Department of Social Services

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Military and Veteran's Affairs Office Equal Opportunity Plan

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Department Head's Acknowledgment & Commitment to the 2021 Departmental Equal Opportunity Plan

The Monterey County Board of Supervisors adopted an ordinance reaffirming their long-standing commitment to the principles of providing equal opportunities for all and preventing and eliminating unlawful discrimination. The Board of Supervisors values providing an open and empathetic communication channel for County officials and employees, applicants for employment, and business relationships with the County. Through the adoption of the Nondiscrimination, Prevention of Sexual Harassment, Reasonable Accommodation for Persons with Disabilities, and the Language Access and Effective Communication Policies, the Board of Supervisors reaffirms its expectation that each County official and employee is responsible for maintaining a workplace that is free from unlawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation.

As Department Head, my signature below verifies the accuracy of this report and affirms my commitment to equal opportunity and civil rights, as outlined in County policies and ordinances.

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Department Information

The Monterey County Department of Social Services

The Department of Social Services (DSS) promotes the social and economic self-reliance of individuals and families in Monterey County through employment services, temporary financial assistance, social support services, protective services to children, dependent adults and seniors, and partnerships with the community to develop and support personal responsibility and self-sufficiency.

Programs and Functions:

COMMUNITY BENEFITS (CB) provides eligibility services for Medi-Cal health insurance, CalFresh nutrition assistance, CalWORKs through cash aid to families with children, and General Assistance to indigent adults.

FAMILY AND CHILDREN SERVICES BENEFITS (FCS) provides child abuse and neglect prevention, assesses and investigates referrals of child abuse and neglect, supports adoptions and other permanency resources when reunification is not possible, and provides independent living skills services for older youth who are in care or emancipating to independence.

CalWORKs EMPLOYMENT SERVICES administers the Welfare-to-Work Employment Program providing self-sufficiency services to CalWORKs customers. This includes child care, job search support, skill building, wage subsidies, and services to overcome barriers related to housing, mental health, substance abuse, and domestic violence.

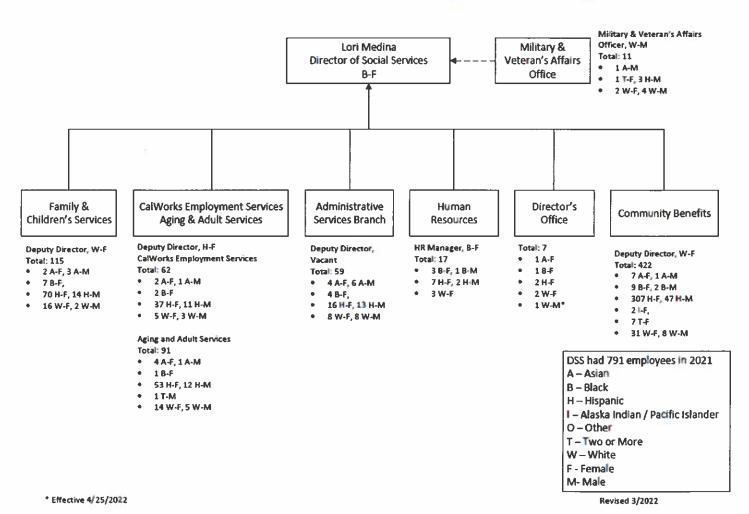
AGING AND ADULT SERVICES administers the Adult Protective Services (APS) Program to address abuse and dependent adult exploitation, In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) program to provide home care services as an alternative to out of home residential or institutional care, Supplemental Security Income (SSI) advocacy to support disabled General Assistance recipients applying for more appropriate SSI benefits, and Area Agency on Aging programs for seniors.

MILITARY & VETERANS' AFFAIRS OFFICE (MVAO) provides support and assistance to veterans, their survivors, and dependents through outreach, preparation of benefit claims, and transportation to the San Jose and Palo Alto Veterans Affairs (VA) healthcare facilities.

