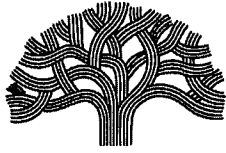


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## AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** JOHN A. FLORES  
INTERIM CITY ADMINISTRATOR

**FROM:** Sara Bedford

**SUBJECT:** FY 2015-2016 OFCY Grant Renewals

**DATE:** May 11, 2015

City Administrator  
Approval

Date

**COUNCIL DISTRICT:** City-Wide

### RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt:

**A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator To Renew The Oakland Fund For Children And Youth Grant Agreements Between The City Of Oakland And Various Public And Non-Profit Agencies To Provide Direct Services For Children And Youth For Fiscal Year 2015-2016 In An Amount Not To Exceed \$11,089,081**

### OUTCOME

Adoption of the resolution will authorize the execution of grant agreements for 127 Oakland Fund for Children and Youth (OFCY) grant programs and allow approximately 22,000 Oakland children and youth to receive direct services for a period of 12 months starting July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016.

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The OFCY Planning and Oversight Committee (POC) recommends 127 program grants to implement year three of the OFCY Fiscal Year (FY) 2013-16 Strategic Investment Plan. *Attachment A* provides a complete list of agencies and grant amounts for the 127 programs. The majority of grants were selected after a competitive review process and first approved by the City Council in June 2013 and are renewable for the third and final year. Grants for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer (LGBTQ) youth services were selected after a competitive review process and approved by the City Council in June 2014 and are renewable for their second and final year.

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The 127 programs are recommended for funding through the Kids First! Children's Fund in the amount of \$11,089,081 for FY 2015-2016. The POC reviewed the grant programs according to the standards established in the POC's grant renewal policy, included as *Attachment B*, and based on FY 2013-2014 evaluation findings and the FY 2014-2015 interim evaluation findings. The interim FY 2014-2015 evaluation reports are provided as *Attachment C*. *Attachment D* is the OFCY history of the number of grants for FY 2013-2016.

The POC's recommendation incorporated the following significant changes for FY 2015-2016:

- 1) The Youth UpRising (YU) – YU Excel program is not renewed based on unsatisfactory grant performance in years one and two of funding.
- 2) AIDS Project of the East Bay (APEB) - Save Our LGBTQI Youth (SOL) program will be reduced in year three from \$150,000 to \$90,000, based on the agency's removal of the Sexual Minority Alliance of Alameda County (SMAAC) as subcontractor and the program's revised scope of work.
- 3) Bay Area Community Resources (BACR) transfers the grant of \$67,000 to Girls Inc. for the afterschool program at Horace Mann Elementary in agreement with school site leadership and the Oakland Unified School District Afterschool Program Office.

#### **BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**

Oakland voters passed Measure D in July 2009, and continued the Kids First! set aside of general purpose funds administered through the OFCY for a second 12-year life cycle. The OFCY grants process is overseen by a 17-member POC appointed by City Council and the Mayor and composed of eight youth and nine adult members.

OFCY's three-year Strategic Investment Plan (FY 2013-2016), approved by City Council in December 2012, defines funding strategies and prioritizes funding in the areas of Healthy Development of Young Children (Early Childhood, ages 0-5); Student Success in School (school-based programming for children and youth ages 5-18); Youth Leadership and Community Safety (community based programming for youth ages 5-20); and Transitions to Adulthood (Older Youth, ages 14-20). In February 2014, the City Council approved OFCY's modification of the FY 2013-2016 Strategic Investment Plan to add a new funding strategy supporting Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth (ages 14-20).

After the release of OFCY's Request for Proposals (RFP) in December 2012, the POC recommended and the City Council approved, in June and July of 2013, three-year grant awards for 126 of the 248 programs that applied to serve children throughout Oakland for the three-year grant cycle. After the release of OFCY's RFP in February 2014 for LGBTQ youth services, the POC approved grant awards for three out of the ten programs that applied to serve LGBTQ youth in Oakland.

**Grant Renewal Policy**

OFCY operates a three-year funding cycle, with grants approved for year one, but renewable with Council approval in years two and three. The POC adopted a grant renewal policy that establishes objective criteria for analyzing and approving grant renewals for continued funding with specific criteria and benchmarks for grantee program performance, program quality, and grant management (*Attachment B*).

The POC’s policy required the review of all programs below thresholds for participation, service delivery, or quality, to determine the recommendation for renewal of funding or a conditional renewal in years two and three. Through a review of programs based on data in the FY 2013-2014 year-end evaluation and FY 2014-2015 mid-year evaluation reports across the benchmarks established by the POC, OFCY staff and evaluators flagged programs that were below minimally satisfactory performance for participation, service hours or program quality. These programs were reviewed more extensively for necessary scope of work changes and budget modifications prior to recommendations for renewal for the third and final year of grant funding. Additionally, updated FY 2014-2015 third quarter data was used to validate progress in meeting performance targets.

**ANALYSIS**

***OFCY Goals and Strategic Priorities***

The strategic priorities address the four goals outlined in Measure D: 1) Support the healthy development of young children, 2) Help children and youth succeed in school and graduate high school, 3) Prevent violence and reduce youth involvement in crime and gangs, and 4) Help youth transition to productive adulthood. A total of 127 programs are recommended for funding for FY 2015-2016 and are expected to serve over 22,000 children and youth. Table 1 below shows the recommended amounts for each OFCY funding strategy.

**Table 1: Programs and Funding by Funding Strategy Area**

Strategy Area	# of Programs	OFCY Award Amount FY 14-15
Early Childhood Mental Health & Developmental Consultations	3	\$687,700
Early Childhood Parent & Child Engagement in Early Learning	8	\$898,588
Summer Pre-K Camp	1	\$80,000
School-Based After School Programs	62	\$4,355,000
Transitions Programs into Middle & High School	4	\$476,100
Youth Leadership in Community Schools	3	\$461,670
Community Based Out-of-School Time	11	\$868,701
Summer Programs	10	\$770,450
Youth Leadership and Community Safety	6	\$529,990
Youth Career & Workforce Development	10	\$1,001,412
Academic Support for Older Youth	4	\$485,595
LGBTQ Youth Services Strategy	5	\$473,875
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>\$11,089,081</b>

## Summary of Grant Renewal Review

In the mid-year review of the 128 grant programs funded in 2014-2015, all programs met the evaluation threshold for program quality. Fifteen programs were below thresholds for either youth participation or service delivery hours. OFCY staff has met with staff from the programs to review issues with current year performance and discuss potential modifications to budget and scope of work in FY 2014-2015 to ensure adequate service delivery. After consultations with the programs and review of third-quarter performance, 13 of the 15 programs are on track for satisfactory performance or have made modifications to budget and scope of work to ensure adequate service delivery. Youth UpRising's YU Excel program is not recommended for continued funding in year three. The APEB - SOL program will be reduced in year three from \$150,000 to \$90,000, based on the agency's request to modify the program scope of work and remove Sexual Minority Alliance Alameda County (SMAAC) as subcontractor. The savings from these reduced grant expenditures will be made available for Kids First! grant-making in future years, beginning in fiscal year 2016-2017.

**Youth Uprising** –YU Excel program is not recommended due to unsatisfactory program performance in year one and two due to low hours of service, low number of youth fully benefitting from program and service levels below the threshold based on third quarter for program. YU Excel was originally funded the amount of \$75,000 based on a \$145,000 request to serve 30 youth. However the agency negotiated with OFCY to reduce the number of youth to be served down to eight youth, who were to benefit from a full one-year, four-phased program (Personal & Academic Development - two months, Work & Learning - six months, Post Work Experience, Follow Up – three to six months) funded by OFCY. The grantee attributes mid-year under enrollment in years one and two to OFCY age restrictions. The policy of enrolling Oakland Workforce Investment Board and Oakland Unite slots first has also contributed to under enrollment in OFCY slots. The agency anticipates reaching service projections by year-end; however, youth enrolled after the mid-year point do not fully benefit from the one-year, four-phased program. At mid-year FY 2014-2015 review, the program had enrolled five youth, who had received an extremely low 141 combined hours of program service. By completion of the third quarter (July 1, 2014 – March 30, 2015), the program had nine youth enrolled, who had cumulatively received 420 hours of service, and remained slightly below the threshold of 80% service levels.

**AIDS Project of the East Bay** – SOL program was a partnership between APEB and SMAAC Youth Center to support the provision of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersexed (LGBTQI) youth drop-in-center services in three locations: West Oakland, East Oakland, and downtown Oakland. This program has underperformed in years one and two and faces multiple challenges with subcontractor, SMAAC Youth Center. The lead agency proposes to terminate the existing subcontractor due to lack of performance and cooperation by the subcontractor. Issues include subcontractor denying lead agency access to conduct fiscal and program audits, lack of record integrity for attendance and evaluation purposes. The evaluator questioned the integrity of the youth program surveys and excluded and the individual program findings from the report on aggregate OFCY outcomes. APEB will continue services and expand

collaborative work in Oakland high schools as outlined in their new proposed scope of work. APEB has recently hired a permanent Executive Director after having an interim Executive Director for one year.

**Table 2: Program Summary by Funding Strategy Area**

<b>Healthy Development of Young Children</b>			
<b>Strategy with program description</b>		<b>Key Outcomes</b>	
<i>Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education</i> programs provide classroom consultation and/ or individual or child-centered mental health consultation services in early care and education programs.		Parents and educators rated Mental Health Consultants very highly. Almost all surveyed parents reported learning about child development (98%) and gaining confidence in talking with their child's teacher (98%).	
<b># of Programs</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>\$687,700</b>
		<b>Children Served (13-14): 3,305</b>	
<i>Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development</i> programs provide playgroup learning environments and interactions for very young children with group learning opportunities for new parents, and connections to resources to support the healthy development of their children.		Parent surveys show high satisfaction with programs, with 100% of respondents agreeing that program staff/ educators seemed knowledgeable about children's needs, and 98% agreeing that the program taught them about how to help their child be ready for school.	
<b># of Programs</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>\$898,588</b>
		<b>Children Served (13-14): 935</b>	
<i>Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp</i> supports a summer camp experience for children who have never experienced preschool, to provide orientation and structured learning experience prior to first entry to Kindergarten.		The program strategy provides young children with quality pre-school experience so they enter kindergarten ready to learn.	
<b># of Programs</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>\$80,000</b>
		<b>Children Served (14-15): 25</b>	
<b>Student Success in School</b>			
<b>Strategy with program description</b>		<b>Key Outcomes</b>	
<i>School-based After School</i> programs provide comprehensive afterschool services at elementary and middle schools in Oakland receiving State After School Education and Safety (ASES) funding and with high rates of free and reduced lunch.		Programs will provide free or low-cost quality afterschool services to over 10,000 students at 47 elementary and 15 middle schools in Oakland. Last year, 97% of parents report that because of their afterschool program, they see their child grow in new areas.	
<b># of Programs</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>\$4,355,000</b>
		<b>Children Served (13-14): 10,316</b>	
<i>Transition programs for youth into middle and high school</i> help students successfully transition from elementary school and integrate into middle school and transition from middle school to high school successfully.		79% of youth surveyed reported they are more comfortable with their new school as a result of their Transitions program. 76% reported that their program helped them know their way around campus better.	
<b># of Programs</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>\$476,100</b>
		<b>Children Served (13-14): 4,036</b>	
<i>Youth Leadership in Community Schools</i> programs engage youth as peer leaders in schools to promote a range of positive behaviors and outcomes that support student success and promoting a positive school culture.		Almost all youth (97%) reported their program helped them feel more confident about graduating from high school. 79% reported they talked to their family about school more often since attending their program.	
<b># of Programs</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>\$461,670</b>
		<b>Children Served (13-14): 2,210</b>	

<b>Youth Leadership and Community Safety</b>		
<b>Strategy with program description</b>	<b>Key Outcomes</b>	
<i>Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs</i> provides safe spaces and enriching activities for children and teens, through provision of enrichment, arts, fitness, community service, academic support, and peer support activities during after school, evening and weekend hours.	An average of 85% of children and youth served by the 11 programs in this strategy report avoiding risky behavior because of their program attendance.	
<b># of Programs</b> 11	<b>Funding</b> \$868,701	<b>Youth Served (13-14):</b> 2,553
<i>Summer Programs</i> provide children and youth a broad range of enriching activities in community- and school-based summer programming, providing safe and supportive environments and positive youth development programming.	Nearly all participants (96%) reported a strong sense of physical and emotional safety in their program, and report high levels of support from adults through their program.	
<b># of Programs</b> 10	<b>Funding</b> \$770,450	<b>Youth Served (13-14):</b> 1,548
<i>Youth Leadership Programs</i> work with youth as leaders to engage their peers, families, and the broader neighborhood in community safety, revitalization, and improvement efforts.	93% of participants reported that because of their program, they are better at taking care of problems without violence or fighting.	
<b># of Programs</b> 6	<b>Funding</b> \$529,990	<b>Youth Served (13-14):</b> 753
<b>Transition to Adulthood</b>		
<b>Strategy with program description</b>	<b>Key Outcomes</b>	
<i>Youth Career and Workforce Development</i> programs build participants' employment experience and connections to employers, and broaden their awareness of career options and opportunities.	561 youth participating in internships through programs last year. Youth worked 58,211 total hours, with 85% earning money through their subsidized placement.	
<b># of Programs</b> 10	<b>Funding</b> \$1,001,412	<b>Youth Served (13-14):</b> 1070
<i>Academic Support for Older Youth</i> programs provide academic support for youth disconnected from or at-risk of disconnecting from high school and post-secondary education last year.	90% of youth learned good study skills in the program. And 84% of participants report improved academic behaviors.	
<b># of Programs</b> 4	<b>Funding</b> \$485,595	<b>Youth Served (13-14):</b> 884
<i>Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth</i> funding strategy was approved by City Council in February 2014 to support safe, transit-accessible community spaces; positive youth development activities; access to a network of services, support, and referrals for LGBTQ youth and their families; and programs that build strong and secure peer relations.	Five programs provide services to LGBTQ youth throughout Oakland, with programs employing qualified and culturally competent staff.	
<b># of Programs</b> 5	<b>Funding</b> \$473,875	<b>Youth Served (13-14):</b> 0 <b>(14-15):</b> Is the First Year

**POLICY ALTERNATIVES**

<b><i>Alternative #1</i></b>	The Kids First! Oakland Children’s Fund (Article XIII. of the Oakland City Charter) tasks the POC with submitting funding recommendations to the Oakland City Council for adoption, which can be approved or rejected in their entirety. The policy alternative before Council would be to reject the POC funding recommendation.
<b><i>Pros</i></b>	None.
<b><i>Cons</i></b>	Rejection of the funding recommendation would result in a loss of 127 program grants serving over 22,000 children and youth annually.
<b><i>Reason for not recommending</i></b>	The funding recommendations from the POC directly address the priorities in the OFCY FY 2013-2016 Strategic Investment Plan. Rejecting the funding recommendation would result in the loss of programming to over 22,000 Oakland children and youth next year.

**PUBLIC OUTREACH/INTEREST**

This item was discussed and approved by the OFCY POC on April 1, 2015. The public meeting was held at 6:00pm in Oakland City Hall Hearing Room #4.

**COORDINATION**

The Office of the City Attorney and the Controller’s Bureau have been consulted in the preparation of this report and resolution. The OFCY POC submits the award recommendations herein presented to Council.

**COST SUMMARY/IMPLICATIONS**

The total cost for the recommended 127 grants is \$11,089,081. Funding is available in the amount of \$11,728,069 in the FY 2015-2016 Kids First the Children’s Fund (1780) Youth Services Organization (78251), OFCY FY 2015-2016 Contract (P458130). All grantee organizations and amounts are listed in *Attachment A*. OFCY grants for direct services to children and youth include personnel costs, youth stipends, program materials, and other direct costs, and indirect costs based on OFCY approved overhead rates.

Administrative costs associated with these grants include personnel costs, operating support to the POC, evaluation contract costs, and City overhead charges.

**FISCAL/POLICY ALIGNMENT**

Oakland Municipal Charter Article XIII establishes that Kids First revenues are to be received and appropriated each year and requires the set aside of 3% of the unrestricted general fund revenues annually to the Kids First Children’s Fund, “together with any interest earned and any amounts unspent or uncommitted by the Fund at the end of any fiscal year”. Additionally, 90%

of that revenue is to be used for grants for direct services awarded through an open and fair application process based on the three-year strategic investment plan.

The POC has submitted recommendations for the grant renewals in accord with OFCY FY 2013-2016 Strategic Investment Plan. OFCY grant funds support strategies in alignment with City policy supporting positive outcomes for children and youth, most notably Oakland's Measure Z for violence prevention and reduction, the Oakland Workforce Investment Board for youth employment, and the Oakland Unified School District's Pathway to Excellence 2015-2020 Strategic Plan regarding quality community schools.

### **PAST PERFORMANCE, EVALUATION AND FOLLOW-UP**

The external evaluation of programs and assessment of mid-year performance is essential to the grant renewal recommendations. The POC has considered each program's evaluation in FY 2014-2015 as well as the final program evaluation findings for FY 2013-2014 provided to the City Council in May 2015. The interim evaluation reports for FY 2014-2015 are included as *Attachment C*.

OFCY engages programs throughout the year in a Continuous Improvement Process, designed to build agency capacity for positive youth development through action planning based on external evaluation findings. During the current program year, all programs (except early childhood) have been provided training and support for developing action plans with targeted outcomes, timelines, and listing staff responsible and their roles. Action plans are aligned to the Youth Program Quality Assessment framework utilized by OFCY evaluators Public Profit Inc. and Social Policy Research Associates to establish OFCY program quality through independent site visit observations. Predominately, the action plans reflect areas highlighted in the mid-year evaluation reports for increased support around the higher quality youth development areas in engagement and interaction.

### **SUSTAINABLE OPPORTUNITIES**

*Economic:* Funding for 2015-2016 will support 58 agencies operating 127 programs. These agencies are predominately Oakland-based and employ local staff, providing a positive economic impact. In addition, OFCY funds are used to leverage and match additional local, State, Federal and foundation funding sources, bringing significant additional financial support for children and youth into Oakland.

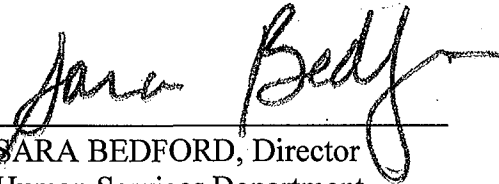
*Environmental:* There are no environmental opportunities through this funding.

