

APS Program Operational Plan: MIssouri

State/Territory/District	Missouri
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Budget Allocation	ARPA 1 - \$1,569,549 + ARPA 2 - \$3,281,718 = \$4,851,267
Timeline	AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) OF 2021- Grant 1
	August 2021 – September 2023
	ARPA 1 - \$1,569,549
	AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 - Proposed Grant 2
	August 2022 – September 2024
	COVID - $\$1,712,169 + ARPA 1 - \$1,569,549 = ARPA 2 - \$3,281,718$
Vision 2025	
The Vision clarifies what your ARPA Grant 1 Program aspires to become and to achieve. It is designed to inspire by providing a picture of where the program is heading in 3-5 years. Note: If you are a part of a larger organization, does it have its own future vision? If so, you may want to adapt it to your own program.	We envision a Missouri where seniors and adults with disabilities are empowered to live free from abuse, neglect, and exploitation.



Mission Statement

Mission and Values statements can be an effective tool to educate the public; state and local government officials; state government agencies; provider agencies; and service recipients as to what the Adult Protective Services is and how they do business.

Mission Statements answer four key questions about your APS Program:

- Who do we serve?
- What needs do they have that we can fulfil?
- How do we meet those needs? How do we make the clients' lives better?
- Does it link directly to the Vision Statement?

Note: if you are a part of a larger organization, does it have its Mission Statement? If so, you may want to adapt it for your own program.

Adult Protective Services for the state of Missouri exists to protect, support, and advocate for seniors and adults with disabilities impacted by abuse, neglect, and/or exploitation to live safer, healthier, more independent lives.



Guiding Principles / Core Values

Guiding Principles or Core Values guide internal processes and client interactions for your APS Program.

Note: if you are a part of a larger organization, does it have its own set of Guiding Principles or Core Values? If so, you may want to adapt it for this program.

What do we want to accomplish:

- have greater collaboration with external partners
- be seen as experts
- have more clarity around what we do (improved policy, cross-training, good understanding of our mission)
- be trusted (community trust)
- be seen as effective
- increase public awareness
- have the ability to provide better resources
- be a desirable employment destination
- improve prosecution by enhancing legal resources
- have greater involvement in criminal justice process



Goals for Program Improvement

These are goals to be obtained in order to move your APS program from current practices to your Vision.

Now that you have new funds targeted for your work with APS, what can be enhanced or improved in your current program? These goals must meet the APS Formula Grant requirements. It is recommended these goals become SMART goals (specific, measurable, actionable, and timely).

Using the results of your Environmental Scan, identify key issues that need to be addressed during this planning cycle.

These are goals to move your APS Program from current practices to your Vision #1.

4 to 6 high level goals

Increase Public Outreach & Education (advertising, outreach training, sharing data)

Improve Collaboration & Communication with External Partners (increase interaction with external partners, improve follow-up & follow-through; capitalize on Specialization success, MDTs)

Process Improvement (QA program to inform & improve, improve screening, new system & enhancements, statutory modifications, policy simplification & evolution, focus on capacity-building & continuous improvement)

Increase Access to Community Resources & Interventions (address resource gaps, expand existing resources, mental health focus)

Enhance Workforce/Staffing Resources

- Training (cross-training, knowledge & skill building)
- Tools/Needs (technology, commissioning for SIU)
- Recruitment (outreach, better defined job duties, internships, diversity)
- **Staff Benefits/Resources** (increased pay, support for burn-out & emotional toll, recognition, advancement opportunities)

Improve Internal Communication/Collaboration (encourage trust, increased recognition, expand on successes, decrease inconsistencies, increase leadership responsiveness)



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Targeted Improvement Projects	
Using the results of your Environmental Scan and PESTEL, describe the targeted improvements and enhancements needed for this planning cycle.	
Your improvements should be concrete, measurable, and complete.	
WHY is this improvement needed? What Purpose or NEED will it fill? What RESOURCES will be used? What ACTIVITIES will it entail? What are the direct OUTPUTS of the activities? What are the intended results and how will clients benefit?	
See next page.	



