

PATH Application

FY2026

The Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services (ODMHSAS) will hold its annual public hearing meeting for the Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) grant. Community members, stakeholders, and advocates are invited to submit written and oral comment during the hearing.

PATH programs provide community-based outreach, mental health, substance abuse, case management and other support services to individuals (18 and older) who experience homelessness and living with mental illness or co-occurring disorders. These services help individuals exit homelessness by connecting with housing, benefits, and long-term treatment.

Event Details:

What:

Annual public hearing on the PATH grant, with an opportunity for public comment.

When:

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Location:

Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services
2000 N. Classen Blvd
Oklahoma City, OK 73106
East Tower, 1st floor Conference Room

Additional written comments will be accepted through April 25, 2026, at ODMHSAS, 2000 N. Classen Blvd. Oklahoma City, OK 73106, attention Rebekah Zahn-Pittser.

For more information or for a copy of the draft, contact Rebekah Zahn-Pittser at Rebekah.Zahn-Pittser@odmhsas.org.

II. Executive Summary

2. State Budget

Planning Period From 9/1/2026 to 8/31/2027

A budget and budget narrative that includes the state's use of PATH funds are required. The budget can be entered directly into WebBGAS, or you can upload the budget as an attachment. The Budget Narrative is a separate document that must be uploaded as an Attachment. It must provide a justification for the basis of each proposed cost in the budget and how that cost was calculated. The proposed costs must be reasonable, allowable, allocable, and necessary for the supported activity.

* Indicates a required field

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
a. Personnel	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	
No Data Available				

Category	Percentage	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
b. Fringe Benefits	0.00%	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
c. Travel	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
d. Equipment	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
e. Supplies	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

f1. Contractual (IUPs)	\$ 561,406.00	\$ 189,425.00	\$ 750,831.00	
f2. Contractual (State)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

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<i>PATH housing costs are limited to 20% and can only be PATH allowable costs. Personnel who are considered to be a housing cost should be entered here and not included in the Personnel line item. For questions, call your Program Officer.</i>					
g1. Housing (IUPs)	16.02%	\$ 93,712.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 93,712.50	
g2. Housing (State)		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available					

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
h. Construction (non-allowable)				
i. Other	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

j. Total Direct Charges (Sum of a-i minus g1)	\$ 561,406.00	\$ 189,425.00	\$ 750,831.00	
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Category	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
k. Indirect Costs (Administrative Costs)	\$ 23,391.00	\$ 5,508.00	\$ 28,899.00	
l. Grand Total (Sum of j and k)	\$ 584,797.00	\$ 194,933.00	\$ 779,730.00	
Allocation of Federal PATH Funds	\$ 584,797	\$ 194,933	\$ 779,730	

Source(s) of Match Dollars for State Funds:

OKLAHOMA: Executive Summary

Name	Type	Amount of PATH Funds	Service Areas	Match
Creoks Behavioral Health Services (Southeast Region)	Community Mental Health Center	\$42,300	Pittsburg, Coal, Atoka, and Latimer Counties	\$14,630 – State Funded In-Kind Services
Creoks Behavioral Health Services (OKC).	Community Mental Health Center	\$123,423	Oklahoma County	\$41,141 – State Funded In-Kind Services
Grand Lake Mental Health - Tulsa	Community Mental Health Center	\$293,683	Tulsa County	\$99,654 – Privately Funded In-Kind Services
Grand Lake Mental Health – Washington County	Community Mental Health Center	\$102,000	Washington County	\$34,000 – State Funded In-Kind Services
ODMHSAS	State (for State oversight & travel)	\$23,391.88	Not Applicable	\$5,508 – State Funded In-Kind Services
Services	Services will primarily focus on outreach, case management (including referrals for primary health services, job training, educational services, and relevant housing services), and rehabilitation services, but will also include screening and diagnostic treatment services, community mental health services (including peer recovery support services), habilitation services, alcohol and drug treatment, staff training, and housing services.			
Persons Contacted	A total of approximately 390 adults will be contacted - 278 who will be literally homeless.			
			# Contacted	# Literally Homeless
		Creoks Behavioral Health Care (Southeast)	50	30
		Creoks Behavioral Health Care (OKC)	100	75
		Grand Lake Mental Center (Tulsa County)	200	150
		Grand Lake Mental Center	60	38
Persons Enrolled	A total of approximately 285 people will be enrolled using PATH funds.			
			# Enrolled	
		Creoks Behavioral Health Care (Southeast)	25	
		Creoks Behavioral Health Care (OKC)	90	
		Grand Lake Mental Center (Tulsa County)	180	
	Grand Lake Mental Center	40		

I. State Information

State PATH Regions

Name	Description	Actions
Oklahoma County	Region served by Creoks Behavioral Health	
South East Region	Region served by Creoks Behavioral Health Care, inclusive of Pittsburg, Coal, Atoka, and Latimer Counties.	
Tulsa County	Region served by Grand Mental Health Center	
Washington County	Region served by Grand Mental Health Center	

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Footnotes:

II. Executive Summary

3. Intended Use Plans

Expenditure Period Start Date: **09/01/2026**

Expenditure Period End Date: **08/31/2027**

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Primary IUP Provider	Provider Type	Geographic Service Area	Allocations	Matching Funds	Estimated # to Contact	Estimated # to Enroll
Creoks Behavioral Health Services	Community mental health center	South East Region	\$42,300.00	\$14,630.00	50	25
Creoks OKC	Community mental health center	Oklahoma County	\$123,423.00	\$41,141.00	100	90
Grand Mental Health	Community mental health center	Washington County	\$102,000.00	\$34,000.00	60	40
Grand Mental Health Center	Community mental health center	Tulsa County	\$293,683.00	\$99,654.00	200	150
Grand Total			\$561,406.00	\$189,425.00	410	305

* IUP with sub-IUPs

Footnotes:

II. Executive Summary

Intended Use Plans

Creoks Behavioral Health Services
100 N. 5th
McAlester, OK 74501
Contact: Kristi Boydston
Email Address: kristiboydston@creoks.org

Provider Type: Community mental health center
PDX ID:
State Provider ID:
Contact Phone #: (918)430-6137

- **Local Area Provider Description** – Provide a brief description of the provider organization receiving PATH funds, including name, type of organization, region served, and the amount of PATH funds the organization will receive.
- **Collaboration with HUD CoC Program** – Provide a brief description of the organization's collaboration with HUD's Continuum of Care (CoC) Program. Describe the organization's participation with local HUD CoC recipient(s) and other local planning activities and program coordination initiatives, such as coordinated entry activities. If the organization is not currently working with the CoC(s), briefly explain the approaches to be taken by the organization to collaborate with the CoC(s) in the areas where PATH operates.
- **Collaboration with Local Community Organizations** – Provide a brief description of partnerships and activities with local community organizations that provide key services (e.g., outreach teams, primary care, mental health, substance use, housing, employment) to PATH-eligible clients, and describe the coordination of activities and policies with those organizations. Provide specific information about how coordination with other outreach teams will be achieved.
- **Service Provision** – Describe the organization's plan to provide coordinated and comprehensive services to PATH-eligible clients, including:
 - How the services to be provided using PATH funds will align with PATH goals and maximize serving the most vulnerable adults who are **literally** and **chronically** homeless, including those with COD, to obtain housing and mental/substance use disorder treatment services and community recovery supports necessary to assure success in long-term housing;
 - Any gaps that exist in the current service systems;
 - A brief description of the current services available to clients who have a COD; and
 - A brief description of how PATH eligibility is determined, when enrollment occurs, and how eligibility is documented for PATH enrolled clients.
- **Housing** – Indicate the strategies that will be used for making suitable housing available for PATH clients (i.e., indicate the type of housing provided and the name of the agency).
- **Client Information** – Describe the demographics of the client population, the projected number of adult clients to be contacted and enrolled, and the percentage of adult clients to be served using PATH funds who are **literally homeless**.
- **Consumer Involvement** – Describe how individuals who experience homelessness and have serious mental illness, and their family members, will be meaningfully involved at the organizational level in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of PATH-funded services. For example, indicate whether individuals who are PATH-eligible are employed as staff or volunteers or serve on governing or formal advisory boards.
- **Budget Narrative** – Provide a budget and budget narrative that includes the local-area provider's use of PATH funds.

INTENDED USE PLAN – CREOKS Behavioral Health Services (Southeast Region)

1.) Local Area Provider Description –

CREOKS Behavioral Health Services is a private, non-profit human services agency, established in 1980, certified by the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, and accredited by CARF.

CREOKS provides a comprehensive array of Mental Health and Substance Abuse treatment including, but not limited to, the following: screening and assessment, treatment planning and review, psychotherapy, individual and group rehabilitation, psychopharmacological treatment, crisis intervention services, case management, outreach services, peer support services, treatment for co-occurring disorders and wraparound services.

CREOKS South East PATH program will serve four counties in South East Oklahoma: Atoka, Coal, Latimer and Pittsburg. CREOKS budget is \$42,300.00 in PATH funding.

2.) Collaboration with HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) Program –

CREOKS PATH program staff have, and will continue to work closely with Community Stakeholders, including the local Continuum of Care (CoC) participants to engage/refer potential PATH clients to appropriate community resources, services. Collaboration with the local CoC also is utilized to assist in the improvement of planning and coordination of services for people who are homeless and have a mental illness or co-occurring disorder. The local CoC has developed and implements a referral system for CoC members to utilize to help members access community resources for their clients when the agency does not offer the needed service. PATH program staff is actively utilizing the HMIS system to enter PATH data and program staff also attend all HMIS training to learn updates and new information related to HMIS.

3.) Collaboration with Local Community Organizations –

CREOKS PATH Program staff actively work with local community agencies to coordinate access to service. PATH Program staff also engage with agencies during outreach. Additionally, PATH Program staff are also contacted for referrals and then work with referred consumers to engage them on CREOKS Behavioral Services and PATH Program. CREOKS PATH Program staff works with consumers to access and link them to temporary housing and/or available shelters, which include, Humanity918, Shared Blessings, Hope House, Good Samaritan Outreach, KiBois Domestic Violence Shelter, until a more permanent housing placement can be obtained. Additionally, CREOKS PATH Program staff collaborate with the Choctaw Nation, KiBois Supportive Services for Veterans and their Families (SSVF), and local churches to locate housing and/or housing assistance. CREOKS has also added one Housing Specialists to the team to help support housing needs for clients and non-clients alike.

Southeast Internal Medicine, formerly Mercy Health Clinic, a free health clinic located in McAlester that provides indigent individuals access to physical health care that would otherwise not be available due to costs, is one entity CREOKS PATH Program staff collaborate with for healthcare needs of consumers. Additionally, the Pittsburg County Health Department is also a community organization which CREOKS PATH Program staff utilize for consumers for medical needs ranging from immunizations and family planning to vital statistics. Caring Hands Health Care (FQHC) provides primary health and dental care and charges are based on income. Choctaw Nation Health Services provide medical, dental, vision, physical therapy, medications, etc. to those who possess a CDIB card. Additionally, PATH Program staff collaborates with the Department of Rehabilitative Services and Workforce Oklahoma, both of which provide assistance with employment.

The collaboration between the PATH Program staff and KiBois Area Transit System (KATS) in which KATS provides transportation to PATH participants, free of charge, while consumers are enrolled, and actively participating in the PATH Program continues. CREOKS PATH Program staff also works with local Department of Human Services, which provides eligible individuals with food stamps, Medicaid, parenting groups, childcare assistance, and adult protective services. Other collaborative efforts with regards to community resources include relationships with the KiBois Community Action Foundation, Inc., Shared Blessings, Social Security Administration, Mike's Club, and Legal Aid of Oklahoma.

4.) Service Provision:

a) Alignment with PATH Goals –

The PATH Program staff work closely with community stakeholders to coordinate collaborative efforts for street outreach, hospital discharges, referrals, jail, prison and homeless shelter efforts, including identification of targeted areas for outreach in rural Oklahoma in all counties in identified project area. In addition to outreach, the Case Management primary services of the PATH program to assist individuals with meeting their extensive resource needs by addressing health issues, housing, and employment needs, as well as any other needs which may arise. Each PATH client has access to the full array of mental health services provided by CREOKS. If services are needed that CREOKS does not offer, CREOKS staff will make collaborative efforts for referrals to other treatment providers based on client need.

b) Gaps in Current Service Systems –

One of the greatest needs continues to be affordable, permanent, supported housing. Southeast Oklahoma continues with many gaps in services due to lack of programs that offer financial assistance for deposits and rent, lack of

shelters in the more rural areas, transportation issues, high incarceration rates, and higher unemployment rates. The area also continues to be lacking in affordable housing options. Additionally, housing restrictions related to criminal involvement, continue to make it even more difficult to find housing for individuals who have a criminal record (including sex offenders).

There continues to be a limited number of shelters for individual who are homeless. Currently, there are two homeless shelters in Pittsburg County – Good Samaritan Outreach, a mens only shelter, and Hope House, a women and children’s shelter, housing male children up to the age of 12. Additionally, Pittsburg County has one domestic violence shelter managed by KiBois Community Action, Inc.