*Social Equity:* OFCY funding prioritizes services that reach youth with the greatest need. Programs provide youth leadership opportunities through community engagement, provide additional recreational and social activities for youth, and are focused on serving residents of disadvantaged areas.



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**ATTACHMENTS:**

Attachment A: OFCY List of Agencies and Funding Levels for FY 2015-2016

Attachment B: OFCY Grant Renewal Policy

Attachment C: OFCY Grantee Interim Evaluation Reports FY 2014-2015

Attachment D: OFCY History of the Number of Grants for FY 2013-2016

# **ATTACHMENT**

# **A**

**OFCY List of  
Agencies &**

**Funding Level**

**FY 2015-2016**

OFCY 2015-2016 Grant Renewal Funding Recommendations

Grant ID#	Agency Name	Project Title	FY2015-2016 Funding
<b>Strategy #1: Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education</b>			
1	Family Paths, Inc.	The Oakland Early Childhood Mental Health Collaborative	\$243,310
2	Jewish Family & Children's Services of the East Bay	Integrated Early Childhood Consultation Program	\$321,875
3	Lincoln Child Center	Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation	\$122,515
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$687,700</b>
<b>Strategy #2: Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development</b>			
4	Children's Hospital & Research Center Oakland	Integrated Developmental Playgroups Program	\$160,000
5	City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Sandboxes to Community Empowerment	\$180,000
6	East Bay Agency for Children	Parent Child Education and Support Program (PCESP)	\$91,059
7	Lotus Bloom	Multicultural Playgroups	\$124,436
8	Oakland Parents Together	Listening to Children Parent Cafes	\$49,998
9	Our Family Coalition	Building Strong Children in LGBTQ Families	\$48,187
10	Safe Passages	Safe Passages Baby Learning Communities Collaborative	\$200,000
11	Through the Looking Glass	Chatterbox	\$44,908
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$898,588</b>
<b>Strategy #3: Summer Pre-Kindergarten Camps</b>			
12	Oakland Unified School District	OUSD Summer Pre-K	\$80,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$80,000</b>
<b>Strategy #4: School-Based After School Programming for Elementary &amp; Middle School</b>			
13	Bay Area Community Resources	Alliance Academy	\$82,000
14	Bay Area Community Resources	Bridges Academy	\$67,000
15	Bay Area Community Resources	Claremont After School Program	\$82,000
16	Bay Area Community Resources	Elmhurst Community Prep	\$82,000
17	Bay Area Community Resources	Emerson Elementary	\$67,000
18	Bay Area Community Resources	Esperanza Elementary	\$67,000
19	Bay Area Community Resources	Fred T. Korematsu Discovery Academy	\$67,000
20	Bay Area Community Resources	Global Family	\$67,000
21	Bay Area Community Resources	Grass Valley Elementary	\$67,000
22	Bay Area Community Resources	Greenleaf Elementary	\$67,000
23	Bay Area Community Resources	Hoover Elementary	\$67,000
24	Bay Area Community Resources	Howard Elementary	\$67,000
25	Bay Area Community Resources	Lafayette Elementary	\$67,000
26	Bay Area Community Resources	Madison Middle	\$82,000
27	Bay Area Community Resources	Markham Elementary	\$67,000
28	Bay Area Community Resources	Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary	\$67,000
29	Bay Area Community Resources	Melrose's Community Bridges Program	\$82,000
30	Bay Area Community Resources	Preparatory Literary Academy Of Cultural Excellence	\$67,000
31	Bay Area Community Resources	Reach Academy	\$67,000
32	Bay Area Community Resources	Sankofa Academy	\$67,000
33	Bay Area Community Resources	Urban Promise Academy	\$82,000
34	Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.	Parker Elementary	\$67,000
35	Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.	Westlake Middle	\$82,000
36	East Bay Agency for Children	East Oakland Pride Elementary	\$67,000
37	East Bay Agency for Children	World Academy	\$67,000
38	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Bella Vista Elementary	\$67,000
39	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Cleveland Elementary	\$67,000
40	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Franklin Elementary	\$67,000
41	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Garfield Elementary	\$67,000
42	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	La Escuelita Elementary	\$67,000
43	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Lincoln Elementary	\$67,000
44	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Manzanita Community	\$67,000
45	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Roosevelt Middle	\$82,000
46	East Oakland Youth Development Center	Futures Elementary	\$67,000
47	East Oakland Youth Development Center	Roots International Academy	\$82,000
48	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Acorn Woodland Elementary	\$67,000
49	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Horace Mann Elementary	\$67,000

OFCY 2015-2016 Grant Renewal Funding Recommendations

Grant ID#	Agency Name	Project Title	FY2015-2016 Funding
50	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Allendale Elementary	\$67,000
51	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Brookfield Elementary	\$49,000
52	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Madison Park Academy TK-5	\$67,000
53	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	New Highland Academy	\$67,000
54	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Rise Community***	\$67,000
55	Lighthouse Community Charter School	Lighthouse Community Charter	\$82,000
56	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Ascend	\$82,000
57	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Bret Harte Middle	\$82,000
58	Oakland Leaf Foundation	EnCompass Academy	\$67,000
59	Oakland Leaf Foundation	International Community	\$67,000
60	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Learning Without Limits	\$67,000
61	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Think College Now	\$67,000
62	Safe Passages	Coliseum College Prep Academy	\$82,000
63	Safe Passages	Community United Elementary	\$67,000
64	Safe Passages	Edna Brewer Middle	\$82,000
65	Safe Passages	Frick Middle	\$82,000
66	Safe Passages	United For Success Academy	\$82,000
67	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Carl B. Munck Elementary	\$67,000
68	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Fruitvale Elementary	\$67,000
69	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Laurel Elementary	\$67,000
70	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Manzanita Seed	\$67,000
71	Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation	Lazear Charter Academy	\$49,000
72	Ujimaa Foundation	Burckhalter Elementary	\$67,000
73	YMCA of the East Bay	Piedmont Avenue Elementary	\$49,000
74	YMCA of the East Bay	West Oakland Middle	\$82,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$4,355,000</b>

**Strategy #5: Transition Programs for Youth into Middle and High School**

75	Alternatives in Action	Fremont Initiative for Reaching Success Together (FIRST) Transitions Program	\$65,000
76	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Break The Cycle	\$133,200
77	Oakland Kids First	PASS-2	\$124,999
78	Safe Passages	Safe Passages Transitions Program	\$152,901
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$476,100</b>

**Strategy #6: Youth Leadership in Community Schools**

79	Alternatives in Action	Youth Development Leadership Program at McClymonds & Life Academy	\$162,000
80	Oakland Unified School District	OUSD Peer Restorative Justice Program	\$149,670
81	Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation	LIBRE United	\$150,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$461,670</b>

**Strategy #7: Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs**

82	American Indian Child Resource Center	Culture Keepers	\$73,728
83	Bay Area Outreach & Recreation Program	Sports & Recreation for Youth with Disabilities	\$43,200
84	City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Oakland Discovery Centers	\$150,000
85	Community initiatives	Media After School (MAS)	\$50,000
86	Dimensions Dance Theater, Inc.	Rites of Passage	\$50,000
87	East Bay Asian Local Development Corporation	Lion's Pride Afterschool and Summer Youth Program	\$67,500
88	East Oakland Boxing Association	SmartMoves Education & Enrichment Program	\$91,720
89	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Girls in Oakland Achieve and Lead	\$97,673
90	Native American Health Center, Inc.	Indigenous Voices II	\$127,500
91	Refugee Transitions	Newcomer Community Engagement Program	\$67,489
92	San Francisco Study Center	Brothers, UNITE!	\$49,891
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$868,701</b>

OFCY 2015-2016 Grant Renewal Funding Recommendations

Grant ID#	Agency Name	Project Title	FY2015-2016 Funding
<b>Strategy #8: Summer Programs</b>			
93	Aim High	Aim High/Oakland	\$150,000
94	City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Summer Camp Explosion	\$100,000
95	College Track	Academic Summer Advancement Program	\$35,000
96	Destiny Arts Center	Camp Destiny	\$32,525
97	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Summer Matters	\$99,407
98	East Oakland Youth Development Center	Summer Cultural Enrichment Program	\$60,950
99	Family Support Services of the Bay Area	Kinship Summer Youth Program	\$80,000
100	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Concordia Park Summer Program	\$57,568
101	Lincoln Child Center	Oakland Freedom Schools	\$125,000
102	Prescott Circus Theatre	Prescott Circus Theatre Summer Program	\$30,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$770,450</b>
<b>Strategy #9: Youth Leadership and Community Safety</b>			
103	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	API Youth Promoting Advocacy and Leadership	\$125,000
104	Human Services Department	Friday Night in the Park Program Support	\$70,000
105	La Clinica de La Raza	Youth Brigade	\$119,990
106	Peace Development Fund	BAY-Peace: Better Alternatives for Youth	\$50,000
107	Project Re-Connect	Project Re-Connect	\$50,000
108	Safe Passages	Get Active Urban Arts Program	\$115,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$529,990</b>
<b>Strategy #10: Youth Career and Workforce Development</b>			
109	Alameda Health System	Model Neighborhood Collaborative	\$200,000
110	Alta Bates Summit Foundation	Youth Bridge Career and Workforce Development Program	\$73,568
111	Beyond Emancipation	Gaining Resources and Opportunities for Work (GROW): a Culinary Training Program	\$75,000
112	Center for Media Change	Hack the Hood Summer Bootcamp	\$50,000
113	East Side Arts Alliance	ArtWorks at ESAA	\$82,500
114	Juma Ventures	Pathways to Advancement	\$100,000
115	OUSD College & Career Readiness Office	Exploring College & Career Options in Oakland (ECCO!)	\$70,000
116	The Unity Council	Oakland Youth Engaged (OYE)	\$100,000
117	The Youth Employment Partnership, Inc	Career Try-Out	\$150,000
118	Youth Radio	Pathways to Digital	\$100,344
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$1,001,412</b>
<b>Strategy #11: Academic Support for Older Youth</b>			
119	Centro Legal de la Raza	Youth Law Academy	\$125,000
120	College Track	College Track After School Program	\$128,880
121	Youth Radio	Pathways to Higher Education	\$81,720
122	Youth Together, Inc.	Youth Together's Academic Support For Older Youth	\$149,995
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$485,595</b>
<b>Strategy #12: Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth</b>			
123	AIDS Project of the East Bay	Save Our LGBTI-Youth (SOL)	\$90,000
124	Destiny Arts Center	Moving in the Movement	\$53,988
125	Health Initiatives for Youth (HIFY)	HIFY's LGBTQIQ Youth Safe Space Initiative	\$138,258
126	La Clinica de la Raza	Juntos	\$45,129
127	Youth UpRising	YU Queer & Allies Initiative	\$146,500
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$473,875</b>
<b>TOTAL:</b>			<b>\$11,089,081</b>

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**OFCY Grant**

**Renewal**

**Policy**

## OFCY Grant Renewal Policy – FY2013-2016

The Planning and Oversight Committee (POC) will recommend programs that meet the minimum requirements for satisfactory performance for grant renewal after the mid-year review of performance and program quality.

Programs will be reviewed by OFCY staff and the POC after the mid-year data reporting and program quality observations are completed, to determine if programs achieve the minimum requirements for satisfactory performance.

Programs that do not meet the standards for minimum satisfactory performance at the mid-year review are subject to a recommendation for de-funding for the FY2015-16 program year, after a review to determine if renewal or de-funding is warranted.

Both the current and the past year's performance of the program will be considered in the review. Programs may not be recommended for renewal based on persistent findings. Programs may be required to develop and implement a Performance Improvement or Corrective Action Plan, or make revisions to the program budget and/or scope of work prior to recommendation for a conditional renewal. Programs flagged for unsatisfactory performance at the mid-year review will be monitored to ensure improvements in programming, with progress benchmarked to third quarter performance.

After the review of third quarter performance, OFCY will recommend grant renewal or discontinuation of the grant for consideration by the Planning and Oversight Committee. The grantee will have the opportunity to provide comments to the POC in a public meeting. The POC will make a final recommendation to the City Council concerning grant renewals.

## Standards for Minimum Satisfactory Performance - FY2014-2015 Grant Year

### Mid-Year Performance (end of Q2)

#### *Units of Service (UOS)*

By mid-year (at the completion of the Quarter 2 reporting deadline), grantees shall have achieved **at least 80%** of their projected Units of Service through mid-year.

**\* Summer Programs** – by end of summer (Quarter 1 reporting deadline), grantees shall have achieved **at least 80%** of their projected Units of Service.

#### *Enrollment*

By mid-year (at the completion of the Quarter 2 reporting deadline), grantees shall have enrolled **at least 35%** of the unduplicated clients projected to be served annually.

**\* Summer Programs** – by end of summer (Quarter 1 reporting deadline), grantees shall have achieved **at least 80%** of their projected enrollment of children/ youth.

#### *Program Quality*

Programs need to receive a ranking of "Performing" or "Thriving" to achieve the standard for satisfactory program quality. Programs that are found to be "Emerging" do not meet the minimum standard for program quality.

#### *Grant Compliance*

- \* Grant reports submitted by deadline
- \* Reporting data is accurate and complete
- \* Programs meet all contractual obligations

### Third Quarter (end of Q3) Performance

#### *Units of Service (UOS)*

By the end of the third quarter (at the completion of the Quarter 3 reporting deadline), grantees shall have achieved **at least 80%** of their projected Units of Service through three quarters.

#### *Enrollment*

By the end of the third quarter (at the completion of the Quarter 3 reporting deadline), grantees shall have enrolled **at least 70%** of the unduplicated clients projected to be served annually.

#### *Program Quality*

Programs need to receive a ranking of **“Performing”** or **“Thriving”** to achieve the standard for satisfactory program quality.

#### *Grant Compliance*

- \* Grant reports submitted by deadline
- \* Reporting data is accurate and complete
- \* Programs meet all contractual obligations

### Year-End (end of Q4) Performance – FY2014-2015 Grant Year

#### *Units of Service (UOS)*

By the end of the program year (at the completion of the Quarter 4 reporting deadline), grantees shall have achieved **at least 80%** of their projected Units of Service through the year.

#### *Enrollment*

By the end of the program year (at the completion of the Quarter 4 reporting deadline), grantees shall have enrolled **at least 80%** of the unduplicated clients projected to be served annually.

#### *Program Quality*

Programs need to receive a ranking of **“Performing”** or **“Thriving”** to achieve the standard for satisfactory program quality.

#### *Grant Compliance*

- \* Grant reports submitted by deadline
- \* Reporting data is accurate and complete
- \* Programs meet all contractual obligations



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# **C**

## **OFCY Grantee Interim Evaluation Reports**

**FY 2014-2015**



**Mid-Year Report**  
FY2014-2015

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## INTRODUCTION

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*EBAYC envisions all young people growing up to be lifelong builders of a just and compassionate multicultural society. Our mission is to support all youth be to be safe, smart, and socially responsible.*

- East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC website)

This Mid-Year Report provides an overview of youth programs funded by the Oakland Fund for Children and Youth (OFCY), with the exception of school-based afterschool programs. The report includes a description of the children, youth, and adults served by these programs during the first half of FY2014-2015, services provided, and program quality. The report covers a broad range of programs, from early childhood and parent education to youth workforce development and includes all OFCY funding strategies except school-based afterschool programs. In total, 66 programs are included in the Mid-Year Report, representing 52% of the programs funded by OFCY in FY2014-2015.<sup>1</sup>

### Data Sources

The Mid-Year Report draws on predominantly quantitative data sources, summarized in Exhibit 1. These data are used to describe OFCY programs and their participants, measure program quality, and assess programs' progress towards meeting service projections at the mid-point of FY2014-2015.

#### Exhibit 1: Data Sources

Data Source	Description
Cityspan	OFCY's client management system, Cityspan, is used to track youth and adult characteristics and hours and types of services received. Youth and adults enrolled in at least one program activity were included in the Mid-Year Report. During the first half of FY2014-2015, data were available for 12,352 children and youth and 1,448 adults that received program services. <sup>2</sup>
Program Quality Assessment (PQA) Observations	Certified site visitors conducted structured observations at 41 community-based programs (62%) using the Weikart Program Quality Assessment (PQA) tool. Program quality at the remaining programs (all Early Childhood strategies, Career and Youth Workforce Development, and Youth Leadership and Community Safety) will be assessed through interviews and in-depth site visits in Spring 2015. These programs were exempted from PQA observations this year because the evaluation is exploring alternative strategies for assessing program quality.

### Overview of the Report

The report is structured as follows:

- **Programs:** Provides an overview of OFCY community-based programs, including size, location, and progress towards projections.
- **Participants:** Summarizes characteristics and hours of service of OFCY program participants.
- **Quality:** Summarizes program quality drawing on structured site visits using the PQA tool.

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<sup>1</sup> During FY2014-2015, OFCY funded 128 programs, including 66 community- and school-based programs and 62 school-based, afterschool programs. A full list of the 66 programs included in this report, along with program-level information, is included in Appendix A.

<sup>2</sup> Youth who declined to participate in the evaluation component were not included in these totals. During the first half of FY2014-2015, 65 youth declined to participate and were excluded from the evaluation.

## PROGRAMS

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*We envision a world free from male violence, in which boys and men contribute to a fair and peaceful planet...We responsibly empower male youth to achieve individual success, develop healthy relationships, and contribute to a more just and equitable society.*

*- Brothers, UNITE!- Brothers on the Rise (website)*

For FY2014-2015, OFCY committed to investing \$11.4 million to support programs located throughout Oakland.<sup>3</sup> All programs aim to support Oakland's children and youth, from birth to 20 years of age, to become healthy, happy, educated, engaged, powerful, and loved community members. Programs vary considerably, however, along many dimensions, including their size, target population, and approaches to youth development. The 66 programs summarized in this report fall under four main areas, each comprising multiple funding strategies:

- **Healthy Development of Youth Children programs** include early interventions and supports for families and young children to set the stage for healthy development and future outcomes. Specific funding strategies in this area include: *Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Childhood Care* (3 programs), *Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development* (8 programs), and *Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp* (1 program).
- **Student Success in School programs** support the transformative goals of the community schools movement in Oakland and contribute to positive outcomes for children and youth. Specific funding strategies in this area include: *Transition Programs for Youth into Middle and High School* (4 programs) and *Youth Leadership in Community Schools* (3 programs).<sup>4</sup>
- **Youth Leadership and Community Safety programs** are designed to provide safe and supportive environments for youth while providing enriching, high quality programming, and to nurture youth and community leadership. Specific funding strategies in this area include: *Community-Based Out-of-School Time* (11 programs), *Summer* (10 programs) and *Youth Leadership and Community Safety* (6 programs).
- **Transition to Adulthood programs** address two critical needs facing youth as they grow into self-sufficient adults: 1) understanding of and connections to the workforce; and 2) the skills and qualifications to be able to achieve their career goals. Specific funding strategies in this area include: *Youth Career and Workforce Development* (11 programs), *Academic Support for Older Youth* (4 programs), and *Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth* (5 programs).

