

Priority: Safety
Program Offer Type: Existing Operating
Related Programs:

Lead Agency: Sheriff
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Program Characteristics: Joint Offer

Executive Summary

Funds to operate beds at the Detention Center. This includes beds for inmates requiring maximum security, as well as those with medical and psychological needs. MCDC, the only maximum-security facility operated by MCSO, supports local public safety and offender treatment systems. Option A opens 46 beds and puts in place the necessary infrastructure.

Medical, mental health and dental services at MCDC for 6 housing areas on the 4th floor are provided for 45 male and female inmates in the Medical Infirmary, Mental Health Infirmary, Administrative Segregation, and Disciplinary housing and 24 hour emergency response, evaluation and treatment.

Program Description

The 676 maximum-security detention beds at MCDC are offered to support public safety and offender treatment systems by providing safe and humane pretrial or sentenced offender space. The facility has services such as family and professional visiting, medical, video conferencing, counseling, law library, and religious/educational services to all those detained.

This offer includes the Administration and Support for the facility, jail services such as medical and transport, and resources for the operation of 46 beds (one dorm). Ten beds serve those with special medical needs, 16 beds are for administrative segregation, 10 beds are mental health services, and 10 beds are for disciplinary.

This offer captures functions needed to open the jail.

Program Justification

The Sheriff's Office under statutory authority to maintain population levels in a population emergency, released 4520 inmates into the community in 2005. This offering, in conjunction with the MCIJ and Wapato Offerings, will eliminate these Emergency Releases. Operational budget figures are derived from staffing and essential service functions mandated in safe and humane corrections standards.

The program's mission is to ensure that inmates are not medically harmed during their jail stays, are medically and mentally stabilized, and are treated humanely. Suicide prevention is a primary goal.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	Previous Year Actual (FY05-06)	Current Year Purchased (FY06-07)	Current Year Estimate (FY06-07)	Next Year Offer (FY07-08)
Output	Bed Days*	18,980	16,790	18,980	18,980
Outcome	Inmate and staff assaults**	267	12	267	267
Output	Number of inmate requests for care evaluated by nurse monthly	800	0	800	800
Outcome	Ratio of suicide watches to successful suicides per month	25	25	25	25

Performance Measure - Description

 **Measure Changed**

*Bed days is calculated by number of total beds (52) multiplied by number of days in a year (365).

**The number of inmate to staff assaults is 82. The number of inmate to inmate assaults is 185.

The numbers are expressed for inmate and staff assaults are based on a facility level not a dormitory level.

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Legal/Contractual Obligation

Federal law, state statute and county charter mandate the Sheriff maintain the local detention facility(s) within the Sheriff's jurisdiction. Under the same laws, local detention facility managers are mandated to operate safe and humane facilities.

The right to health care in jail is legally mandated under Federal and state law. When an individual is arrested and incarcerated, the obligation for health care falls upon the government as a matter of constitutional law, enforceable under the U.S. Constitution's 8th Amendment and the 14th Amendment's due process clause.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
	2007	2007	2008	2008
Program Expenses				
Personnel	\$7,232,246	\$0	\$8,308,431	\$0
Contracts	\$54,011	\$0	\$130,474	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$547,970	\$0	\$719,458	\$0
Internal Services	\$894,482	\$0	\$871,094	\$0
Capital Outlay	\$1,602	\$0	\$0	\$0
Subtotal: Direct Exps:	\$8,730,311	\$0	\$10,029,457	\$0
Administration	\$1,591,399	\$0	\$1,321,320	\$0
Program Support	\$4,094,708	\$10,274	\$3,087,056	\$5,086
Subtotal: Other Exps:	\$5,686,107	\$10,274	\$4,408,376	\$5,086
Total GF/non-GF:	\$14,416,418	\$10,274	\$14,437,833	\$5,086
Program Total:	\$14,426,692		\$14,442,919	
Program FTE	64.40	0.00	67.52	0.00
Program Revenues				
Fees, Permits & Charges	\$25,007	\$0	\$20,000	\$0
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Program Revenue for Admin	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,086
Total Revenue:	\$25,007	\$0	\$20,000	\$5,086

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last year this program was: #60021A, MCSO MCDL Offer A

Budget reductions of 21/2 days of provider clinic results in fewer appointments for urgent care, longer waits and more emergencies.