Organizational Profile

The Monterey County Department of Social Services

Monterey County Department of Social Services Organization Profile



Department's Workforce Analysis Chart (MC-HRM-EO-0003)

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Occupational Group:

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Report Description

The Monterey County Workforce Analysis Chart for Job Classifications within Job Groups Report is a listing and count of ethnicity, gender, classification and job group within Department(s).

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JOB GROUP 01: Management (I - (30.4% Minority Availability) - (51.1% Female Availability)

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JOB GROUP 02: Management I - (32.7% Minority Availability) - (48.2% Female Availability)

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FINANCE MANAGER III	Р	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	1	0
PROGRAM MANAGER	Р	2	12	14	1	10	11	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	9	0	0	3	1	10	0	0	14	0
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ADMINISTRATIVE OPERATIONS MANAGER	Р	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	O.	Q.	1	0
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES ASSISTANT	Р	1	7	8	0	7	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	0	1	2	5	0	0	8	0
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES OFFICER	P	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	t	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
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EPARTMENTAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER I	P	1	0	1	1	Q	- 1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
EPARTMENTAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER II	Р	1	0	1	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	 	0
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IANAGEMENT ANALYST III	P	4	10	14	2	5	7	2	0	1	1	0	5	2	2	1	0	7	2	3	2	0	14	
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SOCIAL WORKER IV	Р	2	11	13	2	10	12	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	8	1	0	1	1	9	2	0	13	0
SOCIAL WORKER V	Р	4	21	25	3	13	16	1	0	1	2	0	8	0	13	0	0	9	0	14	2	Q	25	0
SOCIAL WORK SUPERVISOR I	Р	3	5	в	2	2	4	1	Đ	2	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	4	0	4	D	0	8	0
SOCIAL WORK SUPERVISOR II	Р	2	16	18	2	14	16	0	0	1	1	0	2	3	11	0	0	2	3	12	1	0	18	0
TOTAL Professionals - Human Services		11	53	64	9	39	48	2	0	5	4	0	14	4	34	1	0	16	4	39	5	0	64	0
			82.6%				75 0%											25.0%	6.3%	60.9%	7.8%	0.0%		

JOB GROUP 10: Professionals - Health, Nurses . (37.3% Minority Availability) . (88.1% Female Availability)

	EEO Cat	Tot	al Emplo	yees		Minori	ies			Maie					Femal	e				Totals			He	OUFB
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PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE II	Р	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	o	0	2	0
TOTAL Professionals - Health, Nurses		0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	a	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
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JOB GROUP 13: Paraprofessional - Technicians II		(60.6% Minority Availability)	-	(70.8% Female Availability)
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Title	Code	М	F	T	М	F	T	w	AA	HIS	API	AI	w	AA	HIS	API	AI	W	AA	HIS	API	Al	F/T	Р/Т
ACCOUNTANT II	PP	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	0
BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY ANALYST II	PP.	3	2	5	2	0	2	_1	0	1	1	0	2	0	۵	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	5	0
ELIGIBILITY SUPERVISOR	PP	7	27	34	4	24	28	3	0	4	0	0	3	0	23	0	1	6	0	27	0	1	34	0
EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING SUPERVISOR	PP	1	5	6	٥	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	6	0
EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING WORKER III	рр .	7	9	16	7	9	16	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	15	1	0	16	0
MILITARY & VETERANS REPRESENTATIVE (II	PP	3	1	4	2	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	4	0
SOCIAL WORKER III	PP	14	45	59	13	38	51	1	0	13	0	0	7	3	33	2	0	8	3	46	2	0	59	0
STAFF TRAINER I	PP	0	2	2	0	1	1	٥	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	D	0	2	0
STAFF TRAINER II	pp	2	8	10	2	7	9	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	1	0	9	0	0	10	0
TOTAL Paraprofessional - Technicians II		37	103	140	30	88	118	7	0	29	1	0	15	4	78	5	4	22	4	107	6	1	140	
	i		73 6%				84 3%											15.7%	2.9%		4 3%	0.7%		