During FY2014-2015, *Community-Based Out-of-School Time* and *Youth Career and Workforce Development* made up the largest percentage of the grantees (17% each), followed by *Summer Programs* (15%). The smallest funding strategies were *Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp* (2%; 1 program), *Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education* (5%; 3 programs), and *Youth Leadership in Community Schools* (5%; 3 programs).

Exhibit 2 illustrates key characteristics of OFCY programs, including the location of their sites, OFCY funding, program budget, and OFCY grant as a percentage of program budget.

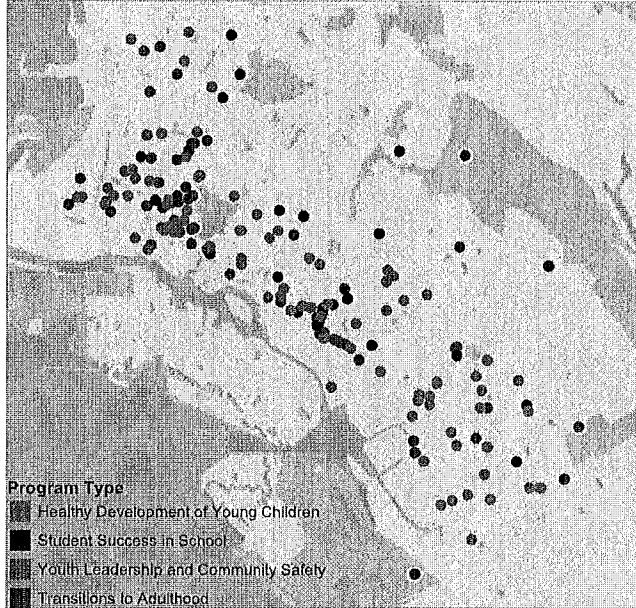
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<sup>3</sup> Of the \$11.4 million invested by OFCY, \$6.9 million supported the 66 youth programs covered in this report and \$4.5 million supported the 62 school-based after school programs not included in this report.

<sup>4</sup> This area also includes programs under the *School-Based After School Programming for Elementary and Middle School Children* funding strategy (62 programs), which are not included in this report.

## Exhibit 2: Overview of OFCY Programs in FY2014-2015

### Location



### Zipcodes and Neighborhoods Where OFCY Community-Based Programs are Located

94601: Fruitvale, East Oakland	20%
94612: Downtown	14%
94607: West Oakland and Chinatown	11%
94606: Highland Park, San Antonio, East Lake	11%
94621: East Oakland: Webster Tract and East of Coliseum	10%
94605: Eastmont, Seminary, Havenscourt, Millsmont	8%
94603: Sobrante Park, Elmhurst, E. 14th Street	7%
94609: Temescal, Pili Hill, Bushrod Park	6%
94619: Maxwell Park, Leona Heights, Redwood Heights	4%
94608: San Pablo and Market Street Corridor	2%
94602: Glenview, Lincoln, Oakmore	2%
94610: Adams Point, Lakeshore, Crocker Highlands	2%
94618: Lower Broadway Terrace and Rockridge	2%
94611: Piedmont Avenue and Montclair	1%

Zip codes with fewer than 1% of program sites: 94703, 94620, 94615, and 94506

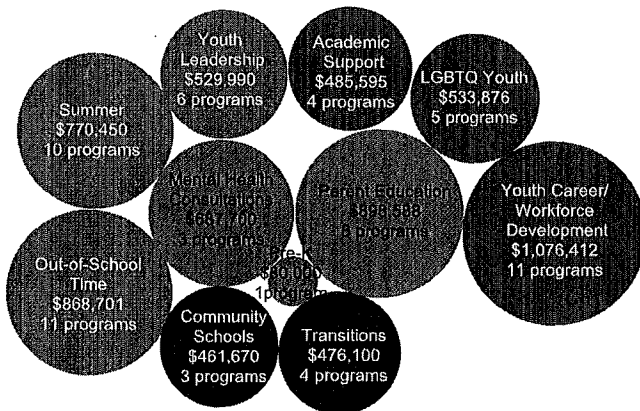
### Funding

#### Total Funding

\$6,869,081

#### By Funding Area

Youth Leadership and Community Safety	\$2,169,141
Transitions to Adulthood	\$2,095,882
Healthy Development of Young Children	\$1,666,288
Student Success in School	\$937,770



### Budget

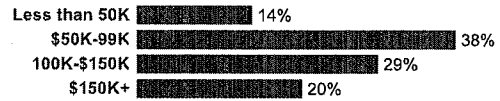
#### Average Projected Program Budget

\$246,407



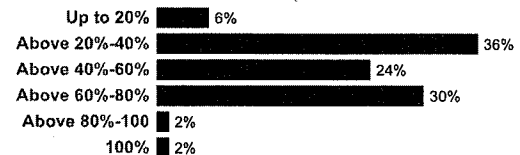
#### Average Grant

\$104,077



#### Average Grant as Percentage of Projected Program Budget

49%



Note: At the time of the Mid-Year Report, only two programs had OFCY grants that were larger than 80% of their projected program budget, which corresponds to the OFCY goal that programs match 25% of OFCY funding. One of these programs began operations in FY2014-2015 and the other program received extra grant funding during FY2014-2015.

## Location

OFCY programs, excluding school-based afterschool programs,<sup>5</sup> were located throughout Oakland, from North Oakland and Temescal to West Oakland and Downtown to East Oakland and Fruitvale. During FY2014-2015, the greatest concentration of program sites was in 94601 (20%), clustered along International Boulevard and in Fruitvale. The second largest concentration of programs was in 94612 (14%), with clusters of programs in Uptown and Downtown Oakland, including a number of programs along the Broadway corridor from Ogawa Plaza to Pill Hill. Programs with the widest distribution across Oakland were under *Healthy Development of Young Children*, which has a strong presence in Downtown and Fruitvale and is also scattered across neighborhoods in the Southeast edges of Oakland, including Eastmont and Elmhurst. For the most part, programs appear to be clustered in areas participants live in or that are readily accessible by public transportation networks.

## OFCY Funding

During FY2014-2015, OFCY committed \$6,869,081 to programs, excluding school-based after school programs. On average, programs received \$104,077 in funding, with grants ranging from \$30,000 (Prescott Circus Theatre, a *Summer Program*) to \$321,875 (Integrated Early Childhood Consultation Program at the Jewish Family & Children's Services of the East Bay, a *Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education* program).

OFCY programs are expected to diversify their funding sources and draw on outside funding to augment their program budgets, with a targeted match of at least 25% of their total OFCY grant. Examples of projected matches include leveraged support from sponsoring agencies and grant funding from foundations or government agencies. During FY2014-2015, OFCY funding made up, on average, 49% of programs' projected budgets, reflecting the important role OFCY plays in supporting early childhood and youth programming in Oakland. While a small percentage of programs had very diversified funding and relied on OFCY for 20% or less of their budget (6%), nearly half of programs relied on OFCY for half or more of their budget (47%). Programs in the funding strategies under *Childhood Development of Young Children* were most reliant on OFCY funding (between 67-100% of program budget)<sup>6</sup> while programs in the funding strategies under *Transitions to Adulthood* were least reliant (between 32-67% of program budget).<sup>7</sup> Smaller programs with budgets under \$150,000 (29% of programs) were significantly more likely to rely on OFCY funding than larger programs with budgets over \$350,000 (20% of programs): OFCY grants comprised, on average, 61% of smaller program budgets versus 34% of larger program budgets.

## Program Size

While projected annual budgets averaged just under \$250,000, programs supported by OFCY funding ranged considerably in size. Programs on the smaller side included summer programs like Prescott Circus Theatre Summer Program (\$40,000) and La Clinica de La Raza's Juntos program (\$60,718) to large programs like Alameda Health System's Model Neighborhood Program (\$570,787) and College Track-Oakland (\$874,233). The diversity in program size and scope suggests OFCY programs may vary in their needs as well as the kinds of supports that will help them best serve their target populations.

<sup>5</sup> Throughout the remainder of the Mid-Year Report, we refer to OFCY programs, excluding school-based afterschool programs, as *OFCY programs*. School-based afterschool programs are summarized in a separate Mid-Year Report, prepared by Public Profit.

<sup>6</sup> As of the time of this report, the only OFCY program with no projected match in Cityspan was the OUSD Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp, which was in its first year of operation during Summer 2014.

<sup>7</sup> Programs under two of the strategies in *Transitions to Adulthood* did not rely as heavily on OFCY funding: *Academic Support for Older Youth* (32%) and *Youth Career and Workforce Development* (34%). However, programs under *Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth* relied considerably on OFCY funding (67% of program budget).

## Progress Towards Projections

At the mid-point of each year, OFCY staff and the Planning and Oversight Committee (POC) review program data and quality observations to make recommendations about grant renewal for the following fiscal year. Two important standards for grant renewal are program enrollment and progress towards projected units of service (total hours of service). At the beginning of each fiscal year, programs set their anticipated enrollment and units of service in their work plans. Each quarter, programs are checked against targets for enrollment and units of service for that quarter. The specific targets at the mid-year are the following:

- **OFCY Standards for Enrollment at Mid-Year:** By mid-year and end of Quarter 2, full-year programs have enrolled at least 35% of projected unduplicated youth<sup>8</sup> for the fiscal year. By the end of Quarter 1, programs that operate during summer have enrolled at least 80% of projected unduplicated youth to be served for the fiscal year.<sup>9</sup>
- **OFCY Standards Units of Service at Mid-Year:** By mid-year and end of Quarter 2, full-year programs have achieved at least 80% of their projected Units of Service for the first half of the year. By the end of Quarter 1, programs that operate during summer have achieved at least 80% of their projected units of service for the fiscal year.<sup>10</sup>

At the mid-point of FY2014-2015, a majority of community-based programs had met the targets for enrollment and units of service. Additional findings related to progress towards projections, summarized in Exhibit 3, at the mid-point of FY2014-2015 include:<sup>11</sup>

- **Overall, programs made greater progress toward enrollment than units of service projections.** Across all community-based programs, 94% met the standard for enrollment, and 85% met the standard for units of service. In general, programs that operated during the summer were more successful than full-year programs in meeting the standards for projections at the mid-point of the year. All programs that operated during the summer met the enrollment standard, and 87% met the standard for units of service. In contrast, 92% of full-year programs had met the goal for enrollment for the year, but only 84% met the units of service target for the mid-point of the year. This finding suggests that programs, while successful in recruiting and enrolling youth, have room for improvement with respect to 1) providing their enrolled youth the levels of service they project; and/or 2) setting more attainable projections for levels of service for their youth.
- **There was some variation in progress by both overall funding area and specific funding strategy.** Programs under *Youth Leadership and Community Safety* made the most consistent progress towards both enrollment and units of service, with 100% of full-year programs meeting both targets. While programs under *Healthy Development of Children* met enrollment targets, they fell the short on units of service targets. For example, the *Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp* program, a new OFCY program, reached 69% of its projected units of service, just short of the 80% target. One area for growth is exploring how to support grantees in accurately tracking adult participation, particularly for the *Parent and Child*

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<sup>8</sup> OFCY asks programs project the number of unduplicated youth and adult participants. The term *youth* is used for participants ranging from birth to 20, including children served by programs under *Healthy Development of Children*.

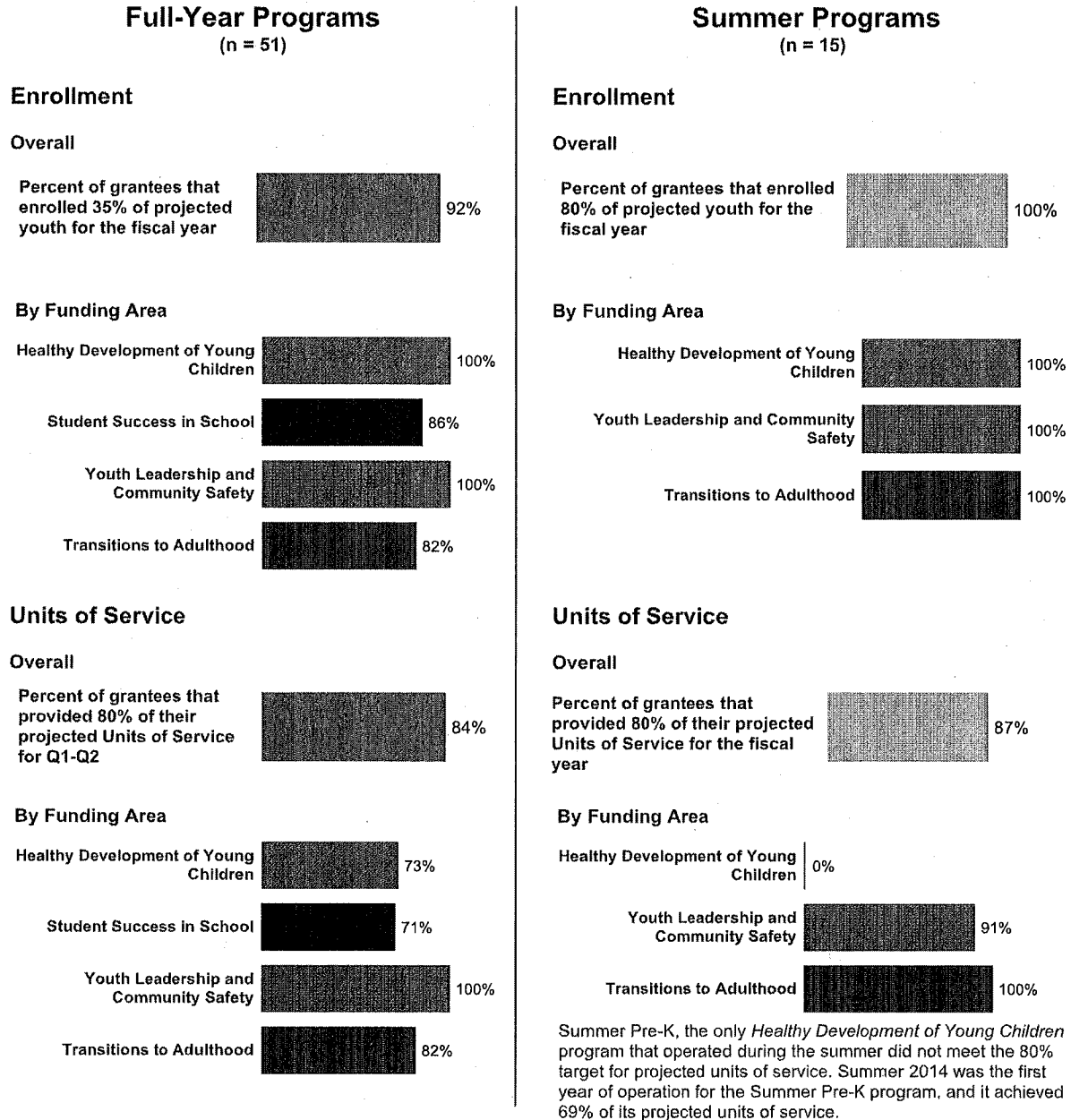
<sup>9</sup> During FY2014-2015, there were 15 programs that operated during the summer: 10 programs under the *Summer* funding strategy as well as 3 *Youth Career and Workforce Development* programs (Exploring College & Career Options in Oakland (ECCOI), Career Try-Out, and Hack the Hood Summer Bootcamp), 1 *Youth Leadership and Community Safety Program* (Friday Night in the Park Program Support), and the Pre-K Summer Camp.

<sup>10</sup> Progress towards projected units of service includes both youth and adult hours of service.

<sup>11</sup> For progress toward enrollment and units of service goals by individual program, see Appendix A.

Engagement in Early Learning and Development strategy. Only five of the eight programs in this strategy met the 80% target, with the rest ranging between 63% and 79%. One reason these programs might not have reached their targets for the Mid-Year could be incomplete tracking of adult participants.

Exhibit 3: Progress Towards Projections at Mid-Year





Programs under the newest funding strategy, *Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth*, were least likely to reach enrollment and units of service targets for the mid-year with only 40% meeting enrollment standards (2 out of 5 programs) and 60% (3 out of 5 programs) meeting units of service targets. Challenges in meeting projections faced by the *Summer Pre-K* program and several *Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth* programs may be because of start-up challenges in both recruitment and ability to make accurate service projections.

- **Reaching projection targets was weakly related to program budget and number of youth enrolled.** Although a smaller percentage of programs with budgets under \$150,000 and fewer than 100 youth met their targets, the differences were not statistically significant. For example, 74% of programs with budgets under \$150,000 met their targets for units of service (29% of programs), compared to 90% of programs with larger budgets (71% of programs), suggesting smaller programs may benefit from assistance with setting achievable projected units of service.

