRAM ACTIVITY:

The case manager will inquire about service needs and assist the client in accessing them. A strengths and needs evaluation can be conducted quickly and will assess all of the relevant service needs for each client. Depending on the client's needs, the information collected can be used for immediate referrals to services or be passed along to the defense attorney appointed for future referrals and/or release planning.

Performan	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of clients connected to Peer Support Case Managers	253	200	253	200		
Outcome	Percent of clients have been connected to services	63%	75%	65%	75%		

# **Performance Measures Descriptions**

FY23-24 Program got a late start. Should have an increase now that staff are in place.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds	
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025	
Contractual Services	\$550,517	\$0	\$568,684	\$0	
Total GF/non-GF	\$550,517	\$0	\$568,684	\$0	
Program Total:	\$550	\$550,517		\$568,684	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25131B YFS - Peer Navigators



### Program #25131C - YFS - Eviction Prevention Support

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

## **Executive Summary**

This program funds services that support renters so they can remain housed and avoid eviction. It provides access to up-to-date and accurate information about their rights as renters. It also provides legal representation to clear eviction notices.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: COVID-19 has deepened the housing crisis and increased housing instability for many in Multnomah County with disparate impacts of health, employment and housing instability for Black, Indigenous, Latinx and other Communities of Color. A lack of affordable housing along with job loss, confusion related to changes in the law, and the health consequences of COVID-19 are some of the factors that contribute to the current crisis. Accessing resources and navigating the evolving legal protections has also been difficult and renters can benefit from services that help them take advantage of existing eviction protections. Additionally, once eviction protections end, there will be a higher need for eviction support services.

PROGRAM GOAL: Renters in Multnomah County will have a resource that provides accurate and timely information. It will also help them access the legal protections and rental assistance they may be entitled to for eviction protection.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: There are two primary program activities. The first activity focuses on providing updated legal information and education services to renters in the County. To make it easy to access, services will be provided in multiple formats including, but not limited to a Renters Right Hotline, website, social media, and hard copies. Additional education services are available and/or can be created to ensure information is up to date, accurate, and tailored to the diverse communities needing eviction protections, during the pandemic recovery period and beyond. These programs offer culturally specific services and has community connections and relationships with culturally specific organizations. The second activity is legal services. These will capitalize on existing services and capacity as well as develop new resources to provide comprehensive eviction prevention support.

Performan	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of people receiving legal information, education and referral services	2,415	1,500	1,500	1,500		
Outcome	Renters who engage with legal representation to achieve dismissal of their case.	261	300	300	300		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$411,428	\$0	\$446,256	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$411,428	\$0	\$446,256	\$0
Program Total:	\$411	,428	\$446,256	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25131C YFS - Eviction Prevention Support



Program #25133A - YFS - Housing Stabilization for Vulnerable Populations (HSVP) FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Racism and a lack of affordable housing have contributed to housing instability, especially for Black, Indigenous, Native and other Communities of Color. In addition, for those with low or fixed incomes, the lack of affordable housing has been especially devastating. Yet housing is a foundation to individual, family and community stability and well-being. This program provides eviction prevention services to people with low incomes, and focuses on families with children, older adults and people with disabilities. The goal is to both prevent eviction as well as support those who are evicted to secure stable housing.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Significant rent increases, a shortage of affordable housing and a global pandemic have contributed to housing instability for many. Individuals and families with low or fixed incomes can benefit from stable housing. Stable housing is also a racial justice issue. Because of the on-going and cumulative impacts of racism, we know many of those who struggle with housing stability are Black, Indigenous, Native and other People of Color.

PROGRAM GOAL: This program offers a range of services to both prevent eviction as well as help those who are evicted to secure stable housing.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program offer represents two program areas: Short Term Rent Assistance and the Housing Stability Team.

- 1. Short-Term Rent Assistance program (STRA) is a joint effort between Multnomah County, the City of Portland, and Home Forward. Each organization contributes funds. STRA funds are then given to local social service agencies who work with families who are at risk of homelessness. Because of the impacts of racism, this program prioritizes support to communities of color. Funds can be used for rent assistance, mortgage payment, and emergency hotel vouchers. Assistance is available for up to 24 months. These services help County residents find homes, maintain housing, avoid homelessness, and work on creating a path to economic stability.
- 2. The Housing Stability Team (HST) provides additional help with housing for people engaged in County programs. Services include eviction prevention, housing stabilization, Assertive Engagement case management, landlord retention services, utility payments, short-term rent assistance, and move-in flexible funds.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of households engaged in Short Term Rent Assistance through Home Forward	1,938	1,000	1,000	1,000		
Outcome	Percentage of households engaged who remain in permanent housing six months after exit	66%	70%	70%	70%		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$300,943	\$0	\$158,747	\$159,788
Contractual Services	\$1,204,952	\$2,986,607	\$1,219,016	\$3,554,455
Materials & Supplies	\$10,270	\$0	\$11,250	\$0
Internal Services	\$21,216	\$0	\$50,734	\$23,521
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,537,381	\$2,986,607	\$1,439,747	\$3,737,764
Program Total:	\$4,523,988		\$5,17	7,511
Program FTE	2.00	0.00	1.00	1.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$2,986,607	\$0	\$3,737,764
Total Revenue	\$0	\$2,986,607	\$0	\$3,737,764

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$23,521 in indirect revenues.

\$1,933,003 - Oregon Eviction Diversion & Prevention Program

\$1,669,782 - OHCSD Emergency Housing Assistance (State)

\$134,979 - State of Oregon Elderly Rent Assistance (State)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25133A YFS - Housing Stabilization for Vulnerable Populations (HSVP)

Moved 1.00 FTE Program Specialist Sr from program offer 25118 (Federal/ State Fund), moved 1.00 FTE Program Specialist Sr to program offer 25139 (General Fund)



### Program #25133B - YFS - Emergency Rent Assistance

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: New Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: Backfill State/Federal/Grant, Out of Target

### **Executive Summary**

Stable housing is linked to positive health and social outcomes for individuals, families and communities. Eviction Prevention Program and other eviction prevention supports are key strategies to support renters to remain stably housed and prevent the homelessness crisis from getting worse. Eviction prevention supportive services and rent assistance are critical interventions to keep our homelessness crisis from getting worse.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Thousands of Multnomah County residents are not able to pay their rent due to the lingering impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. COVID 19 exposed and exacerbated economic racial disparities that existed long before the pandemic. Black, indigenous, and People of color continue to be disproportionately at risk of eviction, impacted by inflation and rising costs of rent, and facing the greatest barriers to employment and housing stability. The pandemic increased the number of folks experiencing unemployment, poverty and domestic violence, as well as creating significant economic hardship. These issues have caused the number of evictions to increase dramatically since the end of the pandemic protections and funding, and exceed rates prior to the pandemic.

Program Goals: Provide eviction prevention support through supportive services and emergency and short term rent/client assistance payments so that households can remain stably housed.

Program Activities: This Eviction Prevention program supports the County's priority for long term stability while maintaining a significant effort to avoid imminent eviction. These funds will support eviction prevention for households who meet any of these criteria; those with an eviction notice, written notice to vacate, or households at high risk who need longer short term case management to support housing stability. The Eviction Prevention program led by Bienestar de la Familia will provide outreach, intake and case management services for households who are referred and meet the criteria.

There are several key partners who are part of the Eviction Prevention Program including Metropolitan Public Defender; 211 info and culturally specific nonprofit organizations.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of households who receive eviction prevention services	N/A	N/A	N/A	800			
Outcome	Percent of households served who remain stably housed at 6 months after exit	N/A	N/A	N/A	80%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$986,894	\$0
Contractual Services	\$0	\$0	\$4,636,706	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$0	\$5,623,600	\$0
Program Total:	\$0		\$5,62	3,600
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	8.50	0.00

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

### **Explanation of Revenues**

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25490B ARP - Emergency Rent Assistance

In FY 2024, this program was funded by one-time-only Federal American Rescue Plan (ARP) Direct County funding (25490B/C). The FY 2024 Adopted budget included \$10.0 million and 17.00 FTE. During the FY 2024 budget process, the Board directed that they be notified of the final ARP balance as soon as FY 2023 actual spending was finalized. This resulted in an additional \$8.0 million and 3.00 FTE added during FY 2024 for emergency rent assistance, per a Supplemental Budget (# OVER-002-24).

In FY 2025, This program is a request for ongoing County General Fund support.



### Program #25133C - YFS - Eviction Prevention - SHS

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: New Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: One-Time-Only Request, In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Stable housing is linked to positive health and social outcomes for individuals, families and communities. Eviction prevention supports and rent assistance are key strategies to support renters to remain stably housed and prevent the homelessness crisis from getting worse. This offer builds off program offer 25133B to increase the number of households that avoid eviction through receiving culturally specific and responsive case management support services in combination with emergency and short-term rent assistance.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Thousands of Multnomah County residents are not able to pay their rent due to the lingering impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The pandemic increased the number of folks experiencing unemployment, poverty and domestic violence, as well as creating significant economic hardship. COVID-19 also exposed and exacerbated economic racial disparities that existed long before the pandemic. Black, Indigenous, and People of Color continue to be disproportionately at risk of eviction, impacted by inflation and rising costs of rent, and facing the greatest barriers to employment and housing stability. The number of eviction court cases filed has increased dramatically since the end of the pandemic protections with rates currently exceeding those seen prior to the pandemic. The vast majority of cases are for nonpayment of rent. In Multnomah County, the number of court cases for eviction due to nonpayment of rent reached over 700 cases per month by Fall 2023, which suggests that over 7,000 households will be taken to court for eviction in FY24. The number of impacted households far exceeds this, with research suggesting that for every one court case filed, 5 tenants will have self-evicted.

