TENNESSEE

Social Service Block Grant FY2016

January 2019

CRITICAL FACT:

SSBG Provides Vital Resources in Tennessee

Sum of Expenditures for Services

\$31,147,709



Key Resources Utilized Under SSBG:

\$9,328,700 on Case Management Services

\$6,204,908 on Prevention and Intervention Services

\$4,427,590 on Housing Services

\$4,174,303 on Protective Services for Adults

Why is SSBG important to Tennessee?

Case Management Services

In 2017, Tennessee had 130,107 total referrals for child abuse and neglect. Of those, 74,497 were referred for investigation.

SSBG will provide 33,819 children with case management services. Services include crisis intervention, community development, arrangements for alternate care, and mental health assessments.

Prevention and Intervention

19,838 children in Tennessee received prevention services as the result of SSBG 2016 funding. There were 8,983 victims of child abuse and neglect.

Protective Services 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.

2,022 adults under the age of 60 and 8,657 senior citizens received SSBG funded adult protective services.

Housing Services

270 adults received housing services funded by SSBG.



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