## PARTICIPANTS

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*We believe that children and families heal through active engagement, positive relationships, and learning new ways of coping with their unique challenges.*

*-Lincoln Child Center (website)*

During the first half of FY2014-2015, 12,352 youth and 1,448 adults participated in the OFCY programs summarized in this Mid-Year Report.<sup>12</sup> Programs under the area of *Youth Leadership and Community Safety* served the most participants (32%), followed by *Healthy Development of Young Children* (28%) and *Student Success in School* (26%). Combined, the funding strategies under *Transitions to Adulthood* served nearly 14% of participants. While children and youth participants were spread across all programs and funding strategies, over 50% of adult participants received services through *Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development* programs. This section describes the characteristics of participants in OFCY programs and the hours of services they received. Due to limited available data on adult participants, the discussion of participant characteristics focuses on youth served by OFCY programs, summarized in Exhibit 4.<sup>13</sup>

### Characteristics

OFCY programs provide direct services to children and youth from birth to 20 years in Oakland and their parents. Within this broad age group, specific OFCY funding strategies have a more focused target population including children from birth to 5 and their parents, middle school students transitioning to high school, and LGBTQ youth. During the first half of FY2014-2015, OFCY programs served participants from all neighborhoods in Oakland, with nearly 20% of participants coming from 94601, around Fruitvale and along International Boulevard, mirroring where the majority of program sites are located. Over 20% of program participants come from other neighborhoods in East Oakland, including 12% from Webster Track and East of Coliseum (94621) and 10% from Highland Park, San Antonio, and East Lake (94606). A total of 7% of participants live in West Oakland and Chinatown (94607). Although nearly 15% of program sites are located in the Downtown and Uptown neighborhoods in 94612, only 3% of participants live in this zip code. Approximately 1% of program

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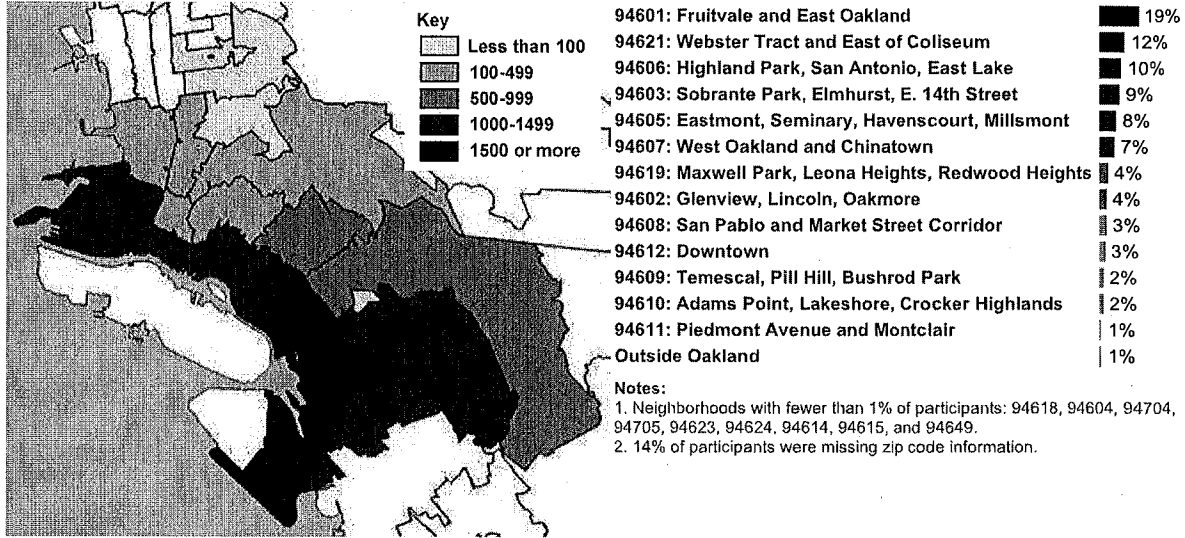
<sup>13</sup> Demographic information on adult participants was limited because there are no required demographic fields for adult participants in Cityspan. To provide a fuller picture of adult participants, it is recommended that OFCY require a few basic fields, including: race/ethnicity, gender, home zip code, and date of birth.

participants came from neighborhoods outside Oakland, stretching from as far north as to Antioch and El Cerrito to Alameda and San Francisco to Hayward and Castro Valley.

### Exhibit 4: Overview of Participants

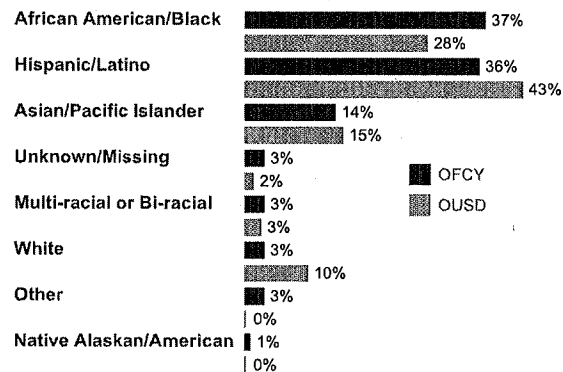
#### Home Neighborhoods and Zip Code of Participants

Darker areas correspond to more participants



#### Youth Characteristics (12,352)

##### Ethnicity: OFCY Participants Compared to OUSD



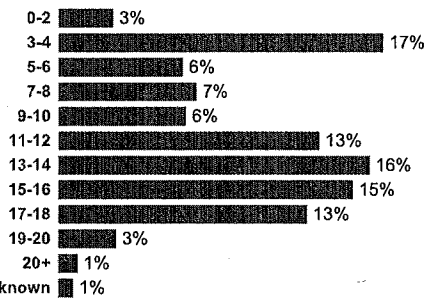
Note: For reference, this graph includes race/ethnicity information for youth enrolled in Oakland Unified School District for FY2013-2014.

##### Gender



Note: Fewer than 1% of youth fell into the missing and transgender categories each.

##### Age



Following are trends in participant characteristics, illustrated in Exhibit 4:

- OFCY programs reached a very diverse population. The vast majority of OFCY youth participants were children and youth of color, with African American (37%) and Hispanic (36%) children and youth making up the most participants, followed by Asian/Pacific Islander (14%), and multiracial children and youth (3%). Caucasian/White children and youth made up only 3%. Approximately 10% of programs served predominantly one racial/ethnic group, defined as 75% or more of participants being from the same racial/ethnic group. These

programs included programs sponsored by ethnic-specific agencies (Youth Law Academy at Centro Legal de La Raza, 86% Hispanic; API Youth Promoting Advocacy and Leadership (AYPAL) at EBAYC, 96% Asian/Pacific Islander) as well as programs that served predominantly African American youth. Compared to the Oakland Unified School District (OUSD), OFCY programs served a higher percentage of African American youth and lower percentages of Hispanic and Caucasian/White youth.<sup>14</sup>

- **Although there were differences in participation by funding strategy and program, overall participation was split evenly between male and female participants.** Across all programs, 50% of children and youth participants were female, 49% were male, and less than 1% were transgender or missing gender information. Programs under *Academic Support for Older Youth* were 57% female while the Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp and programs under *Youth Leadership and Community Safety* were 60% male. Aside from several gender-specific programs (Concordia Park Summer Program and Girls in Oakland Achieve and Lead at Girls Incorporated of Alameda County; Brothers, UNITE! at Brothers on the Rise), there were 10 programs with more than 70% of participants reported as either male or female (15% of programs). Programs serving predominantly female participants included those focused on dance as well as youth organizing. In contrast, programs serving predominantly male youth were more focused on physical activity.
- **Ages of participating children and youth varied greatly, depending on program and funding strategy.** Across all programs, the age ranges most frequently served were 3-4 year olds (17%), 13-14 year olds (16%), and 15-16 year olds (15%). As to be expected, the vast majority of children under the age of 5 were served through programs funded through *Healthy Development of Young Children*, with an average age of 4. On the other end of the spectrum, a majority of youth aged 19 and above were served through programs under *Transitions to Adulthood*—the average age for participants in these programs was 17. Across all programs, less than 1% of youth participants were older than 20 years old, the upper range of OFCY's target age range for youth.
- **Because adult participant data is not currently required to be collected by OFCY programs, it is not possible to analyze the characteristics of adults served by OFCY programs.** While dosage and services received for adult participants is recorded in Cityspan and used to measure progress towards projected units of service, adult participant characteristics have not been required. To better gauge whether programs are reaching their target populations, including adult participants, it is recommended that OFCY require programs to fill in a minimal number of fields on adult participants.

While it is possible for programs to record grade-level information for youth participants, the data is incomplete, in part because recording grade-level data is not a requirement of OFCY funding.. Nearly 30% of participating youth do not have grade-level information. Of those with grade-level data, it is unclear how accurate and updated the information is. For example, while 17-18 year olds comprise 28% of participants at community-based programs, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders only account for 8% of participants, based on current data in Cityspan. Whether to invest in improving the quality of grade information as opposed to improving the quality of other data collected on participants is an important question to consider.

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<sup>14</sup> In FY2013-2014, the OUSD population for all grades was 28% African American, 15% Asian/Pacific Islander, 10% Caucasian/White, 4% Hispanic, less than 1% Native Alaskan/American, 3% multi-racial, and 2% not reported.

## Services Received

At the mid-point of FY2014-2015, OFCY participants had received an average of 58.5 hours of service, with children and youth averaging 62.9 hours and adults averaging 21.2 hours. Participants received services that fell into nine broad service categories, ranging from academics and arts to family engagement and vocational training.<sup>15</sup> On average, youth received the most hours in academics, followed by civic engagement and youth leadership, then health and recreation, arts and culture, supportive services, and vocational as shown in Exhibit 5. In comparison, adult participants received the most hours in family engagement, followed by academics and supportive services.

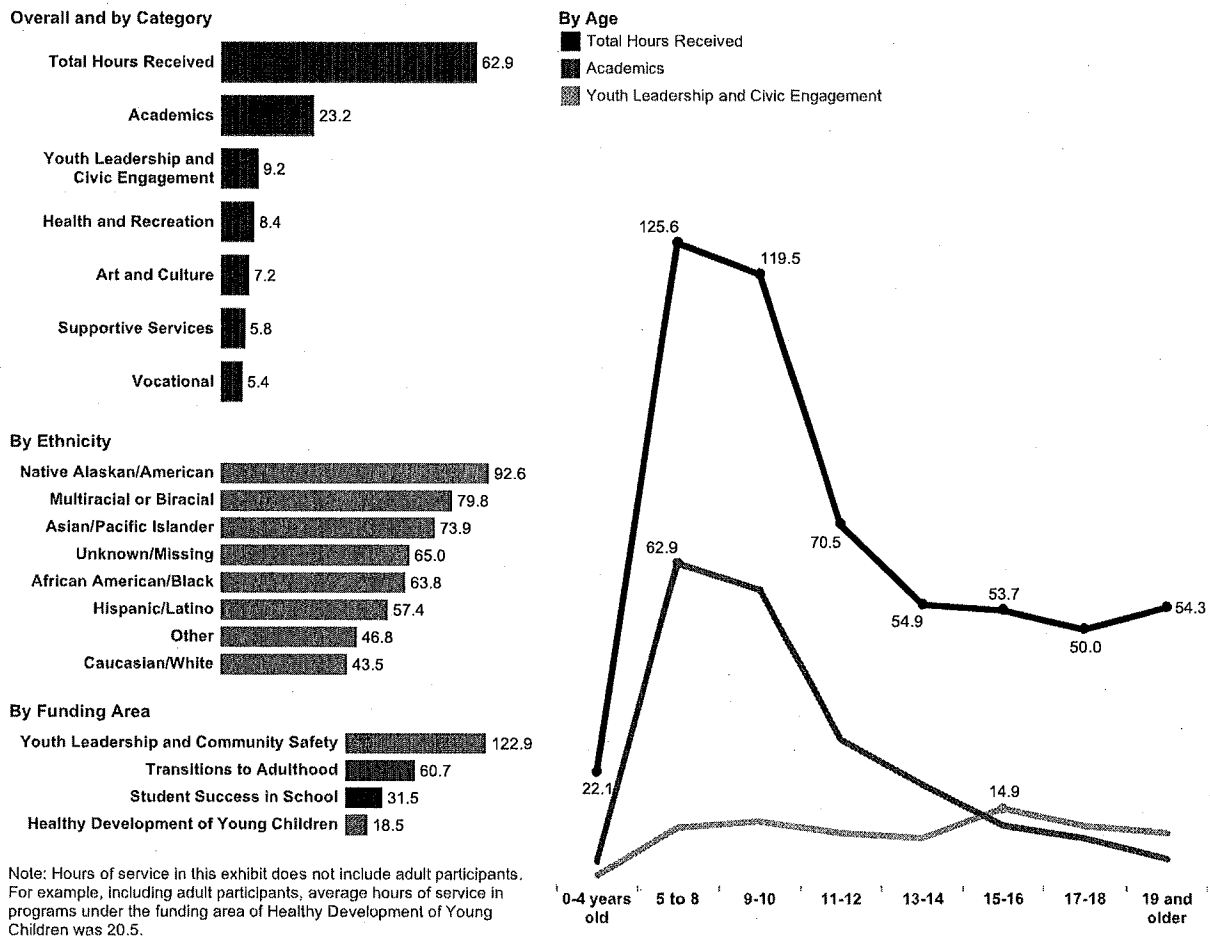
Key findings in services by youth and program characteristics include the following:

- **Hours of service were unevenly distributed across participants.** While the mean hours of service for youth participants was 62.9 hours, the median was only 18 hours. These numbers reflect that there is a small percentage of participants receiving intensive services and a large percentage receiving light-touch services. In fact, approximately 30% of OFCY youth participants received fewer than 10 hours of service in the first half of FY2014-2015, averaging only 3.7 hours. On the other end of the spectrum, approximately 20% of OFCY participants received over 120 hours, averaging nearly 200 hours each.
- **There was considerable variation in hours of service by both funding area and specific funding strategy.** Given that summer programs, which are included under Youth Leadership and Community Safety, had completed their offerings for FY2014-2015, it is not surprising that youth received the most hours in this service area (122.9) and funding strategy (156.2). Overall, youth participants received the fewest hours under *Healthy Development of Young Children*, a funding area that targets parents as well as educators, in addition to children. For example, adult participants received considerably more hours of service, on average, than children in *Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education* programs: 35.1 hours for adult participants compared to 14.7 hours for children. Funding strategies that had provided a high level of services at the mid-point of FY2014-2015 included *Youth Career and Workforce Development* (95.5) and *Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs* (71.7). Across all of the programs, average hours of service per child or youth participant ranged from below 5 hours (Peer Restorative Justice Program at OUSD and Juntos at La Clinica de La Raza) to over 200 hours (East Oakland Boxing Association's SmartMoves Education and Enrichment Program and the City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation's Summer Camp Explosion), reflecting a broad range in the intensity of services provided by OFCY programs.
- **While there was no overall difference in hours received by gender, male and female participants tended to receive different types of service.** Overall, male participants received 63.4 hours of service, and female participants received 62.7 hours of service. Female participants received more services in arts than males while males received more hours in academics and supportive services.
- **Although Native American/Alaskan youth made only 1% of participants, on average, they received the most hours of service (92.6).** Multiracial and Asian/Pacific Islander youth also received more than the overall average. Caucasian/White youth, who made up the smallest percentage of youth participants, received the fewest hours of service on average (43.5).

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<sup>15</sup> Each funding area has between 19 and 26 specific service categories. To allow for high-level comparisons of types of services across programs and funding areas, we recoded specific service categories into nine broad categories: 1) academics; 2) arts and culture; 3) civic engagement and youth leadership; 4) family engagement; 5) health and recreation; 6) life skills; 7) supportive services; 8) vocational; and 9) other.

## Exhibit 5: Average Hours of Service Received for Children and Youth



- Hours of service was highest for children aged 5-8 and decreased with age.** Average hours of service peaked for children aged 5-8 (125.6) and youth aged 9-10 (119.5) before declining and remaining between 50-55 hours for youth aged 13 and up. This strong trend could be due, in part, to the fact that 60% of all participants aged 5-8 and 50% of youth aged 9-10 were served through programs that operated during the summer, compared to less than 10% of participants aged 15 and older. Since younger children and youth receive the majority of their services during the summer, it is not surprising that their hours of service are considerably higher than older youth at the mid-point of the year. Academics, the largest category of services, reflected similar trends of decreasing as youth aged. However, youth leadership and civic engagement, the second largest category, ran somewhat counter and increased with age, surpassing academics and peaking for youth aged 15-16 (14.9).
- At the mid-point of the year, children and youth in programs with lower enrollment had received more hours of service than children and youth in larger programs.** Youth in programs that had enrolled less than 100 participants had received 75.0 hours, compared to 61.0 hours for youth in programs with 100 or more participants. In terms of types of services, youth in larger programs received more academics, arts and culture, and supportive services while youth in smaller programs had received more youth leadership, family engagement, and vocational training. This finding suggests that, at the mid-point of the year, programs that

serve fewer youth have been able to provide a more intensive level of service but that larger programs specialize in certain areas, including academics and arts and culture.

## QUALITY

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*Through circus and theatre arts education, the Prescott Circus Theatre's mission is to empower and engage youth as they develop confidence, teamwork, perseverance, artistic talent, and a dedication to working for success*

*-Summer Program, Prescott Circus Theater (website)*

During Summer and Fall 2014, 41 of the 66 community-based programs (62%) were observed by evaluators, using the Weikart Program Quality Assessment (PQA) tool.<sup>16</sup> The tool captures program quality along four key dimensions for youth development programs: *safety, supportive environment, interaction, and engagement*. This section summarizes PQA scores and identifies areas of strength and weakness, including variation in program quality by funding strategy, program budget, and enrollment. This also includes comparisons to scores from a national sample to show how OFCY programs compare to after school programs from across the country.

The Program Quality Assessment tool is a structured observation conducted by certified site visitors. During a 2-3.5 hour visit, site visitors rate programs on over 60 questions that make up the four key dimensions.<sup>17</sup> While the version of the tool for younger youth (School-Aged PQA) differs from the version for older youth (Youth PQA) for some questions and subdimensions, both tools capture the same underlying dimensions of *safety, supportive environment, interaction, and engagement*.

All of the programs visited in Summer and Fall 2014 received overall scores of either *Performing* or *Thriving*, the two highest categories of performance.<sup>18</sup> No programs received scores of *Emerging*. Other findings related to program quality include:

- **Programs were rated consistently higher for *safety* and *supportive environment* than *interaction* and *engagement*.** This finding is in line with previous years' evaluations and national trends and reflects the challenge of providing opportunities for peer interaction and youth leadership. Programs consistently scored high for providing emotional and physical safety and healthy and accommodating environments but were least successful in providing opportunities for youth to act as group facilitators and mentors, help to shape program planning, and make choices based on their own interests.
- **There was some variation in program strengths and areas of improvement by funding strategy.** For example, programs in the *Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth* strategy

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<sup>16</sup> Program quality at the remaining programs (all Early Childhood strategies, Career and Youth Workforce Development, and Youth Leadership and Community Safety) will be assessed through interviews and in-depth site visits in Spring 2015.