Logic Model Framework

Purpose/Nee ds to be filled by ARPA Funds	Inputs (Res ources Deployed)	Activities	Outputs from Investment	Short-Term Outcomes	Long-Term Outcomes
Improve Collaboration & Communicati on with External Partners	\$200,000 Possible consultant or temp staff Consultant (Period 2 2022 Paid from ARPA2 funds after period 2)	ARPA 1 Project 1 MDT Coordination- Increase the usage of MDTs in MO by engaging stakeholders, promoting involvement, enhancing the MDT infrastructure (rules addressing barriers, etc.), and leading MDTs.	Implement the usage of MDTs in all counties (or as many counties as possible) in the state.	MO APS will contract with a consulting agency positioned to help develop a plan for implementing/expanding MDT usage in MO. Complete an analysis of the prevalence of Elder/Disabled Abuse MDTs in MO and identify what barriers potentially interfere with expansion. Research the usage & effectiveness of MDTs in other settings and states. Engage with stakeholders and promote involvement in local MDTs.	MDTs will be normal business practice throughout the state enhancing collaboration with stakeholders and providing better outcomes for APS clients. MDTs will continue to expand and will include a greater number of disciplines enhancing wrap-around services for clients.
Process Improvement - Need to upgrade and improve Missouri's	\$250,000 Possible consultant or temp staff	ARPA 1 Project 2 APS Program Evaluation- Complete an overall	Generate numerous recommendations for improving or changing specific components or processes within MO	Pursue contract with consultant agency or temporary staff. Through use of a consulting agency or temporary APS staff, conduct an evaluation of Missouri APS' program based on	MO APS will be able to implement multiple process improvements resulting in better outcomes for APS clients and making the work
APS Program to more		evaluation to identify areas of needed	APS' program. Implement a number	The Administration for Community Living's National	conducted by APS Specialists more



nearly comply	Employee	improvement within	of highest priority	Voluntary Consensus Guidelines	streamlined and
to National	(Period 2	MO's APS Program	recommendations (if	for State Adult Protective	consistent.
Voluntary	2022 Paid	ivio 37ti 31 rogiam	possible within	Services Systems providing MO	CONSISTENC.
Consensus	from ARPA2		funding).	APS with possibilities for	
Guidelines	funds after		runung).	program enhancement.	
Guidelines	period 2)			program emancement.	
Enhance	\$45,000	ARPA 1	Provide staff with	Gather feedback from APS staff	Staff will have access to
Workforce/	7-3,000	Project 3	numerous trainings	on their main safety concerns.	needed safety and
Staffing		1 Toject 3	and with safety	on their main safety concerns.	emergency equipment,
Resources to		Enhance APS Worker	equipment related to	Research available training and	and will be fully trained
ensure		Safety through	the safety issues and	identify specific safety or	on its usage. As a result,
worker safety		training & safety	situations that APS	emergency response equipment	APS Specialist will have
Worker sarety		equipment	professionals most	needed for APS staff.	an increased sense of
			commonly		safety when conducting
			encounter.		home visits. As a result
			choodineeri		of increased safety, staff
					will be more easily
					retained; and, thus be
					more readily available to
					respond to clients' needs.
Increase	\$121,000	ARPA 1	Increased traffic to	Evaluate the effectiveness of	As a result of outreach,
Public	. ,	Project 4	APS' website;	public outreach material created	public perception of APS
Outreach &	Outreach		Increased reports of	through use of CRRSAA funds.	will be improved. APS
Education	Coordinator	Public Outreach &	abuse, neglect, &	Formulate strategies to increase	will receive reports from
		Education	exploitation;	understanding of APS amongst	callers and online
			distribute numerous	the public and stakeholders.	reporters with more
			outreach projects	Pursue procurement of outreach	thorough and
			(advertisements via	materials & promotional items.	appropriate information.
			print, radio, TV, social		APS will have enhanced
			media, etc.)	MO APS will add staffing	relationships with
				resources (via FTE or contract) in	stakeholders due to a
				order to coordinate and oversee	mutual understanding of
				these public outreach projects.	APS' role and ultimately