Program Goals: This program deepens investment in the County's priority for long term stability while maintaining a significant effort to avoid imminent eviction. It does this through providing eviction prevention support through supportive services and emergency and short term rent/client assistance payments.

Program Activities: These funds will support eviction prevention for households who meet any of these criteria; those with an eviction notice, written notice to vacate, or households at high risk who need short term case management to support housing stability. Activities include outreach to tenants with court cases filed, intake and case management services for households.

Activities funded in this offer are provided by county staff and culturally specific non- profit organizations. The efforts are part of a broader eviction prevention partnership and system that includes 211 info, Metropolitan Public Defender, Oregon Law Center, Home Forward and other non-profits.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of households who receive eviction prevention services	N/A	N/A	N/A	800			
Outcome	Percent of households served with housing stability services that remain stably housed at 6 months after exit	N/A	N/A	N/A	80%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$725,847
Contractual Services	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,274,153
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,000,000
Program Total:	\$0		\$5,00	0,000
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$5,000,000 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was:



### Program #25134 - YFS - Fair Housing Testing

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Fair housing audit testing is a tool used to gauge housing discrimination. Locally, the City of Portland funds testing within city limits but Gresham, Fairview, Troutdale and Wood Village are outside the boundaries. This program will extend similar testing to areas in Multnomah County. It will provide insights into housing discrimination experienced by those classified as 'protected class' by the Fair Housing Act. The Fair Housing Act of 1968 considers protected classes to include discrimination based on race, religion, national origin, sex (and as amended) handicap and family status. The results can inform policies and ensure we can identify who is experiencing it, by whom, and that we end housing discrimination.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Discrimination continues to prevent equal access to housing opportunities. Fair housing testing is a tool used to detect discrimination in the housing market. To test for discrimination, people from different backgrounds (different races, ages, abilities, etc.) pretend they will rent or buy a home. They document what information they are given by landlords, the bank, etc. Since the 'testers' have different backgrounds (race, age, ability, etc.) we can compare the information, services and treatment people in protected classes received to what those in non-protected classes received and look for patterns of different treatment in the housing market.

PROGRAM GOAL: Build on the City's fair housing testing and expand testing to include East Multnomah County, including Gresham, Fairview, Troutdale and Wood Village.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program will fund fair housing testing in East Multnomah County to better understand the level of discrimination in the housing market. The results can inform policies that work to eliminate and prevent housing discrimination.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of fair housing tests conducted in East Multnomah County	19	70	70	70		
Outcome	Number of alleged housing discrimination investigations, advocacy & support conducted	17	25	25	25		
Output	Number of Fair Housing training and outreach events for direct service staff	11	10	10	10		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

FY 22-23 Performance measures were low due to staffing challenges. Program reports increased staff capacity by February 2024.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$121,113	\$0	\$125,110	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$121,113	\$0	\$125,110	\$0
Program Total:	\$121	,113	\$125,110	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25134 YFS - Fair Housing Testing



### Program #25135 - YFS - Sex Trafficked Youth Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Everyone should be able to grow up in an environment free of danger and abuse. Youth victims of sex trafficking need a system of care that is culturally-relevant and trauma-informed. Services support healing and a transition into safe and stable adulthood. This program is part of a collaborative that provides survivors with advocacy, shelter, and case management.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Pacific Northwest has a troubling reputation as a hub for sex trafficking of minors. An estimated 400-600 youth experience trafficking each year in Multnomah County. Youth are often trafficked through gang involvement, or as a result of exploitation in romantic or family relationships. Due to exploitation and abuse, youth often need intensive support to leave these situations.

PROGRAM GOAL: The Sex Trafficked Youth services system ensures that youth have support to heal from the trauma of sexual exploitation. New Day services also address economic and housing instability through a collaborative service model. Programming is provided by a collaborative of contracted service providers, including representation from the homeless youth continuum, domestic violence continuum, and culturally-specific organizations.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program funds direct services to youth survivors of sex trafficking. It also funds collaboration across Multnomah County to prevent and address trafficking at a system level. Direct services include drop-in support, mobile crisis. Services are available when youth are ready to engage and tailored to youth based on their specific needs.

System-level collaboration efforts include the Department of Community Justice, law enforcement, courts, Oregon Department of Human Services Child Welfare, the Homeless Youth Continuum, and community-based service providers. This collaboration seeks to prevent and address sex trafficking through coordination, policy, and legislation. Survivors and direct service providers are a critical part of this collaboration. Their expertise and lived experience are essential to our efforts to prevent trafficking.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of youth engaged in case management supports	79	85	85	85			
Outcome	Percentage of youth who know how to access safe and supportive resources	68%*	80%	80%	80%			
Outcome	Number of youth served who identify as BIPOC	82%	80%	80%	80%			

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

\*Outcome measure is lower than expected due to staffing turnover and identified data entry training gaps. New advocates have been trained to correctly enter this data, and measure is expected to return to baseline in FY24

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$1,008,481	\$0	\$1,041,761	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,008,481	\$0	\$1,041,761	\$0
Program Total:	\$1,00	8,481	\$1,041,761	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25135 YFS - Sex Trafficked Youth Services



Program #25136 - YFS - Culturally Specific Navigation Services for Immigrant FY 2025 Department Requested

**Families** 

**Department:** County Human Services **Program Contact:** Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Federal immigration laws and policies have created barriers for many immigrants and refugees. Funding for this program supports contracts to culturally specific organizations who serve Latinx immigrants and refugees. They provide culturally appropriate services that help reduce barriers and increase access to information, legal services and other resources for housing, health, education and employment. YFS staff support program development by hosting meetings with providers, consulting and providing program guidance and help with contracts.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Immigrant and refugee communities face many challenges. Even getting information about what is available can be difficult and without it, it can increase fear, be isolating and prevent people from receiving care. In addition, for many reasons it may be difficult to access help and navigate support services. Multnomah County strives to promote and create a welcoming community that is safe, stable and thriving. Limited access to accurate immigration information and support has increased fear and hindered access to health and social services in immigrant and refugee communities that already face substantial systemic barriers. When fewer families get health care, education or the assistance necessary to become safely housed or employed, it impacts the wellness of the entire community. COVID-19 has amplified the disparities in such access.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the program is to ensure that immigrant and refugee families can receive accurate information, and access services that are culturally specific.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: There are three key activities. First: work with agencies who provide culturally specific services and help them increase their ability to serve immigrant and refugee families, especially those they believe are most at risk. Second, increase access to information and education that is culturally specific. Third, offer training and education for immigrants and refugees so they understand their rights and can access legal services.

Culturally specific providers are essential to helping families navigate the legal system. They have ensured there is access to information and services in their own language. This work has ensured that immigrants and refugees who do not speak English have access to legal services.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Number of participants engaged in intake assessment for navigation services	905	370	370	370	
Outcome	Percent of individuals and families who engaged in individualized legal navigation services	75%	40%	40%	40%	
Output	Number of community trainings or workshops	18	20	20	20	

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$291,709	\$0	\$301,335	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$291,709	\$0	\$301,335	\$0
Program Total:	\$291	,709	\$301	,335
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25136 YFS - Culturally Specific Navigation Services for Immigrant Families



### Program #25137 - YFS - Successful Families

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

When youth feel safe, have a sense of belonging, and their culture and choices are honored, they have positive academic and life outcomes. Successful Families (SF) agencies provide culturally specific, community-based services and support for children of color age 12-17 and their families. SF agencies are currently supporting basic needs, self-care, social-emotional learning, and well-being. This is in response to the disproportionate impact the pandemic has had on communities of color the population SF serves.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Educational barriers for children and youth of color in Multnomah County are extensive. Youth of color regularly experience racism, systemic oppression, and intergenerational trauma. This contributes to disparate outcomes in health, education, and well-being for these youth. Youth are still recovering from the impacts of the pandemic because youth engagement and social emotional supports had decreased significantly. As youth feel more isolated, social emotional supports are needed now more than ever.

PROGRAM GOAL: Investing in culturally responsive and culturally specific practices reduces educational barriers. This is especially true when done in partnership with schools. SF improves culturally responsive, specific, and relevant services so that children of color can learn better. The initiative aims to increase school readiness and academic achievement so that youth can transition into adulthood successfully.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: SF uses a collective impact model to serve communities of color in ways that best reflect their culture and identity. This requires strong partnership between culturally specific organizations, school districts, and Multnomah County. Successful Families offers one-on-one support to youth, group activities, family engagement and more. These activities might include: leadership development, homework help, cultural identity promotion, and recreation. SF uses the strong relationships and trust built with the community to successfully support youth and families. Focusing on building relationships with youth and families has been critical in order to connect youth and families to critical resources. SF primarily serves two school districts: Reynolds and David Douglas.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of youth served	509	1,000	1,000	1,000		
Outcome	Percent students served who attended school regularly (are not chronically absent) <sup>1</sup>	42%	80%	80%	80%		
Output	Number of parents/legal guardians/regular caregivers served <sup>2</sup>	249	700	700	700		
Outcome	% of parents/legal guardians/regular caregivers who are engaged w/ schools and monitoring progress <sup>2</sup> , <sup>3</sup>	65%	75%	75%	75%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Outputs are lower due to staffing capacity challenges.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$134,960	\$0	\$144,677	\$0
Contractual Services	\$2,589,353	\$0	\$2,674,804	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$1,920	\$0	\$480	\$0
Internal Services	\$21,216	\$0	\$21,497	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,747,449	\$0	\$2,841,458	\$0
Program Total:	\$2,74	\$2,747,449		1,458
Program FTE	1.00	0.00	.00 1.00	

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25137 YFS - Successful Families



Program #25138 - YFS - Youth Stability & Homelessness Prevention Services FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Youth Stability and Homelessness Prevention Services program serves youth under the age of 18. The program offers services to both prevent homelessness as well as support those who are homeless. For those at risk of leaving their current home, the services can help them stabilize their living situation and prevent homelessness. For those who have left, been kicked out or cannot return, the program can provide a rapid response and ensure youth have support and emergency housing. The services are contracted to non-profits who have track records of serving youth with high quality and culturally appropriate services. YFS supports program development by hosting meetings with providers, consulting and providing program guidance and help with contracts.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The dynamics and consequences of homelessness can be different for youth than adults. For instance, for youth, homelessness impacts their education and ability to attend or stay in school. Youth need support and services that are tailored to their age, developmental stage, culture and specific circumstances.

