

# **SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **SOCIAL SERVICES BLOCK GRANT PRE-EXENDITURE PLAN FFY 2021**

The South Carolina Department of Social Services (SCDSS) hereby gives notice of the availability of the “FFY 2021 Social Services Block Grant (SSBG) Pre-Expenditure Plan” to the citizens of South Carolina for review and comment. The report reflects plans of the SCDSS/State of South Carolina to expend SSBG funds for the 2021 federal fiscal year, October 1, 2012 through September 30, 2021.

This notice is given pursuant to the requirements of Title XX, Section 2004 of the Social Security Act (as enacted in the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 [P.L. 97-35] and codified at 42 U.S.C. 1397c). Comments regarding this notice will be accepted for a period of thirty days from the date it is posted.

Written comments about the FFY 2021 Pre-Expenditure Report may be submitted to the Adult Advocacy Division, South Carolina Department of Social Services, Post Office Box 1520, Columbia, SC 29202-1520. Any written comments submitted may be reviewed by the public at the Department of Social Services, Adult Advocacy Division, 5<sup>th</sup> floor – Room 507, 1535 Confederate Avenue Extension, Columbia, South Carolina, Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.

A copy of the final and complete FFY 2021 SSBG application and Post-Expenditure Report for FFY 2019 may be obtained after October 1, 2019, through written request to the SCDSS address listed above or may be accessed through the SCDSS Internet site on the World Wide Web at <https://dss.sc.gov/about/data-and-resources/annual-progress-and-services-reports>.

## **SERVICES TO BE FUNDED IN TOTAL OR IN PART BY SSBG FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2021**

**Adult Protective Services** are available to provide protective services to vulnerable adults who are victims of abuse, neglect, and exploitation, and if possible, to help them resume their role as primary protector of themselves. (Listed in SSBG Plan under federal definition **Protective Services - Adults**.)

**Child Protective Services** are provided to families whose children have been abused or neglected and also includes temporary emergency placement of children as a service component. (Listed in the SSBG Plan under federal definition **Protective Services - Children**.)

**Foster Care Services** include assessment of abused, neglected, or abandoned children's needs; case planning and management to assure that children receive proper care in a licensed or approved environment; room and board or medical care; counseling of the child, the children's parents and foster parents; and referral and assistance in obtaining other necessary supportive services. (Listed in the SSBG Plan under federal service definition **Foster Care Services – Children**.)

**Homemaker Services** are offered to adults and children receiving protective services. (Listed in the SSBG Plan under the federal service definition **Home Based Services**.)

**Prevention/Intervention Services** are those services or activities designed to provide early identification and/or timely intervention to support families and prevent or ameliorate the consequences of abuse, neglect, or family violence. Component services and activities include time-limited clinical interventions designed to defuse crises that threaten a child's stability within the home environment, case management, and developmental and parenting skills training.

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| <b>Part A. Estimated Expenditures and Proposed Provision Method</b> |  | OMB NO.: 0970-0234                 |
| STATE: South Carolina   | FISCAL YEAR: 2021                      | REPORT PERIOD: 10/1/2020-9/30/2021 |
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| Agency: SC Dept. of Social Services                                 | Submission Date: 9/1/2020              |                                    |