Lack of transportation in the 4-county area creates a barrier for individuals trying to obtain and maintain employment, and attend outpatient treatment, making long-term success hard for the individuals to achieve. Health related issues are also a barrier for individuals in the identified areas. Lack of appropriate care for the health of the individuals, puts them at high risk when they are unable to address their health care needs due to lack of insurance or income for health care.

c) Services Available to Clients with Both Serious Mental Illness and Substance Use Disorders –

CREOKS continues to offer varied outpatient services for individuals with co-occurring mental illness and/or substance use disorders. Services offered by CREOKS include: group rehabilitation, individual rehabilitation, wraparound, therapy, crisis services, and pharmacological treatment as needed. If services are needed that CREOKS does not offer, CREOKS agency will make collaborative efforts for referrals to other treatment providers, community services, and local meetings such as AA/NA, Parents Helping Parent, Celebrate Recovery, and inpatient treatment referrals.

d) PATH Eligibility Determination, when Enrollment Occurs, and Eligibility documentation for PATH-enrolled clients –

The agency maximizes PATH funds for enrolled PATH individuals by coordinating services with Community Resources within the counties served. PATH program staff will exhaust the use of Community Resources for PATH enrolled clients and then utilize the PATH funds to serve PATH clients with assistance for their housing needs – utility/rent/security deposits, rental applications, furniture and furnishings, moving expenses, costs related to obtaining a birth certificate and/or identification, and outstanding debt identified in rental application credit check that would be a barrier for available housing.

5.) Data –

The HMIS system is actively utilized by the PATH staff to report/collect PATH services, such as: outreach services, reporting demographics, homelessness status, billing services, case management needs, and the length of homelessness stats. HMIS is utilized by PATH staff for PATH data entry, annual, and quarterly reports. CREOKS will collaborate with CoC to ensure new staff are properly trained in HMIS.

6.) Housing –

PATH staff have and will continue to collaborate with local housing agencies, providers, and landlords to assist PATH consumers with locating suitable housing to meet the consumer's needs. PATH staff also continue to assist with the application process for Section -8 rental assistance, and other community resources for affordable housing options for PATH participants.

Choctaw Nation Housing Authority has been utilized for clients who have a CDIB card for rental and utility assistance. For clients who are not eligible for federal or Native American assistance, PATH staff works with local landlords to secure housing, including: McAlester Plaza, Park Place Apartments, Hickory Ridge, The Aldridge, Main Street Apartments, and Parkway Village, which are income-based apartment housing providers in the McAlester area. The PATH staff continues to network with local churches and other programs that offer financial assistance with utility deposits, and first month rent. The addition of CREOKS Housing Specialists is increasing connections with housing options and resources such as CARES act funding through Community Cares Partners to prevent evictions.

7.) Client Information –

CREOKS projects contact with 50 adults 18 years of age or older and anticipates that 25 will become enrolled with PATH services. CREOKS projects that 60% of individuals served with PATH funds will be literally homeless, and 40% will be imminent risk of becoming homeless. Outreach will be provided by PATH staff to 30 homeless individuals to engage them in CREOKS/PATH program services.

10.) Consumer Involvement –

CREOKS provides Consumer Satisfaction Surveys annually. Additionally, each satellite office maintains a suggestion box for all consumers, including PATH consumers. The survey is used to assist in organizational planning, including performance improvement planning for the agency/PATH program, and consumers are encouraged to participate in any other opportunities for organization planning, implementation, and evaluation that arise. All complains, identified problems, and gaps in services are investigated, and, if at all possible, resolved with the client's satisfaction in mind. The agency also encourages

treatment advocates to participate in client case for consumers, as applicable. CREOKS will conduct PATH program client focus groups to obtain feedback specific to the PATH program and better assist with on-going PATH program evaluation and development.

11.) Budget Detail –

There is one PATH case manager who is committed to 25% of the work week being dedicated to PATH by providing both outreach and case management, and other services and supports for PATH clients. This position will be funded at a rate of \$21.63/hour. Fringe benefits for this PATH staff are estimated at approximately \$2,768 and include health insurance, retirement, FICA, and work compensation benefits. Additional program expenses will include: costs for training (estimated at \$800); and other expenses to include housing services such as security deposits, one time rental assistance, and cost associated with matching eligible homeless individuals with appropriate housing (estimated at \$1,680).

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Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
a. Personnel	\$ 11,248	\$ 11,248	\$ 22,495	

Position *	Annual Salary *	% of time spent on PATH *	PATH-Funded FTE	PATH-Funded Salary *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	44,990.40	25.00 %	0.25	11,247.60	11,247.60	22,495.20	Crisis Response Case Manager: A portion of the salary for the GRAND employed Case Manager funded by the City of Bartlesville.

Category	Percentage	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
b. Fringe Benefits	17.50%	\$ 3,936.66	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,936.66	Health insurance benefits for both the employee and family members, retirement, FICA and workers compensation insurance

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
c. Travel	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,082.40	\$ 3,082.40	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,082.40	\$ 3,082.40	To include Car Rental, Conference Registration, gas, mileage reimbursement, Per Diem

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
d. Equipment	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
e. Supplies	\$ 12,115.74	\$ 300.00	\$ 12,415.74	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Client: Outreach Supplies/Hygiene kits/Misc.	\$ 12,115.74	\$ 0.00	\$ 12,115.74	Street Outreach Supplies: Street Outreach supplies (such as personal hygiene items, water bottles, snacks, hats, gloves, socks, blankets, pet food, etc.) to equip outreach workers and CIRT case managers with items that help individuals experiencing street homelessness and/or mental illness/substance use disorders. These supplies help build trust with those experiencing homelessness so they will allow outreach workers and case managers to connect them to mental health care, substance use treatment, housing, and other community resources. \$400/individual x 60 clients.
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 0.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	Cell Phone stipend

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
f. Contractual	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
g. Housing	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 12,000.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 12,000.00	Housing Services

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
h. Construction (non-allowable)				

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
i. Other	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,000.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Staffing: Training/Education/Conference	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,000.00	Training, Education, Conference

Category	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
j. Total Direct Charges (Sum of a-i)	\$ 42,300.00	\$ 14,630.00	\$ 56,930.00	

Category	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
k. Indirect Costs (Administrative Costs)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	

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l. Grand Total (Sum of j and k)	\$ 42,300.00	\$ 14,630.00	\$ 56,930.00	

Source(s) of Match Dollars for State Funds:

Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted: 50 Estimated Number of Persons to be Enrolled: 25
 Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted who are Literally Homeless: 30

**Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH)
Budget 2026 - 2027 PATH SE Federal Funding
(12 months)**

Provider: CROOKS Health Services, Inc.

PERSONNEL			
Position	Annual Salary	FTE	PATH-Funded Salary
CM-2	\$44,990.40	1.0	\$11,247.60
FRINGE BENEFITS (35%)			
Health insurance benefits for both the employee and family members, retirement, FICA and workers compensation insurance			\$3,936.66
TRAINING			\$3,000.00
SUPPLIES			\$12,115.74
HOUSING SERVICES			\$12,000.00
TOTAL PATH FUNDING			\$42,300.00

**Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) Budget
2026 - 2027 PATH SE Match Funding
(12 Month)**

Provider: CREOKS Health Services, Inc.

PERSONNEL			
Position	Annual Salary	FTE	PATH-Funded Salary
CM-2			\$11,247.60
FRINGE BENEFITS (35%) -			
TRAVEL			\$3,082.40
CELL PHONE STIPEND			\$300.00
			\$
			\$
TOTAL PATH MATCH FUNDING			\$14,630.00

Use this box to describe source of Non-Federal Match

Footnotes:

II. Executive Summary

Intended Use Plans

Creoks OKC

6510 S Western Ave.
Oklahoma City, OK 73139

Contact:

Email Address: kristiboydston@creoks.org

Provider Type: Community mental health center

PDX ID: OK011

State Provider ID:

Contact Phone #: (405) 985-7458

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INTENDED USE PLAN – CREOKS Behavioral Health Services (OKC)

1.) Local Provider Description –

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CREOKS OKC Clinic is located at 6510 S. Western Ave., Ste. 400 Oklahoma City, OK 73139. CREOKS services for this grant will cover all of Oklahoma County. CREOKS will be receiving \$123,300 for FY2027.

2.) Collaboration with HUD Continuum of Care Program –

CREOKS will regularly participate in monthly CoC meetings in OKC. CREOKS PATH supervisor or CM is present and prepared to staff or discuss individuals. CREOKS participates in local planning activities, and coordination of program initiatives. CREOKS participates in completing VI-SPDAT/OKCSE/CHAT and referrals to the city-wide housing waiting list discussed at the CCM-SA and VCCM meetings. CREOKS aids those clients who have completed a release of confidential information and have current information in HMIS. At Coordinated Case Management meetings and continually throughout the month any information regarding a need for client outreach is relayed to the PATH Recovery Support Specialist and Case Management employees. The OKC CCM-SA and CREOKS currently utilize an up to date real time referral list through HMIS for PATH possible individuals identified in the community.

3.) Collaboration with Local Community Organizations –

CREOKS PATH Program is actively involved with many community agencies including but not limited to; Homeless Alliance, Salvation Army, CityCare, Healing Hands, Variety Care, BeHeard- OKC, Diversion HUB, VAMC, OCCIC, GMH etc. These community engagements allow for assistance and partnerships to provide necessary care to clients in need of supportive services. Support Services provided by CREOKS include, but are not limited to: engagement, trauma informed mental health and addiction services, individual placement and support, Social Security Income/Social Security Disability Income assistance, Outreach Access and Recovery, Mental Health Therapy, Rehabilitation, Medication Management, low-cost Pharmacy, transportation, crisis intervention, legal aide, group services,

Recovery Support Services, health and wellness, along with case management. Support Services are meant to assist the client with mental health stabilization, to increase self-esteem, develop the ability to manage their affairs, to find, obtain and maintain gainful employment or income sources, and teach clients how to link with community services such as food or clothing banks, medical services, educational opportunities and sobriety tools. The goal of support services is to help individuals become self-sufficient and community engaged. CREOKS coordinates care at regular coordinated case management meetings and through daily communications with CoC leads when necessary. CREOKS participates in outreach services independently along with receiving referrals from partnering agencies and monthly collaboration efforts with the VAMC.

4.) Service Provision:

a) Alignment with PATH Goals –

PATH staff is solely focused on the reduction or elimination of homelessness for individuals with serious mental illness or co-occurring substance use disorders and offering intervention for those who are at imminent risk of becoming homeless. PATH staff prioritize their time to work directly with individuals who have not previously engaged in services and offer intensive case management and recovery support services to those individuals who are the most vulnerable. Individuals interested in participating in the PATH program are screened through the vulnerability index and provided services based on individual needs and desired goals. PATH staff coordinate their efforts with partnering agencies and internal services to ensure our efforts to assist in ending homelessness are maximized. Efforts for obtaining housing include collaboration with partnering agencies identified in the CoC to include but not limited to; OHFA, OCHA, transitional living programs etc. PATH clients receive assistance with applying/obtaining referrals for PSH, EHF, ESG, and Section 8 vouchers paired with supportive services to ensure success in long term housing placements. Those receiving the listed housing options are offered continued supportive services with CM, Therapy, RSS and group through CREOKS as needed and determined appropriate while working towards community engagement and self-sufficiency.

b) Gaps in Current Service Systems –

CREOKS has recognized the financial availability to assist clients with basic needs once homelessness or the imminent risk of homelessness has been avoided as a gap. A lack of funds to assist the client with obtaining or maintaining outstanding utility balances, deposits, identification cards, birth certificates, basic housing needs directly affects the client's stability once they are housed. CREOKS recognizes

that housing a client is only the first part of assisting our clients towards stability and self-sustainability, by filling the gap of financial opportunities to assist individuals with meeting basic needs we reduce the risk of becoming homeless or losing the gained stability.

c) Services Available to Clients with Both Serious Mental Illness and Substance Use Disorders –

CREOKS continues to offer varied outpatient services for individuals with co-occurring mental illness and/or substance use disorders. Services offered by CREOKS include: group rehabilitation, individual rehabilitation, wraparound, therapy, crisis services, and pharmacological treatment as needed. If services are needed that CREOKS does not offer, CREOKS agency will make collaborative efforts for referrals to other treatment providers, community services, and local meetings such as AA/NA, legal aid, Celebrate Recovery, and inpatient treatment referrals.

d) PATH Eligibility Determination, when Enrollment Occurs, and Eligibility documentation for PATH-enrolled clients –

PATH eligibility is determined by the parameters of the contract through ODMHSAS and subsequently SAMHSA. PATH staff provide outreach which is conducted throughout the city limits and includes efforts in areas such as parks, abandoned buildings, automobiles, emergency shelters, camps, meal sites, libraries, motels, public facilities, shelters, under bridges and all other areas not meant for human habitation. Individuals being engaged are assessed through face sheets and vulnerability scores to determine eligibility. Once eligibility is established, the individual is given an appointment and transportation options to complete an agency intake, meet with a licensed therapist and set an appointment with the Psychiatrist and nursing staff. PATH staff assist individuals through the intake process and directly into PATH services. Documentation begins upon outreach and first engagement, it is recorded through face sheets and vulnerability index, then data is entered into an electronic medical records system (GoHealth) along with Homeless Management Information System (HMIS). Changes in data are monitored and updated as needed.