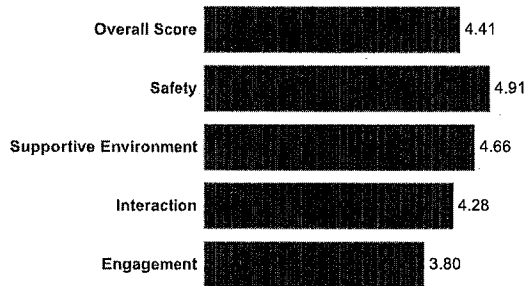
<sup>17</sup> The tool uses a scale of 1, 3, and 5 with descriptions of the ratings at each level for each of the questions. In general, rating of 1 indicates that the practice was not observed while the visitor was on site, or that the practice is not a part of the program, a rating of 3 indicates that the practice is implemented relatively consistently across staff and activities, and a rating of 5 indicates that the practice was implemented consistently and well across staff and activities.

<sup>18</sup> Programs that received overall scores of 4.5 or higher across all four dimensions were categorized as *Thriving* and defined as programs that provide high quality services across all four quality domains and practice areas. Programs that received average scores between from 3.0 up to 4.5 were categorized *Performing* and defined as programs that provide high quality service in almost all program quality domains and practice areas and have a few areas for additional improvement. No programs received overall scores below 3.0, categorized as *Emerging*.

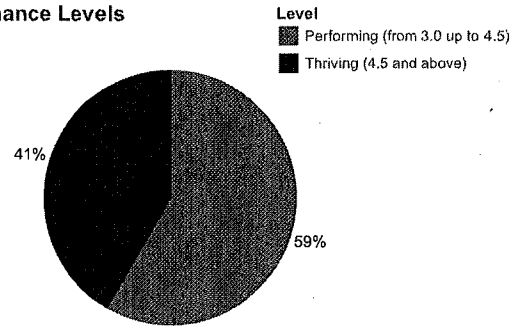
received the highest scores in *safety* but the lowest scores in *interaction* and *engagement*. Programs in *Academic Support for Older Youth* received higher scores for *supportive environment* but lower scores for *safety*. Only *Transition Programs for Youth into Middle and High School* received consistently high scores for most—but not all—dimensions, scoring slightly below average for *safety*. This finding suggests that different kinds of programs excel at different aspects of the youth development model and may need support in different areas to develop and strengthen.

**Exhibit 6: Program Quality**

**Overall and by Dimension**



**Performance Levels**

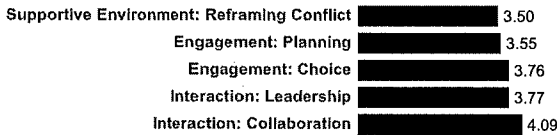


**Youth PQA (Y-PQA) (n = 33)**

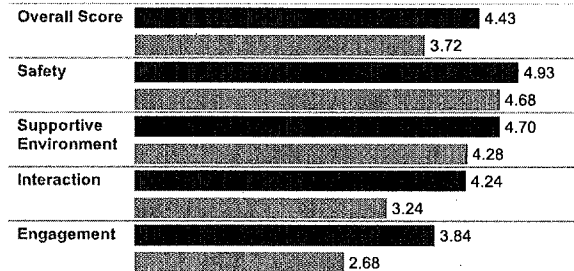
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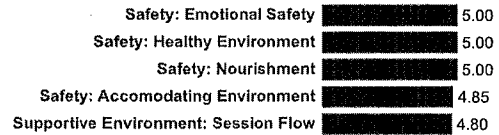
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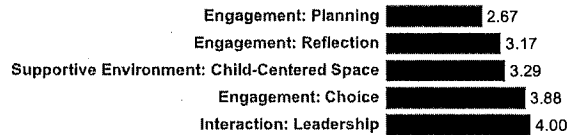
■ OFCY Programs  
 ■ National Sample

**School-Aged PQA (SQ-PQA) (n = 8)**

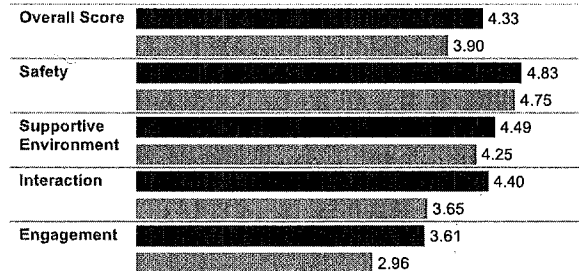
**Top 5 Areas:**



**Bottom 5 Areas:**



**Compared to National Sample (n =280)**



- **Program quality was related to program budget but not enrollment at the mid-point of the year.** On average, programs with annual budgets of less than \$150,000 received higher scores than programs with larger budgets. While the differences were only statistically significant for *safety*, they approached significance for *supportive environments* and overall score. For example, smaller programs received an average overall score of 4.56 compared to 4.35 for larger programs. While this suggests smaller programs may be better suited to provide individualized attention and opportunities for youth, follow-up analyses at the end of the year are needed to see if full-year enrollment supports this finding.

Consistent with previous years, OFCY programs continue to outperform programs nationally on all domains, particularly interaction and engagement.<sup>19</sup> The consistently higher scores may reflect, in part, the extensive training many OFCY programs have received on the PQA tool and its philosophy of youth development, which has led programs to develop and implement program activities focused on providing youth opportunities to interact with staff and other students, take on leadership roles, contribute to program planning, and reflect on their experiences in the program.

The Final Report for FY2014-2015 will further explore the PQA observation data to identify specific strategies and best practices used by programs that scored highly for *interaction* and *engagement* as well as present findings on *diversity*, a new dimension measured with supplemental questions to the PQA.

## CONCLUSION

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*At BORP [Bay Area Outreach & Recreation Program], we believe that sports and recreation provide a path to greater achievement to which all people should have access, and we continually strive to make this a reality.*

- *Sports & Recreation for Youth with Physical Disabilities, BORP (website)*

As illustrated in this report, OFCY provides vital funding to diverse community-based organizations serving children and youth from birth to 20 years of age. OFCY-funded programs provide a range of services to children youth from across the city, particularly from Fruitvale, East Oakland, Chinatown, and West Oakland. At the mid-point of FY2014-2015, OFCY community-based programs, as a whole, are on track to provide their anticipated levels of service to youth and adults throughout Oakland. Some programs in the newest funding strategy, *Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth*, as well as the new *Summer Pre-K* program, however, had difficulty recruiting youth as well as providing anticipated levels of service. Finally, preliminary findings drawing on Q1 and Q2 data suggest smaller programs with fewer youth enrolled may be able to offer higher levels of service, but that larger programs may specialize in providing specific categories of service, including academic support.

Moving forward, the evaluation team plans to work with OFCY to improve data quality and further refine measures to assess grantee progress and outcomes, including improved accuracy for participant birthdays. Likewise, given the relatively high numbers of adults served through specific funding strategies, like *Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education* and *Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development*, it would be useful to have some demographic information for this population. In our Final Report, we will present information from in-depth site visits and interviews that will deepen our analysis of program quality and surface best practices. The Final Report will also explore progress towards outcomes using the youth survey data, which will continue to be collected in Spring 2015.

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<sup>19</sup> National comparison data was provided by the Weikart Foundation in February 2015. Data were available for 654 programs using the Y-PQA and 280 programs using SA-PQA.



## APPENDIX 1: PROGRAM-LEVEL INFORMATION

The following table provides program-level information at the mid-point of FY2014-2015, including the number of unduplicated youth who participated in program activities and progress towards projected enrollment for the fiscal year; actual units of service and progress towards projected units of service (for the fiscal year for programs that operate during the summer, for Q1 and Q2 for full-year programs); average hours of service per youth participant at the mid-point of the year; and overall PQA score, if applicable. Progress towards projected enrollment and units of service draws on the Cityspan Administrative Reports and includes adult hours of service while enrollment only includes children and youth. Average hours of service includes children and youth who did not decline to participate in the evaluation.

Red shading indicates programs that did not meet their enrollment or units of service targets at the mid-point of the year, defined as:

- **OFCY Standards for Enrollment at Mid-Year:** By mid-year and end of Quarter 2, full-year programs have enrolled at least 35% of projected unduplicated children and youth for the fiscal year. By the end of Quarter 1, programs that operate during summer have enrolled at least 80% of projected unduplicated youth to be served for the fiscal year.<sup>20</sup>
- **OFCY Standards Units of Service at Mid-Year:** By mid-year and end of Quarter 2, full-year programs have achieved at least 80% of their projected Units of Service for the first half of the year. By the end of Quarter 1, programs that operate during summer have achieved at least 80% of their projected units of service for the fiscal year.

Agency	Program	Strategy	Enrollment			Units of Service			Average Hours
			Projected	Actual	% Projected	Projected	Actual	% Projected	
Lincoln Child Center	Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation	Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education	350	406	116%	1121	959	86%	12.1
Jewish Family & Children's Services of the East Bay	Integrated Early Childhood Consultation Program	Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education	728	810	111%	1174	1838	157%	14.7
Family Paths	The Early Childhood Mental Health Collaborative	Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education	1148	896	78%	1511	1527	101%	16.0

Note: Units of Service for *Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education* programs represent consultation hours provided at sites instead of service hours each child received.

<sup>20</sup> During FY2014-2015, there were 15 programs that operated during the summer: 10 programs under the *Summer* funding strategy as well as 3 *Youth Career and Workforce Development* programs (Exploring College & Career Options in Oakland (ECCO!), Career Try-Out, and Hack the Hood Summer Bootcamp), 1 *Youth Leadership and Community Safety Program* (Friday Night in the Park Program Support), and the Pre-K Summer Camp.

Agency	Program	Strategy	Enrollment			Units of Service			Average Hours	Overall PQA
			Projected	Actual	% Projected	Projected	Actual	% Projected		
Our Family Coalition	Building Strong Children in LGBTQ Families	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	110	104	95%	1494	2040	137%	8.6	N/A
Through the Looking Glass	Chatterbox	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	18	11	61%	921	577	63%	24.4	N/A
Children's Hospital & Research Center Oakland	Integrated Developmental Playgroups Program	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	65	83	128%	5218	4098	79%	25.8	N/A
Oakland Parents Together	Listening to Children Parent Cafes	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	80	56	70%	1728	1348	78%	10.0	N/A
Lotus Bloom Child & Family Center	Multicultural Playgroups	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	120	165	138%	12548	13813	110%	43.8	N/A
East Bay Agency for Children	Parent Child Education Support Program	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	72	66	92%	1096	7032	642%	61.8	N/A
Safe Passages	Safe Passages Baby Learning Communities	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	350	183	52%	3188	3532	111%	11.5	N/A
City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Sandboxes to Community Empowerment	Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development	100	92	92%	5238	8243	157%	45.5	N/A
Oakland Unified School District	OUSD Summer Pre-K	Pre-Kindergarten Summer Camp	30	25	83%	1508	1044	69%	41.8	N/A
East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Break The Cycle	Transition programs for youth into middle and high school	200	206	103%	6950	10017	144%	48.6	4.51
Alternatives in Action	Fremont Initiative for Reaching Success Together (FIRST) Transitions Program	Transition programs for youth into middle and high school	220	709	322%	22118	21150	96%	29.8	4.81
Oakland Kids First	PASS-2 Peer Mentoring Program	Transition programs for youth into middle and high school	1800	364	20%	10524	5799	55%	15.9	4.74
Safe Passages	Safe Passages Transitions Program	Transition programs for youth into middle and high school	500	479	96%	13486	24362	181%	50.9	4.78

Agency	Program	Strategy	Enrollment			Units of Service			Average Hours	Overall PQA
			Projected	Actual	% Projected	Projected	Actual	% Projected		
Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation	Leading the Independence of our Barrios for Raza Empowerment (LIBRE)	Youth Leadership in Community Schools	115	99	86%	4149	2475	60%	23.7	3.88
Alternatives in Action	Life Academy	Youth Leadership in Community Schools	650	771	119%	39450	46008	117%	59.1	4.82
Oakland Unified School District	OUSD Peer Restorative Justice Program	Youth Leadership in Community Schools	1376	916	67%	1648	2466	150%	2.7	4.54
San Francisco Study Center (Brothers on the Rise)	Brothers, UNITE!	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	50	78	156%	5787	5682	98%	72.5	4.52
American Indian Child Resource Center	Culture Keepers	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	30	25	83%	2417	2438	101%	96.3	3.49
Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Girls in Oakland Achieve and Lead	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	140	162	116%	3054	3348	110%	20.7	4.45
Native American Health Center	Indigenous Youth Voices	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	160	208	130%	16732	16717	100%	77.3	4.27
East Bay Asian Local Development Corporation	Lion's Pride Afterschool and Summer Youth Program	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	80	101	126%	15763	14725	93%	144.3	4.33
Community Initiatives	Media After School (MAS)	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	100	82	82%	3136	5716	182%	69.7	4.94
Refugee Transitions	Newcomer Community Engagement Program	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	125	124	99%	5045	4459	88%	18.3	3.78
City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Oakland Discovery Centers	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	450	393	87%	15472	19032	123%	48.4	4.38
Dimensions Dance Theater, Inc.	Rites of Passage	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	120	101	84%	7205	8954	124%	88.7	4.94

Agency	Program	Strategy	Enrollment			Units of Service			Average Hours	Overall PQA
			Projected	Actual	% Projected	Projected	Actual	% Projected		
East Oakland Boxing Association	SmartMoves Education and Enrichment Program	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	700	252	36%	41463	57717	139%	236.9	4.60
Bay Area Outreach & Recreation Program	Sports & Recreation for Youth with Physical Disabilities	Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs	45	24	53%	2284	1993	87%	68.9	4.44
Aim High for High School	Aim High / Oakland - 3 Sites	Summer Program	325	319	98%	54834	53750	98%	168.5	3.85
Destiny Arts Center	Camp Destiny	Summer Program	190	165	87%	9778	6264	64%	38.0	4.64
College Track	College Track Summer Program	Summer Program	72	120	167%	8450	10696	127%	88.9	4.65
Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Concordia Park Summer Program	Summer Program	74	83	112%	11285	14152	125%	170.8	4.47
Family Support Services of the Bay Area	Kinship Summer Youth Program	Summer Program	55	53	96%	8415	8559	102%	161.5	4.75
Lincoln Child Center	Oakland Freedom School	Summer Program	100	133	133%	17431	22097	127%	166.1	4.22
Prescott Circus Theatre	Prescott Circus Theatre Summer Program	Summer Program	30	38	127%	3750	4353	116%	114.5	4.88
City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Summer Camp Explosion	Summer Program	300	408	136%	72170	106420	147%	260.8	3.95
East Oakland Youth Development Center	Summer Cultural Enrichment Program	Summer Program	200	205	103%	33711	33965	101%	165.0	4.11
East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Summer Matters	Summer Program	350	683	195%	59945	83754	140%	123.0	4.49
East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	API Youth Promoting Advocacy and Leadership (AYPAL)	Youth Leadership and Community Safety	300	127	42%	8889	11390	128%	87.4	N/A
Peace Development	BAY-Peace: Better	Youth Leadership and	80	64	80%	3886	4803	124%	75.0	N/A

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			Projected	Actual	% Projected	Projected	Actual	% Projected		
Fund	Alternatives for Youth	Community Safety								
Human Services Department	Friday Night in the Park Program Support	Youth Leadership and Community Safety	24	40	167%	1536	1670	109%	39.9	4.80
Safe Passages	Get Active Urban Arts Program	Youth Leadership and Community Safety	74	85	115%	5725	7199	126%	84.7	N/A
Project Re-Connect	Project Re-Connect	Youth Leadership and Community Safety	40	37	93%	818	1018	124%	17.5	N/A
La Clinica de La Raza	Youth Brigade	Youth Leadership and Community Safety	30	23	77%	1637	1412	86%	59.7	N/A
East Side Arts Alliance	ArtWorks at ESAA	Youth Career and Workforce Development	150	76	51%	10865	10185	94%	134.0	N/A
Youth Employment Partnership	Career Try-Out	Youth Career and Workforce Development	72	88	122%	9456	11370	120%	124.3	3.89
OUSD College & Career Readiness Office	Exploring College & Career Options in Oakland (ECCO!)	Youth Career and Workforce Development	87	87	100%	9975	12738	128%	146.4	4.31
Beyond Emancipation	Gaining Resources and Opportunities for Work (GROW)	Youth Career and Workforce Development	24	23	96%	2749	2678	97%	116.4	N/A
Center for Media Change	Hack the Hood Summer Bootcamp	Youth Career and Workforce Development	18	19	106%	2108	2423	115%	132.1	4.62
Alameda Health System	Model Neighborhood Program	Youth Career and Workforce Development	220	138	63%	3629	6008	166%	43.5	N/A
The Unity Council	Oakland Youth Engaged (OYE)	Youth Career and Workforce Development	53	73	138%	9332	8351	89%	114.4	N/A
Juma Ventures	Pathways to Advancement	Youth Career and Workforce Development	66	101	153%	3577	3877	108%	38.4	N/A
Youth Radio	Pathways to Digital	Youth Career and Workforce Development	70	113	161%	7146	9395	131%	83.1	N/A
Alta Bates Summit Foundation	Youth Bridge Career and Workforce Development Program	Youth Career and Workforce Development	90	161	179%	15204	17636	116%	109.5	N/A

Agency	Program	Strategy	Enrollment			Units of Service			Average Hours	Overall PQA
			Projected	Actual	% Projected	Projected	Actual	% Projected		
Youth UpRising	YU Excel	Youth Career and Workforce Development	8	5	63%	289	141	49%	28.3	N/A
College Track	College Track Oakland	Academic Support for Older Youth	255	250	98%	12624	14214	113%	56.9	4.49
Youth Radio	Pathways to Higher Education and Careers	Academic Support for Older Youth	80	139	174%	2095	1908	91%	13.7	4.77
Centro Legal de la Raza	Youth Law Academy	Academic Support for Older Youth	77	65	84%	1484	1511	102%	23.2	4.37
Youth Together, Inc.	Youth Together's Academic Support For Older Youth	Academic Support for Older Youth	203	126	62%	1792	1782	99%	14.1	4.33
Health Initiatives for Youth (HIFY)	Health Initiatives for Youth's LGBTQIQ Youth Safe Space Initiative	Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth	85	77	91%	362	433	120%	5.6	3.70
La Clinica de La Raza	Juntos	Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth	80	19	24%	611	168	27%	3.3	4.34
Destiny Arts Center	Moving in the Movement	Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth	90	24	27%	1637	1551	95%	64.6	4.48
AIDS Project East Bay	Save Our LGBTI-Youth (SOL)	Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth	250	221	88%	13948	5574	40%	25.0	4.23
Youth UpRising	YU's Queer & Allies Initiative	Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth	118	38	32%	484	406	84%	10.1	4.26

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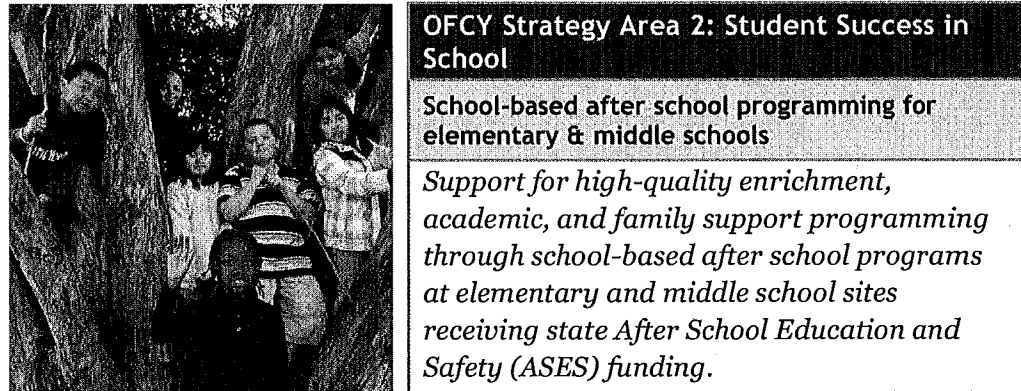
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## OVERVIEW OF THE OFCY INTERIM GRANTEE EVALUATION REPORT

### School-Based After School Programs

The Oakland Fund for Children and Youth (OFCY) funds 62 school-based after school programs<sup>1</sup> that collectively support children and youth in their development towards becoming healthy, happy, educated, engaged, powerful and loved community members. OFCY programs guide and support youth throughout the formative periods of their lives. The focus of this interim report is the school-based after school programs funded through OFCY Strategy Area 2: Student Success in School<sup>2</sup>.