| Service Supported with SSBG Expenditures                     | SSBG Expenditures |                              | Expenditures of All Other Federal, State and Local funds** | Carry Over of Funds Transferred into SSBG from Previous FY | Total Expenditures | Provision Method |         | Do your total expenditures include ALL other federal, state, and local funds for this service category? |
|--|-------------------|------------------------------|--|--|--------------------|------------------|---------|---|
|  | SSBG Allocation   | Funds transferred into SSBG* |  |  |                    | Public           | Private |   |
| 1 Adoption Services  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 2 Case Management  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 3 Congregate Meals   |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 4 Counseling Services  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 5 Day Care--Adults   |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 6 Day Care--Children   |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 7 Education and Training Services                            |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 8 Employment Services  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 9 Family Planning Services                                   |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 10 Foster Care Services--Adults                              |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 11 Foster Care Services--Children                            | 1,794,137         |                              |  |  | 1,794,137          | X                | X       |   |
| 12 Health-Related Services                                   |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 13 Home-Based Services                                       | 615,729           |                              |  |  | 615,729            | X                | X       |   |
| 14 Home-Delivered Meals                                      |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 15 Housing Services  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 16 Independent/Transitional Living Services                  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 17 Information & Referral                                    |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 18 Legal Services  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 19 Pregnancy & Parenting                                     |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 20 Prevention & Intervention                                 | 3,690,010         |                              |  |  | 3,690,010          | X                | X       |   |
| 21 Protective Services--Adults                               | 13,601,004        |                              |  |  | 13,601,004         | X                | X       |   |
| 22 Protective Services--Children                             | 3,556,132         |                              |  |  | 3,556,132          | X                | X       |   |
| 23 Recreation Services                                       |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 24 Residential Treatment                                     |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 25 Special Services--Disabled                                |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 26 Special Services--Youth at Risk                           |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 27 Substance Abuse Services                                  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 28 Transportation  |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 29 Other Services***   |                   |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 30 SUM OF EXPENDITURES FOR SERVICES                          | 23,257,012        |                              |  |  | 23,257,012         |                  |         |   |
| 31 Administrative Costs                                      | 1,281,229         |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |
| 32 SUM OF EXPENDITURES FOR SERVICES AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS | 24,538,241        |                              |  |  |                    |                  |         |   |

\* From which block grant(s) were these funds transferred? N/A

\*\* Please list the sources of these funds:

\*\*\* Please list other services:

**Part B. Estimated Recipients**

OMB NO.: 0970-0234

STATE: South Carolina

FISCAL YEAR: 2021

| Service Supported with SSBG Expenditures    | Children | Adults                        |                             |                       | Total Adults | Total   | Actual (A), Estimated (E), Sampled (S) data? | Duplicated (D) or Unduplicated (U) Counts? | Please enter the eligibility criteria for this Service Category | State will submit eligibility criteria to OCS by email |
|---|----------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|---------|--|--|---|--|
|   |          | Adults Age 59 Years & Younger | Adults Age 60 Years & Older | Adults of Unknown Age |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 1 Adoption Services                         |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 2 Case Management                           |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 3 Congregate Meals                          |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 4 Counseling Services                       |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 5 Day Care--Adults                          |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 6 Day Care--Children                        |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 7 Education and Training Services           |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 8 Employment Services                       |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 9 Family Planning Services                  |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 10 Foster Care Services--Adults             |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 11 Foster Care Services--Children           | 8,928    |                               |                             |                       |              | 8,928   | E  | U  | At or below 200% poverty  |  |
| 12 Health-Related Services                  |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 13 Home-Based Services                      |          | 23                            | 62                          | 0                     | 85           | 85      | E  | U  | At or below 200% poverty  |  |
| 14 Home-Delivered Meals                     |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 15 Housing Services                         |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 16 Independent/Transitional Living Services |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 17 Information & Referral                   |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 18 Legal Services                           |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 19 Pregnancy & Parenting                    |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 20 Prevention & Intervention                | 80,470   |                               |                             |                       |              | 80,470  | E  | U  | At or below 200% poverty  |  |
| 21 Protective Services--Adults              |          | 2963                          | 8,432                       | 0                     | 11,395       | 11,395  | E  | U  | At or below 200% poverty  |  |
| 22 Protective Services--Children            | 16,597   |                               |                             |                       |              | 16,597  | E  | U  | At or below 200% poverty  |  |
| 23 Recreation Services                      |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 24 Residential Treatment                    |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 25 Special Services--Disabled               |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 26 Special Services--Youth at Risk          |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 27 Substance Abuse Services                 |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 28 Transportation                           |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 29 Other Services***                        |          |                               |                             |                       |              |         |  |  |   |  |
| 30 SUM OF RECIPIENTS OF SERVICES            | 105,995  | 2986                          | 8,494                       | 0                     | 11,480       | 117,475 | E  | U  | At or below 200% poverty  |  |