

Program Information

The Division of Human Services delivers a variety of comprehensive services that assist County citizens in maintaining their health and well-being. These services include mental health services through Comprehensive Community Care of Sedgwick County (COMCARE), assistance to the developmentally disabled through the Sedgwick County Community Developmental Disability Organization (SCCDDO), and assistance to older adults from the Department on Aging and Central Plains Area Agency on Aging. The defined populations served within the Division are:

- The disabled and people with a mental illness
- People dealing with aging issues, or
- Those whose behavior and actions are of concern to the community

The Division provides services directly or through contracts with other providers and supports a community

environment. The Division also has a prevention focus with funds and programs devoted to this area. Services are provided to any member of our community based on their ability to pay.

Outcomes sought include; public safety, assisting individuals to move from institutions to the community; prevention of institutional care including state hospitals or nursing homes; assist people served to participate as members of the community; and people served are supported to reach their full potential.

The Division and the Departments within the Division partner with a multitude of organizations to accomplish their goals. Within the community, there are partnerships with a large number of not for profit organizations and local school districts. At the state level partners include the Kansas Health Policy Authority, the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services and the Kansas Department on Aging.



Departmental Sustainability Initiatives

Human Services program efforts contributing to the economic sustainability in the community include programs focused on employment supports, educational supports and assisting individuals to either enter or reenter the workforce. The Division is also significantly involved in assisting the community in lowering expenditures for and increasing access to health care, dental care and prescription drugs.

The primary function of the Director's Office is to constantly seek efficiencies in departmental operations to strive for financial sustainability. This is done through

coordination of efforts between departments and cross training of staff to improve service delivery. Division staff seek out and implement technology based solutions whenever possible, including the use of a shared electronic health record in COMCARE and the SCCDO. The Department on Aging has implemented an electronic record for the services they provide in the community.

Social equity is a core initiative as programs are designed and targeted to help clients overcome a variety of barriers for maintaining and improving their well being. Outreach activities are a significant component of work done by all programs and Departments in the Division as well to reach out to those who may not

realize help is available to them in achieving a well balanced life.

Department Accomplishments

Human Services staff were heavily involved in developing the Advanced Education in General Dentistry Residency Program and will continue to participate on the advisory committee in 2011.

The Sedgwick County Prescription Discount Card program that began at the end of 2004, continues to

expand. In 2008, the program began distributing discount cards and offering program posters in Spanish to allow a larger portion of the population to be reached. Residents have saved over \$400,000 since program inception.

During 2009, Human Services staff worked with staff from the City of Wichita and the homeless services provider community to successfully implement a Housing First program. The first individual moved from living on the street to their own apartment in March 2009, and over 70 individuals were assisted through the end of 2009.

Alignment with County Values

- Equal Opportunity -
 - Assist individuals to overcome barriers to maintain their health and well-being regardless of their background • Commitment -
 - Case Managers focus on clients to ensure success
 - Open Communication -
 - Interaction with providers, partners and clients is actively pursued in order to provide appropriate levels of care

Goals & Initiatives

• Protecting People

Collaborating with Sheriff and Wichita Police Department to develop and implement a Crisis Intervention Team

• Investing for jobs

Outreach efforts to increase the number of employers willing to hire mental health consumers

• Serving the community

Taking a lead role in the implementation of the Taskforce to End Chronic Homelessness recommendations

Staff have also facilitated a group working on veterans' issues and helped host a training session for mental health and corrections staff, as well as community providers about Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, traumatic brain injury and suicide. An event specifically for veterans and their families on these subjects was also offered. Future work includes additional training and exploring the possibility of a mentoring program for veterans who become involved in the correctional system.

Budget Adjustments

Changes the Human to Services Director's 2011 budget reflect a one percent increase in contractual, commodity, and capital equipment based on 2009

actual expenditures for property tax supported funds. Additional property tax supported funding in the Director's Office includes \$100,000 to fund the first year of a five year commitment to the United Methodist Open Door capital campaign for developing a Resource and Referral Center for the homeless population and \$120,000 to help fund the Child Advocacy Center from the COMCARE property tax supported fund.



