

State Funded Diversion Programs / Use of *Trueblood* Fines

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General Overview



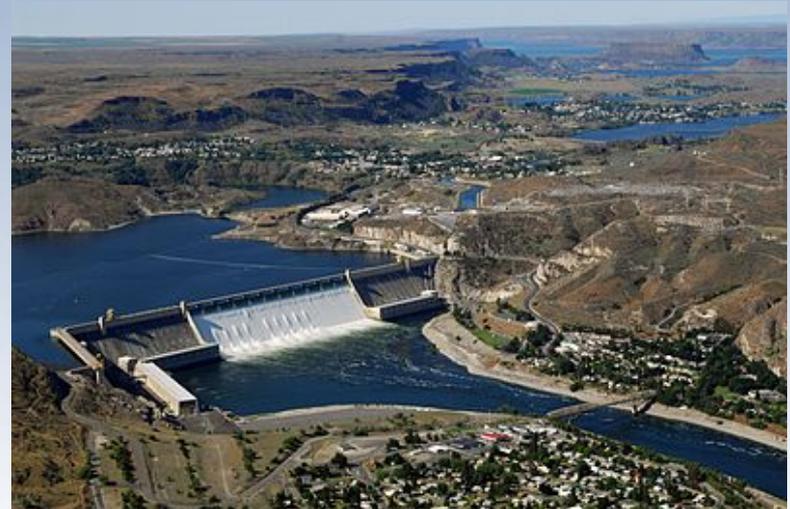
Cycle of Defendants

- Diversion, what is it?
- How did we decide the diversion program structure
 - Two decision points
 - Workgroup
 - The Sequential Intercept Model
 - *Trueblood* Class member characteristics
- State Funded Programs
- *Trueblood* Fine-Funded Programs

Diversion: How to re-direct patient flow

Diversion from what?

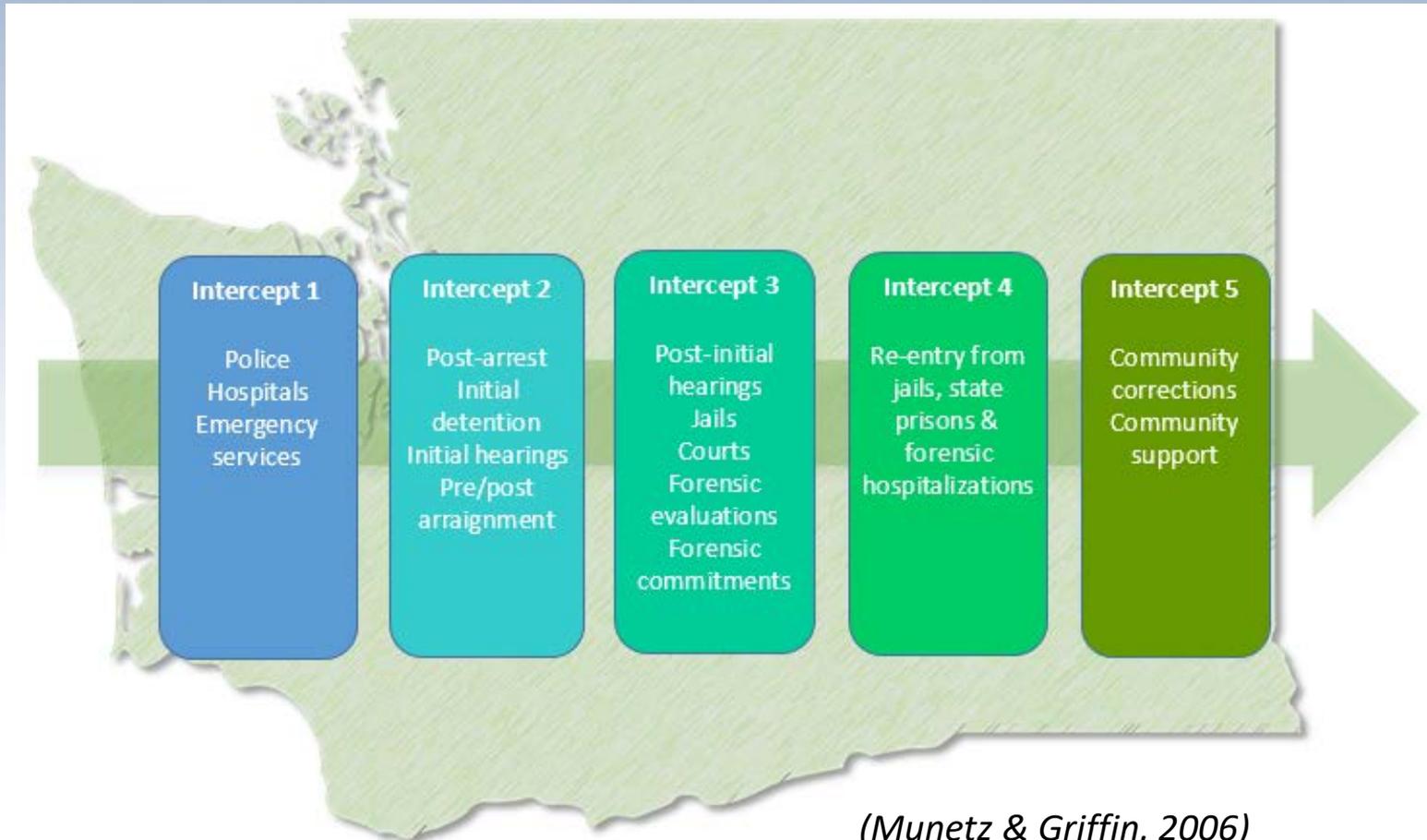
- Criminal justice involvement
 - Arrest
 - Jail
 - Prison
- Admission to ER's
- Admission to State Hospitals



