American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Impact of the Federal Stimulus on Health and Social Services in NYC



Children Services



- CCDBG will enable the City to sustain 93 classrooms in subsidized child care programs and make an additional 1,860 seats available to serve preschoolers.

-\$7 million has already been spent providing health insurance to 3,000 employees of Head Start programs over the past three months.

-IV-E stimulus funds have been used to offset the underfunding that the city has been facing and to mitigate the impact of budget cuts on the Administration for Children's Services (ACS) and its providers.

Social Services



- 13.6% increase in food stamps impacted over 1.6 million recipients.

- The Food Stamp Program has seen a one year growth in caseload of 22 percent which translates into an additional 297,000 recipients.

- The Human Resource Administration's (HRA) Child Support Program last year collected a record high \$678 million in child support.

- Thanks to the TANF award, nearly 500 individuals have been placed in ARRAfunded subsidized jobs since September 2009. ³

Homelessness Prevention



-To date, the Department for Homeless Services (DHS) has served more than 9,500 households with prevention and rapid re-housing services.

-Over the next three years HPRP funding is estimated to serve over 67,650 individuals in 29,000 households.

- In the quarter ending 12/31/09, 361 jobs were created or retained through HPRP funding.



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Senior Services



- These grants paid for food and disposable costs for 353,711 congregate meals and food and disposable costs for 191,046 home-delivered meals for the quarter ending 12/31/09.

- 112 NYC Title V workers are receiving training at work sites in the field such as clerical work, customer-service, human services, healthcare, and retail, with the goal of being placed in unsubsidized employment upon completion of their training.

Community Services Block Grant





- CSBG funding provided the opportunity for the Department of Youth and Community Development (DYCD) to:
 - Enroll over 6,000 young people in summer youth employment programs
 - Provide subsidized jobs and employment assistance to over 600 formerly incarcerated non-custodial fathers
 - Offer summer enrichment programming to over 29,000 middle and elementary school students
 - Enhance adult literacy, English for Speaker of Other Languages, employment assistance, and child care programs for over 3,000 vulnerable, low-income New Yorkers

Strengthening Communities Fund





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- The Mayor's Office received a two-year grant to work with a coalition of funders to create a standard electronic document file cabinet with sector wide performance data and financial management standards for nonprofits.

- This common tool will strengthen the capacity of the City's human services sector to provide better and more cost-effective services to City residents, particularly those with low incomes who are most affected by the economic downturn, as well as create opportunities for strong collaborations among government, community based organizations and various public and private funders.

Leveraging Technology to Improve Health Status



- Over \$3.2 million in funding from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is allowing the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DOHMH) to enhance data surveillance, administration, and educational outreach around important childhood vaccines.

- A \$21.7 million grant awarded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services is expanding on the City's successful efforts to facilitate the adoption and use of electronic health records at medical practices, primarily those located in medically underserved areas.

Preventing Chronic Disease

Communities Putting Prevention to Work \$31m



- The CPPW award will enable the City to:

- Support the Green Carts and Healthy Bodegas initiatives, which improve access to healthy foods in underserved neighborhoods and provide subsidized jobs and employment assistance to over 600 formerly incarcerated non-custodial fathers
- Promote the adoption of New York City's Active Design Guidelines, which encourage architects and planners to create buildings and neighborhoods that promote physical activity
- Raise awareness of the health impacts of sugar-sweetened beverages, tobacco and excessive salt usage