					provide an enhanced safety net for the APS clients.
Increase Access to Community Resources & Interventions to report and prevent financial fraud	\$37,340 Partnership with HelpVul	ARPA 1 Project 5 Fraud/Scams Response (HelpVul)	Support continued availability of HelpVul portal connecting financial institutions with APS and other state regulators & investigators.	Continue MO APS' current funding and utilization of HelpVul. This period of continued engagement with HelpVul will allow MO APS to evaluate the system usage by external entities and determine return on investment.	HelpVul provides an efficient means for financial industry partners to ensure proper routing of reports of financial abuse to the appropriate investigative authorities (including APS, state regulators, etc.). As a result of this increased efficiency in the reporting system, APS clients/victims become less susceptible to financial fraud.
Enhance	\$250,000	ARPA 1	Provide multiple	Create a statewide conference	APS staff will have
Workforce/	_	Project 6	training	agenda that includes	enhanced knowledge of
Staffing	Temporary	a	opportunities. Solicit	presentations and workshops	training topics resulting
Resources-	Staff or	Staff Development	feedback from	pertinent to APS professionals	in more informed action
Training	Contracted	Through Additional	attendees.	as well as related professions	on APS reports. These
	Employee	Training	A d due en ul .f e e	with which APS interacts. Survey	opportunities for
	Employee	Statewide APS	Address workforce issues such as	external partners and gauge	professional growth and
	Employee (Period 2	Conference/ Training		interest in outside agencies	networking should also
	2022 Paid	Connecence/ Training	recruiting, retention, morale, etc. to	attending such a	lead to increased job
	from ARPA2	Additional Staffing	decrease staff	training/conference. Secure a meeting location and	satisfaction and improved morale.
	funds after	Resources Focused	turnover.	presenters.	inorale.
	period 2)	on Workforce Needs	tarriover.	presenters.	With increased efforts
	period 2)			MO APS will pursue a training	and focus on recruiting
				curriculum that will enhance	and maintaining a skilled

				and develop skills in key areas of APS work. MO APS will add staffing resources (via FTE or contract) to focus on Staff Development & Workforce Needs such as recruiting, employee retention, and other workforce issues. This staffing resource will utilize ARPA funds to increase APS' outreach efforts related to recruiting.	and motivated workforce, DSDS will have more skilled and satisfied staff providing improved personcentered and services to the citizens of Missouri.
Improve Collaboration & Communicati on with External Partners – Need easier sharing of information and data with partners.	\$100,000 External Vendor - Roeing	ARPA 1 Project 7 IT System Enhancements	Increase in the functionality and amount of information accessible to APS Specialists & Investigators within the APS IT System	Identify vital information sources that APS staff need to more effectively assist APS clients. Work with partners to secure agreements for sharing data and interconnectivity. Initiate discussions with APS IT system vendor to strategize implementation of the needed interfaces. Evaluate inefficiencies or functional gaps within the IT System and formulate potential upgrades and enhancements.	As a result of APS staff having extensive access to needed information, APS clients will be provided with more appropriate wrap-around services and less likelihood of duplication of services/efforts. Long-range goals for this project include improving the efficient collection of APS data, reducing duplicative efforts with other agencies, ensuring access to needed data for workload management and for public sharing.

Increase	\$75,000	ARPA 1	Increase the number	Procure a tele-visit platform and	APS Specialists will
Access to	773,000	Project 8	of follow-up visits by	implement the service amongst	conduct an increased
Community		Froject 8	completing them	all APS staff for usage in specific	number of follow-up
Resources &		Ongoing support of	virtually when	case actions as defined by	visits ensuring better
Interventions		TeleVisit Platform	appropriate.	policy.	implementation of
		Televisit Flationiii	Decrease staff's time	policy.	
by					resources provided. MO APS will have increased
establishing a			spent traveling to &		
Virtual			from visits in the		visual interaction with
Method of			community.		APS clients in emergency
Interacting			Minimize potential		situations when home
with APS			transmission of		visits cannot be
Clients			communicable		conducted (i.e. severe
			diseases between		weather events,
			staff and APS clients.		pandemics). MO APS will
					have ample data to
					evaluate the
					effectiveness of the
					virtual interactions as
					part of APS case work
					and will have refined
					policy based on success
					or failure of virtual
					interactions with clients.
Increase	\$431,209	ARPA 1	With CRRSAA funds,	Continue Direct Services	APS clients with complex
Access to		Project 9	MO APS formed a	Program developed under	needs will receive
Community	Project		partnership with the	CRRSAA.	support (resources,
Resources &	Coordinator	Direct Services for	network of AAAs in		goods, services,
Interventions		APS Clients	MO to help address	Hire a Project Coordinator for	programs, etc.) that APS
	Contract		resource gaps and	this program to oversee	previously would not
	with AAA's		access	operation, evaluate	have been able to
			hard/impossible-to-	effectiveness, and look at future	address due to lack
	Divided		find interventions for	expansion of the program.	
	between		APS clients. MO APS		