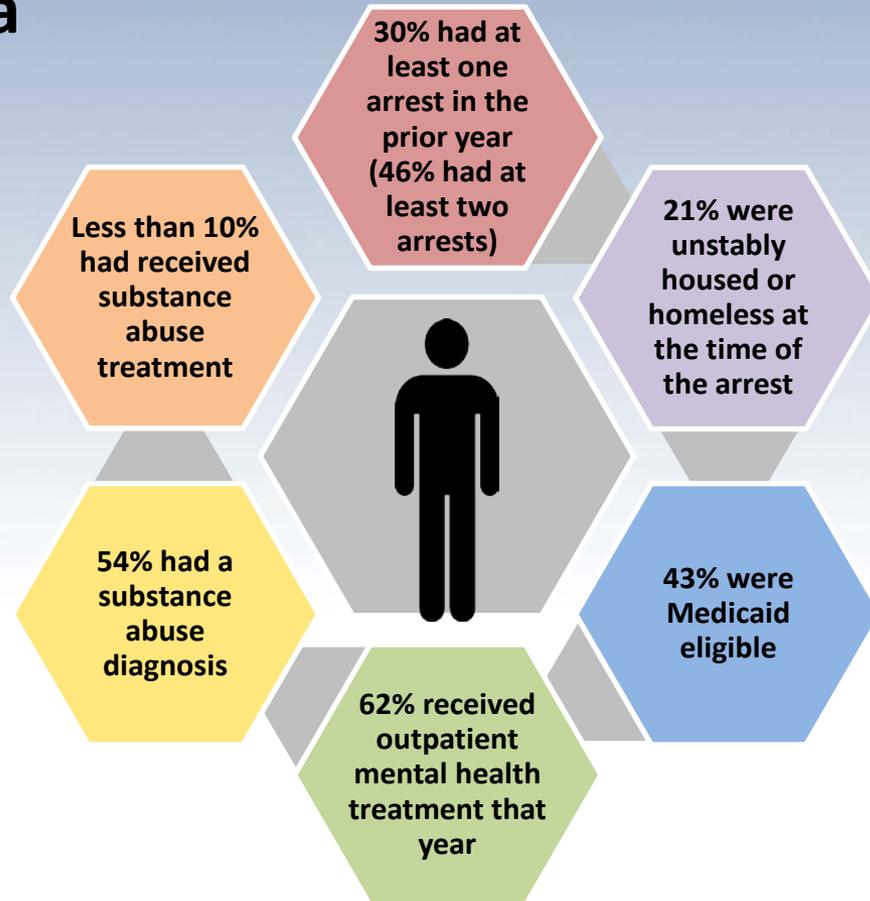
Purpose/Goals of Diversion

- Right services at the right time in the best place
- Prevent recidivism
- Reduce competency services
- Reduce long-term incarceration
- Collaboration

Diversion (Sequential) Intercept Model



Class Member Characteristics from July 2016 Data



Diversion funding—two current streams

- State funded prosecutorial diversion—funded in SSB5177
 - ✓ \$1.394 million GF-S per fiscal year
- *Trueblood* Contempt fines assessed beginning July 8, 2016—Court ordered fines be used to fund diversion programs
 - ✓ Phase I: \$4.273 million
 - ✓ Phase II: \$4.557 million

Workgroup

- Workgroup convened to include experts on diversion and the Court Monitor, Dr. Mauch
- 6 Strategies Recommended:
 1. Housing Subsidies (Intercept 5)
 2. Outpatient Competency Restoration (Intercept 2)
 3. Law Enforcement CIT plus (Intercept 1)
 4. Pre-screening to triage class members (Intercept 2)
 5. Warm handoff re-entry (Intercept 4)
 6. Telepsychiatry/medicine (Intercept 3)

State-funded Diversion Pilot Programs

- Targets prosecutorial diversion (Intercept 2)
- Prosecutorial diversion allows a prosecutor to use their discretion to dismiss a non-felony charge without prejudice if the issue of competency is raised. The intent of the program is to divert misdemeanor and low level felony defendants from incarceration and hospitalization, into needed behavioral health treatment.



State-funded Diversion Pilot Programs

Project	Desired Outcomes	Start Date	Services Provided	Number Served through November 30, 2017
Spokane County – program focused on those with misdemeanor and low-level felonies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reduction in arrests/convictions - Reduction in competency evaluation referrals - Successful completion of diversion requirements - Housing stability 	October, 2016	Liaising with prosecutors office, pre-trial services and jail; assessment and referral; care management, med management/monitoring; intensive supports	47