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JOB GROUP 14:	Darancofessional	Technicians I	_	151 5%	Misority Availability)	_	(70.9% Female Availability)	

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ACCOUNTANT I	pp	0	f	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS COORDINATOR	PP	2	1	3	2	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	0
ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST I	рp	5	26	31	5	21	26	0	0	5	0	0	2	1	20	0	0	2	1	25	0	0	31	0
ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST II	PP	13	#21	134	12	109	121	1	1	11	0	0	9	t	104	3	1	10	2	115	3	1	134	0
ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST III	PP	21	63	84	19	55	74	2	0	18	1	0	8	1	50	4	0	10	1	68	5	0	84	0
EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING WORKER II	рp	4	9	13	3	9	12	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	1	1	11	0	0	13	0
MILITARY & VETERANS REPRESENTATIVE II	ρр	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	D	D	Q	0	2	0
PERSONNEL TECHNICIAN-CONFIDENTIAL	рp	0	6	6	0	4	4	0	0_	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	6	0
SENIOR DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS COORDINA	PP	6	0	6	4	0	4	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	6	0
SOCIAL SERVICES AIDE I	PP	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	. 0	2	0	0	2	0
SOCIAL SERVICES AIDE II	PP	7	56	63	7	56	63	0	0	7	0	0	0	٥	56	0	0	0	0	63	0	0	63	0
SOCIAL WORKER I	PP	2	6	8	2	6	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	8	0
SOCIAL WORKER II	PP	0	5	5	a	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5	0
SUPERVISING DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS COC	pp	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0
TOTAL Paraprofessional - Technicians I		62	296	360	55	269	324	7	1	51	3	0	23	6	255	7	1	30	7	306	10	1	360	0
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JOB GROUP 17; Office Clerical II - (79.1% Minority Availability) - (85.9% Female Availability)

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ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN	oc	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	. 6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0
ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY-CONFIDENTIAL	ос	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	Ó	0	0	0	1	B	0	0	Q	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
OFFICE ASSISTANT III	ОС	5	24	29	3	23	26	2	1	2	0	0	1	1	22	٥	0	3	2	24	0	0	29	0
PRINCIPAL OFFICE ASSISTANT	ос	2	8	10	1	7	8	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	2	0	8	0	0	10	0
SENIOR SECRETARY	ос	0	4	4	٥	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	4	0
SUPERVISING OFFICE ASSISTANT I	ос	2	13	15	1	10	11	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	9	0	0	4	2	9	0	0	15	0
SUPERVISING OFFICE ASSISTANT II	ос	0	2	2	0	2	_ 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	D.	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	۵
SUPERVISING STOREKEEPER	ос	1	٥	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	۵	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
TOTAL Office Clerical II		10	55	65	6	47	53	4	2	4	٥	0	8	2	44	1	0	12	4	48	1	0	65	0
			84 6%				81.5%											18.5%	6.2%	73.6%	1 5%	0.0%		

JOB GROUP 18: Office Clerical I - (57.8% Minority Availability) - (79% Female Availability)

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OFFICE ASSISTANT II	oc	6	62	68	6	58	64	0	0	5	1	0	2	2	53	3	0	2	2	58	4	0	68	0
SECRETARY	ОС	1	12	13	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	6	D	0	5	1	6	n		13	0
STOREKEEPER	oc	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	n	_ n	0	n	,	,		n	0	13	0
TOTAL Office Clerical I		10	74	84	a	65	73		0	7	1	<u> </u>	7	3	59	3	0	9	- 3	66			4	
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JOB GROUP 20: Service Maintenance I (76.6% Minority Availability) - (53.7% Female Availability)