Significant Adjustments From Previous Budget Year

- 2011 is the first year of a five-year commitment to United Methodist Open Door Capital Campaign
- Funding for the Child Advocacy Center in the COMCARE property tax supported fund
- Funding for the Child Advocacy Center in the COMCARE grant fund
- Grant funding for the Advanced Education in General Dentistry Residency Program for equipment

Expenditures	Revenue	FTEs
100,000		
120,000		
(120,000)		
476,000	476,000	

						Total	576,000	476,000	-
Budget Summary by Categ	jory					Budget	Summary by	y Fund	
	2009	2010	2010	2011	% Chg.	ľ		2010	2011
Expenditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11	Expendit	ures	Revised	Budget
Personnel	335,387	355,038	355,038	375,241	5.7%	COMCAR	E-202	618,138	847,667
Contractual Services	149,169	261,991	381,991	947,287	148.0%	COMCAR	E Grants-252	125,000	481,000
Debt Service	-	-	-	-					
Commodities	8,626	6,109	6,109	6,139	0.5%				
Capital Improvements	-	-	-	-					
Capital Equipment	-	-	-	-					
Interfund Transfers	-	-	-	-					
Total Expenditures	493,182	623,138	743,138	1,328,667	78.8%	Total Ex	openditures	743,138	1,328,667
Revenue									
Taxes	-	-	-	-					
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	476,000					
Charges For Service	-	5,000	5,000	-	-100.0%				
Other Revenue	8,888	-	-	5,000					
Total Revenue	8,888	5,000	5,000	481,000	9520.0%				
Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.0%				

Budget Summary by Program

		Expenditures					
Program	Fund	2009 Actual	2010 Adopted	2010 Revised	2011 Budget	% Chg. '10-'11	
Director's Office	202	355,927	378,772	378,772	384,585	1.5%	
Housing First	202	124,585	239,366	239,366	243,082	1.6%	
UM Open Door	202	-	-	-	100,000		
Prescription Drug Card	252	12,670	5,000	5,000	5,000	0.0%	
Adv Ed Gen Dentistry	252	-	-	-	476,000		
Child Advocacy Center	Mult.	-	-	120,000	120,000	0.0%	

493,182

Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)							
2010 Adopted	2010 Revised	2011 Budget					
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1.00	1.00	1.00					
-	-	-					
-	-	-					
-	-	-					
-	-	-					

Total



743,138

623,138

1,328,667

78.8%

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Personnel Summary by Fund

Budgeted Personnel Costs Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) 2010 2010 2011 2010 2010 2011 Position Title(s) Fund Band Adopted Revised Budget Adopted Revised Budget 1.00 Director of Human Services 119,688 119,688 124,291 1.00 1.00 202 B533 Deputy Human Services Director B431 81,012 81,012 84,128 1.00 1.00 1.00 202 43,318 40,896 41,714 1.00 1.00 Senior Administrative Officer 202 B323 1.00 Administrative Officer 36,446 37,175 38,605 1.00 1.00 1.00 202 B321 Subtotal 290,342 4.00 4.00 4.00 Add: The 2011 personnel budget accommodates one Budgeted Personnel Savings (Turnover) additional payroll posting period. The budget is not Compensation Adjustments reflective of an individual employee's annual salary due Overtime/On Call/Holiday Pay to the timing variance between the posting of payroll and Benefits 84,899 the employee's receipt of compensation. **Total Personnel Budget*** 375,241



• Director's Office

The Human Services Director's Office supports the Division of Human Services Departments of COMCARE, Aging and Sedgwick County Developmental Disability Organization by optimizing performance, coordinating efforts and maximizing the utilization of resources in responding to the health and wellbeing needs for Sedgwick County citizens. The Director's Office negotiates contracts and agreements to reduce the cost of medications and services for customers, as well as efforts in working to reduce healthcare costs at the local, state and national level.

