

Lead Agency: Community Justice

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Program Offer Type: Existing Operating

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

Outpatient treatment is an essential part of the alcohol and drug treatment continuum that impacts public safety. The National Institute of Justice reports over 50% of violent crimes (including domestic violence), 60 to 80% of child abuse and neglect cases, 50 to 70% of theft and property crimes and 75% of drug dealing and manufacturing offenses involve offender drug use (1999).

In this community, 72% of the people utilizing publicly-funded treatment programs receive outpatient treatment. At any time, 176 offenders who are classified as high risk to commit a new crime attend these community-based, outpatient treatment programs 1 to 3 times a week. An additional 60 parolees are also enrolled in outpatient treatment as a part of their previous treatment received in prison. In FY 2009, 1181 clients received outpatient treatment services.

Program Description

Services are provided through contracts with 8 non-profit providers that are dually licensed to provide drug and alcohol treatment and mental health services.

Outpatient treatment is an option for qualified offenders. Programs are equipped to respond to culturally-specific needs, provide comprehensive mental health counseling, assist with job related issues and support housing transitions. All contracted treatment programs use research-based approaches that motivate offenders to learn new skills that support a lifestyle free of crime and addiction.

Without treatment, offenders are more likely to reoffend and/or end up occupying expensive jail beds. The research shows that continued abstinence from illegal drug use produces a 40 to 75% reduction in crime (Harrell and Roman 2001). A study published by the Oregon Legislature Public Safety Strategies Task Force (2008) found that drug treatment programs in the community have been shown to reduce criminal re-offense rates by 9%.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	Previous Year Actual (FY08-09)	Current Year Purchased (FY09-10)	Current Year Estimate (FY09-10)	Next Year Offer (FY10-11)
Output	Percent of offenders who successfully complete treatment	45.0%	47.0%	41.0%	47.0%
Outcome	Percent of offenders who do not recidivate one year post treatment exit	85.0%	53.0%	87.0%	80.0%

Performance Measure - Description

Recidivism is a measure of new felony arrests one year post treatment exit using a recidivism rate. Percent successful completion of engaged clients is the percent of clients that completed treatment and the conditions of the program.

Legal/Contractual Obligation**Revenue/Expense Detail**

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2010	2010	2011	2011
Contracts	\$373,390	\$162,083	\$344,294	\$130,553
Internal Services	\$0	\$15,138	\$0	\$11,085
Total GF/non-GF:	\$373,390	\$177,221	\$344,294	\$141,638
Program Total:	\$550,611		\$485,932	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Program Revenues				
Indirect for dep't Admin	\$10,730	\$0	\$8,865	\$0
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$61,390	\$0	\$60,138
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$115,831	\$0	\$81,500
Total Revenue:	\$10,730	\$177,221	\$8,865	\$141,638

Explanation of Revenues

County General Fund plus State Alternative Incarceration Program \$60,138; Forfeitures \$81,500.

Significant Program Changes

Last year this program was: #50043A, DCJ Addiction Services-Adult Offender Outpatient Treatment
 Additional outpatient treatment funding can be found in the "Re-Entry Enhancement Coordination Grant" program offer 50031, "Property Crimes Programs" 50045 and "Chronic Offender Program" 50056.