	EEO :	Tot	al Empk	yees		Minori	ties			Male					Fernal	e				Totale			Hk	DUF#
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CUSTODIAN	SM	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	٥	0	1	0	0	1	0
OFFICE MAINTENANCE WORKER	SM	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	٥	0	ı	0	1	0	0	2	0
TOTAL Service Maintenance I		3	0	3	2	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	D	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	3	0
			0.0%				66.7%			-								33.3%	0.0%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%		

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TOTAL - 5010	148	641	789	118	550	668	29	3	102	13	٥	83	28	500	20	2	112	31	602	33	2	789	0
Social Services		81.2%				84.7%											14.2%	3.9%	76.3%	4.2%	0.3%		

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GRAND TOTAL	148	641	789	118	550	668	29	3	102	13	o	83	28	500	20	2	112	31	602	33	2	789	0
		81.2%				84.7%											14.2%	3.9%	76.3%	4.2%	0.3%		

Personnel Activity

Job Group: 1	New	Hires		ions – Into Group	With	otions – nin Job roup	Termi	untary nations & rements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White								
African American		No	Personnel	Activity in t	nis Job Gr	oup in 2021	-	
Asian/Pacific Islander							_	
American Indian/ Alaskan Native								
Hispanic								
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Term	untary inations obationary)	Proba	es During ationary criod		rective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White								
African American								
Asian/Pacific Islander								
American Indian/ Alaskan Native								
Hispanic								
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Job Group: 2	New	Hires		ons – Into Group	With	otions – in Job oup	Termir	untary nations & rements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	1
	Termi	untary inations bationary)	Proba	s During tionary riod	1	ective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Job Group: 3	New	Hires		ions – Into Group	With	otions – nin Job roup	Termii	untary nations & rements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
African American	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	1	1	0	5	0	2	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	1	1	0	5	I	4	1	3
	Termi	untary nations bationary)	Proba	es During itionary riod		ective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Job Group: 5	New	Hires		ons – Into Group	With	otions – in Job oup	Termin	intary nations & ements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	2	1	0	0	2	2	2
African American	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	2
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	1	2	0	6	0	3	0	2
TOTAL (count each person only once)	1	7	1	6	1	7	2	7
	Termi	untary nations bationary)	Proba	s During tionary riod		ective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
African American	0 ==	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

Job Group: 10	New	Hires	1	ions – Into Group	With	otions – nin Job roup	Termi	untary nations & rements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White							39	
African American		No	Personnel	Activity in t	nis Job Gr	oup in 2021		
Asian/Pacific Islander								
American Indian/ Alaskan Native								
Hispanic		TEAS.						
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Termi	untary nations bationary)	Proba	s During tionary riod		ective	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White								
African American								
Asian/Pacific Islander								
American Indian/ Alaskan Native								
Hispanic								-2
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Job Group: 13	New	Hires		ons – Into Group	With	otions – in Job oup	Termir	intary nations & ements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	1	10	1	2	0	3
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	1	12	1	2	0	3
	Termi	untary nations bationary)	Proba	s During tionary riod	1	ective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

Job Group: 14	New	Hires		ons – Into Group	With	otions – nin Job roup	Termin	untary nations & rements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	5	0	1	1	1	0	6
African American	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	ì
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	8	31	2	4	5	27	5	22
Two or more	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	2
TOTAL (count each person only once)	8	43	2	5	6	29	5	34
	Termi	untary nations bationary)	Proba	s During tionary riod		ective	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	1	1	3	1	0	0	0

