



City of Kansas City, Missouri

Docket Memo

Ordinance/Resolution #

Submitted Department/Preparer: Health

Docket memos are required on all ordinances initiated by a Department Director. More information can be found in [Administrative Regulation \(AR\) 4-1](#).

Executive Summary

Accepting and approving a one-year \$269,687.00 contract with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services for a comprehensive sexually transmitted disease prevention program; designating requisitioning authority.

Discussion

STD's/ STI's remain a substantial health challenge facing both Kansas City and the United States as a whole. Reported cases of chlamydia, gonorrhea and syphilis continue to increase each year during the last 5–6-year period. These infections remain common, costly and challenge the health and wellness of millions of people across the United States. Congenital syphilis (transmitted from mother to newborn) has significantly increased nationwide since 2015, while KCMO reported 1 case in 2019, 7 cases in 2020 and 20 cases in 2022.

Additionally, the impact of the TD/ STI epidemic does not fall equally across all populations and regions. Adolescents and young adults, men who have sex with men and pregnant women are disproportionately impacted by STDs/ STIs. Social determinants of health contribute to an unequal burden of STDs/ STIs in Black American Indian/ Alaska Native and Hispanic communities.

STD/ STI rates per 100,000 population in Kansas City continue to exceed the national objectives for gonorrhea, chlamydia and syphilis. This grant provides for funding to continue KCHD's comprehensive STD/ STI program to address targeted testing and treatment efforts as well as to conduct primary prevention. Funds also provide for partner services which involves interviewing cases for individuals that may have been exposed and could benefit from testing and treatment if necessary.

Fiscal Impact

1. Is this legislation included in the adopted budget? Yes No

2. What is the funding source?

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3. How does the legislation affect the current fiscal year?

Funds previously budgeted. No affect.



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4. Does the legislation have fiscal impact in future fiscal years? Please notate the difference between one-time and recurring costs.

No

5. Does the legislation generate revenue, leverage outside funding, or deliver a return on investment?

Leverage outside funding

Office of Management and Budget Review

(OMB Staff will complete this section.)

- 1. This legislation is supported by the general fund. Yes No
- 2. This fund has a structural imbalance. Yes No

Additional Discussion (if needed)

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Citywide Business Plan (CWBP) Impact

View the [FY23 Citywide Business Plan](#)

Which CWBP goal is most impacted by this legislation?

Housing and Healthy Communities (Press tab after selecting.)

Which objectives are impacted by this legislation (select all that apply):

- Maintain and increase affordable housing supply to meet the demands of a diverse population
- Broaden the capacity and innovative use of funding sources for affordable housing
- Invest in neighborhood stabilization and revitalization to reduce blight, ensure sustainable housing, and improve the wellbeing of residents while sustaining their diverse cultures
- Ensure all occupants of residences have quality, efficient, and healthy housing with minimal economic or regulatory barriers
- Address the various needs of the City’s most vulnerable population
- Utilize planning approaches to improve the City’s neighborhoods



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Prior Legislation

[Click or tap here to list prior related ordinances/resolutions.](#)

Service Level Impacts

The receipt of this funding from this contract will allow the KCHD to continue providing the quality/level of care to the patients seeking these specific services from the department.

Other Impacts

1. What will be the potential health impacts to any affected groups?

Provides for a comprehensive Sexual Transmitted Disease/ Infection Program (STD/STI) utilizing core public health functions of assessment, assurance and policy development. This contract will also assist the Department in working toward the Sexually Transmitted Infection National Strategic Plan outlined by the Department of health and Services.

2. How have those groups been engaged and involved in the development of this ordinance?

n/a

3. How does this legislation contribute to a sustainable Kansas City?

Contributes to the department's STI /HIV/ AIDs program sustainability by providing funding that results in the provision of a comprehensive STD/ STI program that provides enhanced, quality medical assistance to those residents experiencing applicable medical conditions.

4. Does the ordinance/resolution include Civil Rights antidiscrimination requirements in compliance with the Code of Ordinances (Chapter 38, titled "Civil Rights")?

Yes.

5. Has the ordinance/resolution been submitted for review of economic equity & inclusion requirements in compliance with the Code of Ordinances (Chapter 3, titled "Contracts and Leases")?

N/A