	Period 2 2022 & Period 1 2023 & includes funds for Project Coordinator		plans to further-fund this program with ARPA funds. This program will result in a decreased number of APS clients with unmet needs as their intervention needs will be met through the program. This resulting data will aid in evaluating the effectiveness of the project.		of/limited resources in a given area. Another potential longterm goal of this program will be to expand this program to include Information & Referral Reports typically addressed by APS staff.
Need for help to manage new projects from ARPA funding	\$60,000 Project Manager – Temp Staff or Contract Employee	ARPA 1 Project 10 Project Manager for Federally Funded Projects	MO APS needs additional staffing resources to oversee the numerous initiatives being pursued with federal funding opportunities. These important initiatives require staff effort to ensure proper implementation of the programs and to	Hire Project Manager to manage and oversee the projects being pursued with CRRSAA & ARPA funds.	Programs & projects pursued with federal funding will be implemented expeditiously so that MO APS clients can benefit from these programs. These initiatives will have ample oversight to ensure the effectiveness and proper-functioning of each program/project.

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			expedite the use of		
			these funds for the		
			benefit of vulnerable		
			Missourians.		
Increase	\$200,000	ARPA 2	Increased traffic to	Continue funding for staffing	As a result of outreach,
Public		Project 1	APS' website;	resources (via FTE or contract) in	public perception of APS
Outreach &	Outreach		Increased reports of	order to coordinate and oversee	will be improved. APS
Education	coordinator	Public Outreach &	abuse, neglect, &	public outreach projects.	will receive reports from
		Education	exploitation;		callers and online
	IT		distribute numerous	Continue to evaluate/reevaluate	reporters with more
	enhanceme	Pursue	outreach projects	initial outreach efforts for	thorough and
	nts	enhancements to	(advertisements via	effectiveness.	appropriate information.
		MO APS' public-	print, radio, TV, social		APS will have enhanced
		facing information	media, etc.)	Continue to formulate strategies	relationships with
		portals to allow		and implement media campaign	stakeholders due to a
		greater access by the	Increase the amount	components to increase	mutual understanding of
		public to Missouri's	of information	understanding of APS amongst	APS' role. Potential
		APS data.	shared on APS'	the public and stakeholders.	reporters and victims of
		Ai 5 data.	website.	Pursue procurement of	ANE will be more
			website.	additional outreach materials &	informed of how to
				promotional items.	
				promotional items.	access MO APS.
				Gather feedback from external	The MO APS' website will
				stakeholders regarding what	be more intuitive, have
				APS data & information is	easy to interpret data,
				pertinent/needed for public	and provide necessary
				consumption. Research what	information to
				data other states' APS programs	stakeholders and the
				share.	public in a user-friendly
					way. Access to data will
					enhance the public's

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				Pursue IT resources to increase	understanding of APS'
				data analysis and data	functions and the
				visualization.	pervasiveness of Adult
					Abuse, Neglect, &
					Exploitation in Missouri.
Enhance	\$550,000	ARPA 2	Provide multiple	Update or create new agenda	APS staff will have
Workforce/		Project 2	training	for statewide staff training	enhanced knowledge of
Staffing	Temporary		opportunities for	based on first year conference	training topics resulting
Resources-	Staff or	Staff Development	professional	results. Secure a meeting	in more informed action
Training	Contracted	Through Additional	development of APS	location and presenters.	on APS reports. These
	Employee	Training	staff. Solicit feedback	·	opportunities for
			from attendees.	MO APS will continue its training	professional growth and
		Statewide APS		curriculum (established with	networking should also
		Conference/ Training	Address workforce	ARPA Round 1 funds) to	lead to increased job
			issues such as	enhance and develop skills in	satisfaction and improved
		Additional Staffing	recruiting, retention,	key areas of APS work.	morale.
		Resources Focused	morale, etc. to		
		on Workforce Needs	decrease staff	MO APS will access national	With increased efforts
			turnover. Potential	conferences & trainings	and focus on recruiting
			results or outcomes	(including The National Adult	and maintaining a skilled
			include larger	Protective Services Association	and motivated
			applicant pools of	Conference) to provide	workforce, DSDS will
			qualified candidates	leadership and field staff with	have more skilled and
			for vacant APS	exposure to APS trends, issues,	satisfied staff providing
			positions and	topics, nationally recognized	improved person-
			increased/ increasing	trainings, and networking	centered and services to
			tenure of APS staff.	opportunities with APS	the citizens of Missouri.
			teriare of Al 3 stail.	professionals from other states.	As a result of hiring
				professionals from other states.	individuals more suited
				MO APS will continue to fund	to delivery of APS, clients
				staffing resources (via FTE or	will have enhanced
				contract) to focus on Staff	interactions with APS.
					miteractions with APS.
				Development & Workforce	

