

OKLAHOMA

Social Service Block Grant FY2016

January 2019



CRITICAL FACT:

**SSBG Provides Vital
Resources in Oklahoma**

Sum of
Expenditures for
Services

\$19,162,359

Key Resources Utilized Under SSBG:

\$7,474,258 on Protective Services for
Adults

\$7,099,314 on Protective Services for
Children

\$3,000,000 on Prevention and
Intervention Services

\$1,517,832 Foster Care Services-
Children

\$70,000 on Day Care for Children

Why is SSBG important to Oklahoma?

Child Abuse and Neglect

In 2017, Oklahoma had 78,080 total referrals for child abuse and neglect. Of those, 35,553 reports were referred for investigation.

In 2017, there were 14,457 victims of child maltreatment.

Protective Service for Adults

Domestic, dating, and sexual violence are costly and pervasive problems in the U.S., causing victims, as well as witnesses and bystanders, in every community to suffer incalculable pain and loss.

15.5 million Children in the United States live in families in which partner violence occurred at least once in the past year, and seven million children live in families in which severe partner violence occurred.

Over 4,300 adults will receive protective services funded by the SSBG in FY 2016.

Protective & Foster Care Services for Children

In 2017, 9,312 children in Oklahoma lived apart from their families in out-of-home care. SSBG provided for services for 9,984 children.

In 2017, 2,593 children were legally adopted through a public child welfare agency in Oklahoma, increasing 4.1% from 2,487 in 2016.

Around 33,000 children will receive SSBG-funded protective services in Oklahoma.

Day Care Services for Children

SSBG will provide 57,125 children with day care services.