PROGRAM GOAL: This program addresses the need for services that are tailored to youth who are at risk of or who are experiencing homelessness. The program supports youth so they can stay in school and works to prevent involvement in juvenile justice and child welfare systems.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: This program contracts with community organizations who serve youth under age 18 and prioritizes funding culturally specific organizations. The services focus on three areas:

- 1) Access and Outreach: Text and phone services that are available around the clock, 7 days a week. Mobile response is also available to connect with youth in person and provide transportation if needed. Outreach is conducted at schools as well as youth-serving organizations, DHS and law enforcement.
- 2) Crisis and Stability Support: Needs and safety assessment, emotional support, crisis intervention, safety planning, family mediation and reunification (when possible and appropriate). It also includes connecting youth to a range of other services to promote safety and stability.
- 3) Emergency Housing: Overnight emergency housing options and short-term case management services for youth who are in emergency housing.

During this global pandemic organizations have had to quickly shift the ways they serve youth to follow social distance guidelines. And the need for services that support youth and keep them safe and healthy has deepened during COVID-19.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of youth engaged in service	94	75	94	75			
Outcome	Percent of youth who identify at least one supportive adult outside of the YSHP program at exit	93%	80%	93%	80%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$1,408,844	\$46,651	\$1,457,757	\$110,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,408,844	\$46,651	\$1,457,757	\$110,000
Program Total:	\$1,45	\$1,455,495 \$1,567,757		7,757
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$46,651	\$0	\$110,000
Total Revenue	\$0	\$46,651	\$0	\$110,000

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$110,000 - OCCF Youth Investment (Federal)

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25138 YFS - Youth Stability & Homelessness Prevention Services



### Program #25139A - YFS - Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI)

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI) is an antipoverty program that offers a range of culturally specific and responsive services. It supports families by recognizing that they are experts in their own lives and they are resilient. It also assumes that families should make their own goals around stability and income. A key to MSI is the ability to provide culturally responsive services and flexibility while supporting families. As part of leading with racial equity, 60% of funds are for culturally specific organizations. This ensures that the program meets the unique needs and norms of families and communities.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE There is a lack of culturally specific services that provides flexibility for the unique needs of families in poverty.

PROGRAM GOAL: MSI addresses the need to recognize that families are experts and know what they need and want for themselves. By providing culturally specific and flexible services to help them achieve the goals they select, this program empowers families and is a key to family and community stability.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Culturally specific and appropriate services are delivered by contracted partner staff using an Assertive Engagement approach. This model recognizes the individual as the expert in their own life and instills hope. MSI offers families a selection of services and supports to choose from. Families identify their interests, strengths, choices, and goals and are connected with resources and services that help them. The activities of the MSI program include assisting families in stabilizing and securing housing; providing access to short term rent assistance; making connections to legal clinic services; providing Assertive Engagement case management; connecting families to natural supports in the community like support groups and school programs; connecting people to job training, income and asset creation, and flex funds.

Culturally specific providers play a critical role in supporting families to navigate complex systems. Services provided through MSI ensure that families, especially those from Black, Indigenous, and People of Color communities have the tools and resources needed to maintain economic stability.

Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of households served in MSI case management	481	750	480	480		
Outcome	Percentage of households served that remain in permanent housing six months after exit	65%	75%	75%	75%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Output for HH's served is lower due to staffing capacity. Current year and FY25 year outputs are impacted by HH's needing more case management, due to their life situation. HH Outputs also reflect the increased costs of living and the amount each HH cost to support.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$109,859	\$60,541	\$278,503	\$59,274
Contractual Services	\$2,853,669	\$1,099,557	\$2,943,873	\$1,099,557
Materials & Supplies	\$6,148	\$0	\$6,480	\$0
Internal Services	\$43,732	\$7,459	\$64,491	\$8,726
Total GF/non-GF	\$3,013,408	\$1,167,557	\$3,293,347	\$1,167,557
Program Total:	\$4,180,965		\$4,46	0,904
Program FTE	0.64	0.36	1.67	0.33

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,167,557	\$0	\$1,167,557
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,167,557	\$0	\$1,167,557

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$8,726 in indirect revenues.

\$880,000 - OHCSD Community Development Block Grant (Federal)

\$287,557 - OHCSD Housing Stabilization Program (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25139 YFS - Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI)

Increase of 1.00 FTE; moved 1.00 Program Specialist Sr from program offer 25133, moved 0.03 FTE from Federal/ State Fund to General Fund



Program #25139B - YFS - Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI) - SHS FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Multnomah County's Metro Supportive Housing Services Measure (Measure) Local Implementation Plan (LIP) calls out the importance of aligning the work of multiple County departments around the commitment to preventing and ending homelessness. This program offer provides Measure funding to better serve participants experiencing or at risk of homelessness in the Youth and Family Services (YFS) of the Department of County Human Services (DCHS).

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: There is a lack of culturally-specific services that provide flexibility for the unique needs of families in poverty. Many homeless families are housed with short-term rent assistance through the Homeless Family System of Care (HFSC), but don't qualify for longer-term retention services through the Multnomah Stability Initiative, due to strict program criteria.

PROGRAM GOAL: The MSI Bridge Program was developed to assist families in transitioning from the Homeless Family System of Care (HFSC) to the Youth and Family Services (YFS) Multnomah Stability Initiative (MSI).

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Bridge program has reduced program entry criteria and more intensive services than the MSI program, in order to further stabilize families before referring them to MSI. Services have been developed to target families with children under 18 years old, who are currently housed and at risk of homelessness. Culturally-specific and appropriate services are delivered by contracted partner staff. The activities of the Bridge Program include assisting families in stabilizing and securing housing; providing access to short-term rent assistance; making connections to legal clinic services; providing Assertive Engagement case management; connecting families to natural supports in the community like support groups and school programs; connecting people to job training, income and asset creation, and flex funds. This program funds staff to provide housing case management and skill building services.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	HFSC families transitioned to MSI Bridge Program*	N/A	20	20	25		
Outcome	MSI Bridge families retaining housing at 12 months*	N/A	80%	80%	80%		
Outcome	Percent of households who experience improvement in self-identified housing goals*	N/A	90%	90%	90%		

<sup>\*</sup>New pilot program in the process of being implemented.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$130,901	\$0	\$144,047
Contractual Services	\$0	\$4,367,981	\$0	\$4,614,310
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$4,498,882	\$0	\$4,758,357
Program Total:	\$4,498,882		\$4,75	8,357
Program FTE	0.00	1.00	0.00	1.00

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

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$4,758,357 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 30407A Supportive Housing - Countywide Coordination - Dept of County Human

FY 2024 Other Funds includes Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services programs:

- 30407A Supportive Housing Countywide Coordination Dept of County Human Services
- 30400D Supportive Housing Tenant-Based Commitments



### Program #25140 - YFS - Community Development

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Safe, quality and affordable homes are essential for family and community health and stability. The Federal Community Development Block Grant program is a resource for supporting this. This grant can be used to expand affordable housing in low and moderate-income communities in unincorporated areas in East Multnomah County. Racism and racist policies have shaped patterns of residential segregation and poverty and this service area has a high concentration of poverty and Black, Indigenous, Native and Communities of Color. YFS staff manage all aspects of this grant. Some key activities include: community outreach, application development, creating a public advisory group, hosting meetings, site reviews, monitoring and grant reporting.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: East Multnomah County has a high concentration of Black, Indigenous and Communities of Color. In addition, because of racism, rates of poverty are also high in East County. Federal funding formulas do not provide adequate affordable housing and infrastructure in low- and moderate-income communities. As a result, the people and families in East Multnomah County (most of whom are Black, Indigenous and other people of color) continue to have limited access to affordable housing and lack the infrastructure for public works projects.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the Community Development program is to create opportunities for neighborhood revitalization. The program provides funding for public services and housing rehabilitation services in low and moderate income (LMI) households in the unincorporated areas of East Multnomah County. Rehabilitation services include critical home repair services.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program includes the administration of the Community Development Block Grant. It is a collaboration between DCHS, the cities of Wood Village, Fairview, Troutdale, Marywood Park and the community. The program co-hosts events and workshops with Portland and Gresham on CDBG planning activities.

A unique aspect of this program is the use of a community advisory board. Because residents of East Multnomah County and unincorporated areas outside of Portland and Gresham are the key stakeholders, they also serve on the advisory board. Thus, community members are empowered to make policy and funding recommendations for the CDBG project. The advisory board guides decisions about how the CDBG program funds for public services and housing rehabilitation service to low- and moderate-income households, will be used.

