SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

# COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP

## Funding Request Form

**his form is required to identify program/service needs for 2023-24 that your department is requesting to be funded with Community Corrections funds.**

| Department | |
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| Behavioral Health - Substance Use Disorders | |
| Contact Person | Phone |
| Dr. Georgina Yoshioka | (909) 252-5142 |

**Total Amount Requested**

Ongoing: $ 3,315,766 One-time: $ 103,360

**Priority:** *(If submitting more than one funding request form, please rank the requests in order of priority, with 1 being the highest priority)* 1

**Program/Service Description** *(140 Characters - Departments are encouraged to attach the proposal in its entirety)*

Expand Mental Health & Substance Use treatment, and reduce recidivism through screening, treatment, reintegration, linkage, and referrals.

**Describe Need for the Program/Service and If Mandated**

Since the Public Safety Realignment Act of 2011 was enacted, the State Budget Act has provided funds for counties to implement various approaches to supervision, rehabilitation, reentry, and housing to reduce recidivism and improve the lives of people involved in the justice system. In addition, the Drug Medi-Cal Organized Delivery System (DMC-ODS) program requirements have been enhanced under the California Advancing and Innovating

**Information Requested on County Priorities**

The County has historically expressed an interest in programs and projects that fit in the following categories of expenditure. If the program or service fits within one of the categories listed below, please choose that category and provide a brief description of how the project aligns with the priority. Requested programs are not required to fit within these categories in order to be considered by the CCP. These sub-categories are provided to aid the County Administrative Office in identifying programs that support areas of alignment and collective impact that have already been established:

Alcohol and Drug Treatment Services

## Description

This project offers direct substance use disorder (SUD) treatment services to the target population. This proposal outlines services that are a best practice for integrated co-occurring behavioral care. The proposed services under this submission expand SUD services to meet capacity needs, including additional residential treatment beds, and expansion of services in the Day Reporting Centers to include Intensive Outpatient treatment, care coordination, and an expansion of recovery residences (formerly known as transitional housing) to support

The tenets of the Realignment Act require that the state and counties use a data-driven approach to balance public safety and reduce recidivism. To accomplish this, a concerted effort has been made to invest in evidence-based correctional sanctions and programs, including, but not limited to, day reporting centers, drug courts, residential multiservice centers, mental health treatment programs, electronic and GPS monitoring programs, victim restitution programs, counseling programs, community service programs, educational programs, and work training programs.

**Please describe how this program will enhance or produce innovative ways to reduce recidivism, foster public safety and provide a path for our clients to become viable members of society.**

With co-occurring disorders, beneficiaries involved in the criminal justice system are often harder to treat for SUD. While research has shown that the criminal justice population can respond effectively to treatment services, the beneficiary may require more intensive services. We will open a Dual Certified Clinic in San Bernardino which allows for higher levels of treatment (19 hours a week vs 9 hours outpatient). Care coordination has successfully assisted beneficiaries in accessing treatment and transitioning clients to the next level of care upon discharge. On-site daily SUD treatment and real-time screenings for placement are ideal, given that one-stop services will be more readily available through additional staffing. Expanding higher levels of care, such as adding additional

**Does this request produce any measurable results?** *(For example: cost savings, enhanced productivity, improved services, etc.)* **Please describe:**

The expansion of residential treatment, intensive outpatient treatment, and an additional outpatient clinic will improve timely access to care. Expansion of recovery residences will reduce homelessness and at risk of homelessness rates by offering this transitional housing support to transition to permanent housing upon completing the program. Recovery services will provide a linkage for treatment if needed and assistance in sustaining recovery upon completion of treatment. Providing harm reduction resources (i.e., naloxone, fentanyl test strips) to those screened for services will reduce the risk of overdose and link care if needed.

## County Goal

Pursue County Goals and Objectives by Working with Other Agencies and Stakeholders

## County Objective

Maintain close working relationships with cities, tribes and other governmental agencies.

## Program Budget:

SALARY AND BENEFITS

| Classification | FTE | Salary & Benefits Cost | Total |
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| See Attachment A- SUD Budget | | | $ 0.00 |
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| Total | 0.0 | | $ 0.00 |

SERVICES AND SUPPLIES

| Item Description | Total |
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| Total | $ 0.00 |
| **TOTAL** | $ 0.00 |