5.) Data –

CREOKS fully utilizes HMIS for PATH client data. CREOKS provides ongoing training to assist in data entry and maintenance in the HMIS and GoHealth systems. CREOKS staff participate in all updated trainings provided by the HMIS system providers and has regular communication to ensure all information is shared.

6.) Housing –

PATH staff will collaborate with local housing agencies, providers, and landlords to assist PATH consumers with locating suitable housing to meet the consumer's needs. PATH staff also assist with the application process for Section 8 rental assistance, and other community resources for affordable housing options for PATH participants. Individuals will work on transitioning from the PATH program into either a permanent supportive housing unit or alternative long term assistance programs through OHFA, OCHA or Section 8. CREOKS works to assist individuals with becoming more self-sufficient and community engaged during their involvement in the program and works with the Oklahoma City Continuum of Care to reach their goals.

7.) Client Information –

CREOKS was awarded the PATH grant for FY2026 in the OKC area. Based on the caseload our team has seen since program onset, we estimate contacting approximately 100 individuals through outreach and enrolling approximately 40 clients through the PATH program for FY2027. CREOKS anticipates that 75% of adult clients served will be literally homeless with the remaining 25% being identified as "in imminent danger of becoming homeless" and will be served utilizing PATH funds.

9.) Consumer Involvement –

CREOKS provides Consumer Satisfaction Surveys annually. The survey is used to assist in organizational planning, including performance improvement planning for the agency/PATH program, and consumers are encouraged to participate in any other opportunities for organization planning, implementation, and evaluation that arise. All complaints, identified problems, and gaps in services are investigated, and, if at all possible, resolved with the client's satisfaction in mind. The agency also encourages treatment advocates to participate in client case for consumers, as applicable.

10.) Budget –

CREOKS will have one full-time PATH case manager committed to providing outreach, case management, and other services and supports for PATH clients. The position will be funded at a salary of approximately \$46,987.20 per year. Fringe benefits for PATH staff are estimated at 35% of the salary costs (approximately \$16,445.52) and include health insurance, retirement, FICA, and work compensation benefits. Additional program expenses will include: costs for PATH staff to travel for outreach and other services, trainings, and PATH related meetings (Match estimated at \$5000); equipment costs for telephone (estimated at \$300); office supplies, Outreach supplies, and housing supplies (estimated at \$31,990.28); and other expenses to include housing services such as security

deposits, one time rental assistance, and cost associated with matching eligible homeless individuals with appropriate housing (estimated at \$23,000.00). Match funds will also be used for gas, mileage, per diem to attend training and PATH meetings (Estimated \$3,000).

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Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
a. Personnel	\$ 46,987	\$ 10,230	\$ 57,217	

Position *	Annual Salary *	% of time spent on PATH *	PATH-Funded FTE	PATH-Funded Salary *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Case Manager	46,987.20	100.00 %	1.00	46,987.20	10,230.00	57,217.20	Case Manager 2 with experience

Category	Percentage	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
b. Fringe Benefits	28.74%	\$ 16,445.52	\$ 0.00	\$ 16,445.52	Health insurance benefits for both the employee and family members, retirement, FICA and workers compensation insurance

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
c. Travel	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	Gas, mileage, per diem to attend trainings and PATH related meetings

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
d. Equipment	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	No Data Available

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
e. Supplies	\$ 31,990.28	\$ 27,911.00	\$ 59,901.28	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Client: Outreach Supplies/Hygiene kits/Misc.	\$ 31,990.28	\$ 27,611.00	\$ 59,601.28	
Office: Supplies	\$ 0.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	Cell phone stipend

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
f. Contractual	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	No Data Available

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
g. Housing	\$ 23,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 23,000.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 23,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 23,000.00	housing

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
h. Construction (non-allowable)				

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
i. Other	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Staffing: Training/Education/Conference	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000.00	Training, education, conference

j. Total Direct Charges (Sum of a-i)	\$ 123,423.00	\$ 41,141.00	\$ 164,564.00	
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Category	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
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k. Indirect Costs (Administrative Costs)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
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l. Grand Total (Sum of j and k)	\$ 123,423.00	\$ 41,141.00	\$ 164,564.00	
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Source(s) of Match Dollars for State Funds:

Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted: 100 Estimated Number of Persons to be Enrolled: 90

Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted who are Literally Homeless: 75

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**Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH)
Budget 2026 - 2027 PATH-OKC Federal Funding
(12 months)**

Provider: CREOKS Mental Health Services, Inc.

PERSONNEL			
Position	Annual Salary	FTE	PATH-Funded Salary
CM-2 (with experience)	\$46,987.20	1.0	\$46,987.20
FRINGE BENEFITS (35%)			
Health insurance benefits for both the employee and family members, retirement, FICA and workers compensation insurance			\$16,445.52
TRAINING			\$5,000.00
SUPPLIES			\$31,990.28
HOUSING SERVICES			\$23,000.00
TOTAL PATH FUNDING			\$123,423.00

**Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) Budget
2026 - 2027 PATH OKC Match Funding
(12 Month)**

Provider: CREOKS Mental Health Services, Inc

PERSONNEL

Position	Annual Salary	FTE	PATH-Funded Salary
CM-2		1.0	\$10,230.00
FRINGE BENEFITS (35%) -			
TRAVEL			\$ 3,000.00
CELL PHONE STIPEND			\$300.00
SUPPLIES			\$27,611.00
HOUSING SERVICES			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
TOTAL PATH MATCH FUNDING			\$41,141.00

Use this box to describe source of Non-Federal Match

Footnotes:

II. Executive Summary

Intended Use Plans

Grand Mental Health
705 S. Virginia Avenue
Bartlesville, OK 74003
Contact: Megan Wilmering
Email Address: mwilmering@grandmh.com

Provider Type: Community mental health center

PDX ID:

State Provider ID:

Contact Phone #: (918)418-7319

- **Local Area Provider Description** – Provide a brief description of the provider organization receiving PATH funds, including name, type of organization, region served, and the amount of PATH funds the organization will receive.
- **Collaboration with HUD CoC Program** – Provide a brief description of the organization's collaboration with HUD's Continuum of Care (CoC) Program. Describe the organization's participation with local HUD CoC recipient(s) and other local planning activities and program coordination initiatives, such as coordinated entry activities. If the organization is not currently working with the CoC(s), briefly explain the approaches to be taken by the organization to collaborate with the CoC(s) in the areas where PATH operates.
- **Collaboration with Local Community Organizations** – Provide a brief description of partnerships and activities with local community organizations that provide key services (e.g., outreach teams, primary care, mental health, substance use, housing, employment) to PATH-eligible clients, and describe the coordination of activities and policies with those organizations. Provide specific information about how coordination with other outreach teams will be achieved.
- **Service Provision** – Describe the organization's plan to provide coordinated and comprehensive services to PATH-eligible clients, including:
 - How the services to be provided using PATH funds will align with PATH goals and maximize serving the most vulnerable adults who are **literally and chronically homeless**, including those with COD, to obtain housing and mental/substance use disorder treatment services and community recovery supports necessary to assure success in long-term housing;
 - Any gaps that exist in the current service systems;
 - A brief description of the current services available to clients who have a COD; and
 - A brief description of how PATH eligibility is determined, when enrollment occurs, and how eligibility is documented for PATH enrolled clients.
- **Housing** – Indicate the strategies that will be used for making suitable housing available for PATH clients (i.e., indicate the type of housing provided and the name of the agency).
- **Client Information** – Describe the demographics of the client population, the projected number of adult clients to be contacted and enrolled, and the percentage of adult clients to be served using PATH funds who are **literally homeless**.
- **Consumer Involvement** – Describe how individuals who experience homelessness and have serious mental illness, and their family members, will be meaningfully involved at the organizational level in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of PATH-funded services. For example, indicate whether individuals who are PATH-eligible are employed as staff or volunteers or serve on governing or formal advisory boards.
- **Budget Narrative** – Provide a budget and budget narrative that includes the local-area provider's use of PATH funds.



Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) Washington County Plan Response Narrative

1) Local Provider Description:

Provide a brief description of the provider organization receiving PATH funds including name, type of organization, region served, and the amount of PATH funds the organization will receive.

GRAND Mental Health is a non-profit organization committed to creating a welcoming, supportive, and positive environment, in which an array of effective and efficient trauma-informed, integrated services will promote an improved quality of life for consumers, communities, and each other in Northeastern and Northcentral Oklahoma.

We know that access is the key to success, so we provide immediate access to quality mental health and substance use care in the least restrictive environment – regardless of insurance status or ability to pay. We meet individuals, children, and families where they are - 24/7. We provide progressive, personalized treatment to meet the needs of the whole person. And we remove barriers to treatment, matching clients to the level of care they need – regardless of their ability to pay and for as long as they need us.

We have 45+ years of experience, serving 32,000+ clients annually in 13 Oklahoma counties (Craig, Delaware, Kay, Mayes, Noble, Nowata, Osage, Ottawa, Pawnee, Payne, Rogers, Tulsa, and Washington Counties). Our services include:

- 24/7 Crisis Services
- 24/7 Urgent Recovery Centers
- 24/7 Family Treatment/Assessment Centers
- Outpatient Therapy (Adults, Children, and Families)
- Substance Abuse Treatment (Outpatient at County Clinics, Residential at Addiction Recovery Center)
- Recovery Residence (Tulsa Bryce House)
- Ketamine Infusion Clinic (Tulsa)
- Medication Management
- Case Management
- Peer Support
- Housing and Employment Support
- Veteran Services
- Embedded School Services
- Law Enforcement Engagement/Court Programs

GRAND is requesting \$102,000 in PATH funding to support individuals experiencing or at risk of homelessness in Washington County.



2) Collaboration with HUD Continuum of Care Program:

Describe the organization's participation with local HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) recipients and other local planning activities and program coordination initiatives, such as coordinated entry and coordinated assessment activities. If you are not currently working with the CoC, briefly explain the approaches to be taken by the agency to collaborate with the CoCs in the areas where PATH operates.

GRAND Mental Health's Housing Program collaborates with the Northeast Oklahoma Community Action Agency as the lead partner in the Northeast Oklahoma Continuum of Care (NEOKCOC) to assist individuals experiencing homelessness return to independent lives and help individuals and families at risk of losing housing with rent and utility assistance to prevent homelessness throughout an 11-county area (Adair, Cherokee, Craig*, Delaware*, Mayes*, Nowata*, Ottawa*, Rogers*, Sequoyah, Wagoner, Washington* counties). We are also a member agency of the North Central Oklahoma Community of Care (NCOKOC) serving an 8-county area (Creek, Garfield, Grant, Kay*, Noble*, Osage*, Pawnee*, and Payne* counties). In Tulsa County*, we partner with Housing Solutions, the lead agency for Tulsa County's Continuum of Care. In all of our service areas, we help identify clients (via outreach and client intake processes) who are eligible to be added to the By-Name list.

*Denotes a county in which GRAND Mental Health serves as a Certified Community Behavioral Health Center (CCBHC), providing a full array of mental health and substance use treatment as well as supportive services (including housing and employment support), regardless of ability to pay, to help people along their journey to a better tomorrow.

3) Collaboration with Local Community Organizations:

Provide a brief description of partnerships and activities with local community organizations that provide key services (i.e., outreach teams, primary health, mental health, substance abuse, housing, employment, etc.) to PATH eligible clients and describe coordination of activities and policies with those organizations. Provide specific information about how coordination with other outreach teams will be achieved.

GRAND Mental Health values and enjoys longstanding, collaborative relationships with organizations throughout the 12 counties we serve across NE and N Central Oklahoma. We have worked for many years to build and develop strong relationships with partners to meet needs and close service gaps in Washington County.

GRAND partners with and is funded by the Bartlesville Police Department to deploy Crisis Response Case Managers as co-responders with their Crisis Intervention Response Team (CIRT). Our two Crisis Response Case Managers engage with individuals experiencing homelessness and/or co-occurring mental illness and substance abuse throughout the city. Serving alongside law enforcement officers, one co-response team operates from 8am-4pm, Monday through Friday. The other co-response team operates from 2pm-10pm, Wednesday through Sunday.

These teams offer diversion from jail or the emergency room to the therapeutic crisis interventions and stabilization services they need to begin treatment and recovery. This may include admission to the Bartlesville Urgent Recovery Center (URC) or crisis centers in other counties (as needed) where they will receive crisis stabilization services and 24/7 observation until they are mentally/medically stabilized and have a safe place, which meets their specific needs, to which they can be discharged. Many URC clients are discharged/admitted directly into GRAND's medically supervised detox, residential substance use treatment, partial-hospitalization, or outpatient services. As clients achieve their treatment plan goals, developed in collaboration with their treatment team, and step-down into lower levels of care, their treatment team (including a Therapist, Peer Recovery Support Specialist, and Case Manager) ensures

they are connected with Housing/Employment specialists, and other resources to help them achieve stable housing and income, an important component of sustaining long-term recovery.