<b>Performar</b>	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of public works projects completed	1	1	1	1		
Outcome	Number of housing units rehabilitated	26	30	30	30		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

FY25 Targets will stay the same.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$122,793	\$28,490	\$133,978	\$27,892
Contractual Services	\$0	\$425,620	\$0	\$368,002
Materials & Supplies	\$1,770	\$0	\$600	\$30,000
Internal Services	\$21,990	\$3,510	\$21,497	\$4,106
Total GF/non-GF	\$146,553	\$457,620	\$156,075	\$430,000
Program Total:	\$604,173		\$586	5,075
Program FTE	0.81	0.19	0.83	0.17

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$457,620	\$0	\$430,000
Total Revenue	\$0	\$457,620	\$0	\$430,000

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$4,106 in indirect revenues. \$330,000 - HUD Community Development Block Grant (Federal) \$100,000 - COVID-19 Federal CDBG 20 CARES (Federal)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25140 YFS - Community Development

Moved 0.02 FTE Program Specialist Sr from Federal/ State Fund to General Fund



Program #25141 - YFS - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) FY 2025 Department Requested

Outreach

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is one of the best resources to help people and families with food security, including the Latinx, Somali, Immigrants & Refugees, and BIPOC communities. The SNAP outreach program provides information, referral, and application assistance to households seeking SNAP benefits. Participation in SNAP provides a better quality diet and nutrition for children and adults across their life compared to people with low incomes who do not participate.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: According to the Oregon Food Bank (2020), over 133,230 of Multnomah County residents are experiencing food insecurity. Children and communities of color experience hunger at even greater rates. Food insecurity and poverty are linked. In Multnomah County, the highest poverty rates are in East County and North/Northeast Portland areas where residents are predominantly Black, Indigenous, Native and other communities of color. While SNAP benefits can help, the application can be difficult to complete and benefits can be hard to access. The economic impact of the pandemic has increased economic hardships and the number of people needing help accessing food.

PROGRAM GOAL: The SNAP Outreach program provides targeted outreach ensures that communities with the highest rates of poverty and geographic barriers have access to food. The focus is serving those with the highest levels of food insecurity and lowest participation rates: Black, Indigenous, Latinx and People of Color, immigrant and refugees and college-age students primarily in North/Northeast Portland and East Multnomah County, so that poverty does not mean going hungry.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: SNAP outreach activities help increase awareness about the SNAP program and offer assistance with the application. Staff work with other County departments and community organizations in many settings. This includes schools, colleges, local workforce offices, community events and fairs and farmers markets. They also help people complete the application and guide them through the process. Because the application can be complex, it can be a barrier. The SNAP staff help answer questions and address any barriers. A unique and key aspect of their work is the relationships and trust they build with those they serve. This helps people complete the application as well as maintain the benefits when it's time to renew them. In addition, they stay connected with people and they feel comfortable reaching out when they need help. This increases access to SNAP benefits for first time applicants and those who need to renew benefits.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of consumers engaged through Outreach activities.	4,735	5,000	5,000	5,000		
Outcome	Number of SNAP applications completed.	428	250	250	250		

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

SNAP numbers are elevated because of an increase in in-house referrals originating from staff providing rent assistance, and partner organizations.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$128,281	\$128,281	\$130,182	\$130,182
Materials & Supplies	\$470	\$0	\$540	\$0
Internal Services	\$40,345	\$21,144	\$31,618	\$32,861
Total GF/non-GF	\$169,096	\$149,425	\$162,340	\$163,043
Program Total:	\$318,521		\$325	5,383
Program FTE	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$149,425	\$0	\$163,043
Total Revenue	\$0	\$149,425	\$0	\$163,043

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$19,163 in indirect revenues. \$163,043 - Oregon Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (State)

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25141 YFS - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Outreach



### Program #25145 - YFS - SUN Community Schools

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: Measure 5 Education, In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Schools Uniting Neighborhoods Community Schools (SUN CS) employs culturally responsive practices to reduce learning barriers. SUN CS builds on student and family assets, promotes racial equity, and supports family stability. By contracting with community-based organizations, SUN CS is able to respond to the unique needs of each community and honor their cultures and preferences. YFS staff support program development by convening stakeholders and responding to their needs. YFS staff work with providers to leverage the power of community to ensure that all children are healthy, educated, and prosperous.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Educational disparities are pervasive throughout Multnomah County and the State of Oregon. These disparities have the greatest impact on students and families of color. Students of color experience daily and pervasive racism, systemic oppression, and intergenerational trauma. The pandemic has made these disparities worse due to unequal access to resources. Inequities in technology, food, housing, employment, and health have made it more and more difficult for students to learn. Addressing these disparities requires a coordinated and collaborative approach.

PROGRAM GOAL: Students can thrive in school if their needs are met, they feel like they belong, and their culture and identity are honored. The goal of SUN CS is that all students and families, especially those from BIPOC communities, are healthy, educated, and prosperous. SUN CS supports this goal by reducing learning barriers, building on student and family assets, and uniting the community.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: SUN CS supports students and their families by: 1) prioritizing relationships; 2) centering student learning; 3) integrating supports to help meet basic needs; and, 4) collaboration and leadership. There are 92 SUN schools in Multnomah County. Each Community School has a site manager who leads and coordinates the program. Site managers lead after school programming, engage and support families, and collaborate with school staff and community partners. Students in SUN CS have shared that they love SUN because "it is fun" and "there are people who look like me there". Community Schools center students and meet them where they are at. This, in turn, leads to great engagement in schools and success in schools and beyond.

Performar	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of children (ages 5-18) served <sup>1</sup>	16,829	18,400	18,400	18,400		
Outcome	Number of students who attend 30 days or more after school programming	5,222	9,200	9,200	9,200		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Outputs are lower due to staffing capacity issues.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$609,472	\$0	\$639,104	\$0
Contractual Services	\$7,877,218	\$2,816,335	\$8,249,830	\$2,678,362
Materials & Supplies	\$21,110	\$0	\$17,720	\$0
Internal Services	\$89,839	\$0	\$90,632	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$8,597,639	\$2,816,335	\$8,997,286	\$2,678,362
Program Total:	\$11,413,974		\$11,67	75,648
Program FTE	4.00	0.00	4.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$2,816,335	\$0	\$2,678,362
Total Revenue	\$0	\$2,816,335	\$0	\$2,678,362

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$1,052,083 - Portland Public Schools SUN Community School Support (Local)

\$707,502 - City of Portland Parks & Recreation (Local)

\$337,730- Reynolds School District (Local)

\$276,301 - David Douglas School District (Local)

\$179,833 - Gresham Barlow School District (Local)

\$119,913 - Parkrose School District (Local)

\$5,000 - Centennial School District (Local)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25145A YFS - SUN Community Schools



### Program #25147A - YFS - Child & Family Hunger Relief

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Child & Family Hunger Relief Program improves access to fresh and healthy foods. It increases food security by providing summer meals and food assistance programs via SUN Community School so that all children can reach their full potential. Children must have their basic needs met to be ready and able to learn. The COVID-19 pandemic has created many food access barriers for families, especially Black, Indigenous, and families of color. To better meet these growing food needs, the Hunger Relief Program coordinates with federal programs, nonprofit providers, SUN Community Schools, school districts, and other community partners.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Healthy nutrition is vital to brain development and learning. Child food insecurity and a lack of access to fresh and healthy foods are barriers to health and learning. In Multnomah County, children experience food insecurity at a rate of 20%. Communities of color also experience hunger at rates higher than the general population. This food insecurity has continued to skyrocket as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and inflation. Despite Oregon's high hunger rate, millions of Federal food funding dollars for children go unused.

PROGRAM GOAL: The program has two goals. First, to reduce child and family food insecurity and hunger so children can be healthy and learn. Second, to increase collaboration and use of available funds to meet hunger needs.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Child & Family Hunger Relief program is a partnership with the Oregon Food Bank, six school districts, Portland Parks & Recreation, Multnomah County Library, Portland Children's Levy, and Partners for a Hunger-Free Oregon. The program provides summer meals and food assistance programs via SUN Community Schools. This ensures an environment for families that is accessible and non-stigmatizing. For 8-12 weeks, underserved communities in Mid and East County receive summer meals. Summer meals is a combination of 10 SUN CS sites and 3 County libraries. Food assistance programs include 23 school-based food pantries and 7 Free Food Markets. The program also engages in policy work, including supporting the Child & Family Food Security Coalition. The Coalition leverages community partnerships to increase food security and food access, with a focus on culturally specific populations.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of meals provided to children and families	1,882,403	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000			
Outcome	Retail dollar equivalent for every \$1 County General Fund invested in SUN Food Distribution sites	\$8.41	\$10	\$10	\$10			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$149,978	\$0	\$160,829	\$0
Contractual Services	\$334,211	\$0	\$345,240	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$1,160	\$0	\$1,710	\$0
Internal Services	\$21,551	\$0	\$21,497	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$506,900	\$0	\$529,276	\$0
Program Total:	\$506,900		\$529	),276
Program FTE	1.00	0.00	1.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25147A YFS - Child & Family Hunger Relief



### Program #25147B - YFS - Food Security / Pantry Enhancement

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: New Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

Program Characteristics: Backfill State/Federal/Grant, Out of Target

### **Executive Summary**

SUN Community Schools serves as an anchor strategy to deliver additional nutritional support for the SUN Service System. In response to inflation costs for families and reduction to resources, additional resources and staffing is critical to supporting the community. Costs for operating food distribution, adding an East County pantry, both staffing and food purchases/delivery, have increased in the past years.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: SUN Food pantries have seen a tremendous increase in the number of families accessing pantry support. This increase, along with the increased costs of running sites means that additional resources are needed to keep pantries open. Funds also add a site in East County that has been funded through American Rescue Plan (ARP) funds. This new site has also seen a high volume of families. YFS staff have worked with the Oregon Food Bank to analyze the cost of operating a Food Pantry. They used to rely heavily on volunteers and since the pandemic the number of volunteers supporting food distribution has gone down; this has continued into this year. Having a stable staff member to manage the pantry is essential for its success.

