



Adult Parole and Probation: Opioid Settlement Funds Request FY26

Amount Requested: \$50,000

Eligibility Category: Support for individuals with Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) and co-occurring Substance Use Disorder (SUD) or Mental Health (MH) conditions, specifically focusing on justice-involved individuals.

Proposal Narrative: Adult Parole and Probation is requests funding to support sober housing beds for justice-involved individuals in substance use treatment. The funds will be used to cover the cost of sober housing, which generally ranges from \$600 to \$800 per month per bed. These funds would serve clients in Deschutes County who are on probation and clients transitioning from incarceration to post prison supervision. Lack of stable housing is a major barrier for clients on supervision especially for those with substance use disorders and other co-occurring disorders. Our goal will be to utilize these funds to pay community providers who offer a structured, drug-free environment with onsite management, ensuring that participants have the support they need to stay sober and engage in recovery services.

In addition to housing, clients in sober housing and treatment receive case management services and access to peer recovery coaching. This comprehensive support significantly reduces the likelihood of relapse and recidivism and really helps our staff ensure clients have the resources they need to make lasting pro-social behavior change.

Desired Outcomes:

- 5-7 sober housing beds for justice-involved individuals per month.
- Client responsivity support and barrier reduction.
- Stable sober living environments for clients in recovery.

Expected Impacts:

- **Recidivism Reduction:** Stable housing removes barriers for individuals on supervision in Deschutes County, providing a foundation for success and decreases the likelihood of reoffending.
- **Improved Treatment Outcomes:** Combining sober housing with treatment increases the chances of long-term behavior change, helping to foster long-term sobriety for participants.
- **Enhanced Public Safety and Reduced Homelessness:** Managed sober housing for clients on probation and post-prison supervision provide higher levels of accountability. Housing staff can monitor and report on clients' progress to the individuals PO. The PO works with housing and treatment to ensure client is meeting supervision conditions. Additionally, this funding will expand access to housing resources, reducing reliance on shelters, camping, or homelessness, and offering a more stable living situation for justice involved individuals in Deschutes County.