Job Group: 17	New	Hires		ons – Into Group	With	otions – in Job oup	Termir	untary nations & rements
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	1	1	6	0	5	0	6
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	1	1	8	0	5	0	7
	Termi	untary inations obationary)	Proba	s During tionary riod		ective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Job Group: 18	New Hires			ions – Into Group	Promotions – Within Job Group		Voluntary Terminations & Retirements	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
African American	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	16	0	0	0	0	1	3
Two or more	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	18	0	0	0	0	2	6
	Termi	untary inations obationary)	Releases During Probationary Period		Corrective Actions		Layoffs	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
African American	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Job Group: 20	New Hires		1	ions – Into Group	With	Promotions – Volunta Within Job Terminatio Group Retireme		nations &
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White								
African American		No	Personnel	Activity in ti	nis Job Gr	oup in 2021		
Asian/Pacific Islander		-						
American Indian/ Alaskan Native								
Hispanic								
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Termi	untary inations obationary)	Proba	es During ationary criod		rective tions	La	yoffs
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Male	Females
White								
African American								
Asian/Pacific Islander								
American Indian/ Alaskan Native				100 25 25 20 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10				
Hispanic								
TOTAL (count each person only once)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Recruitment - Data

(Please include information for each underutilized job group. Please include information about the Department's challenges in recruiting a diverse and qualified applicant pool.)

Job Group: 10	App	licants	Who Mini Qualif (In	icants Met mum ications itial ening)	Plac	Applicants Placed on Eligible List		Placed on		Applicants Interviewed		Applicant Hired for the Position	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females			
White			_										
African American			No	Recruitm	ents in th	is Job Gra	oup in 20.	21					
Asian/Pacific Islander		,											
American Indian/ Alaskan Native			1.00										
Hispanic													
TOTAL (count each person once only)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Job Group:	Sei	lication eeners MEs)	1	view/Ora d Panelist	-	_		cations the					
White	Males	Females	Males	Female	s No re	cruitment	s in this	job group i	n 2021.				
African American Asian/Pacific Islander													
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	8.1 8												
Hispanic													
TOTAL (count each person once only)	0	0	0	0									

Job Group: 17	Applicants	Applicants Who Met Minimum Qualifications (Initial Screening)	Applicants Placed on Eligible List	Applicants Interviewed		Applicant Hired for the Position	
				Males	Females	Males	Females
White	29	23	23		1	0	0
African American	6	4	4			0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	10	10	10			0	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	5	0	0			0	0
Hispanic	216	129	129			1	6
Two or More	12	9	9			0	0
Other	2	2	2			0	0
Declined to State	7	7	7			0	0
TOTAL (count each person once only)	287	184	184			1	6

Notes: DSS Recruitments are conducted by Cal HR Merit Systems, Cal HR Merit Systems does not collect gender, only applicant ethnicity information.

The Department was recently made aware that Cal HR Merit Systems does not collect applicant gender and ethnicity, and that they are unable to provide applicant demographics for the Applicants Interviewed category. The Department will be taking appropriate measures to collect this information going forward to include in future Equal Opportunity Plan reports.

Job Group: 17	Application Screeners (SMEs)		I	ew/Oral Panelists	Targeted outreach locations that received the job announcement and discuss any challenge				
	Males	Females	Males	Females	None				
White			2	1					
African American			0	3					
Asian/Pacific Islander			0	0					
American Indian/ Alaskan			0	0					
Native									
Hispanic			2	5					
TOTAL (count each person once only)			2	9					

Note: DSS Recruitments are conducted by Cal HR Merit Systems. Cal HR Merit Systems does not collect Apprlication Screener demographics.

Job Group: 20	Applicants		Applicants Who Met Minimum Qualifications (Initial Screening)		Plac	icants ed on le List	Applicants Interviewed		H	Applicant Hired for the Position	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	
White											
African American			No	Recruitm	ents in tl	is Job Gro	un in 20.	21			
Asian/Pacific Islander							,				
American Indian/ Alaskan Native											
Hispanic											
TOTAL (count each person once only)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Job Group: 20	Scre	ication eners AEs)		iew/Oral Panelists	Targeted outreach locations that received the job announcement and discuss any challenges
	Males	Females	Males	Females	No recruitments in this job group in 2021.
White				ĺ	
African American					
Asian/Pacific Islander					
American Indian/ Alaskan Native					
Hispanic					
TOTAL (count each person once only)	0	0	0	0	

(Under the County's Equal Opportunity Plan Chapter 5: Designation of Responsibility)

Action-Oriented Programs

Recruitment

What collaborative relationships has your Department established with community groups and stakeholders? How have these relationships supported the Department's recruitment efforts? How many selective certification waivers did your department request last year? How many were granted and why?