PROGRAM GOAL: The program's goal is to reduce child and family food insecurity by increasing safe access to nourishing and culturally appropriate food and staffing at large distribution sites in East County. This offer continues the YFS Food Security and Hunger enhancement by 1) providing increased food assistance, including fresh and culturally responsive choices, through school-based distribution and 2) supporting the increased capacity needs of SUN Community Schools (SUN CS) staff to distribute food safely during the ongoing pandemic.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Pantry sites have seen an increase of need for staffing and supplies in order to continue supporting the community accessing food resources. These funds will support the added costs of staffing, food and supplies at sites experiencing large numbers of households accessing pantry sites in East County. Funds will be used to support food pantry sites who are addressing food access, this includes food pantries and Free Food Markets that partner with the Oregon Food Bank.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of meals provided to families	1,194,496	450,000	450,000	450,000			
Outcome	Percent of Black, Indigenous, and Families of Color who receive food security support	77.6%	70%	70%	70%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Accessing food at pantries has remained at a higher-than-expected levels due to economic inflation, the end of pandemic era SNAP benefits. We will consider adjusting target numbers after assessing at the end of FY24.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$0	\$179,235	\$179,235	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$179,235	\$179,235	\$0
Program Total:	\$179	\$179,235		),235
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$179,235	\$0	\$0
Total Revenue	\$0	\$179,235	\$0	\$0

### **Explanation of Revenues**

### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25399S ARP - YFS Food Security / Pantry Enhancement

In FY 2024, this program was funded with Federal American Rescue Plan (ARP) Direct County Funding.



### Program #25149 - YFS - SUN Youth Advocacy Program

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

SUN Youth Advocacy (SYA) is a youth development program that provides social emotional and academic supports. When youth feel safe, have a sense of belonging, and their culture and choices are honored, they achieve better outcomes. As one Youth Advocate describes, "we are working to disrupt the 'falling behind' narrative and to ensure that student needs and relationship come first". The program prioritizes students who face the most barriers in education: those living in poverty, students of color, immigrants, and refugees. Last year the youth served in SYA spoke over 33 different languages at home, and 97% identified as Black, Indigenous, and Youth of Color.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: For too many children, income levels and the color of their skin impact what educational opportunities they have. Multnomah County has low educational attainment rates and poorer health outcomes. At the same time, the County also has high rates of unemployment and hunger. Despite making progress, Oregon is still below the national average of graduation rates. Significant disparities exist for students of color in both Multnomah County and Oregon overall - a gap that has grown due to the pandemic. By providing services to meet basic needs, youth are more able to focus on school. SYA also supplies caregivers with the resources they need to support their child's educational success.

PROGRAM GOAL: SYA's goals are to increase student sense of safety, belonging and positive cultural identity. Each of these are known to increase school attendance, credit attainment, and graduation for all students. Research shows having a positive relationship with a supportive adult increases graduation rates. This is especially true for students of color, who may not have people who reflect their culture and identity in the school building. SYA also provides additional opportunities for students to learn outside of the classroom. This is another promising practice for reducing the achievement gap.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Youth Advocates build strong relationships with youth, their families, and schools. These relationships are culturally-grounded and use strengths-based approaches. For students, advocates focus on the key areas of social emotional support, wrap-around services, and academic help. Students receive help identifying, working toward, and accomplishing their personal and academic goals. SYA also provides culturally-specific enrichment activities, homework help, and peer support time. For families, advocates can refer them to services, assist with basic needs, and help families navigate systems of care.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of students (ages 6-18) served <sup>1</sup>	825	1,420	1,420	1,420		
Outcome	Percent of students who make progress or achieve individualized action or success plan goals	93%	90%	90%	90%		

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Outputs are lower due to staff capacity issues.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$2,920,508	\$200,000	\$3,016,884	\$100,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,920,508	\$200,000	\$3,016,884	\$100,000
Program Total:	\$3,12	0,508	\$3,116,884	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$200,000	\$0	\$100,000
Total Revenue	\$0	\$200,000	\$0	\$100,000

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$100,000 - OCCF-Youth Investment (Federal)

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25149 YFS - SUN Youth Advocacy Program



### Program #25151 - YFS - SUN Parent & Child Development Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Parents are child's first teachers and are vital partners in their child's education. Parent Child Development Services (PCDS) removes barriers for families so that children can get a strong start in school. PCDS provides services that are reflective of and responsive to the cultural values and norms of the families it serves. PCDS contracts to non-profit partners. Sixty-percent of PCDS funding goes to culturally specific populations. YFS staff support PCDS providers by providing technical assistance and program development activities.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Multnomah County has 34,000 children under the age of six in families with low incomes. Families with low incomes, BIPOC families, immigrants, and refugees have fewer opportunities to participate in services that support parenting knowledge and healthy child development. This contributes significantly to disparities in kindergarten readiness levels and success in school. The impacts of the pandemic and inflation have continued to create barriers for children and their families. It has heightened the need for support meeting basic needs, as well as social, emotional, and mental health supports.

PROGRAM GOAL: PCDS provides resources and tools to families with children under the age of 6 so that children can learn and grow. The program aims to increase kindergarten readiness and ensure healthy child development. PCDS helps build the skills families need to be ready for and succeed in school.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Part of the SUN Service System, PCDS offers a variety of services to families so that parents and their children can thrive. These services include: developmental screening, immunization status checks, resource connection, and skill building. PCDS also hosts playgroups so that parents can connect with other families of children in a similar age group. As the impact of the pandemic continues to impact people's lives, PCDS providers have continued to provide virtual services, and limited in-person. This includes virtual home visits, community building and group events, and other supports. Providers focus on helping families navigate resource and health information systems.

Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target	
Output	Number of children served <sup>1</sup>	413	641	600	600	
Outcome	Percent of children up to date on immunizations at exit <sup>2</sup>	74%	95%	95%	95%	

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$80,148	\$0	\$83,764	\$0
Contractual Services	\$1,743,943	\$454,923	\$1,801,493	\$412,935
Materials & Supplies	\$2,180	\$0	\$1,480	\$0
Internal Services	\$11,433	\$0	\$12,297	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,837,704	\$454,923	\$1,899,034	\$412,935
Program Total:	\$2,292,627		\$2,311,969	
Program FTE	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.00

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$263,923	\$0	\$286,811	
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$191,000	\$0	\$126,124	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$454,923	\$0	\$412,935	

# **Explanation of Revenues**

\$286,811 - OCCF Federal Family Preservation (Federal)

\$126,124 - United Way Early Learning (Local)

### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25151 YFS - SUN Parent & Child Development Services



Program #25152 - YFS - Early Learning Family Engagement and Kindergarten FY 2025 Department Requested Transition

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Research shows that when schools connect with parents in culturally appropriate ways, their children do better in school. YFS Early Learning programs support the transition from early learning into kindergarten. This includes empowering families and working to build positive family-school relationships. These programs also link partners from early learning and the K-12 system so that the transition from one to the other is smooth. The early learning programs are contracted to non-profit partners. YFS staff support these providers, and facilitate collaboration between partners and schools.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Once fully implemented, Multnomah County's Preschool for All will ensure that all families have access to high quality early learning opportunities. However, access to high quality early learning is not enough. To sustain the benefits of high-quality preschool beyond kindergarten, the transition between preschool and elementary school needs to be strong and well-supported. This can have long-term benefits for a child, and can also support their academic achievement in early elementary school. Families should be treated as important partners in their child's education. They have valuable information to share about their child's behavior, learning preferences, and cultural background. Strong family engagement and high quality, culturally responsive early learning should go hand in hand.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of the YFS Early Learning Programs is to help children successfully transition to kindergarten. This requires fostering diverse family engagement and parent leadership prior to and during the early elementary school years.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: YFS has two early learning components that are built into the SUN Community School (SUN CS) model. This builds upon the trusted relationships and deep community connection of SUN CS. The two early learning components are: Early Kindergarten Transition (EKT) and P-3 (Prenatal to 3rd Grade). EKT is a school-based summer program for children entering kindergarten. During this program, children get time in a kindergarten classroom with a kindergarten teacher. Parents and caregivers also receive the opportunity to get to know the school and build relationships. EKT prioritizes children of color and English Language Learners for these programs. P-3 funds early parent engagement at 9 SUN Community Schools. P-3 coordinators connect families to school before kindergarten. The contracted providers empower parents to be effective leaders in their school community. P-3 also connects parents to resources as needed, and helps parents connect to other parents in their child's school.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of children who participate in summer Early Kindergarten Transition.	439	810	810	810		
Outcome	Percent of parents who report comfort with activities they can engage in at home to support their child in school. <sup>2</sup>	98%	90%	90%	90%		

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Output low for two reasons: general staff capacity issues, and one district moving to a HUB model for the summer and that did not work for families due to travel challenges.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$115,824	\$22,257	\$104,519	\$43,584
Contractual Services	\$281,128	\$1,022,800	\$290,401	\$986,120
Materials & Supplies	\$8,020	\$0	\$8,180	\$0
Internal Services	\$21,644	\$2,743	\$21,497	\$6,416
Total GF/non-GF	\$426,616	\$1,047,800	\$424,597	\$1,036,120
Program Total:	\$1,474,416		\$1,460,717	
Program FTE	0.84	0.16	0.71	0.29

Program Revenues					
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$122,800	\$0	\$122,800	
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$925,000	\$0	\$913,320	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$1,047,800	\$0	\$1,036,120	

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$6,416 in indirect revenues.