Our partnership with the Bartlesville Police Department also includes us providing officers with 24/7 access to licensed mental health crisis intervention providers via a mobile app from ApexCare. This helps them meet the needs of individuals experiencing homelessness and a substance use/mental health crisis, arranging for connection, and even transportation, to the crisis care at the URC or ongoing outpatient care as appropriate.

Our CIRT teams, Housing/Employment Specialists, and treatment teams collaborate with local organizations including:

- Lighthouse Outreach Center – shelter services for men, women, and families
- AGAPE Mission – hot lunches served every weekday
- The Salvation Army, Concern, and City Church – rent/utility/emergency financial assistance
- City Compassion (City Church) – food pantry/grocery assistance
- Mary Martha Outreach (Catholic Charities) – food pantry/clothing center
- Ray of Hope Advocacy Center and Delaware Tribe of Indians – domestic violence services for women
- B the Light Mission – shelter, showers, and meals

4) Service Provision:

Describe the organization's plan to provide coordinated and comprehensive services to eligible PATH clients, including:

- a) How the services to be provided using PATH funds will align with PATH goals and maximize serving the most vulnerable adults who are literally and chronically homeless, including those with serious mental illness who are veterans and experiencing homelessness, to obtain housing and mental/substance use disorder treatment services and community recovery supports necessary to assure success in long-term housing;*
 - b) Describe any gaps that exist in the current service systems.*
 - c) Provide a brief description of the current services available to clients who have a COD, and*
 - d) Describe a brief description of how PATH eligibility is determined, when enrollment occurs, and how eligibility is documented for PATH-enrolled clients.*
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- a) GRAND will utilize its CIRT partnership with Bartlesville PD and its crisis/outpatient intake and screening processes to identify individuals in Bartlesville and Washington County experiencing or at risk of homelessness and work to ensure they are connected to housing services, as well as the therapeutic treatment and support services needed to address mental illness and/or substance use disorders, helping them progress toward long-term recovery and stable housing. Our work will contribute to attainment of PATH's goals by addressing the housing and treatment needs of individuals and reducing the impact of homelessness on the community, delivering everyone in Washington County hope for a better tomorrow.
 - b) GRAND partners with the Bartlesville Police Department to provide co-response outreach services for individuals experiencing homelessness in the City of Bartlesville, funded by the police department. GRAND also identifies individuals and families experiencing or at risk of homelessness through its screening and needs assessment processes when they present to the 24/7 Urgent Recovery Center, 24/7 Family Assessment Center, or Outpatient Clinic in Bartlesville. We are proposing PATH services (including basic needs/outreach supplies, training/certification, housing assistance, transportation, and identification fees for participants and staff training to improve participant services) that will bridge the gaps between our identification processes and

actual connections to housing/employment supports, mental health/substance use treatment, and supportive services. PATH services and funds will equip us to build relationships that encourage a typically trust-averse population to trust us to help them, provide direct assistance for basic/housing needs that overcome barriers they face, ensure they receive high quality, evidence-based case management services and housing support from the Housing/Employment Specialist working in Washington County/Bartlesville, and enroll them in the mental health and substance use services (described below) they need most.

- c) GRAND provides the following services for individuals experiencing serious mental illness and/or substance use disorders, including those also experiencing homelessness:

Crisis Intervention Services: network of highly trained crisis team managers, providers, licensed mental health professionals, nurses, and peer staff to answer calls via phones and a mobile application, ensuring the highest quality of services are provided 24/7 throughout all our service areas. We support individual callers experiencing a mental health or substance use crisis, as well as being ready to support local community partners encountering individuals in behavioral crisis anytime and anywhere, utilizing a call rolling system that ensures that no call ever goes unanswered. Our crisis team members listen, de-escalate, and connect those in crisis to the level of services they need, deploying an adult or child mobile crisis transport team to get them there if needed. Crisis intervention services also include our rural and 24/7 urban outreach teams, connecting with individuals experiencing homelessness across our service areas, building relationships of trust, and connecting them with the substance use/mental health treatment, supportive, and housing/employment services they need.

24/7 Crisis Centers: 24/7 access for adults and families experiencing a substance use and/or mental health crisis including Urgent Recovery Centers, Crisis Assessment Centers, Family Treatment Centers, Family Urgent Recovery Centers, and Family Assessment Centers across our 13-county service area. These crisis centers provide 24/7 access to crisis stabilization, 24/7 observation, brief counseling, safety planning, educational information, treatment planning, and referrals for additional services and support. Clients and/or client families remain under observation and care until they are mentally/medically stabilized and can be safely discharged to our Addiction Recovery Center (ARC), inpatient mental health services, or ongoing outpatient care as appropriate.

Addiction Recovery Center (ARC - Tulsa): differentiated levels of care based on client need including Medically Supervised Detoxification (35 beds) and Intensive Residential/Residential Treatment (215 beds) providing regular programming including individual counseling (led by their treatment team), group counseling, support groups, case management, housing/employment support, and peer support.

Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP - Tulsa): daily outpatient program (up to 90 days) for adults experiencing addiction in need of ASAM (American Society of Addiction Medicine) level of care 2.5 or higher, but not requiring inpatient residential treatment. PHP participants engage in daily group therapy programming and weekly meetings with their treatment team.

Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP): up to 12 weeks of structured substance use disorder treatment services for adults needing a higher level of care, but not rising to the level of

inpatient or partial hospitalization. Participating clients receive group and individual therapy combined with rehabilitation services. Provided in select outpatient clinics.

Outpatient Program (OP): ongoing services facilitated by a treatment team, comprised of a licensed therapist, Peer Recovery Support Specialist, and Case Manager. Services include individual, family, and group therapy, support groups, medication management, case management, housing/employment support, and peer support. Provided in all outpatient clinics.

Medically Assisted Treatment (MAT) and Medication Management: prescription medication used as part of an overall addiction treatment plan to help with physical, mental, and emotional challenges and/or behavioral associated with substance use disorders. Ongoing supervision by our board-certified psychiatrists and licensed physicians.

As clients achieve their treatment plan goals, developed in collaboration with their treatment team, and discharge or step-down into lower levels of care, their treatment team coordinates their services with housing specialists, employment specialists, and other community resources to ensure they have stable housing as they work toward long-term recovery.

- d) Individuals are considered eligible for services according to the federal definition of homelessness: when a person or family lacks a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence, including emergency shelters, transitional housing, or places not meant for habitation. Individuals experiencing chronic homelessness are those who have been homeless for at least 12 months or on at least 4 separate occasions (combining to equal 12 months) in the last 3 years.

GRAND determines an individual's eligibility for services through brief assessments conducted when encountering an individual experiencing homelessness by our outreach teams, CIRT teams, and at client intake. If eligible for and in need of housing services, we connect the individuals to case managers and/or housing/employment specialists who help them enroll in GRAND services to begin receiving case management, housing/employment support, and mental health/substance use treatment services. All client records, intake information, needs assessments, and service provision are documented and reviewed in our electronic medical records (EMR) system.

5) Housing:

Indicate the strategies that will be used for making suitable housing available for PATH clients (i.e., indicate the type of housing provided and the name of the agency).

GRAND Mental Health does not directly provide housing to clients.

Our Housing/Employment Specialists are responsible for the following tasks to understand current housing needs and availability, as well as maintaining the relationships necessary to help clients access housing:

- Research and maintain a housing library or list of available properties
- Build and steward relationships with property managers, private landlords, rental agencies, real estate companies, and other individuals or organizations managing housing options throughout the community

- Know and maintain relationships with homeless shelters, community housing programs, income-based housing providers, and housing providers with options for sex offenders/individuals with criminal records

Housing/Employment Specialists provide the following services to identify clients in need of and connect them to suitable housing:

- Case management for individuals and families
- Crisis intervention as needed
- Assessment and evaluation of client housing needs
- Match client needs with current available housing options
- Guide clients through application processes, helping to secure identification and documentation as needed
- Assist clients in securing financial assistance for move-in costs, security deposits, and rent as well as enrolling in or establishing eviction prevention systems as available
- Help clients adjust and adapt to their new environment
- Coordinate with the client's treatment team and encourage them to continue engaging in their treatment plan
- Maintain confidential and accurate records for each client of needs, services provided, and housing secured

6) Client Information:

Describe the demographics of the client population, the projected number of adult clients to be contacted and enrolled, and the percentage of adult clients served using PATH funds to be literally homeless.

GRAND projects that we will serve 95 adult clients and/or families experiencing or at risk of homelessness as well as severe mental illness/substance use disorders. In March 2025, the Bartlesville Unsheltered Homeless Task Force reported that the Bartlesville Police Department, together with GRAND outreach team members, identified 58 unsheltered individuals residing within the city limits. They indicated the number might be over 100 if unsheltered individuals throughout Washington County are included. Further, utilizing data from the US Census Bureau, DATA USA reports that in 2025, 11.4% of the Washington County population (53,326) were "living with severe housing problems." This means over 6,000 adults and children across the county could be living at risk of eviction and homelessness.

We are estimating the demographics of individuals who will benefit from PATH services based on the 58 clients identified as experiencing unsheltered homelessness in Bartlesville in 2025:

Gender:

Female: 22%

Male: 78%

Time in Bartlesville:

Less than 1 year: 3%

1-3 years: 40%

3-10 years: 27%

10-20 years: 24%

Over 20 years: 6%

25% are Veterans

7) Consumer Involvement:

Describe how individuals who experience homelessness and have serious mental illnesses and their family members will be meaningfully involved at the organizational level in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of PATH-funded services. For example, indicate whether individuals who are PATH-eligible are employed as staff or volunteers or serve on governing or formal advisory boards. See Appendix I – Guidelines for Consumer and Family Participation.

A representative from GRAND Mental Health's Washington County outpatient clinic participates, alongside Bartlesville Police Department, in the City of Bartlesville's Unsheltered Homeless Task Force that is working together to find long-term, meaningful solutions for this issue in its community. At least one of the voting members of the taskforce is a person with lived experience of homelessness and mental illness. GRAND also engages regularly with multiple long-term clients in Bartlesville who share their perspective and offer advice/solutions.

Additionally, GRAND makes a concerted effort to hire Housing/Employment Specialists and Outreach staff who share lived experiences with their clients, including experiences of homelessness, addiction, and mental health issues. At least 8 of the 14 current Housing/Employment Specialists and both of the Outreach (CIRT) team members are Certified Peer Recovery Support Specialists.

13) Budget Narrative:

Provide a budget narrative that includes the local-area provider's use of PATH funds. See Appendix C for a sample detailed budget

NOTE:

- *Grant funds must be used for purposes supported by the PATH program.*
- *Grant funds may not be expended:*
 - *To support emergency shelters*
 - *For inpatient psychiatric treatment*
 - *For inpatient substance abuse treatment*
 - *To make cash payments to intended recipients of mental health or substance abuse service*
- *No more than 20 percent of Federal PATH funds may be expended for eligible housing services.*
- *Any lease arrangements in association with the proposed project utilizing PATH funds may not be funded by PATH beyond the project period nor may the portion of the space leased with PATH funds be used for purposes not supported by the grant.*
- *Grant funds may not be used to pay for the purchase or construction of any building or structure to house any part of the grant program.*

See attached budget detail and narrative for requested federal funding and non-federal matching.

Planning Period From 9/1/2026 to 8/31/2027

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* Indicates a required field

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
a. Personnel	\$ 0	\$ 34,000	\$ 34,000	

Position *	Annual Salary *	% of time spent on PATH *	PATH-Funded FTE	PATH-Funded Salary *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Case Manager	47,000.00	0.00 %	0.00	0.00	34,000.00	34,000.00	Crisis Response Case Manager: A portion of the salary for the GRAND employed Case Manager funded by the City of Bartlesville.

Category	Percentage	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
b. Fringe Benefits	0.00%	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
c. Travel	\$ 12,720.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 12,720.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 12,720.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 12,720.00	2 housing, 3 outreach staff members, and 1 program coordinator to attend high quality, evidence-based training directly connected to providing services for PATH eligible participants (topics including homelessness, community collaboration, housing/community resources, cultural competency, ethics, homelessness service delivery, etc). Registration @ \$800/person, Hotels @\$150/night x 3 nights/person, Airfare @ \$550/person or Mileage @ \$300/person, Per Diem \$80/person x 4 days.