Pacific County- program focused on misdemeanors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reduction in arrests/convictions - Reduction in competency evaluation referrals - Successful completion of diversion requirements - Housing stability 	September, 2016	Liaising with prosecutors office and jail; care management, med management/monitoring; intensive supports; peer support	6
King County- program focused on misdemeanors and low-level felonies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reduction in arrests/convictions - Reduction in competency evaluation referrals - Successful completion of diversion requirements - Housing stability 	January, 2017	Liaising with prosecutors office; care management, med management/monitoring; intensive supports; respite beds; day support	31
Greater Columbia- program focused on misdemeanors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reduction in arrests/convictions - Reduction in competency evaluation referrals - Successful completion of diversion requirements - Housing stability 	November, 2016	Liaising with the prosecutor’s office and jail; MH assessment and treatment planning while in jail; initial and ongoing care coordination post release for up to one year (med management, SUD treatment, crisis intervention; limited capacity for housing)	49

Trueblood Fine-funded Programs

Phase I (Intercepts 2 and 4)

- Programs awarded funding beginning 7/1/2017
 - King County, BHO
 - Sunrise Services, Inc.
 - Comprehensive Health Care
 - Great Rivers BHO
 - Kitsap Mental Health Services

Phase II (Intercepts 2 and 4)

- Programs awarded funding 12/2017
 - Catholic Charities
 - Pierce County
 - Thurston Mason BHO

NOTE: Phase III (Intercepts 1 and 5) was released in October 2017 and application submissions are due December 22, 2017