\$913,320 - United Way Early Learning (Local)

\$122,800 - Portland Public Schools SUN Community School Support (Local)

### **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25152 YFS - Early Learning Family Engagement and Kindergarten Transition

Moved 0.13 FTE from General Fund to Federal/ State Fund



### Program #25155 - YFS - Sexual & Gender Minority Youth Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Sexual & Gender Minority Youth Services (SGMY) program centers, honors, and supports LGBTQ2IA+ youth where they are at. It intentionally builds spaces that are welcoming, physically and emotionally safe, and supportive. The program provides basic needs support, case management, and skill building opportunities to LGBTQ2IA+ youth. Part of the SUN Service System, SGMY staff also train community partners and schools. These trainings aim to expand the number of affirming spaces and experiences LGBTQ2IA+ youth have in their communities. YFS staff provide technical assistance and support to New Avenues for Youth, the agency contracted for this program.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: LGBTQ2IA+ youth experience discrimination, violence, and harassment that puts their safety at risk. These youth are more likely to experience homelessness due to unsupportive caregivers. SGMY youth participants describe experiences of anxiety and fear as they try to access basic needs services, including health and mental health resources. Without access to these supports, LGBTQ2IA+ youth are three times more likely to attempt suicide. SGMY youth are more isolated and in greater need of affirming adults, supportive peers, and safe gathering spaces

PROGRAM GOAL: This program aims to connect youth to resources that help them meet their goals. The program works to create an environment where youth can build positive relationships with peers and adults. SGMY also educates the community so that LGBTQ2IA+ youth can have better experiences and feel safer.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: SGMY focuses on 3 areas of support for LGBTQ2IA+ youth: 1) Case management and basic needs help 2) Creating a safe and supportive space and 3) Providing training and education to the community so that they may provide competent and relevant services to these youth. SGMY centers youth voice and developing youth leadership. The program elicits feedback from a youth steering committee called the Queering Committee. Based on the feedback received, SGMY has prioritized connecting one on one with youth weekly. This occurs either virtually or in-person and includes social support meet ups as well as wellness check-ins. SGMY advocates help youth with things like food boxes, gender affirming clothing, and hygiene supplies. They also help youth create goals and connect to other resources. For many LGBTQ2IA+ youth, the one on one check-ins and social support are an essential part of their safety plans.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of youth who participate in case management.	61	75	75	75			
Outcome	Percent of youth who remain in or re-enroll in school.	88%	75%	75%	75%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$363,525	\$0	\$375,521	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$363,525	\$0	\$375,521	\$0
Program Total:	\$363	\$363,525		5,521
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25155 YFS - Sexual & Gender Minority Youth Services



### Program #25156A - YFS - Bienestar Social Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Nabil Zaghloul

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Bienestar de la Familía provides a range of culturally specific social services in many different languages. They target support to those who are most impacted by racism and poverty--Latinx, immigrants and refugees, Somalis and other families of color in the Cully neighborhood. They have worked without interruption during the pandemic. Their willingness to maintain, expand and provide new services during this pandemic has been essential to supporting our community.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Bienestar de la Familia is located in the Cully neighborhood. Many families within the immediate area live in poverty, face housing instability and food insecurity. In addition, because of the cultural and racial diversity in this neighborhood, there is a need for services that are culturally appropriate and to have resources in multiple languages. This need has only increased and deepened during the pandemic.

PROGRAM GOAL: The goal of Bienestar de la Familía is to ensure access to culturally specific social services and prioritize Latinx, Somali, LGBTQIA+ and communities of color. Bienestar promotes the well-being of families and the services provided help reduce poverty, promote self-efficacy, prosperity, and success. Bienestar offers housing stability services for families and individuals who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. They also provide substance abuse and mental health services, food supports, and other safety net programs that are culturally appropriate and responsive.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Bienestar provides a range of services that are culturally and linguistically specific and appropriate. Some of the key services include: case management, housing stabilization, rental assistance, mental health assessment and counseling, alcohol and drug counseling and prevention, service linkage and coordination, nutrition resources, energy assistance, information and referral, employment assistance, school support, and advocacy to help address families' needs ranging from basic to crisis. Other activities include parent education and support groups; a weekly Women's and Men's support group; and energy and weatherization workshops. The "Mercado" Harvest Share, in partnership with the Oregon Food Bank, Franz Bakery, and the Northeast Emergency Food Program, make fresh food available to households living on a fixed or low income and SNAP outreach staff enable families to immediately sign up for SNAP benefits. Bienestar has a Community Advisory Council that provides guidance and ensures that Bienestar is responsive to the needs of the diverse community.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of households served <sup>1</sup>	512	1,000	1,000	1,000			
Outcome	Percent of clients who report that services they received improved their situation.	96%	85%	94%	85%			
Output	Number of individuals served by Mercado <sup>2</sup>	18,380	18,000	7,500	7,500			

### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Note: The frequency of the Mercado and food distribution event is reduced because they are transitioning from a weekly to a monthly occurrence. This adjustment is attributed to the insufficient availability of produce and food items.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$1,759,359	\$769,196	\$1,899,507	\$838,644
Contractual Services	\$16,500	\$425,212	\$16,500	\$3,263,500
Materials & Supplies	\$69,371	\$0	\$52,780	\$0
Internal Services	\$395,758	\$11,030	\$424,158	\$123,448
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,240,988	\$1,205,438	\$2,392,945	\$4,225,592
Program Total:	\$3,446,426		\$6,61	8,537
Program FTE	12.91	6.69	13.06	6.54

Program Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$525,779	\$0	\$4,225,592
Total Revenue	\$0	\$525,779	\$0	\$4,225,592

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$123,448 in indirect revenues. \$3,739,944 - Oregon Eviction Diversion & Prevention Program (ORE-DAP) (Federal) \$316,508 - OHCSD Emergency Housing Assistance (Federal) \$169,140 - OHCSD Housing Stabilization Program (State)

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25156A YFS - Bienestar Social Services

The increase in contractual services is due to rent assistance from the Oregon Eviction Diversion & Prevention Program (ORE-DAP) award.

Increase of 6.00 FTE; moved 4.00 FTE Case Manager 2, 1.00 Office Assistant 2, and 1.00 Program Supervisor from program offer 25490C. Last year these positions were American Rescue Plan (ARP) funded.

Moved 0.15 FTE Case Manager Senior from Federal/State Fund to General Fund.



### Program #25156B - YFS - Bienestar Social Services Expansion

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Nabil Zaghloul

Program Offer Type: New Request Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 

**Program Characteristics:** Out of Target

### **Executive Summary**

This program offer expands existing staff capacity at Bienestar de la Familía by a total of 0.40 FTE. Bienestar de la Familia provides a range of culturally specific social services in many different languages. Assistance is focused on those who are harmed by racism and poverty--Latinx, immigrants and refugees, Somalis and other families of color in the Cully neighborhood.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: There is a growing disparity in access to culturally competent substance abuse and addiction services for individuals from Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) backgrounds, specifically within the Latinx, Somali, and African American communities. Lack of the program capacity to facilitate connections among individuals, families, and their children to essential resources which poses notable challenges. These challenges encompass the coordination of basic needs, the facilitation of referrals to external agencies and partners, and the diligent tracking of referral statuses.

PROGRAM GOALS: Increase existing staff capacity for access to substance abuse and addiction services. Second, enhance coordination of services community groups and partners through the Bienestar de la Family program.

PROGRAM ACTIVITIES: There are two activities included in this program offer. First, more effectively manage the workload associated with connecting individuals, families, and children to crucial resources, addressing basic needs, facilitating referrals to third-party agencies and partners, and meticulously tracking referral statuses by increasing staff capacity by 20%. Second, is to increase access to substance abuse and addiction services by increasing staff capacity by 20%. The primary focus will be on serving the Latinx, Somali, Immigrant, and Refugee communities with these expanded services.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of clients served	N/A	N/A	N/A	170			
Outcome	Percent of clients who improved by exit from substance abuse supportive programming.	N/A	N/A	N/A	85%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$61,955	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$0	\$94	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$0	\$62,049	\$0
Program Total:	\$0		\$62	,049
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.40	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was:



### Program #25160 - YFS - Data and Evaluation Services

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Rachel Pearl

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs: 25118

Program Characteristics: In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The YFS Data and Evaluation Team provides recommendations for program and process improvement. YFS and DCHS leadership use these recommendations to make programs stronger and more effective. Data and evaluation activities help highlight disparities that may be occurring within programs. They also ensure the programs are having the desired impact and uplifting our community, especially Black, Indigenous, and People of Color. YFS Data and Evaluation activities include: data collection, database implementation, report development, analysis, end user training, and program evaluation. This team supports over 29 unique programs.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Historically, data and evaluation activities have been rooted in oppressive practices. These practices have harmed communities of color, especially Black, Indigenous, and People of Color. The Data and Evaluation Team seeks to dismantle and undo these harmful practices. This team centers racial equity and community voice as they gather and analyze data

PROGRAM GOALS: The primary goal of the Data and Evaluation Team is to lead with racial equity in all activities. The team's priorities are to center provider and participant voice.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Data and Evaluation Team supports all YFS programs and community partners. The team works to understand the impact of programs and service delivery. When programs and practices are not effective, the team helps suggest new approaches so that the community is better served. The team has three main functions:

- 1) Training, technical assistance, data management, database administration, and reporting
- 2) Research and evaluation activities to help understand impact and improve program delivery.
- 3) Support division wide process, evaluation and data projects.

The team works with program staff and providers to ensure that the data collected is meaningful, high quality, and necessary. Staff also take part in Division and Department workgroups to support data quality, transparency, and governance. The key to success in each of these areas is the strong relationships the team builds with providers, partners, and the community.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of new end users trained to use ServicePoint & ART that support accurate data entry and report usage.	127	150	150	150			
Outcome	Percent of ServicePoint users who report overall satisfaction with the YFS Data and Evaluation Team.	44%	90%	90%	90%			

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

We experienced a very low response rate from our End-User Satisfaction Training Survey. The survey administered was different from the survey's distributed in the past. The survey yielded a large amount of neutral (neither satisfied or dissatisfied) responses, those of which we did not include into percentage output.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$1,333,033	\$173,336	\$1,316,323	\$184,608
Contractual Services	\$305,738	\$0	\$375,245	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$90,681	\$0	\$9,878	\$0
Internal Services	\$245,576	\$0	\$251,687	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,975,028	\$173,336	\$1,953,133	\$184,608
Program Total:	\$2,148,364		\$2,13	7,741
Program FTE	9.00	1.50	9.00	1.50

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

### **Explanation of Revenues**

\$184,608 - Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. Tax revenues are budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30000 Administration and Operations.