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
d. Equipment	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	No Data Available

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
e. Supplies	\$ 89,280.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 89,280.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Client: Outreach Supplies/Hygiene kits/Misc.	\$ 47,352.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 47,352.50	Supplies (such as clothing, employment related clothing/uniforms, personal hygiene/grooming costs/items, water/snacks, blankets, towels, pet food/supplies, groceries, basic household items, small appliances, small appliance, etc.) to assist participants in attaining housing and/or maintaining housing when at risk of eviction, meet daily living standards, and build trust with outreach team members/case managers so participants will accept help from team members and staff to connect them to the mental health/substance use treatment, housing/employment supports, and other supports they need. \$500/individual x 95 clients
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 20,387.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 20,387.50	Housing Assistance for participants: rental application fees @ \$50, rental deposits @ \$500, utility deposits @ \$250, rent @ \$850/month for 1 month (to avoid eviction), technical assistance costs @ \$100
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 12,300.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 12,300.00	CityRide bus fare (Bartlesville public transportation system) for on demand, curb-to-curb services, rideshare/taxi, and bicycles/locks to help participating clients attend mental healthcare/substance use treatment, housing, and community resource appointments. \$3/ride x 1 ride/week x 60 clients. \$93/bike + \$5/lock x 30 clients
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000.00	Participant assistance for training and education (such as life skills training, tenancy training, employment supports, school enrollment fees,

Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 4,240.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,240.00	certification exam fees, licesure fees, etc) that support employment success and long-term housing retention. \$200/person x 25 clients.
				Fees for participating clients to acquire identification and documentation necessary for applying for employment, benefits, and/or housing (such as state identification, driver's license, background check, fingerprints, etc) \$80/document x 2 document/person, \$250/background check, \$14/fingerprinting for 10 clients.

f. Contractual	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

g. Housing	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

h. Construction (non-allowable)

i. Other	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

j. Total Direct Charges (Sum of a-i)	\$ 102,000.00	\$ 34,000.00	\$ 136,000.00	
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Category	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
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k. Indirect Costs (Administrative Costs)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
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l. Grand Total (Sum of j and k)	\$ 102,000.00	\$ 34,000.00	\$ 136,000.00	
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Source(s) of Match Dollars for State Funds:

Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted: 60 Estimated Number of Persons to be Enrolled: 40

Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted who are Literally Homeless: 38

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GRAND Mental Health
 SAMHSA Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH)
 Line Item Budget and Budget Justification - Federal PATH Funding (Washington County)

Line Items	Justification	Federal
Personnel		
There is no request for Personnel costs at this time.		\$0.00
Personnel Total		\$0.00
Fringe Benefits		
There is no request for Fringe costs at this time.		\$0.00
Fringe Benefits Total		\$0.00
Travel		
Staff and Provider Training	2 housing, 3 outreach staff members, and 1 program coordinator to attend high quality, evidence-based training directly connected to providing services for PATH eligible participants (topics including homelessness, community collaboration, housing/community resources, cultural competency, ethics, homelessness service delivery, etc.); Registration @ \$800/person, Hotels @ \$150/night x 3 nights/person, Airfare @ \$550/person or Mileage @ \$300/person, Per Diem \$80/person x 4 days.	\$12,720.00
Travel Total		\$12,720.00
Equipment		
There is no request for Equipment costs at this time.		\$0.00
Equipment Total		\$0.00
Supplies		
Basic Needs/Essential Living Supports/Outreach Supplies	Supplies (such as clothing, employment related clothing/uniforms, personal hygiene/grooming costs/items, water/snacks, blankets, towels, pet food/supplies, groceries, basic household items, small appliances, small appliance, etc.) to assist participants in attaining housing and/or maintaining housing when at risk of eviction, meet daily living standards, and build trust with outreach team members/case managers so participants will accept help from team members and staff to connect them to the mental health/substance use treatment, housing/employment supports, and other supports they need. \$500/individual x 95 clients.	\$47,352.50
Participant Training and Skill Development	Participant assistance for training and education (such as life skills training, tenancy training, employment supports, school enrollment fees, certification exam fees, licensure fees, etc) that support employment success and long-term housing retention. \$200/person x 25 clients.	\$5,000.00
Participant Housing Assistance (must not exceed 20% of total)	Housing Assistance for participants: rental application fees @ \$50, rental deposits @ \$500, utility deposits @ \$250, rent @ \$850/month for 1 month (to avoid eviction), technical assistance costs @ \$100	\$20,387.50
Transportation Supplies for Participants	CityRide bus fare (Bartlesville public transportation system) for on demand, curb-to-curb services, rideshare/taxi, and bicycles/locks to help participating clients attend mental healthcare/substance use treatment, housing, and community resource appointments. \$3/ride x 1 ride/week x 60 clients. \$93/bike +\$5/lock x 30 clients.	\$12,300.00
Fees for Identification Documents and Background Checks	Fees for participating clients to acquire identification and documentation necessary for applying for employment, benefits, and/or housing (such as state identification, driver's license, background check, fingerprints, etc). \$80/document x 2 document/person, \$250/background check, \$14/fingerprinting for 10 clients.	\$4,240.00
Supplies Total		\$89,280.00
Contractual		
There is no request for Contractual costs at this time.		\$0.00
Contractual Total		\$0.00
Construction		
There is no request for Construction costs at this time.		\$0.00
Construction Total		\$0.00
Other		
There is no request for Other costs at this time.		\$0.00
Other Total		\$0.00
Total Direct Charges		\$102,000.00
Indirect Charges		
There is no request for Indirect costs at this time.		\$0.00
Indirect Charges Total		\$0.00
TOTALS		\$102,000.00

Non-federal funding sources that will support the program:

The funding provided by the City of Bartlesville to support one of the GRAND employed Crisis Response Case Managers will be used as match for this award. GRAND will ensure that all funds are utilized in compliance with all federal and programmatic regulations, including the requirement to supplement not supplant federal funds.

GRAND Mental Health
 SAMHSA Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH)
 Line Item Budget and Budget Justification - Non-Federal Matching (Washington County)

Line Items	Justification	Non-Federal Matching
Personnel		
1.0 FTE Crisis Response Case Manager	A portion of the salary for the GRAND employed Case Manager funded by the City of Bartlesville. Calculated at \$1 for every \$3 of the total request of \$102,000. Equals 1/3 of the total request.	\$34,000.00
Personnel Total		\$34,000.00
Fringe Benefits		
There is no request for Fringe costs at this time.		\$0.00
Fringe Benefits Total		\$0.00
Travel		
There is no request for Travel costs at this time.		\$0.00
Travel Total		\$0.00
Equipment		
There is no request for Equipment costs at this time.		\$0.00
Equipment Total		\$0.00
Supplies		
There is no request for Supplies costs at this time.		\$0.00
Supplies Total		\$0.00
Contractual		
There is no request for Contractual costs at this time.		\$0.00
Contractual Total		\$0.00
Construction		
There is no request for Construction costs at this time.		\$0.00
Construction Total		\$0.00
Other		
There is no request for Other costs at this time.		\$0.00
Other Total		\$0.00
Total Direct Charges		\$34,000.00
Indirect Charges		
There is no request for Indirect costs at this time.		\$0.00
Indirect Charges Total		\$0.00
TOTALS		\$34,000.00

Non-federal funding sources that will support the program:

The funding provided by the City of Bartlesville to support one of the GRAND employed Crisis Response Case Managers will be used as match for this award. GRAND will ensure that all funds are utilized in compliance with all federal and programmatic regulations, including the requirement to supplement not supplant federal funds.

Footnotes:

II. Executive Summary

Intended Use Plans

Grand Mental Health Center

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Bartlesville, OK 74003

Contact: Karla Jones

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Provider Type: Community mental health center

PDX ID:

State Provider ID:

Contact Phone #: (918)418-6089

- **Local Area Provider Description** – Provide a brief description of the provider organization receiving PATH funds, including name, type of organization, region served, and the amount of PATH funds the organization will receive.
- **Collaboration with HUD CoC Program** – Provide a brief description of the organization's collaboration with HUD's Continuum of Care (CoC) Program. Describe the organization's participation with local HUD CoC recipient(s) and other local planning activities and program coordination initiatives, such as coordinated entry activities. If the organization is not currently working with the CoC(s), briefly explain the approaches to be taken by the organization to collaborate with the CoC(s) in the areas where PATH operates.
- **Collaboration with Local Community Organizations** – Provide a brief description of partnerships and activities with local community organizations that provide key services (e.g., outreach teams, primary care, mental health, substance use, housing, employment) to PATH-eligible clients, and describe the coordination of activities and policies with those organizations. Provide specific information about how coordination with other outreach teams will be achieved.
- **Service Provision** – Describe the organization's plan to provide coordinated and comprehensive services to PATH-eligible clients, including:
 - How the services to be provided using PATH funds will align with PATH goals and maximize serving the most vulnerable adults who are **literally and chronically** homeless, including those with COD, to obtain housing and mental/substance use disorder treatment services and community recovery supports necessary to assure success in long-term housing;
 - Any gaps that exist in the current service systems;
 - A brief description of the current services available to clients who have a COD; and
 - A brief description of how PATH eligibility is determined, when enrollment occurs, and how eligibility is documented for PATH enrolled clients.
- **Housing** – Indicate the strategies that will be used for making suitable housing available for PATH clients (i.e., indicate the type of housing provided and the name of the agency).
- **Client Information** – Describe the demographics of the client population, the projected number of adult clients to be contacted and enrolled, and the percentage of adult clients to be served using PATH funds who are **literally homeless**.
- **Consumer Involvement** – Describe how individuals who experience homelessness and have serious mental illness, and their family members, will be meaningfully involved at the organizational level in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of PATH-funded services. For example, indicate whether individuals who are PATH-eligible are employed as staff or volunteers or serve on governing or formal advisory boards.
- **Budget Narrative** – Provide a budget and budget narrative that includes the local-area provider's use of PATH funds.



Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) Tulsa County Plan Response Narrative

1) Local Provider Description:

Provide a brief description of the provider organization receiving PATH funds including name, type of organization, region served, and the amount of PATH funds the organization will receive.

GRAND Mental Health is a non-profit organization committed to creating a welcoming, supportive, and positive environment, in which an array of effective and efficient trauma-informed, integrated services will promote an improved quality of life for consumers, communities, and each other in Northeastern and Northcentral Oklahoma.

We know that access is the key to success, so we provide immediate access to quality mental health and substance use care in the least restrictive environment – regardless of insurance status or ability to pay. We meet individuals, children, and families where they are - 24/7. We provide progressive, personalized treatment to meet the needs of the whole person. And we remove barriers to treatment, matching clients to the level of care they need – regardless of their ability to pay and for as long as they need us.

We have 45+ years of experience, serving 32,000+ clients annually in 13 Oklahoma counties (Craig, Delaware, Kay, Mayes, Noble, Nowata, Osage, Ottawa, Pawnee, Payne, Rogers, Tulsa, and Washington Counties). Our services include:

- 24/7 Crisis Services
- 24/7 Urgent Recovery Centers
- 24/7 Family Treatment/Assessment Centers
- Outpatient Therapy (Adults, Children, and Families)
- Substance Abuse Treatment (Outpatient at County Clinics, Residential at Addiction Recovery Center)
- Recovery Residence (Tulsa Bryce House)
- Ketamine Infusion Clinic (Tulsa)
- Medication Management
- Case Management
- Peer Support
- Housing and Employment Support
- Veteran Services
- Embedded School Services
- Law Enforcement Engagement/Court Programs

GRAND is requesting \$293,683 in PATH funding to support individuals experiencing or at risk of homelessness in Tulsa County.



2) Collaboration with HUD Continuum of Care Program:

Describe the organization's participation with local HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) recipients and other local planning activities and program coordination initiatives, such as coordinated entry and coordinated assessment activities. If you are not currently working with the CoC, briefly explain the approaches to be taken by the agency to collaborate with the CoCs in the areas where PATH operates.

GRAND Mental Health's Housing Program collaborates with the Northeast Oklahoma Community Action Agency as the lead partner in the Northeast Oklahoma Continuum of Care (NEOKCOC) to assist individuals experiencing homelessness return to independent lives and help individuals and families at risk of losing housing with rent and utility assistance to prevent homelessness throughout an 11-county area (Adair, Cherokee, Craig*, Delaware*, Mayes*, Nowata*, Ottawa*, Rogers*, Sequoyah, Wagoner, Washington* counties). We are also a member agency of the North Central Oklahoma Community of Care (NCOKCOC) serving an 8-county area (Creek, Garfield, Grant, Kay*, Noble*, Osage*, Pawnee*, and Payne* counties). In Tulsa County*, we partner with Housing Solutions, the lead agency for Tulsa County's Continuum of Care. In all of our service areas, we help identify clients (via outreach and client intake processes) who are eligible to be added to the By-Name list.

*Denotes a county in which GRAND Mental Health serves as a Certified Community Behavioral Health Center (CCBHC), providing a full array of mental health and substance use treatment as well as supportive services (including housing and employment support), regardless of ability to pay, to help people along their journey to a better tomorrow.

3) Collaboration with Local Community Organizations:

Provide a brief description of partnerships and activities with local community organizations that provide key services (i.e., outreach teams, primary health, mental health, substance abuse, housing, employment, etc.) to PATH eligible clients and describe coordination of activities and policies with those organizations. Provide specific information about how coordination with other outreach teams will be achieved.