The Department of Social Services (DSS) is very involved in many community collaborative relationships - these include, but are not limited to:

- Management of the Child Abuse Prevention Council, the Area Agency on Aging, the Community Action Commission, the Military and Veterans Affairs Commission, the Commission on the Status of Women, the In Home Support Services Advisory Commission, the Veterans Cemetery Advisory Commission, and the Salinas Downtown Community Board.
- The Community Action Partnership, operating under the auspices of Social Services, the Department funds community services by contracting with approximately 15 nonprofit organizations.
- Membership in the Children's Council, Domestic Violence Coordinating Council, and the Equal Opportunity and Civil Rights Advisory Commission, and the Coalition of Homeless Services Providers;
- Sponsorship of the MC-CHOICE Collaborative, the Pathways to Safety Program, the Family to Family Initiative, the Foster and Kinship Care Education Center with Hartnell College, and the steering committee supporting youth in the development of the Epicenter youth-led community center;
- Partnership with Impact Monterey County, our local chapter of the California Youth Connection, the Coalition of Homeless Services Providers, the Lead Me Home Plan to

End Homelessness, the Early Childhood Development Initiative, the Bright Futures Initiative, and the Non-profit Alliance of Monterey County; and,

- Numerous contracts with community-based organizations to promote accessibility and collaborative service delivery paradigms.
- The California Social Work Education Center (CalSWEC) to assist employees pursue their Master of Social Work (MSW) through the Title IV-E program at Cal State University Monterey Bay or San Jose State University.

DSS keeps these groups informed of our recruitment efforts with recruitment announcements and flyers which they post in a public area and utilize to refer interested individuals to apply.

Because the Department of Social Services receives federal funds for social services programs, the state requires we use a merit personnel system for recruitment, selection and advancement opportunities. The Department of Social Services operates under Merit System Services (MSS) for recruitment and selection. The California Department of Human Resources (CalHR) administers and manages this function for Merit System Services. Therefore, the department has not requested any selective certification waivers.

Merit System Services opens and advertises our recruitments, and the Department informs them if additional outreach is needed to specific underrepresented groups through specific advertising. DSS Human Resources staff works with Merit System Services to review all job postings and flyers in an effort to attract diverse candidates. Our outreach efforts include partnerships with several multicultural professional associations and student organizations. DSS Human Resources staff attends career fairs as an active means to reach all genders of groups like veterans, minorities and people with disabilities.

Once a recruitment is open, Merit System Services collects gender and race demographics on applicants. This information is not provided to the Department except for the purpose of this report.

DSS HR supplies MVAO with recruitment announcements which they share with their network to distribute and post on bulletin boards or use to refer veterans to apply. Due to the diverse nature of the military, this information may reach many individuals with disabilities and minority groups. MVAO also shares recruitment opportunities with the California Association of County Veterans Service Offices, California Department of

Veterans Affairs, The California Military Department, the Military and Veterans Affairs Commission and the Veterans Issues Advisory Commission.

MVAO utilizes its partnership with the Presidio of Monterey and Naval Postgraduate School - Transition Assistance Programs (TAPs), to address current military members, who will be discharging from the military, on Monterey County as a possible employer. The main purpose is to create awareness of Monterey County as a Veteran friendly employer and encourage the military members to explore the many job opportunities at DSS, MVAO and Monterey County.