FIGURE 1: THE OFCY SCHOOL BASED AFTER SCHOOL STRATEGY



### 2014-15 OFCY Grantees

School-based after school programs serve elementary and middle school youth. In the 2014-15 grant cycle, OFCY supported 62 school-based after school programs.

TABLE 1: OFCY SCHOOL-BASED AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS BY GRADE LEVEL SERVED

Grade Level	Number of Programs
Elementary Schools	47
Middle Schools	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>

Source: Program Roster provided by OFCY.

<sup>1</sup> As of December 2014.

<sup>2</sup> Social Policy Research (SPR) Associates is providing a separate interim report for all other OFCY programs.

## About the Interim Report

The Interim Report summarizes program participation and point-of-service quality data collected between October 2014 and February 2015 for OFCY-funded school-based after school programs. Additional data will be collected between February and May 2015, and will be reflected in the annual evaluation findings report, to be delivered to OFCY in October 2015.

Table 2 below summarizes the data sources used in the evaluation, noting which elements appear in the interim report and which appear in the annual School-Based After School Programs Findings Report (Annual Report).

**TABLE 2: DATA PRESENTED IN THE INTERIM AND ANNUAL REPORTS**

Data Source	Used to Assess...	Interim Report	Annual Report
Participation records	Program performance	●	●
Program Quality Assessment (PQA)	Point-of-service quality	●	●
Youth surveys	Point-of-service quality; youth outcomes	○	●
Academic records	Academic outcomes	○	●
<b>Key</b>			
●	<i>Complete data</i>		
●	<i>Year-to-date data</i>		
○	<i>Not yet collected</i>		

## YOUTH SERVED

### Youth Served by Home Zip Code

As shown in Table 3, seventy-five percent (75%) of participants reside in five zip codes: 94601, 94621, 94603, 94605 and 94606. The remaining 25% of participants reside in all other zip codes served by OFCY.

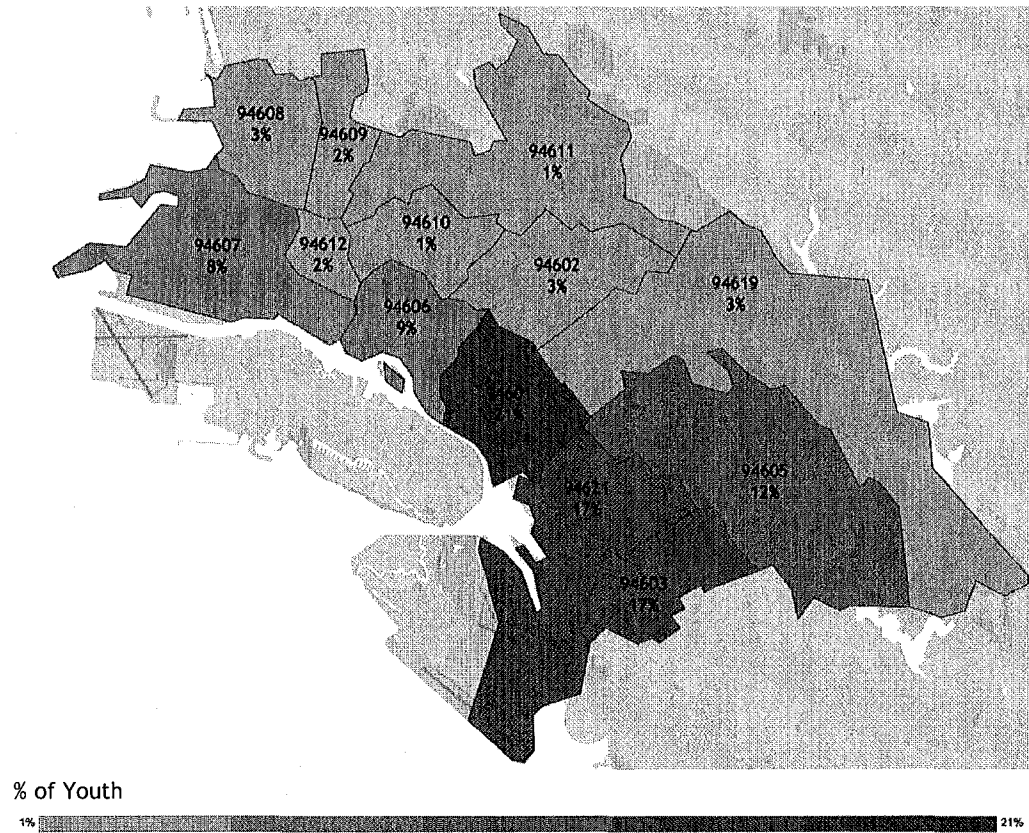
**TABLE 3: YOUTH SERVED BY ZIP CODE**

Zip Code	Number of Youth Served	Percent
94601	1,841	21%
94603	1,524	17%
94621	1,506	17%
94605	1,038	12%
94606	774	9%
94607	687	8%
94619	298	3%
94602	280	3%
94608	249	3%
94609	223	2%
94612	179	2%
94610	109	1%
94611	50	1%
All Others	207	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,965</b>	<b>100%</b>

Source: CitySpan records for 8,965 youth who attended an OFCY-funded school-based after school program between July and December 2014 and had a valid zip code available.

This same zip code data, showing the concentration of youth served, is presented in Figure 2 below.

FIGURE 2: PROPORTION OF YOUTH SERVED BY ZIP CODE



Source: CitySpan records for 8,965 youth who attended an OFCY-funded school-based after school program between July and December 2014 and had a valid zip code available.

## Gender and Race/Ethnicity

Latino/a youth make up roughly half (48%) of the youth attending OFCY-funded school-based after school programs. African American youth represent about one-third (36%) of all youth attending the same programs. The proportion of males (49%) and females (51%) are roughly equal among race/ethnicity categories, as shown in Table 4.

**TABLE 4: OFCY PARTICIPANTS' GENDER BY RACE/ETHNICITY**

Youth Ethnicity	Female	Male	Overall
Latino/a	49%	48%	48%
African American	37%	35%	36%
Asian/Pacific Islander	11%	13%	12%
White	3%	2%	3%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	<1%	<1%	<1%
Unknown	<1%	<1%	<1%
Multiracial or Biracial	<1%	<1%	<1%
Overall	49%	51%	100%

Source: CitySpan records for youth who attended an OFCY-funded school-based after school program between July and December 2014.

## PROGRAM PERFORMANCE

School-based after school programs set goals for the number of youth they plan to serve each grant year as one measure of the programs' reach in the community. As a whole, OFCY school-based after school grantees are exceeding their targeted number of youth. All (100%) of the 62 programs reached or exceeded their mid-year target for the number of enrolled youth. On average, youth attended school-based after school programs for 54 days during the first half of the program year.

Table 5 on the following page provides an overview of program performance and contains:

- **Enrollment** - The number of children and youth served. In the course of the program year, programs aim to serve at least 80% of their target enrollment annually. At the time this report was written, programs that reached a mid-year target of 35% of their total annual enrollment are considered to be on-track.
- **Units of Service (UOS)** - The number of service hours provided to youth during the program year, a key indicator of program capacity. At the time this report was written OFCY grantees should have reached 80% of their mid-year UOS goal.
- **Average Days Attended** - The average number of days participants attended a program. There is no program level goal for this measure, instead it is used to describe how often the average young person attends a school-based after school program from July to December 2014.
- **Participation Rate** - This measures youths' ongoing involvement with the program. This rate is calculated for those activities that require ongoing participant involvement; *drop-in activities are not included in the calculation*. There is no program level goal for participation rate; however, it helps programs think about the extent to which they are retaining youth in their programs.



TABLE 5: PROGRAM PERFORMANCE BY OFCY GRANTEE

Lead Agency /Program	Enrollment			Units of Service			Youth Participation	
	Goal	Actual	Progress Towards Annual Goal (Shaded if < 35%)	Goal	Actual	Progress Toward Mid-year Target (Shaded if < 80%)	Average Days Per Youth	Average Attendance Rate (Excludes drop-in activities)
<b>ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PROGRAMS</b>								
<i>Bay Area Community Resources</i>								
Bridges Academy	115	108	94%	14,352	13,209	92%	53	84%
Emerson	115	105	91%	24,325	24,828	102%	64	91%
Esperanza Academy	120	118	98%	22,242	22,866	103%	57	89%
Fred T. Korematsu	116	108	93%	23,126	20,639	89%	62	87%
Global Family Learning Without Limits	110	90	82%	17,399	15,912	91%	53	92%
Grass Valley Elementary	116	113	97%	23,949	26,684	111%	66	90%
Greenleaf	95	114	120%	17,486	19,684	113%	55	92%
Hoover	115	136	118%	24,663	20,020	81%	54	93%
Horace Mann	112	122	109%	26,531	27,771	105%	61	73%
Howard	100	132	132%	23,966	26,795	112%	57	91%
Lafayette	120	204	170%	26,040	47,233	181%	59	91%
Markham	105	98	93%	21,927	18,297	83%	54	80%
Martin Luther King, Jr.	157	179	114%	26,758	34,166	128%	56	86%
PLACE Elementary School After School Program	125	135	108%	21,118	19,169	91%	58	87%
Reach Academy	133	150	113%	34,725	30,698	88%	48	83%
Sankofa Academy	210	210	100%	28,240	41,160	146%	61	88%

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*Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.*

Parker	100	141	141%	25,463	28,408	112%	55	81%
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*East Bay Agency for Children*

Achieve Academy	100	112	112%	19,581	24,860	127%	61	90%
East Oakland Pride	115	149	130%	25,801	26,506	103%	51	86%

*East Bay Asian Youth Center*

Bella Vista	75	95	127%	19,125	20,576	108%	66	96%
Cleveland	75	89	119%	18,525	18,486	100%	63	91%
Franklin	100	126	126%	24,700	26,446	107%	66	90%
Garfield	140	213	152%	34,580	42,927	124%	60	87%
La Escuelita	75	89	119%	18,825	20,424	108%	70	95%
Lincoln	120	154	128%	29,894	39,521	132%	74	98%
Manzanita Community School	75	90	120%	18,525	18,493	100%	64	93%

*East Oakland Youth Development Center*

Futures Elementary	120	115	96%	23,571	21,276	90%	54	88%
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*Girls Incorporated of Alameda County*

Acorn Woodland	115	110	96%	20,178	19,761	98%	58	89%
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*Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp.*

Allendale	100	104	104%	21,973	22,151	101%	60	89%
Brookfield	100	92	92%	20,071	19,288	96%	62	94%

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New Highland Academy	100	98	98%	21,750	21,245	98%	64	92%
Rise Community School	100	100	100%	21,750	20,644	95%	59	89%
Sobrante Park	100	107	107%	19,990	21,005	105%	57	85%
<b>Lighthouse Community Charter School</b>								
Lighthouse Community Charter	200	218	109%	36,079	36,433	101%	60	88%
<b>Oakland Leaf Foundation</b>								
ASCEND	131	146	111%	17,438	19,338	111%	57	88%
Encompass Academy	85	105	124%	25,859	17,968	69%	56	90%
International Community School	85	91	107%	9,620	14,481	151%	52	84%
Learning Without Limits	85	105	124%	18,991	21,771	115%	59	91%
Think College Now	120	92	77%	13,810	20,218	146%	60	89%
<b>Safe Passages</b>								
Community United	120	132	110%	23,542	23,808	101%	55	91%
<b>SFBAC, Learning for Life</b>								
Carl B. Munck	130	118	91%	25,176	21,244	84%	64	91%
Fruitvale	100	141	141%	23,797	24,810	104%	55	85%
Laurel	84	89	106%	24,688	20,804	84%	64	94%
Manzanita Seed	120	160	133%	35,464	35,811	101%	64	88%

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*Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation*

Lazear Charter Academy	160	139	87%	24,947	24,193	97%	55	86%
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*Ujima Foundation*

Burckhalter	100	128	128%	28,987	28,100	97%	61	85%
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*YMCA of the East Bay*

Piedmont	105	102	97%	21,959	21,756	99%	65	92%
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<b>Elementary School Overall/Average</b>	<b>5,299</b>	<b>5,872</b>	<b>111%</b>	<b>23,223</b>	<b>24,508</b>	<b>106%</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>89%</b>
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**MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

*Bay Area Community Resources*

Alliance Academy	110	390	355%	27,894	25,580	92%	45	70%
Claremont	95	155	163%	21,544	17,423	81%	43	67%
Elmhurst Community Prep	220	166	75%	20,913	28,438	136%	47	83%
Madison	320	343	107%	27,038	16,950	63%	40	59%
Melrose Community Bridges Program	120	124	103%	23,616	19,738	84%	49	80%
Urban Promise Academy	140	315	225%	20,369	19,634	96%	36	59%

*Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.*

Westlake	120	147	123%	17,495	22,147	127%	48	77%
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*East Bay Asian Youth Center*

Roosevelt	160	271	169%	40,800	58,944	144%	66	93%
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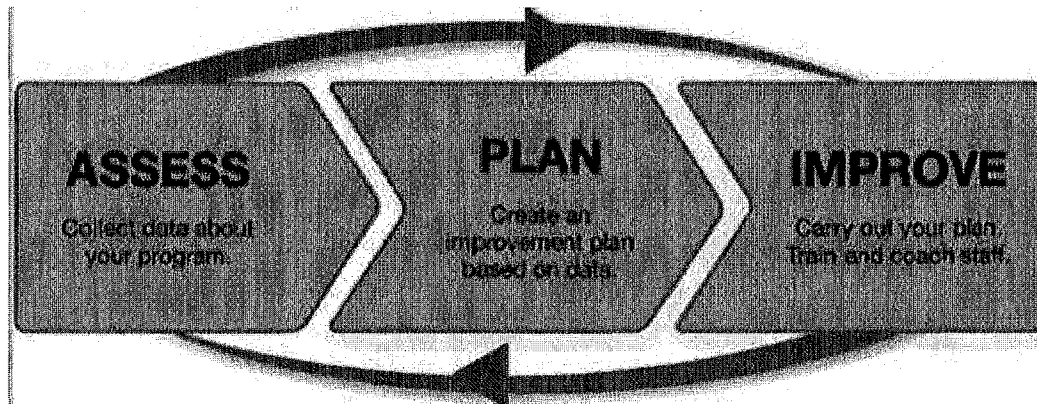
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<b>East Oakland Youth Development Center</b>								
Roots International Academy	140	243	174%	22,150	20,841	94%	37	68%
<b>Oakland Leaf Foundation</b>								
Bret Harte	112	200	179%	12,389	17,547	142%	42	67%
<b>Safe Passages</b>								
Coliseum College Prep Academy (Middle School)	179	173	97%	9,962	10,898	109%	31	79%
Edna Brewer	171	163	95%	10,926	13,185	121%	50	88%
Frick	95	125	132%	7,014	9,550	136%	47	87%
United For Success	120	229	191%	17,586	23,164	132%	48	82%
<b>YMCA of the East Bay</b>								
West Oakland Middle School	144	122	85%	14,848	11,588	78%	28	44%
<b>Middle School Overall/Average</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>3,166</b>	<b>141%</b>	<b>19,636</b>	<b>21,042</b>	<b>107%</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>72%</b>

Source: CitySpan records for OFCY-funded school-based after school programs between July and December 2014.

## POINT-OF-SERVICE QUALITY

Point-of-service quality captures youths' experience in after school activities. High quality after school programming in Oakland is defined as programs that provide youth with a safe and supportive environment, positive interactions between staff and youth and between youth and their peers, and opportunities for engagement.

FIGURE 3: ASSESS, PLAN AND IMPROVE CYCLE



Source: Adapted from Planning with Data Handbook by High/Scope Educational Research Foundation, 2007.

OFCY programs participate in the three-step Program Quality Improvement (PQI) process shown in Figure 3:

- **Assess:** Programs assess the quality of their programs using the age-appropriate Program Quality Assessment (PQA) tool. Programs receive two quality assessments; a self-assessment conducted by program staff and an external assessment conducted by a Public Profit site visitor.
- **Plan:** Programs create Quality Improvement Plans based on collected observational data to identify specific target areas to strengthen their program.
- **Improve:** Programs take the steps identified in the Quality Improvement Plan to strengthen staff practices and program design.