				Needs such as recruiting, employee retention, and other workforce issues. This staffing resource will utilize ARPA funds to increase APS' outreach efforts related to recruiting.	
Increase Access to Community Resources & Interventions by establishing a Virtual Method of Interacting with APS Clients	\$150,000	ARPA 2 Project 3 Ongoing support of TeleVisit Platform	Increase the number of follow-up visits by completing them virtually when appropriate. Decrease staff's time spent traveling to & from visits in the community. Minimize potential transmission of communicable diseases between staff and APS clients.	Evaluate effectiveness of program and re-develop or recontract as needed. Continue usage of a tele-visit platform amongst all APS staff for usage in specific case actions as defined by policy.	APS Specialists will conduct an increased number of follow-up visits ensuring better implementation of resources provided. MO APS will have increased visual interaction with APS clients in emergency situations when home visits cannot be conducted (i.e. severe weather events, pandemics). MO APS will have ample data to evaluate the effectiveness of the virtual interactions as part of APS case work and will have refined policy based on success or failure of virtual
					interactions with clients.



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Increase	\$831,718	ARPA 2	MO APS will continue	Continue Direct Services	APS clients with complex
Access to	based on	Project 4	its partnership with	Program developed under	needs will receive
Community	amount	_	the network of AAAs	CRRSAA.	support (resources,
Resources &	available	Direct Services for	in MO to help		goods, services,
Interventions		APS Clients	address resource	Continue to use a Project	programs, etc.) that APS
	Project		gaps and access hard	Coordinator for this program to	previously would not
	Coordinator		/impossible-to-find	oversee operation, evaluate	have been able to
			interventions for APS	effectiveness, and look at future	address due to lack
	Contract		clients. MO APS plans	expansion of the program.	of/limited resources in a
	with AAAs		to further-fund this		given area.
			program with ARPA		
			funds.		Another potential long-
					term goal of this program
			This program will		will be to expand this
			result in a decreased		program to include
			number of APS		Information & Referral
			clients with unmet		Reports typically
			needs as their		addressed by APS staff.
			intervention needs		,
			will be met through		
			the program. This		
			resulting data will aid		
			in evaluating the		
			effectiveness of the		
			project.		
Need for help	\$200,000	ARPA 2	MO APS needs	Continue to fund Project	Programs & projects
to manage	, ,	Project 5	additional staffing	Manager position to manage	pursued with federal
new projects	Project		resources to oversee	and oversee the projects being	funding will be
from ARPA	Manager –		the numerous	pursued with CRRSAA & ARPA	implemented quickly &
funding	Could be	Project Manager for	initiatives being	funds.	expeditiously so that MO
8	Internal FTE	Federally Funded	pursued with federal		APS clients can benefit
	or	Projects	funding		from these programs.
	contractor		opportunities. These		These initiatives will have
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			important initiatives require staff effort to ensure proper implementation of the programs and to expedite the use of these funds for the benefit of vulnerable Missourians.		ample oversight to ensure the effectiveness and proper-functioning of each program/project.
Increase Access to Community Resources & Interventions	\$250,000 Possible consultant or temp staff	ARPA 2 Project 6 Community Resource Liaison	Increase in available community resources to assist clients with intervention needs. Decrease in the number of unresolved intervention needs.	Complete an analysis of available intervention data as well as solicit feedback from stakeholders to identify areas of resources strength/ deficiency and areas of greatest need. Research nationally-identified approaches to addressing community resource gaps. Engage aging network partners and community leaders to develop supports for elders related to domestic violence, mental illness, depression, grief, healthy living, accessibility, congregate living, safety, and programs that reduce isolation and encourage safe community living.	Resources in areas of greatest need will be more readily available allowing for quicker and more appropriate implementation of interventions and more comprehensive wraparound services for victims of abuse, neglect, & exploitation.
Process Improvement s – Need	\$200,000	ARPA 2 Project 7	Additional funding will be needed to enhance the	MO APS will continue to identify deficiencies of its IT system and prioritize necessary system	Long-range goals for this project include improving the efficient collection of



