



ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

**County Board Agenda Item
Meeting of April 21, 2012**

DATE: February 28, 2012

SUBJECT: FY 2012 State Grants for the Department of Human Services

C. M. RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Authorize the County Manager or her designee to accept \$8,832 in funds from the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Development Services on behalf of the County Board.

2. Appropriate \$8,832 in FY 2012 from the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (101.364501) to the Department of Human Services (101.52159) for mental health crisis stabilization program enhancements.

ISSUES: The Department of Human Services (DHS) has been notified of additional funding for specific client-related medication needs and security system enhancements for mental health crisis stabilization. These are one-time funds.

DISCUSSION: The Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) has awarded DHS \$8,832 to support medication needs for mental health clients and crisis stabilization facility security system enhancements. These funds are a result of new state requirements for clients who are under a court-ordered Temporary Detention Order (TDO). These clients will be eligible to receive additional support for medications prescribed during their crisis stabilization stay. The funding will also cover security system enhancements to help monitor TDO clients. All funds are to be used for specific purposes as approved by DBHDS.

FISCAL IMPACT: None. This action will appropriate an additional \$8,832 in grant funding to DHS' FY 2012 budget. No local match is required. Any unexpended funds will be carried over into FY 2013 for the continuation of services.

County Manager:

County Attorney:

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Staff: Suzanne M. Lane, Department of Human Services