

Cohort 4 Proposition 47 Grant Proposal Summaries
(in alphabetical order)
Grant Cycle October 3, 2024 to June 1, 2028

1. Alameda County Health Care Services Agency

Project Title: Community Assessment Referral and Engagement Services (CARES)
Diversion Program, Alameda County DA
Grant Funds Awarded: \$6,000,000

Summary: The Alameda County District Attorney's Office will expand the successful implementation of the Community Assessment Referral and Engagement Services (CARES) Navigation Center to ensure the continuity of comprehensive interventions and advance equitable access to community based supportive services in Alameda County (AlCo). The proposal sets forth critical intervention and effective alternative to incarceration strategies for the named target population of people aged 18 years and above throughout AlCo engaging in low-level crime associated with mental health and substance use, with additional targeted initiatives in south and east sections of the county.

2. City of Anaheim

Project Title: Anaheim Collaborative Court – Evaluating Strategies & Solutions
Expansion
Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The Anaheim City Attorney, with support from the Orange County Superior Court and Public Defender, launched ACCESS (Anaheim Collaborative Court - Evaluating Strategies and Solutions); a prosecution-led misdemeanor pre-trial diversion program for homeless individuals with substance use or mental health disorders. ACCESS represents a shift in prosecutorial philosophy, aiming to create a cultural change in local justice practices by providing meaningful interventions. This approach involves a multidisciplinary team including a judge, prosecutor, public defender, clinician, peer lead, and coordinator, utilizing the C-CAT assessment tool to tailor treatment plans. Working closely with the Anaheim Police Department, Housing and Community Development Department, and various community organizations, ACCESS seeks Proposition 47 funding to expand and enhance the program's services, expand treatment access, and conduct a comprehensive evaluation of its impact on public health and safety.

3. City of Banning

Project Title: Banning Re-Entry & Community Safety Project
Grant Funds Awarded: \$6,990,541

Summary: The City of Banning will implement the Banning Re-Entry & Community Safety Project, a new project aimed at reducing recidivism of formerly incarcerated individuals by addressing substance abuse and mental health disorders, homelessness, and other factors. The project will provide a full wraparound service to 900 recently released inmates from Larry J Smith Correctional Facility (County Jail). The project will 1) integrate project navigators into prison pre-release planning; 2) provide a "warm handoff" when

inmates are released to coordinate services; 3) connect clients with housing, substance abuse, and mental health services as soon as they are released and provide intense navigation and follow-up; and 4) provide housing, workforce training, jobs, and other supports. The City of Banning will partner with the County Jail and three community-based organizations – 1) North Shore Community Church, 2) Step Up On Second, and 3) Salvation Army – to implement the proposed project.

4. City of Fort Bragg - Police Department

Project Title: Care Response Unit-Coastal Expansion

Grant Funds Awarded: \$2,521,555

Summary: The Care Response Unit – Coastal (CRU-C) Program is a three-pronged approach to expand the availability of mental health treatment, including treatment of substance use disorders, and diversion services on the Mendocino Coast. 1. Expand the Fort Bragg Police Department's Care Response Unit south to the Village of Mendocino and north to Cleone. This includes hiring one full-time Social Services Liaison-Care Response Unit member to expand in-person services beyond the city, and one part-time Administrative Assistant to manage grant documentation and evaluation tasks. 2. Expand services provided by the Mendocino County Hospitality Center (MCHC). This includes the full-time staffing of a Mental Health Provider, Services Coordinator, and Administrative Assistant. 3. Expand temporary and transitional housing access to the Care Response Unit. This includes reserving one stabilization bed at the Hospitality Center and six transitional housing beds at the Hospitality Center.

5. City of Long Beach, Department of Health and Human Services

Project Title: Long Beach Reentry Project

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: With this funding, the City of Long Beach Department of Health and Human Services will enhance its Long Beach Reentry Project by coordinating core (mental health, substance use treatment, diversion) and supportive services (case management, housing, employment, education, legal, tattoo removal, gender-specific, youth-specific) in collaboration with various nongovernmental organizations for justice-involved individuals. LBDHHS will prioritize those most impacted by the criminal justice system and provide culturally appropriate, trauma-informed services. LBDHHS expects to achieve the following goals within the grant period: 1) Enhance and increase coordination of mental health, substance use treatment, diversion, and supportive services for justice-involved individuals in Long Beach, 2) Increase programming specifically designed for justice-involved youth, 3) Improve connections to specific mental health, substance use treatment, and supportive services for justice-involved women.