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25160A YFS - Data and Evaluation Services

FY 2024 Other Funds is Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Fund 1521. In FY 2024 these funds were budgeted in the Joint Office of Homeless Services program 30407A – Supportive Housing – Countywide Coordination – Dept of County Human Services.



### Program #25200A - PEL - Administration & System Support

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Multnomah County voters passed Measure 26-214, "Preschool for All," in November of 2020. Preschool for All gives 3- and 4-year-olds in Multnomah County access to free, high-quality, inclusive, culturally affirming preschool experiences. It requires careful financial planning, sufficient administrative capacity, and a thoughtful approach to creating accessible services.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The measure directed the Department of County Human Services (DCHS) to lead Preschool for All. This is a large new initiative.

PROGRAM GOAL: These investments help Preschool for All run more efficiently.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Preschool for All administrative costs include funding for four positions in DCHS Business Services and one position in DCHS Human Resources. These positions help the program operate smoothly by providing essential administrative support, such as completing contracts quickly and paying preschool providers in a timely way.

The Preschool & Early Learning Division partnered with County IT on the purchase of a preschool application and enrollment tracking system. This cloud-based software system allows parents to apply to Preschool for All and be matched with a preschool provider. It also stores key information, including enrollment and attendance. This data supports program operations and evaluation.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Number of executed contracts *	27	50	36	50		
Outcome	% of accounts payable invoices paid in 30 days or less	96%	95%	95%	95%		
Outcome	% of families applying to PFA who report being satisfied or highly satisfied with the application process **	86%	80%	85%	80%		

<sup>\*</sup> As the program grows, the number of Preschool for All contracts will also increase over time.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Families have an opportunity to complete a satisfaction survey after submitting the online family application.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$764,017	\$0	\$928,023
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$172,160	\$0	\$185,665
Internal Services	\$0	\$478,232	\$0	\$537,594
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$1,414,409	\$0	\$1,651,282
Program Total:	\$1,414,409		\$1,65	1,282
Program FTE	0.00	5.00	0.00	5.00

Program Revenues					
Taxes	\$0	\$152,592,000	\$0	\$163,000,000	
Beginning Working Capital	\$0	\$210,020,210	\$0	\$409,272,919	
Total Revenue	\$0	\$362,612,210	\$0	\$572,272,919	

### **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$34,137 in indirect revenues.

\$163,000,000 - Preschool for All Fund (Local)

\$409,272,919 - Preschool for All Fund - Beginning Working Capital one-time-only carryover funds

PFA expenses are also allocated in two other County departments: DCM (Department of County Management) 72052A/B - \$6,849,904 MCHD (Multnomah County Health Department) 40099B - \$1,845,165

### Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25200A PEL - Administration & System Support



### Program #25200B - PEL - Contingency and Reserves

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335 **Program Characteristics:** One-Time-Only Request, In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The revenue source for Measure 26-214, "Preschool for All," is a personal income tax on the highest income earners who live or work in Multnomah County. Personal income tax revenue can vary widely between fiscal years. Reserve and contingency funds have been established to provide fiscal stability for Preschool for All and a consistent level of service, despite year-to-year variability.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Preschool for All personal income tax revenue will fluctuate from year to year.

PROGRAM GOAL: Reserve and contingency funds will help to provide ongoing fiscal stability for the initiative.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Preschool for All (PFA) is funded by a personal income tax. This revenue source will fluctuate from year to year. During this early stage of implementation of a new initiative, it is also important to be flexible, especially when responding to the needs of preschool providers.

Reserve and contingency funds will create ongoing stability for Preschool for All (PFA) and protect the program from unexpected revenue declines from economic fluctuations and unexpected costs. These fiscal stability approaches are informed by government accounting best practices and by Multnomah County's Financial and Budget Policies.

The reserve and contingency funds were established in FY 2022. Each year, funding will be added to the reserve so that the total amount is 15% of anticipated PFA tax revenue for that fiscal year. The reserve fund will ensure the long-term financial stability of the program.

Preschool for All tax revenue will also be added to the contingency fund so that the total is 10% of anticipated PFA tax revenue for that fiscal year. The contingency fund will allow the Preschool & Early Learning Division to address unforeseen expenses during FY 2025.

Performar	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	% of reserve goal met	100%	100%	100%	100%		
		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Unappropriated & Contingency	\$0	\$38,148,000	\$0	\$40,750,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$38,148,000	\$0	\$40,750,000
Program Total:	\$38,148,000		\$40,75	50,000
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

## **Explanation of Revenues**

## Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25200B PEL - Contingency and Reserves

In FY 2025, reserves and contingency total \$40,780,000: \$24,450,000 - reserves (15% of Preschool for All tax revenue). \$16,300,000 - contingency (10% of Preschool for All tax revenue).



### Program #25200C - PEL - Dedicated Savings

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335 **Program Characteristics:** One-Time-Only Request, In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Preschool for All will give 3- and 4-year-olds in Multnomah County access to free early education. The number of children served each year will increase until publicly funded preschool is universally available in 2030. Dedicated savings dollars are an important fiscal strategy to ensure stability and consistent service levels as Preschool for All grows.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Over the full implementation of the program, revenues and expenses are aligned, but there are individual years in which expenses are expected to exceed revenues. Revenue from surpluses in the early years will be set aside as dedicated savings to fund slots during future years.

PROGRAM GOAL: Dedicated savings will help to ensure long-term stability and consistent service levels for Preschool for All. This will allow Preschool for All to meet its goal of universal access in 2030.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: As Preschool for All program implementation progresses, expenditures start to outpace annual revenue. Based on updated revenue and cost estimates, there will be an 8 year period during Fiscal Years 2029- 2036 when the costs are higher than the anticipated revenue. Over time, the gap between revenues and expenses narrows. In Fiscal Year 2037, projected revenue catches-up with anticipated expenses.

The money set aside during the early years of Preschool for All implementation when slot numbers remain lower will be used as dedicated savings to ensure that PFA can provide consistent levels of high-quality preschool experiences for Multnomah County families.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Based on projections, program is on track to cover future expenses	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			
		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Unappropriated & Contingency	\$0	\$237,138,947	\$0	\$421,251,623
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$237,138,947	\$0	\$421,251,623
Program Total:	\$237,138,947		\$421,2	51,623
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25200C PEL - Revenue Smoothing



### Program #25201 - PEL - Program Development & System Support

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

The Department of County Human Services established the Preschool & Early Learning Division in January 2021 in order to implement Preschool for All (PFA). The staff in the Preschool & Early Learning Division are creating the foundation for PFA's success. This work includes developing systems, processes, and partnerships to select and support preschool providers, recruit families, and create positive preschool experiences for children.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Preschool for All ballot measure named the Department of County Human Services as the program administrator. The Preschool & Early Learning Division is responsible for implementation of Preschool for All.

PROGRAM GOAL: The structure of the Preschool & Early Learning (PEL) Division was informed by the experiences of other preschool systems across the country and the internal expertise of County staff. The PEL Division will hire and retain a diverse staff committed to early learning and racial justice. This will help to build trust in the community and to successfully implement the equity goals of Preschool for All.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The PEL Division will center the voices of Black, Indigenous, and all families and providers of color to implement the community-built Preschool for All vision. The PEL Division staff includes: a Division Director (1.00 FTE), an Operations Team focused on the application system for families, budgets, and contracts (10.00 FTE), a Policy & Partnerships Team focused on policy areas that will build the capacity and quality of PFA (16.00 FTE), and staff focused on administrative, evaluative, and communications functions of Preschool for All (10.00 FTE).

The Preschool and Early Learning Division staffs the advisory committee included in the Preschool for All ballot measure. The Preschool for All Advisory Committee is a diverse group of community members from the different geographic areas of the County. The committee reviews the program budget, advises program evaluation, reviews data, and makes policy recommendations.

Performa	Performance Measures						
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target		
Output	Preschool for All Advisory Committee Meetings	4	4	4	4		
Outcome	% of Advisory Committee who identify as Black, Indigenous, and People of Color	73%	50%	67%	50%		
Outcome	% of PEL Division employees who identify as Black, Indigenous, and People of Color	83%	50%	68%	50%		

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$4,930,169	\$0	\$5,998,373
Contractual Services	\$0	\$65,000	\$0	\$90,000
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$184,503	\$0	\$184,503
Internal Services	\$0	\$882,143	\$0	\$918,033
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$6,061,815	\$0	\$7,190,909
Program Total:	\$6,06	\$6,061,815		0,909
Program FTE	0.00	32.00	0.00	37.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program generates \$246,533 in indirect revenues.

# **Significant Program Changes**

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25201 PEL - Program Development & System Support

This program offer adds 1.00 FTE Contract Specialist, 1.00 FTE Project Manager, 3.00 FTE Program Specialist



Program #25202 - PEL - Preschool Access: Family & Provider Navigation FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Community based organizations strengthen the work of Preschool for All through their cultural knowledge, positive relationships in the community, and experience building partnerships. Community based organizations play two key roles in Preschool for All: (1) Intermediary Organizations partner with small child care businesses to support their participation. (2) Family Connector Organizations outreach to families and guide them through the application and enrollment process.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Historically, in-home preschool providers have faced challenges as small business owners. Many providers will be new to having a contract for preschool slots. Families who have the least access to high-quality preschool may be hard to reach and enroll in a new program.