Fund(s):COMCARE 202

	2009	2010	2010	2011	% Chg.
Expenditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11
Personnel	300,640	311,160	311,160	329,145	5.8%
Contractual Services	54,951	67,303	67,303	55,101	-18.1%
Debt Service	-	-	-	-	
Commodities	336	309	309	339	9.7%
Capital Improvements	-	-	-	-	
Capital Equipment	-	-	-	-	
Interfund Transfers	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	355,927	378,772	378,772	384,585	1.5%
Revenue					-
Taxes	-	-	-	-	
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	
Charges For Service	-	-	-	-	
Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Total Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.0%

Goal(s):

30001-202

• Encourage healthy living for staff, consumers, customers and clients

• Strengthen organizational viability through training and development for managers

• Support SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access and Recovery (SOAR) training plans to allow Case Managers to assist individuals in applying for federal benefits

• Housing First

The Task Force to End Chronic Homelessness (TECH) developed a plan to end chronic homelessness in the community. One recommendation was to adopt and implement the "Housing First" model, which cities and counties across the nation have implemented with positive results. Through Housing First, chronic homeless individuals are offered immediate access to a permanent residence (typically an apartment) free of charge. Rent and utilities are paid for the tenant as they receive access to wrap-around services and receive visits from case managers a minimum of once per week. As the individual secures income (via employment, SSI/SSDI or other), they are asked to pay up to 30 percent of monthly income for rent/utilies. This program includes a support position to monitor this program and support the TECH Oversight Committee.

Fund(s):COMCARE 202					30002-202
	2009	2010	2010	2011	% Chg.
Expenditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11
Personnel	34,748	43,878	43,878	46,096	5.1%
Contractual Services	89,838	194,688	194,688	196,186	0.8%
Debt Service	-	-	-	-	
Commodities	-	800	800	800	0.0%
Capital Improvements	-	-	-	-	
Capital Equipment	-	-	-	-	
Interfund Transfers	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	124,585	239,366	239,366	243,082	1.6%
Revenue					-
Taxes	-	-	-	-	
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	
Charges For Service	-	-	-	-	
Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Total Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.0%

Goal(s):

• To implement and provide support of TECH recomendations

• Work with various stakeholders to provide a cooperative effort in addressing chronic homelessness in the community



United Methodist Open Door

Sedgwick County has committed \$100,000 per year over the next five years to the United Methodist Open Door Capital Campaign for the development of a Resource and Referral Center for the homeless population. The Resource and Referral Center will be a place where homeless people can go to receive various services based on their needs. Local community providers, including COMCARE's Homeless Program, will be co-located at the Center to offer supportive services to homeless individuals and families. Assistance with food, clothing, shelter, housing, medical and mental health services, and employment are some of the many services that the Resource and Referral Center will offer to those who are homeless.

Fund(s):COMCARE 202

	2009	2010	2010	2011	% Chg.
Expenditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11
Personnel	-	-	-	-	
Contractual Services	-	-	-	100,000	
Debt Service	-	-	-	-	
Commodities	-	-	-	-	
Capital Improvements	-	-	-	-	
Capital Equipment	-	-	-	-	
Interfund Transfers	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	-	-	-	100,000	
Revenue					•
Taxes	-	-	-	-	
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	
Charges For Service	-	-	-	-	
Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Total Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)	-	-	-	-	

Goal(s):

30003-202

• Assist homeless clients in finding permanent housing appropriate to their needs and move toward self sufficiency

• Provide a single entry point to access community resources and permenent supportive housing offering need-assessment services, referral/connection to supportive services and therapy

• Prescription Drug Card

The National Association of Counties prescription drug discount card initiative has been made available to the residents of Sedgwick County through the efforts of the Human Services Director's Office. This card primarily benefits the uninsured and underinsured and is accepted by over 80 pharmacies in the local area. The average discount has been approximately 20 percent.

