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1a. What strategic priority does this program address?

Success Ready Students and Workforce Development

1b. What does this program do?

A strong Missouri workforce is one inclusive of people with disabilities who want to work and can work. The Vocational Rehabilitation program provides access to the services and supports for individuals with disabilities to be successful in their job goals.

The Vocational Rehabilitation program assists individuals with physical and/or mental disabilities achieve competitive integrated employment.

- * Helps individuals with disabilities to maximize their employment, economic self-sufficiency, independence, and community integration by providing individualized counseling and vocational rehabilitation services.
- * Provides hope, inspiration, and pathways to individuals whose disabilities are a substantial barrier to employment so they may prepare for, secure, retain, advance in, or regain employment.

Vocational Rehabilitation assists high school students with disabilities transition from school to the workforce.

- * Provides pre-employment transition services for students in: 1) Job exploration counseling, 2) Work based learning experiences, 3) Counseling for postsecondary education, 4) Work place readiness training, and 5) Instruction in self advocacy.
- * Provides summer work experiences for students with disabilities by coordinating with community rehabilitation providers and businesses.

Vocational Rehabilitation works to help educate businesses about accessibility and develops workplace opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

* Assists businesses in meeting their workforce needs and establishing a more diverse workplace culture.

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

	FY2018		FY2019		FY2020		FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Projected	Projected
Number of Clients Served	29,000	28,102	28,500	27,585	28,000	24,434	28,000	28,000	28,000
Number of Potentially Eligible Students Served	4,800	7,784	5,000	5,096	5,100	5,817	5,200	5,300	5,400

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

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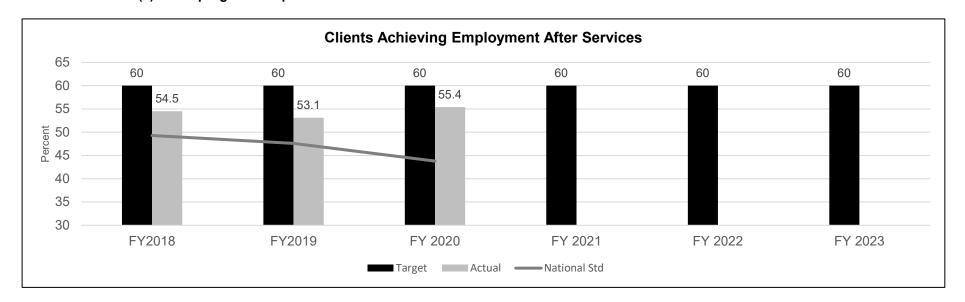
96% of clients indicated VR staff were available and ready to assist.

98% of clients indicated they were treated with courtesy and respect.

94% of clients had VR counselors explain choices to them.

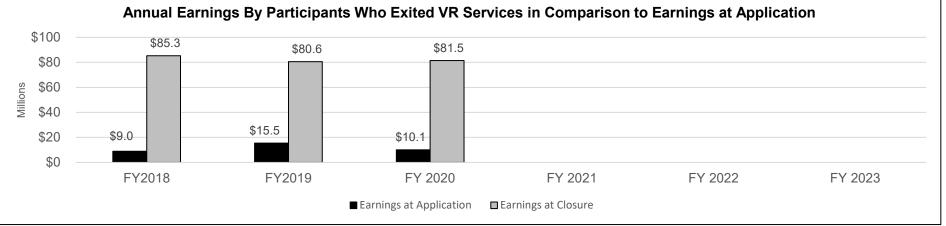
93% of clients had VR counselors help plan appropriate service for them.

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



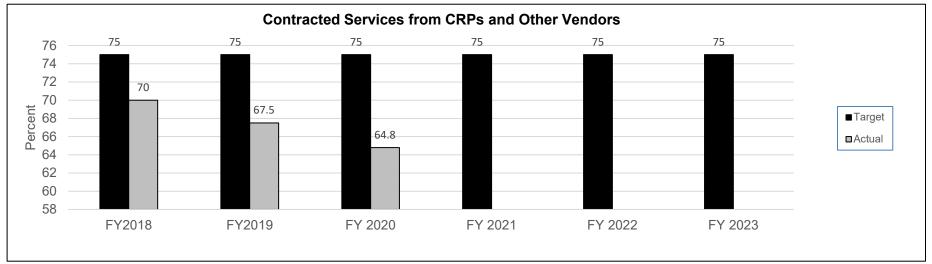
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2c. Provide a measure(s) of the program's impact.



Note: Annual earnings is calculated by reported earnings multiplied the number of hours worked per week multiplied by 50.5 average working weeks within a year.

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



Note: Actual expenditures are reported on a federal fiscal year. Expenditures are only available for FFY18 and FFY19.

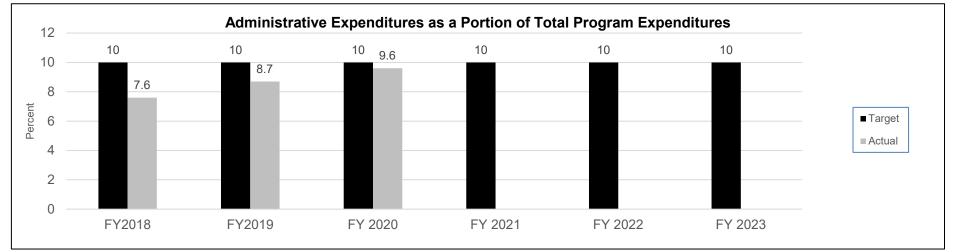
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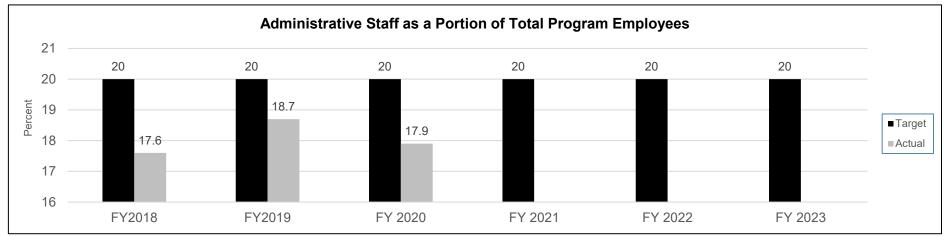
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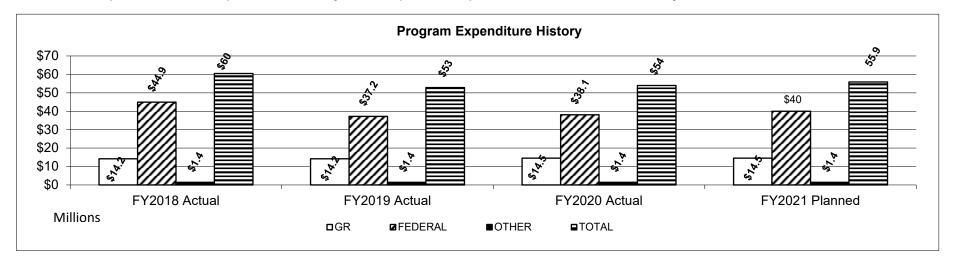
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3. Provide actual expenditures for the prior three fiscal years and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year.



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

Fund 291- Lottery Funds (0291)

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

The statutory authority for the Vocational Rehabilitation program is from the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 701-744) and Section 178.590, RSMo.

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

The match rate for this program is 78.7% federal and 21.3% state sources.

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

Yes, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, establishes the requirement for a designated state unit to carry our the provision of the Act.