The PQA observation tool, a research-based point-of-service quality observation tool used by out-of-school time programs nationally, is used to assess the quality of services provided by OFCY-funded school-based after school programs. The PQA is based on extensive literature about program features and practices that

are most likely to positively affect young people's development<sup>3</sup>. Site visits using the PQA focus on the observable behaviors of staff and youth. Public Profit site visitors are certified as statistically reliable raters by the Weikart Center for Youth Program Quality.

Public Profit conducted site visits to OFCY-funded school-based after school programs using the School-Age Program Quality Assessment (SAPQA) for programs serving elementary-age youth, and the Youth Program Quality Assessment (YPQA) for those programs serving middle school youth. School-based after school grantees receive one site visit each during the 2014-15 cycle; at the time of this report Public Profit has conducted 62 PQA site visits between October 2014 and February 2015. Programs also conduct a self-assessment, using the SAPQA or the YPQA to supplement external site visit data. *See Appendix A for additional information about the PQA tools.*

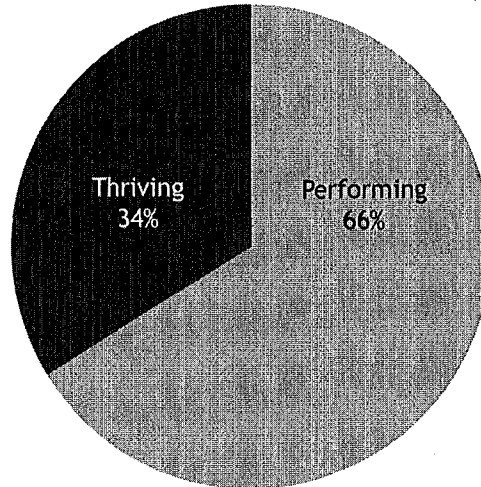
PQA ratings of 1 (lowest rating), 3, or 5 (highest rating) are assigned based on the extent to which a particular practice is implemented. Available evidence suggests that overall school-based after school programs provide a safe, supportive environment for children and youth scoring an average of 4.84 for elementary programs and 4.66 for middle school programs. Additionally, 21 out of 62 observed programs had overall PQA scores of 4.5 or higher and are considered to be "Thriving," indicating that they implemented research-based youth development practices consistently and well.

Forty-one (41) programs had overall PQA scores between 3 and under 4.5 and are considered to be "Performing," indicating that they are providing quality service overall and can continue to improve in specific areas. No programs included in the Interim Report are considered to be "Emerging" or received an overall PQA score that is lower than 3. *See Appendix A for additional information about the point-of-service quality categories.*

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<sup>3</sup> Smith, C. & Hohmann, C. (2005). *Full findings from the Youth PQA validation study*. Ysplanti, MI: HighScope Educational Research Foundation.

**FIGURE 4: POINT-OF-SERVICE QUALITY STATUS FOR OFCY-FUNDED SCHOOL-BASED AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

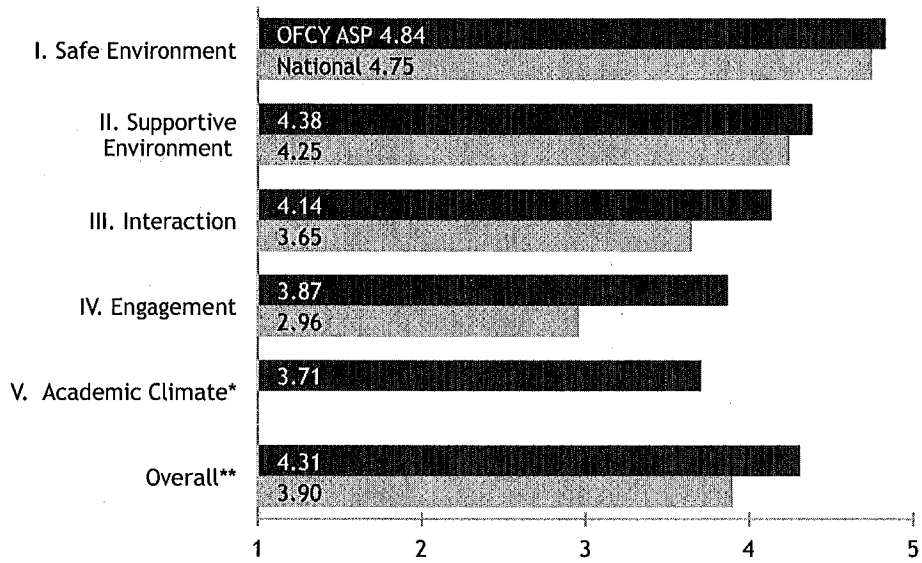


Sources: Site visits conducted by Public Profit representing 62 OFCY-funded school-based after school programs, October 2014 through February 2015.

Moreover, OFCY-funded school-based after school programs' quality ratings are slightly higher or very similar to those of a national sample of after school programs (See Figures 5 and 6). The largest difference is seen in the scores for the Engagement domain: the top level of the program quality pyramid which is the most difficult to implement consistently and well.



**FIGURE 5: OFCY SCHOOL-BASED AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS VS. NATIONAL SAMPLE - SAPQA**

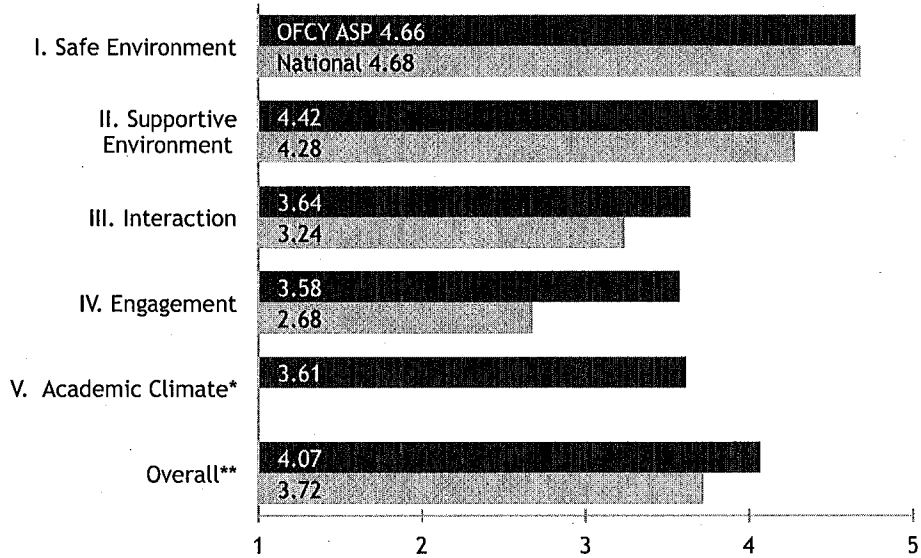


Sources: Site visits conducted by Public Profit to OFCY-funded elementary school-based after school programs, October 2014 through February 2015, n=47, National Sample n=280.

\*National sample data not available for Academic Climate domain.

\*\*Overall score excludes the Academic Climate domain.

FIGURE 6: OFCY GRANTEES VS. NATIONAL SAMPLE - YPQA



Sources: Site visits conducted by Public Profit to OFCY-funded middle school-based after school programs, October 2014 through February 2015, n=15, National Sample n=654.

\*National sample data not available for Academic Climate domain.

\*\*Overall score excludes the Academic Climate domain.

Site-level point-of-service quality scores for OFCY-funded school-based after school programs whose site visits were conducted between October 2014 and February 2015 appear in Table 6 (starting on page 20), organized by program type and lead agency.

TABLE 6: POINT-OF-SERVICE QUALITY RATINGS BY GRANTEE

Lead Agency /Program	Point of Service Quality Status 2014-15	Overall (Excludes Academic Climate)	I. Safe Environment	II. Supportive Environment	III. Interaction	IV. Engagement	V. Academic Climate
<b>ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PROGRAMS</b>							
<i>Bay Area Community Resources</i>							
Bridges Academy	Performing	3.96	4.84	4.08	3.83	3.08	2.89
Emerson	Thriving	4.59	4.72	4.80	4.17	4.67	5.00
Esperanza Academy	Performing	4.49	4.90	4.40	4.67	4.00	3.94
Fred T. Korematsu	Performing	4.47	4.90	4.44	4.61	3.92	3.67
Global Family Learning Without Limits	Thriving	4.65	5.00	4.64	4.39	4.58	3.78
Grass Valley Elementary	Thriving	4.67	5.00	4.59	4.61	4.50	4.61
Greenleaf	Thriving	4.62	5.00	4.92	4.39	4.17	3.72
Hoover	Thriving	4.79	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.17	4.33
Horace Mann	Performing	4.18	4.51	3.93	4.11	4.17	2.72
Howard	Thriving	4.67	5.00	4.80	4.44	4.42	4.78
Lafayette	Thriving	4.71	4.84	4.73	4.83	4.42	3.56
Markham	Performing	3.45	4.80	4.57	2.50	1.92	5.00
Martin Luther King, Jr.	Performing	4.30	4.60	3.97	4.44	4.17	2.50
Place Elementary School After School Program	Performing	3.83	4.43	4.44	3.71	2.75	2.94
Reach Academy	Performing	3.44	4.80	2.73	3.22	3.00	1.56
Sankofa Academy	Performing	3.34	4.87	2.76	3.22	2.50	3.11

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Lead Agency /Program	Point of Service Quality Status 2014-15	Overall (Excludes Academic Climate)	I. Safe Environment	II. Supportive Environment	III. Interaction	IV. Engagement	V. Academic Climate
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***Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.***

Parker	Performing	4.45	4.79	4.90	4.38	3.75	4.11
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***East Bay Agency for Children***

Achieve Academy	Performing	3.85	4.84	3.73	3.67	3.17	2.83
East Oakland Pride	Thriving	4.77	4.84	4.57	4.83	4.83	3.89

***East Bay Asian Youth Center***

Bella Vista	Performing	4.08	4.80	4.40	3.54	3.58	4.56
Cleveland	Performing	3.97	5.00	3.84	3.88	3.17	2.61
Franklin	Thriving	4.91	5.00	4.87	4.78	5.00	5.00
Garfield	Thriving	4.79	5.00	4.51	4.83	4.83	4.22
La Escuelita	Performing	4.11	5.00	3.79	4.33	3.33	4.61
Lincoln	Thriving	4.71	5.00	4.87	4.39	4.58	3.89
Manzanita Community School	Thriving	4.69	4.80	4.51	4.61	4.83	4.17

***East Oakland Youth Development Center***

Futures Elementary	Performing	4.04	4.80	4.15	3.44	3.75	2.94
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***Girls Incorporated of Alameda County***

Acorn Woodland	Performing	4.39	4.84	4.73	3.89	4.08	3.56
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***Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp.***

Allendale	Performing	4.18	4.80	4.21	3.63	4.08	2.61
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Brookfield	Thriving	4.87	5.00	4.87	4.63	5.00	4.11
New Highland Academy	Thriving	4.83	5.00	4.59	5.00	4.75	3.50
Rise Community School	Thriving	4.66	4.80	5.00	4.00	4.83	4.22
Sobrante Park	Thriving	4.83	5.00	4.83	5.00	4.50	3.78
<b>Lighthouse Community Charter School</b>							
Lighthouse Community Charter	Performing	3.70	4.79	3.27	3.33	3.42	1.72
<b>Oakland Leaf Foundation</b>							
ASCEND	Performing	4.23	4.77	4.31	4.44	3.42	3.39
Encompass Academy	Thriving	4.75	5.00	5.00	4.67	4.33	4.83
International Community School	Performing	4.37	4.90	5.00	4.17	3.42	3.94
Learning Without Limits	Performing	3.88	4.84	3.93	3.92	2.83	3.39
Think College Now	Performing	4.34	5.00	4.51	4.00	3.83	3.78
<b>Safe Passages</b>							
Community United	Performing	4.01	4.76	4.52	3.78	3.00	4.56
<b>SFBAC, Learning for Life</b>							
Carl B. Munck	Performing	4.47	4.80	4.57	4.17	4.33	3.94
Fruitvale	Performing	3.97	4.37	4.17	4.00	3.33	4.17
Laurel	Thriving	4.62	5.00	4.76	4.29	4.42	4.17
Manzanita Seed	Performing	4.43	4.54	4.47	4.88	3.83	4.22

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<b><i>Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation</i></b>							
Lazeur Charter Academy	Performing	3.19	4.64	3.55	2.72	1.83	1.33
<b><i>Ujima Foundation</i></b>							
Burckhalter	Performing	3.80	4.80	3.85	3.04	3.50	3.06
<b><i>YMCA of the East Bay</i></b>							
Piedmont	Performing	4.46	4.58	5.00	4.28	4.00	4.78
<b>Elementary School Overall/Average</b>		<b>4.31</b>	<b>4.84</b>	<b>4.38</b>	<b>4.14</b>	<b>3.87</b>	<b>3.71</b>
<b>MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS</b>							
<b><i>Bay Area Community Resources</i></b>							
Alliance Academy	Performing	3.75	4.41	4.29	3.13	3.17	3.11
Claremont	Performing	4.34	5.00	4.85	4.00	3.50	3.83
Elmhurst Community Prep	Performing	3.15	4.48	3.61	2.33	2.17	2.83
Madison	Performing	3.55	4.87	4.13	2.71	2.50	3.22
Melrose Community Bridges Program	Performing	3.15	4.56	4.11	2.25	1.67	1.50
Urban Promise Academy	Performing	4.48	5.00	4.69	3.58	4.67	3.83
<b><i>Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.</i></b>							
Westlake	Thriving	4.62	4.28	4.68	4.67	4.83	4.61
<b><i>East Bay Asian Youth Center</i></b>							
Roosevelt	Thriving	4.71	4.84	5.00	4.50	4.50	4.39

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<b>East Oakland Youth Development Center</b>							
Roots International Academy	Performing	4.27	4.46	4.71	3.92	4.00	4.56
<b>Oakland Leaf Foundation</b>							
Bret Harte	Thriving	4.59	4.92	4.33	4.29	4.83	4.61
<b>Safe Passages</b>							
Coliseum College Prep Academy (Middle School)	Performing	3.99	4.80	4.55	3.29	3.33	3.39
Edna Brewer	Performing	4.48	4.76	4.80	4.21	4.17	3.33
Frick	Performing	3.67	4.03	3.88	3.75	3.00	3.17
United For Success	Performing	3.99	4.72	4.16	3.92	3.17	3.50
<b>YMCA of the East Bay</b>							
West Oakland Middle School	Performing	4.34	4.62	4.47	4.08	4.17	4.33
<b>Middle School Overall/Average</b>		<b>4.07</b>	<b>4.65</b>	<b>4.42</b>	<b>3.64</b>	<b>3.58</b>	<b>3.61</b>

Source: Site visits conducted by Public Profit to OFCY-funded school-based after school programs, October 2014 through February 2015, n=62.

## APPENDIX

### Site Visits Using the SAPQA & YPQA Tools

Site visits provide observational data about key components of program quality, as research has demonstrated that higher quality programs are more likely to promote positive outcomes for youth.<sup>4</sup>

Public Profit conducted site visits using the School-age Program Quality Assessment (SAPQA) for programs serving elementary-age youth or the Youth Program Quality Assessment (YPQA) for programs serving middle school-age youth. The Program Quality Assessments are research-based point-of-service quality observation tools used by out-of-school time programs nationally. Site visitors have been certified as statistically reliable raters by the Weikart Center for Youth Program Quality.

### Program Quality Assessment (PQA) Domains

The PQA tools include five domains:

- 1) **Safe Environment** – Youth experience both physical and emotional safety. The program environment is safe and sanitary. The social environment is safe.
- 2) **Supportive Environment** – Adults support youth with opportunities for active learning, for skill building, and to develop healthy relationships.
- 3) **Interaction** – Adults encourage and support a positive peer culture in the program. Youth support each other. Youth experience a sense of belonging. Youth participate in small groups as members and as leaders. Youth have opportunities to partner with adults.
- 4) **Engagement** – Youth experience positive challenges and pursue learning. Youth have opportunities to plan, make choices, reflect, and learn from their experiences.
- 5) **Academic Climate** – Activities in the program intentionally promote the development of key academic skills and content-area knowledge.

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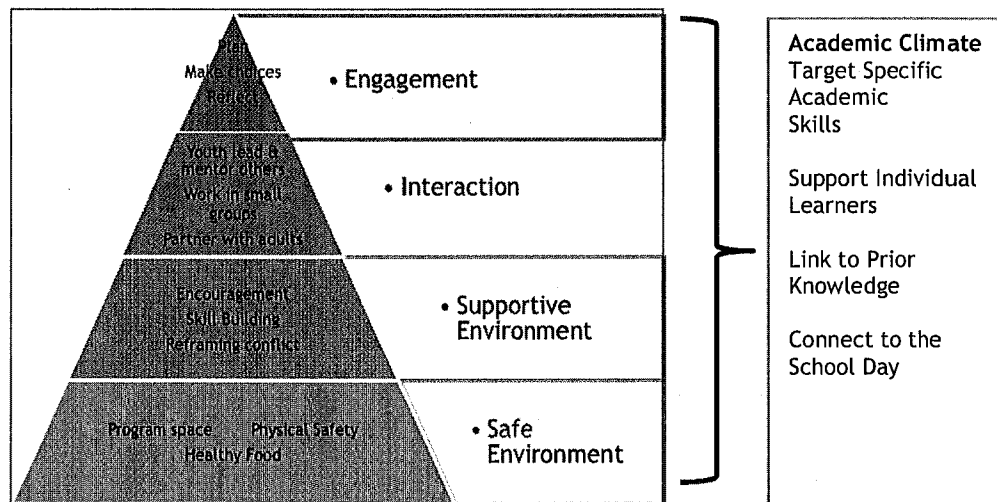
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The quality domains are inter-related and build upon one another. Broadly speaking, programs need to assure that youth enjoy a Safe and Supportive environment before working to establish high quality Interaction and Engagement. For example, a program in which young people are afraid to try new things for fear of being ridiculed by others - an example of an unsupportive environment - is not likely to be an interactive, engaging place for young people.

Figure 7 characterizes the relationship between the PQA quality domains and illustrates that physical and emotional safety (described in the Safe and the Supportive Environment domains) are foundational programmatic elements that support high quality practice in other domains. In general, programs' ratings will be higher for the foundational domains than for Interaction or Engagement.

**FIGURE 7: PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT DOMAINS**



Source: Adapted from Youth PQA Handbook by High/Scope Educational Research Foundation, 2007.