6. City of Pomona

Project Title: Pomona Recidivism Reduction Program

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The current grant project will undertake the following initiatives aimed at addressing the mental health, substance abuse, and diversion needs of its residents,

focusing on those with prior involvement in the criminal justice system, including individuals with previous arrests, convictions, or parole status. This targeted approach ensures that those most in need of assistance receive comprehensive support and resources to facilitate their successful reintegration into society and reduce their risk of further involvement with the criminal justice system.

7. City of Seaside Recreation Services

Project Title: Community Reintegration Collaborative

Grant Funds Awarded: \$6,022,619

Summary: The goal of this project is to provide culturally appropriate diversion and case management services to juveniles and adults in the criminal justice system to reduce recidivism in Monterey County. Services will include in jail meet and service introduction sessions, include petitions for reclassification, clinical treatment plans and therapy for those struggling with mental illness and/or substance use disorders, and guidance and support to achieve self-expressed goals through individualized case plans. Reintegration services and support will include petitions for reclassification or dismissal, family reunification and restorative justice negotiations, transitional housing assistance, acquisition of documentation to access jobs, and referrals to training and jobs.

8. County of Glenn Health and Human Services Agency

Project Title: Project TRIUMPH (Transform, Rebuild, Inspire, Unbound, Persist, Hopeful)

Grant Funds Awarded: \$893,113

Summary: The Glenn County Proposition 47 Project TRIUMPH, a collaborative project, will establish an enhanced structure to address the gaps in our current systems for mental health, substance use disorder treatment, housing, community-based supportive services, life-skills training, job skills, civil legal support, and intensive case management. Our primary focus is adults and young adults 18-26 years old. This transformative initiative, designed to bring about lasting change, will focus on developing a day rehabilitation center, expanding diversion and enhancing enrichment programs, comprehensive case management with a holistic approach, addressing housing needs, and direct mental health and substance use disorder treatment that will serve our eligible individuals in the criminal justice system. We aim to enhance the quality of services to our target population by improving their compliance with court obligations, reducing recidivism, and lowering re-offense rates.

9. County of Riverside Department of Housing and Workforce Solutions

Project Title: RivCo Project Street Recovery- SMI/SUD Street Medicine

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: This proposal outlines a plan to reduce recidivism by providing field-based whole-person medical care including substance and mental health services to justice system impacted persons who are homeless by fostering long-term recovery and stability. Homeless often face significant barriers to overcoming substance use and mental health challenges because services are difficult to access, lost/stolen medication, or difficulty in administering meds which can be a factor in reoffending. By addressing underlying issues

and barriers of substance use disorder and mental health disorders through field-based services, we can increase access to sustainable treatment options and increase the likelihood of med compliance, thereby reducing the likelihood of reoffending and promoting long-term stability and rehabilitation. Our street medicine model will include a direct link to the coordinated entry system which will allow the NGO provider to link clients to leveraged permanent housing subsidies.

10. County of San Diego - Behavioral Health Services

Project Title: Forensic Assertive Community Treatment Program

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The County of San Diego project will expand the evidence-based Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) approach to create the Forensic Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) model. FACT serves individuals with serious mental illness (SMI) who are involved with the criminal justice system. The needs of this population are complex and exacerbated by their involvement with the criminal justice system. The FACT model will provide customized adaptations based on criminogenic needs and risks while bridging the behavioral health and criminal justice systems. The program will expand available housing interventions and ancillary housing supports, embed criminal justice staff, and provide substance use services and flexible funding for customized supports. It is anticipated these enhanced forensic services will reduce time spent in detention, avoid psychiatric visits to emergency rooms, increase housing stability and engagement with treatment and improve public safety.

11. Marin County Sheriff's Office

Project Title: Marin County Daily Services Center Plus Housing

Grant Funds Awarded: \$6,149,144

Summary: The Marin County Sheriff's Office will implement the Marin Proposition 47 Daily Services Center Plus Supportive Housing Program. Center Point, Inc., a DHCS Licensed/DMC Certified Marin-based NGO with more than forty years of experience providing SUD/MH screening, assessment, treatment, Day Reporting Center programming, and aftercare for criminal justice clients, has been selected as the services provider. The DSC will provide SUD/MH treatment, CBT-based groups and workshops addressing criminal thinking, conflict resolution, vocational and employment preparation, and other prosocial skills opportunities for up to 135 clients. CPI will also provide eight dedicated Recovery Residence beds affiliated with the DSC and offer on-site living skills and other recovery support services. Two Sheriff's Deputies, 2 CPI Recovery Coach/Counselors and 5 Case Manager/Peer Support Specialists will be the primary staff affiliated with the DSC.

