

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Department of Commerce and Insurance

HB Section(s): 7.445

Office of Tattooing, Body Piercing and Branding

Program is found in the following core budget(s): Professional Registration Administration

1a. What strategic priority does this program address?

- Strengthen our regulatory relationships while ensuring a level playing field to protect and advocate for the general public
- Develop our team, reward great performance, and retain top talent
- Innovate to make it easier to connect and work with us

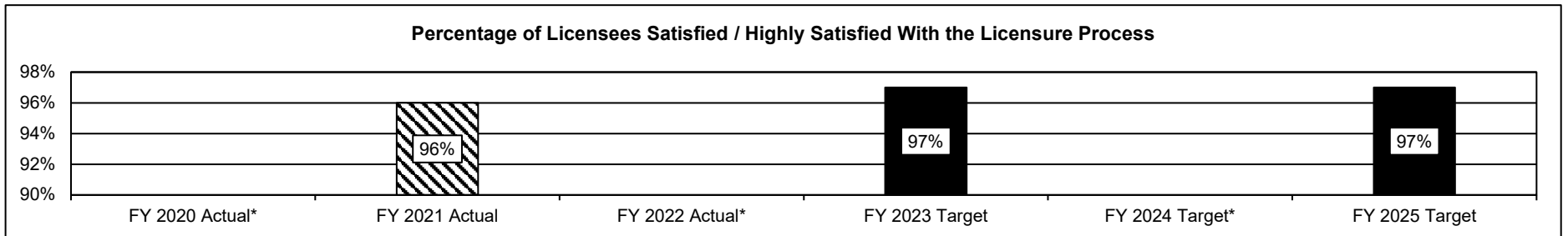
1b. What does this program do?

- The Office of Tattooing, Body Piercing & Branding licenses tattoo, body piercing and branding practitioners and establishments in Missouri to ensure consumers have a safe, sanitary environment when receiving these services.
- Ensures adequate education and training of practitioners.
- Investigates complaints against licensees in a fair and equitable manner and administers appropriate discipline to licensees.

2a. Provide an activity measure(s) for the program.

	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
	Actual	Actual	Actual	Target	Target	Target
Applications Received	519	788	1,168	1,170	1,170	1,170
Licensed Professionals	2,109	2,439	2,574	3,000	3,000	3,000

2b. Provide a measure(s) of the program's quality.



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Licensees were surveyed about their experience with the office's licensure procedures, customer service, website and communications.

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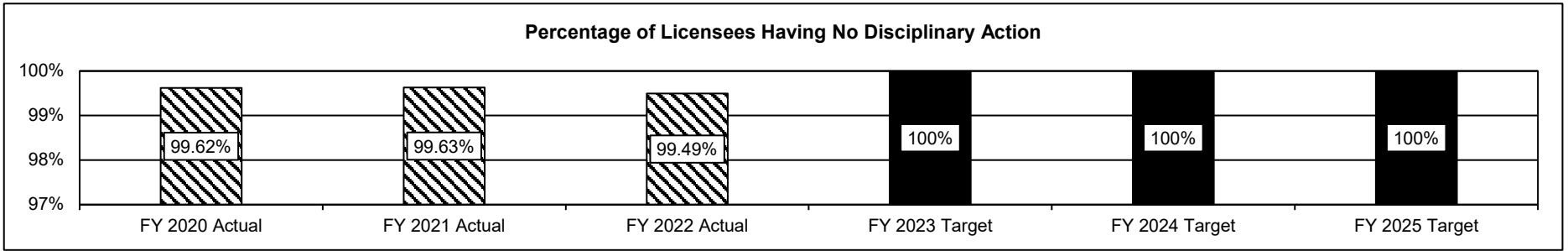
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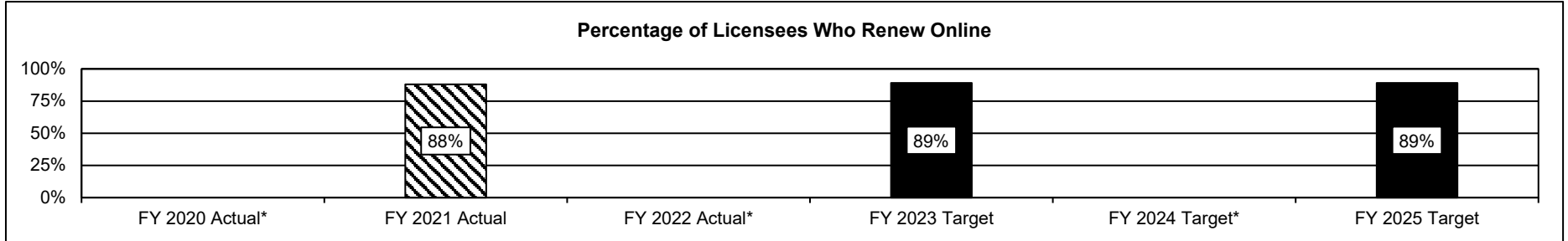
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2c. Provide a measure(s) of the program's impact.

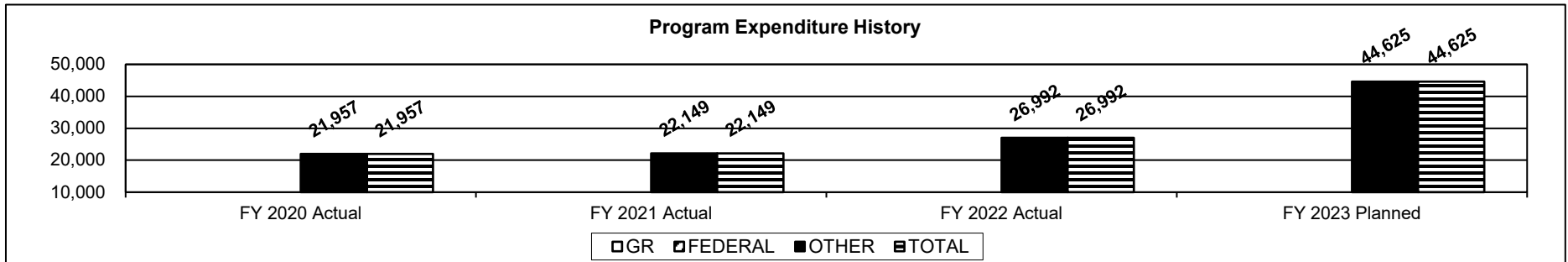


2d. Provide a measure(s) of the program's efficiency.



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3. Provide actual expenditures for the prior three fiscal years and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year. (Note: Amounts do not include fringe benefit costs.)



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4. What are the sources of the "Other " funds?

Tattoo Fund (0883)

5. What is the authorization for this program, i.e., federal or state statute, etc.? (Include the federal program number, if applicable.)

State Statute: Sections 324.520-324.524, RSMo.

6. Are there federal matching requirements? If yes, please explain.

N/A

7. Is this a federally mandated program? If yes, please explain.

No