PROGRAM GOAL: Including in-home preschool providers and prioritizing children who experience barriers accessing preschool are important in order to achieve Preschool for All's racial equity goals. Intermediary Organizations support small preschool providers who want to participate. Family Connector Organizations increase access to Preschool for All.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: The Preschool & Early Learning Division holds contracts with larger preschool centers and with school districts. Intermediary Organizations hold contracts with in-home providers and small centers. In-home providers are the most diverse group of preschool providers in the community. They give children rich learning environments and build strong relationships with families. Intermediary Organizations work closely with the PFA administration to ensure that in-home providers' needs are met and that their businesses can thrive.

Culturally specific organizations hire Family Navigators to help families with the Preschool for All application and enrollment process. This includes outreach to families who currently have the least access to high-quality preschool and support to complete the application. Family Navigators also connect interested families to community resources, such as food, energy, and housing assistance.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of new Preschool for All applications completed by Black, Indigenous, and families of color each year	1,236	750	1,400	1,600			
Outcome	% of providers who are satisfied with the support they receive from PFA's intermediary organization*	86%	85%	85%	85%			

<sup>\*</sup> The wording of this performance measure was adjusted slightly from: % of small providers who say that the Intermediary Org supports their participation in PFA

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$0	\$1,460,000	\$0	\$1,460,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$1,460,000	\$0	\$1,460,000
Program Total:	\$1,460,000		\$1,46	0,000
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25202 PEL - Preschool Access: Family & Provider Navigation



### Program #25203 - PEL - Preschool Infrastructure Capacity Building

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Having more preschool facilities is necessary for Preschool for All to meet its goals. In order to increase the number of early learning spaces, Preschool for All will invest in a facilities fund for preschool programs. This funding will help to build future preschool capacity in Multnomah County.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: High-quality environments support children's learning. There are not enough early learning spaces in Multnomah County for universal preschool access. Child care providers struggle to find facilities that meet their needs and money to cover the cost.

PROGRAM GOAL: Funding for preschool facilities will create access to capital dollars for preschool providers and increase the number of preschool slots in Multnomah County.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Well-designed spaces can enhance learning and child development. However, many providers experience challenges when trying to open a new facility or improve their existing space. In Fiscal Year 2024, the Preschool & Early Learning Division established a facilities fund for providers. The facilities fund invests in the construction and renovation of early learning spaces, as well as offering technical assistance to preschool programs.

Many banks are unwilling to provide loans to child care providers, because of their low profits and lack of collateral. This challenge is even bigger for Black, Indigenous and providers of color who experience systemic barriers to traditional bank loans and business supports. The facilities fund increases child care providers' access to capital dollars and supports providers ready to improve their learning environments and expand their programs.

Facilities funds help providers improve their spaces and expand into bigger or new locations. Investments in child care facilities gives families more preschool choices and increases the number of preschool slots available.

Performan	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Establish a PFA Facilities Fund and funding process for providers	N/A	1	1	1			
Outcome	% of facilities fund investments that go to Black, Indigenous, or Business Owners of Color and CSOs*	N/A	50%	50%	50%			

<sup>\*</sup> CSOs = culturally specific organizations

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$0	\$17,800,000	\$0	\$17,800,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$17,800,000	\$0	\$17,800,000
Program Total:	\$17,800,000		\$17,80	00,000
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25203 PEL - Preschool Infrastructure Capacity Building



Program #25204 - PEL - Program Quality: Coaching & Provider Supports FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Preschool for All (PFA) gives 3- and 4-year-olds in Multnomah County access to free early education. The number of children served each year will increase until the program is universally available in 2030. PFA Coaches will collaborate with preschools to strengthen the quality of their programs. Coaching is a key strategy to ensure that preschool experiences are high- quality, inclusive, and culturally affirming.

## **Program Description**

ISSUE: The number of high-quality preschool slots in our community must increase dramatically for Preschool for All to be available to all families in 2030. Preschool providers are undervalued and have not received regular or robust support.

PROGRAM GOAL: Preschool for All will invest in coaching as a key strategy to create high-quality preschool experiences. Research shows that relationship-based, individualized professional development is an effective way to build teachers' skills and knowledge.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Preschool for All will offer coaching and support to providers. Mt. Hood Community College Child Care Resource & Referral will hire, train, and lead a team of coaches to partner with in-home and center-based preschool providers. Multnomah Educational Service District will have Preschool for All coaches to work with school districts. Preschool for All coaching will be relationship-based and tailored to meet the needs of individual educators. Coaches will collaborate on goal setting and help providers be at their best. The active recruitment and support of Black, Indigenous, and Coaches of Color is essential to the success of Preschool for All.

Additional support for preschool providers will include training, financial incentives for ongoing participation in coaching, and business development coaching. Coaching, professional development and other support are for providers who meet PFA requirements, as well as for providers who will be ready to implement PFA in future years. Building a pipeline of future providers will help Preschool for All become universally available in 2030. It will also allow families to have more options and to choose the early learning setting that's right for their child.

Performa	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of early educators participating in coaching and other supports	226	350	345	400			
Outcome	% of Coaches supporting Preschool for All who identify as Black, Indigenous and People of Color	85%	50%	67%	50%			

## **Performance Measures Descriptions**

Performance measure removed: % of providers and staff who report progress on their goals due to coaching and supports

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$0	\$10,664,000	\$0	\$10,664,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$10,664,000	\$0	\$10,664,000
Program Total:	\$10,664,000		\$10,66	64,000
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25204 PEL - Program Quality: Coaching & Provider Supports



### Program #25205 - PEL - Preschool for All Pilot Sites

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Preschool for All (PFA) Pilot Sites provide high-quality, culturally responsive, inclusive preschool. PFA slots are offered at child care centers, Head Starts, home-based family child care providers, and school districts. Pilot Sites work closely with the Preschool & Early Learning Division to share feedback and refine the program. PFA support includes funding to stabilize infant and toddler slots in these settings

## **Program Description**

ISSUE: The Preschool & Early Learning Division works in partnership with Pilot Sites to refine program details. Collaborating with providers will result in innovative and effective policies for a stronger early care and learning system in Multnomah County. Preschool expansions in other communities have led to decreases in infant and toddler slots. This is largely because of the high costs associated with care for this age group.

PROGRAM GOAL: Key areas for Pilot Site implementation include start-up costs for providers, funding for preschool slots, inclusion, and infant and toddler stabilization. These investments represent the first PFA slots that are available for families. The funding also protects infant and toddler care in Multnomah County and helps to ensure that Pilot Sites can support children who have developmental delays and disabilities.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Just under 1400 Preschool for All slots were available in September 2024 and the number of slots will grow each year. Pilot Sites must work to build positive relationships with families, with a specific focus on Black, Indigenous, and Families of Color. Pilot Sites must be responsive to feedback from families and partner with a coach to improve their program. The average cost paid for each slot in Fiscal Year 2025 will be approximately \$21,134 with school day/school year slots costing less than 10 hour per day/year-round slots.

Infant and toddler stabilization dollars increase wages for Pilot Site educators who are not funded through Preschool for All. This funding supports the recruitment and retention of infant and toddler teachers and increases pay equity within early education programs.

Organizations and businesses selected as Pilot Sites work closely with PFA coaches and administrators. Pilot Sites will help Multnomah County to finalize program details and build a program that providers want to participate in.

Performar	Performance Measures							
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of Preschool for All slots	728	1,400	1,394	2,100			
Outcome	Percentage of Preschool for All slots filled (enrolled)	90%	85%	95%	85%			

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$0	\$36,592,060	\$0	\$57,810,036
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$36,592,060	\$0	\$57,810,036
Program Total:	\$36,592,060		\$57,8	10,036
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25205 PEL - Preschool for All Pilot Sites



### Program #25206 - PEL - Early Educator Workforce Development

FY 2025 Department Requested

Department: County Human Services Program Contact: Leslee Barnes

Program Offer Type: Operating Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

**Related Programs:** 40099B, 72052A, 72052B, 78335

**Program Characteristics:** In Target

### **Executive Summary**

Increasing the number of early educators is essential to creating universal preschool access in Multnomah County. Preschool for All will invest in workforce development to grow the number of early educators and support the professional development of existing preschool staff. This funding will help to build future preschool capacity in Multnomah County.

### **Program Description**

ISSUE: Early educators are essential to children's learning and across the nation they are poorly paid, undervalued, and required to navigate confusing and disconnected systems and regulations. Staffing shortages continue to be an issue for early childhood education programs in Multnomah County.

PROGRAM GOAL: Workforce development programs will bring new people into early education careers and support existing preschool staff to continue their professional learning. Investments in programs that focus on Black, Indigenous, and early educators of color will help to ensure a diverse workforce.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY: Workforce development funds will be used to increase training and education opportunities. These opportunities will be for existing preschool providers and future educators. There will be a focus on programs that serve teachers who speak diverse languages and those who are Black, Indigenous and people of color.

The Preschool for All workforce development investments will help to make higher education easier to navigate and to afford. Additional investments may include early childhood certifications, pathways to employment, and support for educators participating in professional development. Increasing the number of early educators will allow for additional preschool locations to open and support existing sites to have consistent staffing levels. Workforce development strategies will provide opportunities for parents, high school students, and educators who have left the child care profession to achieve a fulfilling career and will help to increase the number of high-quality preschool programs in Multnomah County.

Performance Measures								
Measure Type	Performance Measure	FY23 Actual	FY24 Budgeted	FY24 Estimate	FY25 Target			
Output	Number of early educators participating in Preschool for All workforce development programs	60	500	850	800			
Outcome	% of educators participating in workforce programs who identify as Black, Indigenous, and People of Color	*	60%	60%	60%			

<sup>\*</sup> Demographic information was not collected by the partner organization in the first year of implementation. This data will be collected starting FY24.

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Contractual Services	\$0	\$5,000,000	\$0	\$5,000,000
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$5,000,000	\$0	\$5,000,000
Program Total:	\$5,000,000		\$5,000,000	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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

# **Explanation of Revenues**

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 25206 PEL - Early Educator Workforce Development