

# **SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **SOCIAL SERVICES BLOCK GRANT PRE-EXPENDITURE PLAN FFY 2014**

The South Carolina Department of Social Services (SCDSS) hereby gives notice of the availability of the “FFY-2014 Social Services Block Grant (SSBG) Pre-Expenditure Report” 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 2014 federal fiscal year, October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2014.

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-2014 Pre-Expenditure Report may be submitted to the Division of Early Care and Education, South Carolina Department of Social Services, Post Office Box 1520, Columbia, South Carolina 29202-1520. Any written comments submitted may be reviewed by the public at the Department of Social Services, Division of Early Care and Education, 3rd floor – room 311, 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-2014 SSBG application and post-expenditure report for FFY-2012 may be obtained after October 1, 2013, 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/> later this year.

**SERVICES TO BE FUNDED IN TOTAL OR IN PART BY SSBG  
FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2014**

**Adult Protective Services** are available to protect incapacitated adults from abuse, neglect and exploitation, and if possible, to help them resume their role as primary protector of themselves. (Listed in the 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 service definition **Protective Services Children**)

**Family Management Counseling** includes an array of services to enhance self-sufficiency, knowledge, skills and coping mechanisms provided to individuals or families at risk of entry into a more restrictive living environment or service system. (Listed in the SSBG Plan under federal service definition **Counseling Services**)

**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 child'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 and to individuals who are frail, chronically ill or disabled, and who do not qualify for Medicaid-sponsored skilled or intermediate nursing care. (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.

**Pregnancy and Parenting Services** are available to expectant mothers under the age of 21 years who are in need of out-of-home placement to ensure the health and safety of the mother and unborn child, and to help with concerns related to pregnancy. (Listed in the SSBG Plan under federal service definition for **Other Services**)

**Part A. Estimated Expenditures and Proposed Provision Method**

OMB NO.: 0970-0234

EXPIRATION DATE: 06/30/2014

|   |  |                               |
|---|--|-------------------------------|
| STATE: South Carolina                           | FISCAL YEAR: 2014                          | REPORT PERIOD:10/1/13-9/30/14 |
| Contact Person: Liz Smith or Sharon Williams    | Phone Number: 803-898-2754 or 803-898-8096 |                               |
| Title: Program Coordinator II                   | E-Mail Address: Liz.Smith@dss.sc.gov       |                               |
| Agency: South Carolina Dept. of Social Services | Submission Date: 09/01/2014                |                               |

|    | Service Supported with SSBG Expenditures                  | SSBG Expenditures |                              | Expenditures of All Other Federal, State and Local funds** | Total Expenditures | Provision Method |         |
|----|---|-------------------|------------------------------|--|--------------------|------------------|---------|
|    |   | SSBG Allocation   | Funds transferred into SSBG* |  |                    | Public           | Private |
| 1  | Adoption Services   |                   |                              |  |                    |                  |         |
| 2  | Case Management   |                   |                              |  |                    |                  |         |
| 3  | Congregate Meals  |                   |                              |  |                    |                  |         |
| 4  | Counseling Services                                       | 32,117            |                              |  | 32,117             |                  | X       |
| 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                            | 3,951,400         |                              |  | 3,951,400          | X                | X       |
| 12 | Health-Related Services                                   |                   |                              |  |                    |                  |         |
| 13 | Home-Based Services                                       | 3,351,009         |                              |  | 3,351,009          | 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                                 | 1,600,000         |                              |  | 1,600,000          | X                |         |
| 21 | Protective Services--Adults                               | 4,056,794         |                              |  | 4,056,794          | X                |         |
| 22 | Protective Services--Children                             | 8,622,257         |                              |  | 8,622,257          | 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***   | 310,000           |                              |  | 310,000            |                  | X       |
| 30 | SUM OF EXPENDITURES FOR SERVICES                          | 21,923,577        |                              |  | 21,923,577         |                  |         |
| 31 | Administrative Costs                                      | 2,168,266         |                              |  |                    |                  |         |
| 32 | SUM OF EXPENDITURES FOR SERVICES AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS | 24,091,843        |                              |  |                    |                  |         |

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

N/A

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

N/A

\*\*\* Please list other services:

Pregnancy & Parenting Services

**Part B. Estimated Recipients**

OMB NO.: 0970-0234

EXPIRATION DATE: 06/30/2014

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|-----------------------|
| STATE: South Carolina |
| FISCAL YEAR: 2014     |

| Service Supported with SSBG Expenditures    | Children | Adults                        |                             |                       | Total Adults | Total  |
|---|----------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------|
|   |          | 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                       |          | 83                            | 17                          |                       | 100          | 100    |
| 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           | 7,800    |                               |                             |                       |              | 7,800  |
| 12 Health-Related Services                  |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 13 Home-Based Services                      | 300      | 170                           | 750                         |                       | 920          | 1,220  |
| 14 Home-Delivered Meals                     |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 15 Housing Services                         |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 16 Independent/Transitional Living Services |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 17 Information & Referral                   |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 18 Legal Services                           |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 19 Pregnancy & Parenting                    |          |                               |                             |                       |              |        |
| 20 Prevention & Intervention                | 5,500    |                               |                             |                       |              | 5,500  |
| 21 Protective Services--Adults              |          | 560                           | 1,600                       |                       | 2,160        | 2,160  |
| 22 Protective Services--Children            | 10,500   |                               |                             |                       |              | 10,500 |
| 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***                        |          | 75                            |                             |                       | 75           | 75     |
| 30 SUM OF RECIPIENTS OF SERVICES            | 24,100   | 888                           | 2,367                       |                       | 3,255        | 27,355 |