### Program Quality Assessment Scoring

Program quality elements are rated according to visitors' observations and staff responses to follow-up questions. Ratings of 1, 3, or 5 are assigned based on the extent to which a particular practice is implemented. The PQA is a rubric-based assessment, with brief paragraphs describing different levels of performance for each program quality area. Though the specific language varies by practice and version of the tool, the ratings indicate the following levels of performance:

- A rating of one (1) indicates that the practice was not observed while the visitor was on site, or that the practice is not a part of the program;
- A rating of three (3) indicates that the practice is implemented relatively consistently across staff and activities; and
- A five (5) rating indicates that the practice was implemented consistently and well across staff and activities.

### Point-of-Service Quality Categories

Sites are categorized by three point-of-service quality categories:

**Thriving** – Program provides high quality services across all four quality domains and practice areas. Defined as a site with an overall average score of 4.5 or higher.

**Performing** – Program provides high quality service in almost all program quality domains and practice areas, and has a few areas for additional improvement. Defined as a site with an overall average score between 3 and 4.5.

**Emerging** – Program is not yet providing high-quality service. Defined as a site that has an overall average lower than 3.

# **ATTACHMENT**

## **D**

**OFCY History  
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2013-2016**

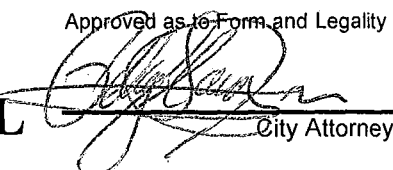
## ATTACHMENT D: OFCY FY2013-2016 Funding Cycle: History on Number of Grants

	# of OFCY Grants
<p><b>June 18, 2013 – Year One of Three Year Funding Cycle</b></p> <p>City Council approves <b>126 grant awards</b> recommended by OFCY. <i>Council also sent back the identified \$1.36 million dollars from FY 2010-2012 and FY 2013-2015 to the POC to address the identified funding and service gaps for LGBTQ youth, as well as providing funding for LGBTQ specific safe spaces, and to bring back these funding recommendations to the Council as soon as possible.</i></p>	<b>126</b>
<p><b>July 30, 2013 – Year One of Three Year Funding Cycle</b></p> <p>City Council approved <b>one new grant award</b> to AIDS Project of the East Bay – Save Our LGBTQI Youth program and increased grant funding to Youth UpRising – Queer &amp; Allies Initiative.</p>	<b>127</b>
<p><b>June 17, 2014 – Year Two of Three Year Funding Cycle</b></p> <p>City Council approves renewal of <b>125 out of 127 program grants</b> and approves <b>one new grant award</b> to OUSD for Summer Pre-K programming.</p> <p><b>Two program grants were not renewed:</b> Citizens Schools California stopped serving as lead agency for after school services at Aspire Lionel Wilson Academy, and did not seek renewal. The Link to Children (TLC) closed operations as of June 30 2014, and the grant was reallocated to Jewish Family and Children’s Services and Lincoln Child Center to continue mental health consultations services at TLC’s prior four sites in FY2014-2015.</p>	<b>126</b>
<p><b>June 17, 2014 – Year Two of Three Year Funding Cycle</b></p> <p>City Council approves <b>three new grant awards</b> for LGBTQ Youth Services.</p>	<b>129</b>
<p><b>Summer 2014 – Year Two of Three Year Funding Cycle</b></p> <p>In 2013-2014, one agency (East Bay Agency for Children) operated two separate program grants for afterschool for World and Achieve schools. During summer 2014, the two schools merged into one elementary school program, and their <b>two program grants were merged into one</b> comprehensive program grant with revised deliverables.</p>	<b>128</b>
<p><b>May 2015 – Third and Final Year of Three year Funding Cycle</b></p> <p>OFCY’s Planning and Oversight Committee recommends renewal of 127 out of 128 program grants for the third and final year. OFCY is <b>not recommending one program grant for renewal</b> – Youth UpRising’s YU Excel program.</p>	<b>127</b>

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# OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

  
City Attorney

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**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO RENEW THE OAKLAND FUND FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH GRANT AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE CITY OF OAKLAND AND VARIOUS PUBLIC AND NON-PROFIT AGENCIES TO PROVIDE DIRECT SERVICES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016 IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$11,089,081**

**WHEREAS**, Measure K/Kids First! Initiative established the Oakland Fund for Children and Youth (“OFCY”) in 1996 to help young people grow to become healthy, productive, and honorable adults; and

**WHEREAS**, the passage of Measure D in 2009 revised the Kids First Charter Amendment and established a second 12 year life cycle for the Kids First! Children’s Fund administered through OFCY; and

**WHEREAS**, the Planning and Oversight Committee (“POC”) provides oversight and direction for the OFCY planning and funding review process; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council approved the OFCY Strategic Investment Plan 2013-2016 and the additional Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth funding strategy as developed by the POC and submitted in December 2012 and February 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council approved the 127 grant awards in May and June 2013 following the POC’s recommendations after the release of the Request for Proposals (RFP) for FY 2013-2016 OFCY grant services for children and youth in 2013-2014, as renewable for two additional one-year periods with Council approval, by Resolution No. 84465 C.M.S.; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council approved the three grant awards in June 2014 following the POC’s recommendations after the release of the Request for Proposals (RFP) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2014-2016 OFCY LGBTQ Youth services in 2014-2015, as renewable for one additional one-year period with Council approval, by Resolution No. 84572 C.M.S.; and

**WHEREAS**, annual revenues for FY 2014-2015 in the amount of \$12,487,515 are to be appropriated to the Kids First! Oakland Children’s Fund (1780) and to be approved in the City of Oakland Adopted Budget FY 2015-2017, and no less than 90% of the appropriation in the amount of \$10,728,069 is to be available for grants and no more than 10% is to be available for the administration and evaluation of OFCY, located in Kids First! Oakland Children’s Fund (1780), Youth Services Organization (78251) OFCY FY 2015-2016 Administration Project

(P485110), Evaluation Project (P485120) and OFCY FY 2015-2016 Contract Project (P485130); and

**WHEREAS**, as specified in the Kids First! Charter Amendment, no less than 90% of Kids First! monies shall be used to pay for eligible services for children and youth and no more than 10% of Kids First! monies shall be used to pay for the administrative costs and any interest earned and amounts unspent or uncommitted by the Fund at the end of any Fiscal Year are to be made available for future grants as specified in the Kids First! Charter Article XIII; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council wishes to allocate 90% portion of said funds to selected grant awards resulting from the January 2013 and February 2014 Request for Proposals for direct services for children and youth in FY 2013-2014 and 2014-2015, and 10% to the administration and evaluation of OFCY, in accordance with the terms of Kids First! Charter Article XIII; and

**WHEREAS**, the POC created by the Measure K – Kids First! Initiative in 1996, provides oversight and direction for the OFCY planning and funding review process; and under the Kids First! Charter provisions, as amended by Measure D, the appropriations for services for children and youth in 2014-2015 may be continued to 2015-2016, and the grants agreements for targeted services are to be renewed as forwarded by the POC subject to performance review; and

**WHEREAS**, the independent evaluator has provided program evaluation information for each grantee that was funding in FY 2013-2014, that indicates programs are targeting appropriate clients and showing positive outcomes and the POC has reviewed the performance of the current grantees in FY 2014-2015; and;

**WHEREAS**, the POC recommends the renewal of grant agreements for 127 programs as specified below for FY 2015-2016, the third and final year of the current funding cycle:

Grant ID#	Agency Name	Project Title	FY2015-2016 Funding
<b>Strategy #1: Mental Health and Developmental Consultations in Early Care and Education</b>			
1	Family Paths, Inc.	Oakland Early Childhood Mental Health Collaborative	\$243,310
2	Jewish Family & Children's Services of the East Bay	Integrated Early Childhood Consultation Program	\$321,875
3	Lincoln Child Center	Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation	\$122,515
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$687,700</b>

<b>Strategy #2: Parent and Child Engagement in Early Learning and Development</b>			
4	Children's Hospital & Research Center Oakland	Integrated Developmental Playgroups Program	\$160,000
5	City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Sandboxes to Community Empowerment	\$180,000
6	East Bay Agency for Children	Parent Child Education and Support Program (PCESP)	\$91,059
7	Lotus Bloom	Multicultural Playgroups	\$124,436
8	Oakland Parents Together	Listening to Children Parent Cafes	\$49,998
9	Our Family Coalition	Building Strong Children in LGBTQ Families	\$48,187
10	Safe Passages	Safe Passages Baby Learning Communities Collaborative	\$200,000
11	Through the Looking Glass	Chatterbox	\$44,908
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$898,588</b>

<b>Strategy #3: Summer Pre-Kindergarten Camps</b>			
12	Oakland Unified School District	OUSD Summer Pre-K	\$80,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$80,000</b>

<b>Strategy #4: School-Based After School Programming for Elementary &amp; Middle School</b>			
13	Bay Area Community Resources	Alliance Academy	\$82,000
14	Bay Area Community Resources	Bridges Academy	\$67,000
15	Bay Area Community Resources	Claremont After School Program	\$82,000
16	Bay Area Community Resources	Elmhurst Community Prep	\$82,000
17	Bay Area Community Resources	Emerson Elementary	\$67,000
18	Bay Area Community Resources	Esperanza Elementary	\$67,000
19	Bay Area Community Resources	Fred T. Korematsu Discovery Academy	\$67,000
20	Bay Area Community Resources	Global Family	\$67,000
21	Bay Area Community Resources	Grass Valley Elementary	\$67,000
22	Bay Area Community Resources	Greenleaf Elementary	\$67,000
23	Bay Area Community Resources	Hoover Elementary	\$67,000
24	Bay Area Community Resources	Howard Elementary	\$67,000
25	Bay Area Community Resources	Lafayette Elementary	\$67,000
26	Bay Area Community Resources	Madison Middle	\$82,000
27	Bay Area Community Resources	Markham Elementary	\$67,000
28	Bay Area Community Resources	Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary	\$67,000
29	Bay Area Community Resources	Melrose's Community Bridges Program	\$82,000
30	Bay Area Community Resources	Preparatory Literary Academy Of Cultural Excellence	\$67,000

31	Bay Area Community Resources	Reach Academy	\$67,000
32	Bay Area Community Resources	Sankofa Academy	\$67,000
33	Bay Area Community Resources	Urban Promise Academy	\$82,000
34	Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.	Parker Elementary	\$67,000
35	Eagle Village Community Center Youth and Family Services, Inc.	Westlake Middle	\$82,000
36	East Bay Agency for Children	East Oakland Pride Elementary	\$67,000
37	East Bay Agency for Children	World Academy	\$67,000
38	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Bella Vista Elementary	\$67,000
39	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Cleveland Elementary	\$67,000
40	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Franklin Elementary	\$67,000
41	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Garfield Elementary	\$67,000
42	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	La Escuelita Elementary	\$67,000
43	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Lincoln Elementary	\$67,000
44	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Manzanita Community	\$67,000
45	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Roosevelt Middle	\$82,000
46	East Oakland Youth Development Center	Futures Elementary	\$67,000
47	East Oakland Youth Development Center	Roots International Academy	\$82,000
48	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Acorn Woodland Elementary	\$67,000
49	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Horace Mann Elementary	\$67,000
50	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Allendale Elementary	\$67,000
51	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Brookfield Elementary	\$49,000
52	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Madison Park Academy TK-5	\$67,000
53	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	New Highland Academy	\$67,000
54	Higher Ground Neighborhood Development Corp	Rise Community	\$67,000
55	Lighthouse Community Charter School	Lighthouse Community Charter	\$82,000



56	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Ascend	\$82,000
57	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Bret Harte Middle	\$82,000
58	Oakland Leaf Foundation	EnCompass Academy	\$67,000
59	Oakland Leaf Foundation	International Community	\$67,000
60	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Learning Without Limits	\$67,000
61	Oakland Leaf Foundation	Think College Now	\$67,000
62	Safe Passages	Coliseum College Prep Academy	\$82,000
63	Safe Passages	Community United Elementary	\$67,000
64	Safe Passages	Edna Brewer Middle	\$82,000
65	Safe Passages	Frick Middle	\$82,000
66	Safe Passages	United For Success Academy	\$82,000
67	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Carl B. Munck Elementary	\$67,000
68	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Fruitvale Elementary	\$67,000
69	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Laurel Elementary	\$67,000
70	SFBAC, Learning for Life	Manzanita Seed	\$67,000
71	Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation	Lazear Charter Academy	\$49,000
72	Ujima Foundation	Burckhalter Elementary	\$67,000
73	YMCA of the East Bay	Piedmont Avenue Elementary	\$49,000
74	YMCA of the East Bay	West Oakland Middle	\$82,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$4,355,000</b>

**Strategy #5: Transition Programs for Youth into Middle and High School**

75	Alternatives in Action	Fremont Initiative for Reaching Success Together (FIRST) Transitions Program	\$65,000
76	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Break The Cycle	\$133,200
77	Oakland Kids First	PASS-2	\$124,999
78	Safe Passages	Safe Passages Transitions Program	\$152,901
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$476,100</b>

**Strategy #6: Youth Leadership in Community Schools**

79	Alternatives in Action	Youth Development Leadership Program at McClymonds & Life Academy	\$162,000
80	Oakland Unified School District	OUSD Peer Restorative Justice Program	\$149,670
81	Spanish Speaking Citizens' Foundation	LIBRE United	\$150,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$461,670</b>

**Strategy #7: Community-based Out-of-School Time Programs**

82	American Indian Child Resource Center	Culture Keepers	\$73,728
83	Bay Area Outreach & Recreation Program	Sports & Recreation for Youth with Disabilities	\$43,200
84	City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Oakland Discovery Centers	\$150,000
85	Community Initiatives	Media After School (MAS)	\$50,000
86	Dimensions Dance Theater, Inc.	Rites of Passage	\$50,000
87	East Bay Asian Local Development Corporation	Lion's Pride Afterschool and Summer Youth Program	\$67,500
88	East Oakland Boxing Association	SmartMoves Education & Enrichment Program	\$91,720
89	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Girls in Oakland Achieve and Lead	\$97,673
90	Native American Health Center, Inc.	Indigenous Voices II	\$127,500
91	Refugee Transitions	Newcomer Community Engagement Program	\$67,489
92	San Francisco Study Center	Brothers, UNITE!	\$49,891
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$868,701</b>

**Strategy #8: Summer Programs**

93	Aim High	Aim High/Oakland	\$150,000
94	City of Oakland - Office of Parks and Recreation	Summer Camp Explosion	\$100,000
95	College Track	Academic Summer Advancement Program	\$35,000
96	Destiny Arts Center	Camp Destiny	\$32,525
97	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	Summer Matters	\$99,407
98	East Oakland Youth Development Center	Summer Cultural Enrichment Program	\$60,950
99	Family Support Services of the Bay Area	Kinship Summer Youth Program	\$80,000
100	Girls Incorporated of Alameda County	Concordia Park Summer Program	\$57,568
101	Lincoln Child Center	Oakland Freedom Schools	\$125,000
102	Prescott Circus Theatre	Prescott Circus Theatre Summer Program	\$30,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$770,450</b>

<b>Strategy #9: Youth Leadership and Community Safety</b>			
103	East Bay Asian Youth Center (EBAYC)	API Youth Promoting Advocacy and Leadership	\$125,000
104	Human Services Department	Friday Night in the Park Program Support	\$70,000
105	La Clinica de La Raza	Youth Brigade	\$119,990
106	Peace Development Fund	BAY-Peace: Better Alternatives for Youth	\$50,000
107	Project Re-Connect	Project Re-Connect	\$50,000
108	Safe Passages	Get Active Urban Arts Program	\$115,000
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$529,990</b>

<b>Strategy #10: Youth Career and Workforce Development</b>			
109	Alameda Health System	Model Neighborhood Collaborative	\$200,000
110	Alta Bates Summit Foundation	Youth Bridge Career & Workforce Development Program	\$73,568
111	Beyond Emancipation	Gaining Resources and Opportunities for Work (GROW): a Culinary Training Program	\$75,000
112	Center for Media Change	Hack the Hood Summer Bootcamp	\$50,000
113	East Side Arts Alliance	ArtWorks at ESAA	\$82,500
114	Juma Ventures	Pathways to Advancement	\$100,000
115	OUSD College & Career Readiness Office	Exploring College & Career Options in Oakland (ECCO!)	\$70,000
116	The Unity Council	Oakland Youth Engaged (OYE)	\$100,000
117	The Youth Employment Partnership, Inc.	Career Try-Out	\$150,000
118	Youth Radio	Pathways to Digital	\$100,344
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$1,001,412</b>

<b>Strategy #11: Academic Support for Older Youth</b>			
119	Centro Legal de la Raza	Youth Law Academy	\$125,000
120	College Track	College Track After School Program	\$128,880
121	Youth Radio	Pathways to Higher Education	\$81,720
122	Youth Together, Inc.	Youth Together's Academic Support For Older Youth	\$149,995
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$485,595</b>

<b>Strategy #12: Safe Community Spaces for LGBTQ Youth</b>			
123	AIDS Project of the East Bay	Save Our LGBTI-Youth (SOL)	\$90,000
124	Destiny Arts Center	Moving in the Movement	\$53,988
125	Health Initiatives for Youth (HIFY)	HIFY's LGBTQIQ Youth Safe Space Initiative	\$138,258
126	La Clinica de la Raza	Juntos	\$45,129
127	Youth UpRising	YU Queer & Allies Initiative	\$146,500
<b>Subtotal:</b>			<b>\$473,875</b>
<b>TOTAL:</b>			<b>\$11,089,081</b>

now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That these agreements are not professional services contracts as defined by City ordinance as they do not provide goods or services to the City but rather they are grants to public and nonprofit programs that serve the public at large, therefore the competitive request for proposal/qualifications process is not required under Oakland Municipal Code section 2.04.015; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator is authorized to execute agreements with the aforementioned 127 service providers in the amounts specified above for a total amount not to exceed \$11,089,081 for FY 2015-2016, and is authorized to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, modifications, payment requests, and related actions which may be necessary in accordance with the basic purpose of this resolution without returning to City Council; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That said agreement(s) shall be approved as to form and legality by the Office of the City Attorney and placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, \_\_\_\_\_

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES- BROOKS, CAMPBELL WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID, AND PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
**LATONDA SIMMONS**  
 City Clerk and Clerk of the Council  
 of the City of Oakland, California