Fund(s): COMCARE Grants 252					30001-252
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Expenditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11
Personnel	-	-	-	-	
Contractual Services	4,380	-	-	-	
Debt Service	-	-	-	-	
Commodities	8,291	5,000	5,000	5,000	0.0%
Capital Improvements	-	-	-	-	
Capital Equipment	-	-	-	-	
Interfund Transfers	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	12,670	5,000	5,000	5,000	0.0%
Revenue					-
Taxes	-	-	-	-	
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	
Charges For Service	-	5,000	5,000	-	-100.0%
Other Revenue	8,888	-	-	5,000	
Total Revenue	8,888	5,000	5,000	5,000	0.0%
Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)	-	-	-	-	

Goal(s):

• Outreach to County residents outside the City of Wichita

· Work with local school systems



Adv Ed Gen Dentistry

The Advanced Education in General Dentistry (AEGD) program at Wichita State University opened August 2009, with seven residents, as a one-year post-doctoral educational experience, with an optional second year. Multiple studies suggest health care providers tend to practice where they are trained, so it is anticipated residents recruited to this program will stay in Kansas upon completion of the program. Residents will train at WSU's main dental clinic (housed in this new facility), with clinical rotations to Grace Med and the Robert J. Dole VA Medical Center.

The specified intention of this award is "to establish an advanced education in general dentistry residency program." To achieve this, the Division of Human Services will work in collaboration with Wichita State University. Specifically, these funds will be used to partially equip a new, stand-alone clinical/educational building to house the AEGD residency program at WSU. This equipment includes intra-oral and panoramic x-ray equipment, sterilization equipment, an on-site dental lab, mechanical room, and an array of intra-oral cameras, hand-pieces, and instruments.

Fund(s):COMCARE Grants 252					30003-252
	2009	2010	2010	2011	% Chg.
Expenditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11
Personnel	-	-	-	-	
Contractual Services	-	-	-	476,000	
Debt Service	-	-	-	-	
Commodities	-	-	-	-	
Capital Improvements	-	-	-	-	
Capital Equipment	-	-	-	-	
Interfund Transfers	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	-	-	•	476,000	
Revenue			_		-
Taxes	-	-		-	
Intergovernmental	-	-		476,000	
Charges For Service	-	-	-	-	
Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	
Total Revenue	-	-	-	476,000	
Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)	-	-	-	-	

Goal(s):

• Increase the availability of dental providers within the community

Child Advocacy Center

The Child Advocacy Center of Sedgwick County was developed to pull resources and services together under one roof to more efficiently and effectively serve children who have experienced abuse. Kansas Social and Rehabilitative Services (SRS), Wichita Police Department, and the Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office formed the Exploited and Missing Child Unit (EMCU) in 1985. These stakeholders form a multi-disciplinary team for handling child abuse cases. Services provided by these stakeholders include social work from SRS and investigations from the Sheriff's Office and the Wichita Police Department. COMCARE has recently added a social worker to assist the children and the families with coping with the mental issues regarding these types of cases. EMCU investigations include interviewing the victim, all witnesses, and the perpetrator. Due to the sensitivity of these types of cases, all those involved in the EMCU have been specially trained to mitigate trauma to child victims, protect questioning from validity issues, and more importantly not expose child victims to the suspect. Funding assistance for the Child Advocacy Center in 2010 was provided by the COMCARE grant fund and in 2011 it will be provided by the COMCARE property tax supported fund.

Fund(s): COMCARE 202/COMCARE Grants 252

	2009	2010	2010	2011	% Chg.
enditures	Actual	Adopted	Revised	Budget	'10-'11
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ital Equipment	-	-	-	-	
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otal Revenue	-	-	-	-	
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Goal(s):

• Give children a safe suppoprtive environment when working with the criminal justice system regarding the abused experience

• Expand services to include children and youth victimized by sexual exploitation