GRAND provides Tulsa's only 24/7 Street Outreach team, searching the streets for and meeting individuals experiencing homelessness where they are, diverting them from arrest or hospitalization to the mental health/substance use treatment and housing services they need most. Homelessness and crisis situations are not bound by time, so we operate around the clock to meet the needs that arise overnight and on weekends. Without this 24/7 program, many individuals fall back into the arrest and hospitalization cycle instead of the services they need.

Our 2-person outreach teams (certified peers and/or case managers, most sharing lived experiences with our clients) work in shifts to provide 24/7 services for Tulsans experiencing homelessness and often mental health/substance use crises. While establishing trust, we distribute water bottles, and snacks. When ready to accept help, we help them navigate complex social service systems to meet their physical needs and connect them to treatment services to meet their mental/physical health and substance abuse needs. We provide referrals and transportation to agencies who help them enroll in SNAP, SSI/SSDI, and other benefits. Four outreach team members are certified to help clients enroll in Medicaid/Soonercare.

We offer transportation to services of their choice, including our 24/7 Tulsa Urgent Recovery Center (URC) where they are assessed and receive crisis stabilization, 24/7 observation, brief counseling, safety/treatment planning, medication management, and referrals for additional services. Typical stays are 24 hours before being mentally/medically stabilized and ready for safe discharge into housing and connection to the most appropriate level of ongoing care. Located on the same campus, this often

includes our Addiction Recovery Center and Tulsa Outpatient Clinic where they can receive medically supervised detox, residential substance use treatment, partial-hospitalization, or outpatient mental health services, and housing/employment support leading them toward long-term recovery and self-sufficiency.

GRAND is a member of the A Way Home 4 Tulsa Continuum of Care and the North Tulsa Systems of Care. We partner with and support the Tulsa Police Department, Tulsa County Sherriff's Office, Broken Arrow Police Department, Owasso Police Department, Collinsville Police Department, Skiatook Police Department, Jenks Police Department, Tulsa Fire Department, EMSA, Tulsa County Alternative/Mental Health Courts, Department of Human Services, Justice Link, Oklahoma Department of Corrections, US Department of Veterans Affairs, and hospital systems (Hillcrest, Ascension St. John, Bailey Medical Center as they respond to individuals in crisis experiencing homelessness, offering an alternative to arrest and hospitalization through our Tulsa Urgent Recovery Center (URC). We collaborate with the Tulsa Day Center, Youth Services of Tulsa, John 3:16 Mission, Salvation Army, Iron Gate Tulsa, Restore Hope, and BeHeard Movement to ensure participants have access to shelter, meals, showers, and support services. We work alongside outreach teams from Housing Solutions, Family and Children's Services, and Mental Health Association Oklahoma and support local businesses and organizations such as QuikTrip who frequently encounter individuals experiencing homelessness on their properties.

4) Service Provision:

Describe the organization's plan to provide coordinated and comprehensive services to eligible PATH clients, including:

- a) *How the services to be provided using PATH funds will align with PATH goals and maximize serving the most vulnerable adults who are literally and chronically homeless, including those with serious mental illness who are veterans and experiencing homelessness, to obtain housing and mental/substance use disorder treatment services and community recovery supports necessary to assure success in long-term housing;*
 - b) *Describe any gaps that exist in the current service systems.*
 - c) *Provide a brief description of the current services available to clients who have a COD, and*
 - d) *Describe a brief description of how PATH eligibility is determined, when enrollment occurs, and how eligibility is documented for PATH-enrolled clients.*
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- a) GRAND will utilize its 24/7 Street Outreach, partnerships with local police departments, community nonprofit partners, and its crisis/outpatient intake and screening processes to identify individuals in Tulsa County experiencing or at risk of homelessness and work to ensure they are connected to housing services, as well as the therapeutic treatment and support services needed to address mental illness and/or substance use disorders, helping them progress toward long-term recovery and stable housing. Our work will contribute to attainment of PATH's goals by addressing the housing and treatment needs of individuals and reducing the impact of homelessness on the community, delivering everyone in Tulsa County hope for a better tomorrow.
 - b) GRAND operates Tulsa's only 24/7 Street Outreach team searching the streets of Tulsa around the clock for individuals experiencing homelessness. GRAND also identifies individuals and families experiencing or at risk of homelessness through its screening and needs assessment processes when they present to the 24/7 Urgent Recovery Center or Outpatient Clinic in Tulsa. We are proposing PATH services (including basic needs/outreach supplies, training/certification, housing assistance, transportation, and identification fees for participants and staff training to improve participant services) that will bridge the gaps between our identification processes and actual connections to housing/employment supports, mental health/substance use treatment, and supportive services. PATH services and funds will equip us to build relationships that

encourage a typically trust-averse population to trust us to help them, provide direct assistance for basic/housing needs that overcome barriers they face, ensure they receive high quality, evidence-based case management services and housing support from the Housing/Employment Specialists working in Tulsa County, and enroll them in the mental health and substance use services (described below) they need most.

- c) GRAND provides the following services for individuals experiencing serious mental illness and/or substance use disorders, including those also experiencing homelessness:

Crisis Intervention Services: network of highly trained crisis team managers, providers, licensed mental health professionals, nurses, and peer staff to answer calls via phones and a mobile application, ensuring the highest quality of services are provided 24/7 throughout all our service areas. We support individual callers experiencing a mental health or substance use crisis, as well as being ready to support local community partners encountering individuals in behavioral crisis anytime and anywhere, utilizing a call rolling system that ensures that no call ever goes unanswered. Our crisis team members listen, de-escalate, and connect those in crisis to the level of services they need, deploying an adult or child mobile crisis transport team to get them there if needed. Crisis intervention services also include our rural and 24/7 urban outreach teams, connecting with individuals experiencing homelessness across our service areas, building relationships of trust, and connecting them with the substance use/mental health treatment, supportive, and housing/employment services they need.

24/7 Crisis Centers: 24/7 access for adults and families experiencing a substance use and/or mental health crisis including Urgent Recovery Centers, Crisis Assessment Centers, Family Treatment Centers, Family Urgent Recovery Centers, and Family Assessment Centers across our 13-county service area. These crisis centers provide 24/7 access to crisis stabilization, 24/7 observation, brief counseling, safety planning, educational information, treatment planning, and referrals for additional services and support. Clients and/or client families remain under observation and care until they are mentally/medically stabilized and can be safely discharged to our Addiction Recovery Center (ARC), inpatient mental health services, or ongoing outpatient care as appropriate.

Addiction Recovery Center (ARC - Tulsa): differentiated levels of care based on client need including Medically Supervised Detoxification (35 beds) and Intensive Residential/Residential Treatment (215 beds) providing regular programming including individual counseling (led by their treatment team), group counseling, support groups, case management, housing/employment support, and peer support.

Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP - Tulsa): daily outpatient program (up to 90 days) for adults experiencing addiction in need of ASAM (American Society of Addiction Medicine) level of care 2.5 or higher, but not requiring inpatient residential treatment. PHP participants engage in daily group therapy programming and weekly meetings with their treatment team.

Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP): up to 12 weeks of structured substance use disorder treatment services for adults needing a higher level of care, but not rising to the level of inpatient or partial hospitalization. Participating clients receive group and individual therapy combined with rehabilitation services. Provided in select outpatient clinics.

Outpatient Program (OP): ongoing services facilitated by a treatment team, comprised of a licensed therapist, Peer Recovery Support Specialist, and Case Manager. Services include individual, family, and group therapy, support groups, medication management, case management, housing/employment support, and peer support. Provided in all outpatient clinics.

Medically Assisted Treatment (MAT) and Medication Management: prescription medication used as part of an overall addiction treatment plan to help with physical, mental, and emotional challenges and/or behavioral associated with substance use disorders. Ongoing supervision by our board-certified psychiatrists and licensed physicians.

Recovery Residence at Bryce House: an apartment complex on South Baltimore Avenue that supports adult males participating in substance abuse recovery treatment who need a structured living environment to sustain recovery. We currently serve 80 residents annually. Eligible residents include adult males completing residential treatment and/or entering Partial Hospitalization (PHP) who need structured/supportive living, with veterans receiving preference. As part of the treatment planning and discharge process, Housing/Employment Specialists at the Addiction Recovery Center (ARC) assist eligible clients to apply to Bryce House and coordinate with other recovery residences to place female ARC clients in need of housing as well as other male ARC clients when beds are not available at Bryce House.

As clients achieve their treatment plan goals, developed in collaboration with their treatment team, and discharge or step-down into lower levels of care, their treatment team coordinates their services with housing specialists, employment specialists, and other community resources to ensure they have stable housing as they work toward long-term recovery.

- d) Individuals are considered eligible for services according to the federal definition of homelessness: when a person or family lacks a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence, including emergency shelters, transitional housing, or places not meant for habitation. Individuals experiencing chronic homelessness are those who have been homeless for at least 12 months or on at least 4 separate occasions (combining to equal 12 months) in the last 3 years.

GRAND determines an individual's eligibility for services through brief assessments conducted when encountering an individual experiencing homelessness by our outreach teams, CIRT teams, and at client intake. If eligible for and in need of housing services, we connect the individuals to case managers and/or housing/employment specialists who help them enroll in GRAND services to begin receiving case management, housing/employment support, and mental health/substance use treatment services. All client records, intake information, needs assessments, and service provision are documented and reviewed in our electronic medical records (EMR) system.

5) Housing:

Indicate the strategies that will be used for making suitable housing available for PATH clients (i.e., indicate the type of housing provided and the name of the agency).

GRAND Mental Health does not directly provide housing to clients.

Our Housing/Employment Specialists are responsible for the following tasks to understand current housing needs and availability, as well as maintaining the relationships necessary to help clients access housing:

- Research and maintain a housing library or list of available properties
- Build and steward relationships with property managers, private landlords, rental agencies, real estate companies, and other individuals or organizations managing housing options throughout the community
- Know and maintain relationships with homeless shelters, community housing programs, income-based housing providers, and housing providers with options for sex offenders/individuals with criminal records

Housing/Employment Specialists provide the following services to identify clients in need of and connect them to suitable housing:

- Case management for individuals and families
- Crisis intervention as needed
- Assessment and evaluation of client housing needs
- Match client needs with current available housing options
- Guide clients through application processes, helping to secure identification and documentation as needed
- Assist clients in securing financial assistance for move-in costs, security deposits, and rent as well as enrolling in or establishing eviction prevention systems as available
- Help clients adjust and adapt to their new environment
- Coordinate with the client's treatment team and encourage them to continue engaging in their treatment plan
- Maintain confidential and accurate records for each client of needs, services provided, and housing secured

6) Client Information:

Describe the demographics of the client population, the projected number of adult clients to be contacted and enrolled, and the percentage of adult clients served using PATH funds to be literally homeless.

GRAND projects that we will serve 200 adult and family clients experiencing or at risk of homelessness, connecting them to housing supports as well as the mental health and/or substance use treatment services they need. In the 2025 Point-in-Time (PiT) Count for Tulsa County, volunteers identified 1,449 individuals experiencing homelessness. Research suggests the actual number can be as high as four times the PiT Count for the year, meaning as many as 5,800 individuals may have experienced homelessness in Tulsa County in 2025. Further, A Way Home for Tulsa reports that 2,700 individuals were waiting for housing in the Tulsa Coordinated Entry System as of June 2025.

We are estimating the demographics of individuals who will benefit from PATH services based on the individuals included in the 2024 Tulsa PiT count:

Sheltered: 66%
Unsheltered: 34%

Race/Ethnicity:

White: 47%
Black, African American: 28%
American Indian, Alaska Native: 20%
Latino: 7%
Tribal Citizens: 14%

Age:

0-17: 10%
18-24: 8%
25-54: 59%
55+: 23%

7% are Veterans, 55% have a disabling condition, 8% have been in foster care, and 33% have criminal justice involvement.

7) Consumer Involvement:

Describe how individuals who experience homelessness and have serious mental illnesses and their family members will be meaningfully involved at the organizational level in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of PATH-funded services. For example, indicate whether individuals who are PATH-eligible are employed as staff or volunteers or serve on governing or formal advisory boards. See Appendix I – Guidelines for Consumer and Family Participation.

GRAND Mental Health is a participating member of the A Way Home for Tulsa Continuum of Care and the North Tulsa Systems of Care. The A Way Home for Tulsa leadership council includes not only representatives from nonprofit organizations and public housing authorities, but also individuals with lived experience of homelessness to ensure their meaningful involvement in creating solutions. We also engage regularly with multiple long-term clients in Tulsa who share their perspective and offer advice/solutions.

Additionally, GRAND makes a concerted effort to hire Housing/Employment Specialists and Outreach team members who share lived experiences with their clients, including experiences of homelessness, addiction, and mental health issues. At least 8 of the 16 current Housing/Employment Specialists and 15 of the 16 Outreach team members are Certified Peer Recovery Support Specialists.