Hiring

DSS Human Resources takes special care to ensure hiring practices are free from biases related to a candidate's age, race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, and other personal characteristics that are unrelated to their job performance. To ensure all candidates are fairly and effectively evaluated, staff work with the hiring manager to prioritize the skills they are looking for prior to interviewing.

What selection criteria does the department use in the fit interview?

Hiring managers are encouraged to identify strong answers for the interview questions being asked and determine what they are looking for in a candidate prior to interviewing. During the interview process, the Department uses open-ended interview questions to allow the candidate to demonstrate their knowledge, skills and abilities as related to the position. Further, behavioral interview questions are asked to reveal how candidates behaved in past work situations. These behaviors can give insight into how people will react in similar situations in our Department.

How does your Department ensure diversity on panels of screeners and interviewer panelists?

Merit System Services screens all applications for minimum qualifications. The Department has no role in this part of the process. DSS Human Resources ensures that there is a diverse panel for final hiring interviews; this includes reaching to other county departments and the community for interview panelists.

What training or information is given to screeners and interview panelists to help minimize bias in decision-making?

Panel members for DSS recruitments are provided with guidelines for conducting the interview. The guidelines review equal treatment of candidates, what acceptable and unacceptable questions are, the requirement that all matters discussed in an interview are confident and ensure consistency of questions during each interview. Candidate interviews are conducted in a structured interview format, with prepared questions. This increases the objectivity and consistency of the panel.

Promotions

What processes, procedures, or systems have been implemented in your Department to support protected groups moving into senior job classifications beyond regular career progression (e.g., training, leadership development, mentoring, etc.)? How effective have these initiatives been in supporting promotional opportunities for women and people of color?

Newly hired and promoted employees meet with their supervisor at least every other week throughout their probationary period. These meetings help to identify training needs, career goals and the resources that can help an employee thrive in their current assignment and begin to prepare them for advancement.

After probation, all staff receive ongoing training, coaching, and mentoring at least monthly through supervisory conferences and unit meetings. Additional training is provided by staff trainers in each Department Branch, other county departments, online through our Learning Management System and through our contracts with UC Davis and the Fresno State University.

Employees have access to hundreds of courses related to the development of leadership skills, available online. The Department also provides direct instruction for courses such as, Strategies for Promotion, Do you want to be a Supervisor? and Performance Management. Werecently launched an inhouse mentoring program in which all staff were encouraged to participate as either a mentor, mentee or both.

In addition, employees are encouraged to participate in their evaluation of their job performance and are asked specifically about their career interests and the support needed to achieve their goals.

The effectiveness of these initiatives in supporting promotional opportunities for women and people of color has yet to be evaluated.

How does your Department utilize performance evaluations to assess employees' commitment to building a diverse and inclusive workforce? How is this commitment considered when considering employees for promotional opportunities?

The Department's performance evaluations rate a variety of factors where commitment to building a diverse and inclusive workforce may be evaluated. Specifically, in the areas of Initiative in Learning and Work Improvement where one applies oneself to responsibilities and seeks to improve work by initiating action to accomplish a task without direction. As well as Innovation, where one seeks out, suggests and uses new ideas and approaches to reach goals and solve problems. But other areas of the evaluation also demonstrate a commitment to diversity and inclusion. Examples such as Communication Skills, Judgement, Observance of Rules, Coordination of Work, Following Direction, and Performance in New or Difficult Situations. The Department is committed to all employees completing Civil Rights Training and Sexual Harassment Training and attendance is tracked by our training unit staff. The evaluation process includes a checklist that must be completed. The first item on the checklist requires the date the employee last completed Civil Rights Training and they are required to sign off that they are committed to the Equal Opportunity Plan. Failure to complete the trainings will be reflected in the ratings in the evaluation. When an employee is being considered for promotion, the evaluations are reviewed to ensure the employee is meeting standards.

Retention and Inclusion

What data collection procedures/tools have you implemented to track the turnover rate for protected groups?