12. Orange County Probation

Project Title: Proposition 47- Equitable Diversion Access Initiative and "Efficient Justice Pathways for Youth"

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The Orange County Probation Department seeks to partner with community-based organizations to expand diversion services throughout the county to defer youth who have committed minor offenses away from the juvenile justice system. Diversion services provided to youth and their families offer service and support options that can be tailored to the youth's immediate needs. Employing diversion programs provides the opportunity for alternative interventions in addressing underlying issues that lead to delinquent behavior, offering specialized programs to assist youth dealing with mental health and/or substance use issues. Probation aims to facilitate equitable access to diversion programs, using a streamlined process, and preventing unnecessary contact with the juvenile justice system. Enhancing the accessibility of youth diversion programs, allows for delinquent behavior to be addressed in a timely matter and handled informally to provide the best opportunity to prevent further offending.

13. Public Defender for the County of Monterey

Project Title: Effecting Change in Circumstances (ECC)

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The purpose of the program is to support residents who are involved in the justice system and who also have a mental health (MH) issue and/or substance use disorder (SUD) that limits one or more of their life activities. The proposed project addresses current gaps in providing MH and SUD support to our rural and lower income population. Monterey County proposes to not only supplement existing intensive services, but also include additional prevention/early intervention diversion services to our underserved areas using restorative justice principles and evidence-based treatment models.

14. Regents of the University of California dba University of California, Irvine

Project Title: Expanding SUD and Co-occurring Mental Health Services for the Orange County Young Adult Court

Grant Funds Awarded: \$2,469,922

Summary: The Orange County Young Adult Court (OC-YAC) applies best practices in developmental science to form individualized treatment plans to improve outcomes for justice-involved young adult males in OC. Moreover, youth receive felony dismissals upon program graduation. The proposed project is a collaboration between UC Irvine and Orangewood Foundation to expand YAC's mental health and SUD services to reduce recidivism risk and promote positive life outcomes. Our goals are to expand and improve existing services by (1) hiring staff with SUD treatment expertise to conduct screenings, assessment and treatment, and (2) providing housing support, referrals and linkages to external SUD recovery and other supportive services. Finally, we aim to (3) expand the existing randomized controlled trial's research assessments to measure substance use and cooccurring mental health disorder symptoms and service/treatment utilization, and link to data capturing recidivism rates and various life outcomes.

15. Sacramento County Department of Health Services

Project Title: Reentry Opportunities and Access to Resources

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The proposed program in Sacramento County aims to reduce recidivism by 35% by enhancing reentry programs, expanding eligibility, and supporting CBO workforce development. Mentorship programs and focus groups will also be developed. Outcomes will be tracked using CalAIM ECM and custody data. To reduce homelessness by 60% and unemployment by 50%, the program will expand access to shelter beds, provide re-housing funds, offer eviction prevention services, and develop career pathways. Outcomes will be monitored using HMIS and CBO data. The program also aims to increase participation in mental health and substance use programs by 50% by recruiting more providers and strengthening referral pathways. Outcomes will be measured by participation rates in these programs. The plan targets recidivism, homelessness, and mental health issues, with services provided up to 90 days before release through collaboration between correctional facilities, CBOs, and local agencies.

16. San Francisco - Department of Homelessness & Supportive Housing

Project Title: SFHSH Housing, Expungement and Recovery through Treatment & Support Services (HEARTTSS) Program

Grant Funds Awarded: \$7,999,999

Summary: The SFHSH HEARTTSS program is focused on serving a priority population of criminal justice-involved adults with substance abuse disorder and/or mental health issues, with a particular emphasis on Latine and Spanish monolingual members of this target population. In addition to providing culturally responsive treatment to individuals in their preferred language, the overall goal of the program is to reduce incarceration and recidivism and advance stability through housing & recovery. The project will achieve its goals by connecting individuals with culturally and linguistically competent, trauma-informed housing assistance, treatment, diversion, expungement services & peer navigation support delivered by city agencies/departments & CBOs rooted in the community.