system enhancement s to allow MO APS to continue to advance/impr ove policy and	External Partner - Roeing	IT System Enhancements	functionality of the system after is it implemented.	upgrades. As this system is being customized (pre-implementation) and implemented into practice, APS staff will identify additional functionality, needed interoperability with other systems, and other system fixes.	APS data, reducing duplicative efforts with other agencies, ensuring access to needed data for workload management and for public sharing. Improved availability of data will allow MO APS to
procedures				MO APS will work with its IT vendor to pursue high-priority enhancements to the system.	be better informed about the population served leading to more informed APS services for clients.
Enhance Workforce/ Staffing Resources- Technology Needs	\$400,000	ARPA 2 Project 8 Technology Upgrades IT equipment - Laptops	Pursue enhancements to MO APS' technology involved in APS data acquisition by upgrading laptops/tablets.	Evaluate APS' current technology capabilities. Consider options for more advanced & efficient technological solution for the acquisition of APS data (i.e. tablets for data entry while interacting with APS clients in the field). Pursue new computer equipment for all APS front-line staff that will help them complete data entry more quickly & efficiently.	Increased efficiency and functionality of MO APS staff's technology capabilities will result in the better acquisition of APS data for analysis and planning. More efficient data acquisition will result in an APS workforce more focused on client's needs/interventions and less focused on the demands of documentation
Process Improvement - Need to	\$250,000	ARPA 2 Project 9	Funds will need to be set aside to implement	With ARPA Round 1 funds, Missouri will conduct an evaluation of its APS program	improving interactions between APS staff and clients. MO APS will be able to implement multiple process improvements



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upgrade and		Process	suggestions made by	based on the National Voluntary	resulting in better
improve		Improvement-	this APS Program	Consensus Guidelines for State	outcomes for APS clients
Missouri's		Implement	Evaluation.	Adult Protective Services	and making the work
APS Program		Suggestions from APS		Systems provided by The	conducted by APS
to more		Program Evaluation		Administration for Community	Specialists more
nearly comply				Living. Simultaneous to or	streamlined and
to National				subsequent to receipt of the	consistent.
Voluntary				recommendations of this	
Consensus				evaluation, MO APS will	
Guidelines				prioritize potential projects and	
				pursue highest priorities	
				through use of ARPA 2 funds.	
Need	\$150,000	ARPA 2	Develop numerous	Develop a comprehensive	This project will result in
Standardized	,	Project 10	processes and	Quality Assurance program for	improved services &
Quality	Consultant	•	components to	MO APS to include performance	outcomes to APS clients
Assurance		Development of	contribute to an	evaluation and data analysis of	and improved
Program to	Contract- IT	Quality Assurance	overall Quality	all functions of MO APS.	consistency in the
Obtain/Utilize	Vendor	Program	Assurance Program.		delivery of APS services
Data to			7 100011 011100 1 1 0 81 011111	Formulate protocols for QA data	across the state of
Inform Policy,				and lessons learned to interact	Missouri.
Training, etc.				with, inform, and improve APS	
to Improve				policies/protocols, training, and	
APS Practice				workload/workforce	
Arstractice				management.	
				management.	
				Engage with APS case	
				management IT vendor to	
				pursue addition of QA database.	
Increase	\$50,000	ARPA 2	Policies, practices,	Complete an evaluation of APS	The changes generated
Access to	750,000	Project 11	forms, public	processes, forms, pamphlets,	from this project with
Community		1 TOJECT II	information portals	public information portals, etc.	serve to make MO APS
Resources &			will be updated to	to ensure accessibility to all	
			•	1	more public-friendly and
Interventions			ensure cultural and	potential APS clients and those	easily-accessible to all



