

Attachment 2

Deschutes County Adult Treatment Court Semi-Annual Progress Report 21-23 Biennium Q7 and Q8

1. What did work well?
 - a. Deschutes County Adult Treatment Court (ATC) continued its coordination and communication with partners and clients as we continue the ramp down of the Court. As of June 2023 we have three clients left in Adult Treatment Court. Clients have adapted well to the new provider and the new PO and are continuing to make progress. We anticipate the current clients to be finished with adult treatment court in the next few months.

2. What was challenging?
 - a. The biggest challenge has been managing a Court that is winding down and ensuring that clients still in ATC are afforded the same opportunities and services. Also Deschutes County Adult Treatment Court has been held in high regard in our community and thus the current process to shut the court down has impacted our community and the many supporters.

3. The Specialty Court Grant Program funds are one-time funding that cannot be rolled over into future grant periods. At the end of the grant period any unspent funds are returned to Oregon's General Fund. What was the court's biggest risk to spending all of the grant dollars awarded?
 - a. Biggest challenge was having a Court that was winding down and not accepting new clients. Also the structure around billing for case management presented challenges for our provider.

4. What did the court do to address any risks to spending all of the grant dollars awarded?
 - a. We made modification to our original grant plan and worked with CJC on those.

5. What did the court do to address any barriers to maintaining monthly participant numbers at or near capacity? Capacity means the number of participants the program can serve at one time, regardless of phase awarded?
 - a. We have not been accepting new participants. We have been in communication with CJC regarding this situation.

6. If the court did not meet Oregon Specialty Court Standards, what is the court doing to improve? Please identify the standard and what work is being done to move towards meeting the standard?
 - a. At this time Deschutes County Adult Treatment Court has not had an evaluation completed on their adherence to specialty court standards.
 - b. Our current ATC treatment provider was able to host University of Cincinnati to provide their SUD curriculum training for all staff. While we understand ATC is closing out, this is a great resource for our community and they will continue to provide services for clients that would have been in ATC. It could also prepare them as a provider in the future if the ATC returns.
7. What, if any technical assistance or support with from CJC would have been helpful throughout the biennium?
 - a. With our Court shutting down we appreciate CJC's willingness to work with us through that process.