17. San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments

Project Title: San Gabriel Valley Crisis Assistance Response & Engagement (SGV CARE) Program

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: The San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments (SGVCOG) seeks funding to expand and augment the SGV Crisis Assistance Response & Engagement (SGV CARE) Program through the Prop 47 Grant Program. The funding will support the following areas: continuation of SGV CARE services, expand the program area, bridge housing. Continuation of services: the SGV CARE program has a proven track record of connecting clients with help and removing law enforcement from 9-1-1 calls. Prop 47 funding will give us the opportunity to identify which clients have a history of criminal justice interventions and quantify how those clients have been helped. Expansion of the program area: potential service area expansion includes cities with disadvantaged communities and have CalEnviroScreen 4.0 scores of 80+. Bridge housing: by adding a housing component to the SGV CARE program, the most vulnerable clients who are

either unhoused or at-risk of becoming homeless will have access to housing and wraparound services.

18. Santa Cruz County Health Services Agency

Project Title: RENEWPath (Reentry, Engagement, New beginnings, Empowerment, Wellness)

Grant Funds Awarded: \$8,000,000

Summary: Santa Cruz County will use Proposition 47, Cohort 4 funding to support adults involved in the justice system who have a history of substance use disorder and or mental health needs. These funds will support individuals with Recovery Residence housing, co-occurring treatment and wrap around care coordination to support with diversion from the criminal justice system and reduce recidivism. The primary use of these funds will support the expansion of Recovery Residences which are an innovative housing model that combines sober living environments with substance use disorder treatment. Recovery Residences leverage Drug Medi-Cal treatment services and funding to provide outpatient, intensive outpatient, narcotic treatment, medication assisted treatment, individual/family counseling and care coordination including housing navigation to beneficiaries. Mental Health outpatient treatment services will also be leveraged to support individuals with mental health and co-occurring disorders.

19. Santa Cruz County Office of Education

Project Title: Project Achieving Success through Community, Education & Nurturing Development (ASCEND)

Grant Funds Awarded: \$7,118,238

Summary: Project ASCEND combines the efforts of all Santa Cruz County law enforcement agencies with several community-based organizations to implement a diversion program for juvenile offenders, ages 12 to 17 years, who have been arrested and charged with or convicted of a nonviolent criminal offense and have a history of mental health issues and/or substance use disorders.

20. Santa Monica City Attorney's Office

Project Title: SaMo Bridge

Grant Funds Awarded: \$7,926,172

Summary: The Santa Monica City Attorney's Office, in partnership with Exodus Recovery, Inc., seeks Proposition 47 grant funding to create SaMo Bridge, a diversion program that addresses the behavioral health, substance abuse issues, and housing needs of justice-involved adults in the Santa Monica community. SaMo Bridge will provide people who are stuck at the intersection of criminal justice involvement, addiction, unmet behavioral health needs and homelessness, a bridge into services to reduce recidivism. SaMo Bridge will create a no-barrier 24/7 respite hub where the Santa Monica Police Department can divert people during the pre-arrest, post-arrest and pre-filing stages of law enforcement contact. As the SaMo Bridge respite hub, people can address basic needs and enroll in 90-day care coordination plans to secure housing and treatment services. Upon program graduation, the City Attorney will dismiss citations and cases.

21. Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office

Project Title: Stanislaus County Commercial Sex and Exploitation Diversion Program

Grant Funds Awarded: \$2,591,725

Summary: The Commercial Sex and Exploitation Diversion (CSED) Program will reduce risk factors for continued participation in the sex trade by addressing barriers to accessing and engaging in services while building resilience and healthy coping skills through effective client-centered case management. CSED is firmly rooted in the principles of Restorative Justice, focused on demonstrating the harmful nature of the sex industry and its negative effects on the worker and community, thereby discouraging involvement in it and reducing recidivism. CSED will provide law enforcement with an alternative to incarceration for offenders who are often trauma survivors, suffering mental health issues or substance use disorders and lacking appropriate resources to change their life path. It will provide a path to exiting the sex trade for participants who are looking for the support to do so. Referrals will be made by the Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office to Without Permission, a local CBO.

22. Ventura County Public Defender's Office

Project Title: Ventura County Prop 47 Diversion Program

Grant Funds Awarded: \$7,317,598

Summary: Proposition 47 Diversion is a collaborative project between the Ventura County Public Defender's Office, the Ventura County District Attorney's Office, Ventura County Superior Court, Interface Children & Family Services, and the Turning Point Foundation to supplement the existing "judicial diversion" program by offering wraparound services to a minimum of 300 people facing enumerated Prop 47 charges and concomitant status offenses who may have substance use/mental health issues. The goal of this program is to divert people with substance abuse/mental health issues away from criminal justice involvement through increased/enhanced diversion programs, housing resources and improved behavioral health services and community supports.