		Increase Cultural and	linguistic	that MO APS comes into contact	Missourians regardless of
		Linguistic	accessibility.	with. Implement needed	cultural background or
		Appropriateness		changes.	social group.
Enhance	\$50,000	ARPA 2	Provide Safety	Evaluate the effectiveness of	Worker safety provides a
Workforce/		Project 12	training to APS staff	training & equipment pursued	protected workforce
Staffing				with ARPA Round 1 funds.	reducing absence and
Resources to		Enhance APS Worker	Provide proper and	Continue to identify and pursue	turnover and ultimately
ensure		Safety through	adequate safety	safety-related trainings and	better protecting and
worker safety		training & safety	equipment to APS	resources to better prepare and	serving APS clients with a
		equipment	workers	equip APS staff for the	fully staffed workforce.
				dangerous situations they	
				encounter.	



Budget / Spending Plan for ARPA funds – Semi-annually for 3 to 5 years

Budget/Spending Plan will be used to enhance, improve, and expand the ability of APS workers to investigate allegations of abuse, neglect, and exploitation. Be sure to use separate line items for each major improvement project.

Operational Plan Submission due by January 31, 2022.

ARPA 1- First Grant Allocation - August 2021 - September 2023

	Description	2022 Period 1	2022 Period 2	2023 Period 1	2023 Period 2	Total
Project 1	MDT Coordination	Funds not approved by Legislature until 2/1/2022	\$100,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$200,000
Project 2	APS Program Evaluation	See above	\$100,000	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$250,000
Project 3	Enhance APS Worker Safety	See above	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$45,000
Project 4	Public Outreach & Education	See above	\$60,500	\$60,500	\$0	\$121,000
Project 5	Fraud/Scams (HelpVul)	See above	\$12,446	\$12,446	\$12,448	\$37,340
Project 6	Staff Development & Workforce Needs	See above	\$100,000	\$75,000	\$ 75000	\$250,000
Project 7	IT System Enhancements	See above	\$33,000	\$33,000	\$34,000	\$100,000
Project 8	TeleVisit Platform	See above	\$37,500	\$37,500	\$0	\$75,000
Project 9	Direct Services for APS Clients	See above	\$215,604.50	\$215,604.50	\$0	\$431,209
Project 10	Project Manager for Federally Funded Projects	See above	\$60,000	\$0	\$0	\$60,000
Total	1 Tojects	\$0	\$734,050.50	\$574,050.50	\$261,448.00	\$1,569,549

ARPA 2- Second Grant Allocation - August 2022 September 2024

		2023	2023	2024	2024	
	Description	Period 1	Period 2	Period 1	Period 2	Total
Project 1	Public Outreach & Education	\$0	\$66,666	\$66,666	\$66,668	\$200,000
Project 2	Staff Development & Workforce Needs	\$91,666	\$91,666	\$183,334	\$183,334	\$550,000
Project 3	TeleVisit Platform	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$150,000
Project 4	Direct Services for APS Clients	\$0	\$277,239	\$277,239	\$277,240	\$831,718
	Project Manager for Federally Funded					
Project 5	Projects	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$200,000
Project 6	Community Resource Liaison	\$62,500	\$62,500	\$62,500	\$62,500	\$250,000
Project 7	IT System Enhancements	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$200,000
Project 8	Technology Upgrades	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$400,000
Project 9	Process Improvement	\$62,500	\$62,500	\$62,500	\$62,500	\$250,000
Project 10	Quality Assurance Program	\$37,500	\$37,500	\$37,500	\$37,500	\$150,000
	Increase Cultural and Linguistic					
Project 11	Appropriateness	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$50,000
Project 12	Enhance APS Worker Safety	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$50,000
Total		\$479,166	\$873,071	\$964,739	\$964,742	\$3,281,718

Summary of ARPA 1 + ARPA 2 Expense

	2022 Period 1	2022 Period 2	2023 Period 1	2023 Period 2	2024 Period 1	2024 Period 2	Total
Summary	<i>\$0</i>	\$734,050.50	\$1,053,216.50	\$1,134,519	\$964,739	\$964,742	\$ 4,851,267