13) Budget Narrative:

Provide a budget narrative that includes the local-area provider's use of PATH funds. See Appendix C for a sample detailed budget

NOTE:

- *Grant funds must be used for purposes supported by the PATH program.*
- *Grant funds may not be expended:*
 - *To support emergency shelters*
 - *For inpatient psychiatric treatment*
 - *For inpatient substance abuse treatment*
 - *To make cash payments to intended recipients of mental health or substance abuse service*
- *No more than 20 percent of Federal PATH funds may be expended for eligible housing services.*
- *Any lease arrangements in association with the proposed project utilizing PATH funds may not be funded by PATH beyond the project period nor may the portion of the space leased with PATH funds be used for purposes not supported by the grant.*
- *Grant funds may not be used to pay for the purchase or construction of any building or structure to house any part of the grant program.*

See attached budget detail and narrative for requested federal funding and non-federal matching.

Planning Period From 9/1/2026 to 8/31/2027

The state can either enter all the IUPs and associated budgets as in prior years, or they may allow IUP users to enter their own information into WebBGAS. For more information on allowing IUP users to enter their own details, please see the tutorial under the Training Tab in WebBGAS that instructs states and IUP providers on this new process.

* Indicates a required field

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
a. Personnel	\$ 0	\$ 99,654	\$ 99,654	

Position *	Annual Salary *	% of time spent on PATH *	PATH-Funded FTE	PATH-Funded Salary *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Outreach worker	42,000.00	100.00 %	0.00	0.00	34,654.00	34,654.00	Street Outreach - CPRSS Salary for the GRAND employed Street Outreach CPRSS team member serving Tulsa County funded by GRAND operating funds @ \$42,000 annually.
Other (Describe in Comments)	65,000.00	100.00 %	0.00	0.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	Salary for the GRAND employed Housing Specialist serving the Addiction Recovery Center funded by the Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation @ \$65,000 annually.

Category	Percentage	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
b. Fringe Benefits	0.00%	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	

Category	Federal Dollars	Matched Dollars	Total Dollars	Comments
c. Travel	\$ 42,400.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 42,400.00	

Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 42,400.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 42,400.00	3 housing, 15 outreach staff members, and 2 program coordinator to attend high quality, evidence-based training directly connected to providing services for PATH eligible participants (topics including homelessness, community collaboration, housing/community resources, cultural competency, ethics, homelessness service delivery, etc.): Registration @ \$800/person, Hotels @ \$150/night x 3 nights/person, Airfare @ \$550/person or Mileage @ \$300/person, Per Diem \$80/person x 4 days.

d. Equipment	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

e. Supplies	\$ 192,570.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 192,570.50	
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Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
Client: Outreach Supplies/Hygiene kits/Misc.	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 100,000.00	Supplies (such as clothing, employment related clothing/uniforms, personal hygiene/grooming costs/items, water/snacks, blankets, towels, pet food/supplies, groceries, basic household items, small appliances, small appliance, etc.) to assist participants in attaining housing and/or maintaining housing when at risk of eviction, meet daily living standards, and build trust with outreach team members/case managers so participants will accept help from team members and staff to connect them to the mental health/substance use treatment, housing/employment supports, and other supports they need. \$500/individual x 200 clients.
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 44,200.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 44,200.00	Transportation Supplies for Participants - MetroLink Tulsa bus fare, rideshare/taxi, and bicycles/locks to help participating clients attend mental healthcare/substance use treatment, housing, and community resource appointments. \$2/ride x 1 ride/week x 50 clients. \$15/ride x 1/ride/week x 50 clients.
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 28,370.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 28,370.50	Fees for participating clients to acquire identification and documentation necessary for applying for employment, benefits, and/or housing (such as state identification, driver's license, background check, fingerprints, etc.) \$80/document x 2 document/person, \$250/background check, \$14/fingerprinting for 70 clients.
Client: Other Supplies (Describe in Comments)	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 20,000.00	Participant assistance for training and education (such as life skills training, tenancy training, employment supports, school enrollment fees, certification exam fees, licensure fees, etc) that support employment success and long-term housing retention. \$200/person x 100 clients.

f. Contractual	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

g. Housing	\$ 58,712.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 58,712.50	
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Line Item Detail *	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
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Other (Describe in Comments)	\$ 58,712.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 58,712.50	Housing Assistance for participants: rental application fees @ \$50, rental deposits @ \$500, utility deposits @ \$250, rent @ \$850/month for 1 month (to avoid eviction), technical assistance costs @ \$100
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h. Construction (non-allowable)

i. Other	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
No Data Available				

j. Total Direct Charges (Sum of a-i)	\$ 293,683.00	\$ 99,654.00	\$ 393,337.00	
Category	Federal Dollars *	Matched Dollars *	Total Dollars	Comments
k. Indirect Costs (Administrative Costs)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
l. Grand Total (Sum of j and k)	\$ 293,683.00	\$ 99,654.00	\$ 393,337.00	

Source(s) of Match Dollars for State Funds:

Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted: 200 Estimated Number of Persons to be Enrolled: 150
 Estimated Number of Persons to be Contacted who are Literally Homeless: 180

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GRAND Mental Health
 SAMHSA Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH)
 Line Item Budget and Budget Justification - Federal PATH Funding (Tulsa County)

Line Items	Justification	Federal
Personnel		
There is no request for Personnel costs at this time.		\$0.00
Personnel Total		\$0.00
Fringe Benefits		
There is no request for Fringe costs at this time.		\$0.00
Fringe Benefits Total		\$0.00
Travel		
Staff and Provider Training	3 housing, 15 outreach staff members, and 2 program coordinator to attend high quality, evidence-based training directly connected to providing services for PATH eligible participants (topics including homelessness, community collaboration, housing/community resources, cultural competency, ethics, homelessness service delivery, etc.): Registration @ \$800/person, Hotels @\$150/night x 3 nights/person, Airfare @ \$550/person or Mileage @ \$300/person, Per Diem \$80/person x 4 days.	\$42,400.00
Travel Total		\$42,400.00
Equipment		
There is no request for Equipment costs at this time.		\$0.00
Equipment Total		\$0.00
Supplies		
Basic Needs/Essential Living Supports/Outreach Supplies	Supplies (such as clothing, employment related clothing/uniforms, personal hygiene/grooming costs/items, water/snacks, blankets, towels, pet food/supplies, groceries, basic household items, small appliances, small appliance, etc.) to assist participants in attaining housing and/or maintaining housing when at risk of eviction, meet daily living standards, and build trust with outreach team members/case managers so participants will accept help from team members and staff to connect them to the mental health/substance use treatment, housing/employment supports, and other supports they need. \$500/individual x 200 clients.	\$100,000.00
Participant Training and Skill Development	Participant assistance for training and education (such as life skills training, tenancy training, employment supports, school enrollment fees, certification exam fees, licensure fees, etc) that support employment success and long-term housing retention. \$200/person x 100 clients.	\$20,000.00
Participant Housing Assistance (must not exceed 20% of total)	Housing Assistance for participants: rental application fees @ \$50, rental deposits @ \$500, utility deposits @ \$250, rent @ \$850/month for 1 month (to avoid eviction), technical assistance costs @ \$100	\$58,712.50
Transportation Supplies for Participants	MetroLink Tulsa bus fare, rideshare/taxi, and bicycles/locks to help participating clients attend mental healthcare/substance use treatment, housing, and community resource appointments. \$2/ride x 1 ride/week x 50 clients. \$15/ride x 1/ride/week x 50 clients.	\$44,200.00
Fees for Identification Documents and Background Checks	Fees for participating clients to acquire identification and documentation necessary for applying for employment, benefits, and/or housing (such as state identification, driver's license, background check, fingerprints, etc). \$80/document x 2 document/person, \$250/background check, \$14/fingerprinting for 70 clients.	\$28,370.50
Supplies Total		\$251,283.00
Contractual		
There is no request for Contractual costs at this time.		\$0.00
Contractual Total		\$0.00
Construction		
There is no request for Construction costs at this time.		\$0.00
Construction Total		\$0.00
Other		
There is no request for Other costs at this time.		\$0.00
Other Total		\$0.00
Total Direct Charges		\$293,683.00
Indirect Charges		
There is no request for Indirect costs at this time.		\$0.00
Indirect Charges Total		\$0.00
TOTALS		\$293,683.00

Non-federal funding sources that will support the program:

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GRAND Mental Health
 SAMHSA Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH)
 Line Item Budget and Budget Justification - Non-Federal Matching (Tulsa County)

Line Items	Justification	Non-Federal Matching
Personnel		
1.0 FTE Housing Specialist	Salary for the GRAND employed Housing Specialist serving the Addiction Recovery Center funded by the Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation @ \$65,000 annually.	\$65,000.00
1.0 FTE Street Outreach - CPRSS	Salary for the GRAND employed Street Outreach CPRSS team member serving Tulsa County funded by GRAND operating funds @ \$42,000 annually.	\$34,654.00
Personnel Total		\$99,654.00
Fringe Benefits		
There is no request for Fringe costs at this time.		\$0.00
Fringe Benefits Total		\$0.00
Travel		
There is no request for Travel costs at this time.		\$0.00
Travel Total		\$0.00
Equipment		
There is no request for Equipment costs at this time.		\$0.00
Equipment Total		\$0.00
Supplies		
There is no request for Supplies costs at this time.		\$0.00
Supplies Total		\$0.00
Contractual		
There is no request for Contractual costs at this time.		\$0.00
Contractual Total		\$0.00
Construction		
There is no request for Construction costs at this time.		\$0.00
Construction Total		\$0.00
Other		
There is no request for Other costs at this time.		\$0.00
Other Total		\$0.00
Total Direct Charges		\$99,654.00
Indirect Charges		
There is no request for Indirect costs at this time.		\$0.00
Indirect Charges Total		\$0.00
TOTALS		\$99,654.00

Non-federal funding sources that will support the program:

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Footnotes:

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State-Level Information:

1. State Operational Definitions –

a. Individual Experiencing Homelessness – (a) lacks a fixed, regular, and adequate night time residence AND (b) has a primary night time residence that is a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter designed to provide temporary living accommodations including welfare hotels, congregate shelters, halfway houses, and transitional housing for people with mentally illness; or an institution that provides a temporary residence for individuals intended to be institutionalized; or a public or private place not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, not limited to people living on the streets. Individuals are considered homeless if they have lost their permanent residence and are temporarily living in a shelter to avoid being on the street.

b. Imminent Risk of Becoming Homeless – Defined as one or more of the following criteria: doubled-up living arrangement where the individual's name is not on the lease, living in a condemned building without a place to move, unpaid/overdue rent/utility payments, having received an eviction notice without a place to move, being discharged from a health care or criminal justice institution without a place to live.

c. Serious Mental Illness – Defined as a condition experienced by persons age 18 or older that show evidence of points of (A), (B) and (C) below:

(A) The disability must have persisted for six months and be expected to persist for a year or longer.

(B) A condition or serious mental illness as defined by the most recently published version of the DSM or the International Classification of Disease (ICD) equivalent with the exception of DSM “V” codes, substance abuse, and developmental disorders which are excluded, unless they co-occur with another diagnosable serious mental illness.

(C) The adult must exhibit either (i) or (ii) below:

(i) Psychotic symptoms of a serious mental illness (e.g. Schizophrenia characterized by defective or lost contact with reality, often hallucinations or delusions); or

(ii) Experience difficulties that substantially interfere with or limit an adult from achieving or maintaining one or more developmentally appropriate social, behavioral, cognitive, communicative or adaptive skills. There is functional impairment in at least two of the following capacities (compared with expected developmental level):

- (I) Impairment in self-care manifested by a person's consistent inability to take care of personal grooming, hygiene, clothes and meeting of nutritional needs.
- (II) Impairment in community function manifested by a consistent lack of appropriate behavioral controls, decision-making, judgment and value systems which result in potential involvement or involvement with the criminal justice system.
- (III) Impairment of social relationships manifested by the consistent inability to develop and maintain satisfactory relationships with peers.
- (IV) Impairment in family function manifested by a pattern of disruptive behavior exemplified by repeated and/or unprovoked violence, disregard for safety and welfare of self or others (e.g., fire setting, serious and chronic destructiveness, inability to conform to reasonable limitations and expectations).
- (V) Impairment in functioning at school or work manifested by the inability to pursue educational or career goals.

d. Co-occurring Serious Mental Illness and Substance Use Disorders – The condition of having at least one psychiatric disorder as well as one disorder relating to the use of alcohol and/or other drugs. A diagnosis of co-occurring is made when at least one disorder of each type can be made independently of the other.

2. Collaboration –

The ODMHSAS is the single state authority for substance abuse and mental health services. The PATH Providers manage an overall system of treatment and prevention services, focused on resilience, recovery and improved health for all Oklahomans and utilize its established central administrative infrastructure and strong liaison with community based mental health providers and other stakeholders to form the basis to ensure continued effective collaborations with housing partners across the state. The PATH funds are prioritized and assured for supporting care and treatment of the homeless or marginally housed seriously mentally ill population and will be served such that there is coordination of service provision to address needs impacted by serious mental illness and provision of permanent housing for those being served by these grant funds. The PATH Providers bring partners—Governor's Interagency Council on Homelessness, our 38 tribes, community mental health and substance abuse providers, Oklahoma Public Housing Authorities, Veterans Affairs, Oklahoma Disability Determination Services, Oklahoma Emergency Management, law enforcement, department of human services, the juvenile justice system, the department of corrections, housing authorities and the school system--together from across the state to address the needs of Oklahoma's most vulnerable citizens across the lifespan to improve their overall well-being with a specific interest of helping those to achieve safe, decent, truly affordable housing with needed resources and support to achieve self-sufficiency. The PATH Case Managers utilize the Vulnerability Index- Service

Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool (VISPDAT) as an assessment tool for frontline workers to work with homeless clients to prioritize those clients to determine risk and prioritization when providing assistance to homeless and at-risk of homelessness individuals. The SPDAT tools are also utilized by the PATH Case Managers to help guide case management and improve housing stability outcomes. This collaboration brings together a diverse team of professionals with experience, expertise and a unified philosophy to meet the complex needs of our target population.

