

Maricopa Association of Governments FY 2011 Regional Human Services Plan

Purpose

Primary purpose: To identify regional human services needs in order to prioritize funding decisions, specifically, locally planned Social Services Block Grant dollars.

Secondary purpose: To provide a central source of information about the region's human services needs, resources, and best practices in order to coordinate activity and improve the way the region address human services issues.

Audience

Primary audience: MAG member agencies

Secondary audience: Nonprofit agencies and community partners

Impact

The most effective and needed services will be funded appropriately.

Research

Target group fact sheets, community partner publications, and other indicators as determined by the Committee.

Communication

Through presentations at committee and community meetings; and posting online.

Topic	Include?	Recommended data sources	Data collector	Author	Reviewer
SSBG allocation recommendations	Yes	Target group fact sheets	MAG	MAG	
Best practices					
Demographics	Yes	ACS	MAG	MAG	
Budget analysis					
Funding					
SSBG fact sheets	Yes	Variety	MAG	MAG	
Need assessment					
Employment					
Poverty					
Education					
Healthcare					
Crime					
Comparable geographic areas					
Foreclosures					
Economy					
Stimulus funding					
Other:					