3. Veterans

The ODMHSAS selects providers that have a history of successfully serving homeless veterans to provide PATH services. The two PATH providers who serve four service areas have a background of effectively serving veterans experiencing homelessness. The providers continue to have well-established relationships with the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs and are encouraged to consult with our liaison to DVA. When individuals identified as veterans are enrolled in PATH, the clinical staff work to connect them with Veteran resources that are available to them. Through advocacy with veteran resources, clients are able to access these resources and continue to work with PATH staff to meet needs that may not be available through veteran resources.

4. Alignment with PATH goals

The Oklahoma PATH program continues to maintain a primary focus on the provision of outreach, engagement and case management services to persons who are experiencing homelessness and have mental illness or co-occurring mental illness and substance use disorders. Serving the most vulnerable adults who are literally and chronically homeless and not supported by mainstream mental health programs continues as a priority. It is estimated that approximately 75% of the individuals served during this grant period will be literally homeless.

5. Alignment with State Comprehensive Mental Health Services Plan

The state Community Mental Health Block Grant Plan continues to serve as the state Comprehensive Mental Health Services Plan in Oklahoma. The Community Mental Health Block Grant Plan outlines the expectations of all services provided to people with mental illness. Services provided as a part of the PATH program are described in the Plan as PATH services continue to be consistent with the State Comprehensive Mental Health Services Plan.

6. Process for Providing Public Notice

The ODMHSAS holds a public hearing during the public comment period annually.. A public hearing for this grant application will be held on April 15, 2026. Notification will be sent to consumer and family organizations, the ODMHSAS State Planning and Advisory Council, the, Community Mental Health Centers, PATH grantees, and ODMHSAS media contacts throughout the state. The public hearing was held in agreement with Oklahoma's

Open Meetings Act, including public notice of the meeting and agenda. An invitation for written comment was issued with a deadline to receive any written comments/recommendations by March 25, 2026. Instructions for requesting a copy of the PATH application (including any subsequent revisions) was included in the notice.

7. Programmatic and Financial Oversight

The ODMHSAS continues to provide oversight of PATH programs utilizing a variety of mechanisms for programmatic and financial review, including:

a. Annual Site Visit – An annual PATH site visit is provided for all PATH providers. The site visit includes: interviews with all PATH funded staff; the PATH program supervisor/director; interviews with two (2) consumers receiving PATH services; review of three (3) PATH case records; review of documentation on any PATH cases open longer than 12 months; review process for HMIS entry and reporting; review of financial records & process for billing PATH services; review of process and documentation used for tracking and supporting state match requirements; and review of additional policies and practices for meeting grant and contract requirements for PATH. In addition, guidance is offered to providers on innovative evidenced-based practices— Individual Placement and Support and --that may be utilized by the agencies with ODMHSAS support to better prepare PATH participants for a life of recovery and out of poverty.

b. Quarterly HMIS Reports – PATH providers are required to submit HMIS reports on a quarterly basis. These reports reflect PATH data that is collected through the HMIS; the data that will be used to complete the PATH annual report. The system also allows the PATH agencies serving the homeless to share data on shared clients, as well measure a diverse array of individual- and program-level outcomes. Additionally, the system managers in each community can aggregate data across all agencies in the community to measure community-level outcomes, as well as aggregate data for both communities. The system includes a robust reporting tool that enables us to design reports to meet the needs of the PATH initiative. Among the many outcomes tracked by the HMIS are housing stability, cash and non-cash income, employment, substance use, mental health, physical health, social integration, and emotional well-being. This information assists both the program and PATH State Contact with identifying any areas that may need attention.

c. Fee For Service Data – PATH services that are provided through a Fee For Service contract are reported and billed for through the ODMHSAS designated information system. This system is able to generate program level reports that allow for review of service and fiscal information.

d. Invoiced Services – There are PATH services that cannot be billed through Fee For Service, such as housing assistance. These expenditures are drawn down through the submission of invoices and supportive documentation. The supportive documentation provides information regarding the type of activities completed for

the billing month. These invoices are reviewed by the PATH State Contact prior to payment, to ensure that all activities are PATH eligible.

8. Selection of PATH Local-Area Providers

Two Providers will be serving the four PATH service areas for the new grant period. Family & Children Services submitted their termination letter to not participate in the program. A review of services provided, numbers of individuals served, and saturation of offices/services in the available area showed that GRAND Mental Health has the resources and capacity to serve the Tulsa Region.

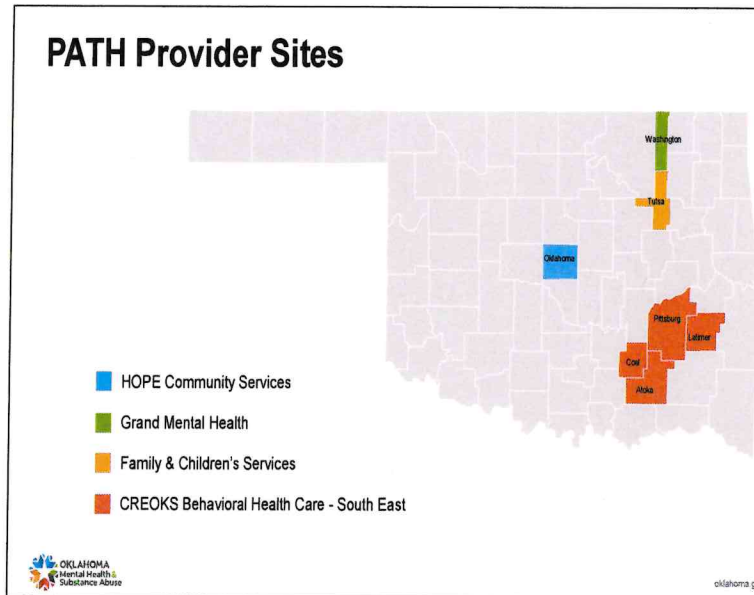
Both providers are existing ODMHSAS operating or contracting Community Mental Health Centers and establishing housing and support service non-profit providers. Selection of PATH providers is based on experience, program design, numbers served, and service location in specific geographic areas with the greatest number of individuals who are homeless with serious mental illnesses or co-occurring disorders (based on state-wide point-in-time homeless count information). Special consideration is given to providers who have demonstrated effectiveness in serving homeless veterans.

9. Location of Individuals with Serious Mental Illnesses who are Experiencing Homelessness

The table below reflects the geographic distribution of homeless individuals in the State of Oklahoma. This information is based on the point-in-time (PIT) surveys done by each of the State's Continuums of Care in January 2025 during the annual point-in-time count (2026 PIT data is not yet available). The number of people experiencing homelessness with serious mental illness is based on the total number of homeless individuals surveyed during the 2025 point-in-time count who reported having a mental illness. The table below indicates that approximately 34% of homeless individuals in the state of Oklahoma have a serious mental illness. Individuals at imminent risk of becoming homeless are not included in the following figures.

Geographic Regions	Homeless Population	Reported SMI
Oklahoma County*	1882	461
Tulsa County*	1449	653
Cleveland County	238	62
South West	331	106
North West	66	9
North Central*	244	97
North East	197	88
South East *	134	83
TOTALS	4,541	1,559

* Location of PATH providers. Washington County is in Grand Mental Health Center and Pittsburg, Coal, Atoka and Latimer counties are in the South East region.



10. Matching Funds

Matching funds will be available at the beginning of the grant period. Matching non-federal contributions will be as follows:

- **Creoks Behavioral Health Care (Southeast Region)** – Creoks Behavioral Health Care (Southeast Region) will provide a total of \$14,630 in non-federal matching contributions from state funded sources. These matching non-Federal contributions are from in-kind services that will be available at the beginning of the grant period.
- **CREOKS Behavioral Health Services (OKC)** – CREOKS OKC will provide a total of \$1 in matching non-federal contributions. \$30,000 in match contributions will come from state funded sources and \$11,141 will come from private sources. These matching non-federal contributions are from in-kind services that will be available at the beginning of the grant period.
- **Grand Mental Health Center (Tulsa Region)** – Grand Mental Health will provide a total of \$99,654 in matching non-federal contributions. The funding will be provided by the Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation to support the Tulsa Street Outreach team members. Grand will ensure that all funds are utilized in compliance with all federal and

programmatic regulations. Including the requirement to supplement not supplant federal funds.

- **Grand Lake Mental Center** – Grand Lake Mental Center receives \$34,000 in non-federal matching contributions from City of Bartlesville to support one of the Grand employed Crisis Response Case Managers. The non-federal contributions will be available at the beginning of the grant period.
- **Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services** – The Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services will contribute \$5,508 in non-federal matching funds. Match contributions will be provided through in-kind personnel costs paid for by State funds and will be available at the beginning of the grant period.

11. Other Designated Funding

a. Mental Health Block Grant – The Oklahoma Mental Health Block Grant (MHBG) funds one Safe Haven program in Tulsa County, transitional and permanent supportive housing in Oklahoma and Cleveland counties, and homeless outreach and case management services in Tulsa County. In addition, the MHBG funds outreach to homeless youth in Oklahoma County in an effort to identify and provide services to individuals with first episode psychosis.

b. Substance Abuse Block Grant - Substance Abuse Block Grant funds are not currently being utilized to fund programs specifically for people who are homeless.

c. General Revenue Funds - Community Mental Health Centers through-out the state, and the Day Center for the Homeless in Tulsa County, receive appropriations from the general revenue fund to support outreach and case management services for individuals who are experiencing homeless and who have a mental illness or co-occurring mental illness and substance use disorder. State appropriations also fund transitional and permanent supportive housing programs in Oklahoma, Cleveland and Tulsa Counties. In addition, state appropriations fund three housing bridge subsidy programs, each with a time limit of 12 months. One subsidy program is for people with mental illness or co-occurring disorders discharging from psychiatric inpatient care, Department of Corrections, or aging out of foster care. It requires that participants are age 18 or older and have zero to very low income and are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. The other two subsidy programs are for youth age 16 to 25 years old who have a mental illness or co-occurring disorders, one of which targets rural Oklahoma specifically.

The ODMHSAS continues to work toward accessing other sources of funding to serve people who are homeless and have mental illness or co-occurring substance use disorders. The ODMHSAS participates in several state Continuums of Care (CoC), and administers one HUD Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) program through a state operated Community Mental Health Center (that covers McClain, Gavin and

Comanche counties), and serves as project sponsor for another PSH program (Balance of State CoC) through a contracted Community Mental Health Center. The ODMHSAS also has received federal funding to implement a housing first coordinated case management system to integrate an array of needed services and supports for Veterans and others who are homeless or chronically homeless known as Homes, Honor, and Health for Oklahomans (H3OK). H3OK aligns necessary resources for the state to move forward to end chronic homelessness for those who are challenged with a serious mental illness, substance use disorder, or co-occurring disorder to achieve and maintain permanent safe housing. These programs are located in Oklahoma City and Tulsa.

12. Data

Three of the four PATH providers in Oklahoma started entering all PATH data into HMIS as of July 1, 2016. The new PATH Provider Grand Mental Center is in the process of the PATH HMIS training. HMIS training is provided 1-2 times a year as needed for support and technical assistance. HMIS training is readily available for any additional support or assistance throughout the year.

14. PATH Eligibility and Enrollment

PATH eligibility in Oklahoma is determined based on SAMHSA's guidelines for PATH and is outlined in ODMHSAS contract language for PATH providers. Initial PATH eligibility determination begins at outreach and engagement. PATH staff seek to identify eligible individuals through street outreach, in-reach at homeless shelters and hospitals, and through direct referrals. PATH staff complete a screening to determine if the individual meets initial eligibility criterion to receive PATH services. The screening helps to identify if the individual may have a serious mental illness, is experiencing homelessness or at imminent risk of becoming homeless and is interested in receiving assistance. If the screening determines that these initial qualifications are met, an intake appointment with the CMHC in which the PATH program is located is scheduled. During the intake process a Licensed clinician will complete a comprehensive clinical assessment to determine diagnosis and if the individual meets the State requirement for Serious Mental Illness (SMI); thereby confirming eligibility to participate in the PATH program. When eligibility is confirmed, the individual is admitted for outpatient services at the CMHC and is linked with staff from the PATH program for enrollment. The eligibility and enrollment process components are documented on the PATH program face sheet, in the agency's Electronic Health Record and in Homeless Management Information System (HMIS).