We utilize the data available from the Department demographics in Advantage to track turnover among all groups. In addition, The Human Resources Branch sends Exit interviews to departing staff.

What does the data show regarding turnover rates of protected groups compared to your Department's general population?

No significant trends among protected groups or the general population have been identified.

Based on the data collected, what are the negative and positive trends you have found, and how will you act on them?

The Department has not identified any negative or positive trends in the data collected. The Department is committed to providing equal opportunity to members of protected groups. We will continue our efforts to attract, recruit and retain qualified employees from underrepresented groups.

What steps has the Department taken to ensure lactation accommodations for all its employees?

The Department follows the County's policy to have an inclusive work environment for breastfeeding employees. The Department supports breastfeeding employees by providing time for expressing breast milk in appropriate locations and has assigned a Human Resources Analyst as the Lactation Coordinator. DSS currently has designated private lactions room at the Life Foundation Building and King City offices. By May 2022, DSS will also have designated a new laction room at our Seaside office. Each lactation room is equipped with an electrical outlet, table, chair, window coverings, and brochures and literature for nursing mothers regarding the benefits of nursing and contact information offering post-partum support.

If a nursing mother works at a location without a designated lactation room, the employee can connect with their supervisor/manager and with DSS Human Resources to submit an accommodation request. The DSS Laction Coordinator will evaluate options and identify a private suitable location that can be converted into a laction room for the employee's use.

What is the Department's practice when an employee requests an accommodation?

The Department follows the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA), and all other applicable federal and state laws, regulations, and guidelines concerning providing reasonable accommodations, as necessary, to afford equal employment opportunity and equal access to programs, services, and benefits for qualified employees with disabilities. The Department has assigned a Human Resources Analyst as the Disability and Reasonable Accommodation Coordinator (DRAC). We are committed to ensuring a timely, good faith process. When an employee requests an accommodation, the DRAC engages in the interactive process (IAP) with the employee, the employee's healthcare provider and the employee's supervisor/manager to determine whether the Department can provide a reasonable accommodation that will enable the employee to perform the essential duties of his/her position. In order to find a potential accommodation the DRAC will work with the employee's supervisor and manager to

review the employee's job duties and determine if a modification or adjustment can be made. The Department will continue the interactive process until an accommodation determination has been made. HR will document any accommodation agreements and continue communication with all parties through the lenth of the employee's request. If a reasonable accommodation cannot be provided the Department explores reassignment opportunities County-wide. If the Department is unable to accommodate and place the employee in another department, the DRAC meets with the Reasonable Accommodation Request Committee to determine the next steps.

When an employee has a workstation ergonomic evaluation, the DRAC reviews the report to ensure workstation modifications and equipment identified are provided timely to the employee. Ergonomic evalution requests can be made as part of an accommodation request, by an employee's worker's compensation healthcare provider or directly by an employee.

Does the Department conduct exit interviews? If so, what do you do with the answers to promote diversity and inclusion? If not, what alternative methods do you use to collect information regarding reasons for separation?

The Department offers all separating employees the opportunity to participate in an exit interview as part of the offboarding process. DSS Human Resources staff will review the information to see if any problem areas are identified. Any issues concerning diversity and inclusion are followed up on by working with the appropriate area management to resolve work issues, initiate an investigation and if appropriate, report to the Civil Rights Office.

What has been the greatest success/es regarding inclusiveness in your Department?

We believe that the Department of Social Services has been very successful at assuring an equal opportunity merit-based employment system. The data demonstrates that this kind of balanced and equitable approach achieves workforce diversity and excellence. We continue our commitment to outreach, community collaboration and open equal opportunity employment. Over the last several years, the Department has become very responsive to employees with disabilities assisting them with reasonable accommodations.

What opportunities for improvement have you found, and how will you address them?

The Department collaborates with Merit System Services to offer adequate recruitment filing periods to ensure that all candidates have enough time to receive job listings and complete the application process.

In reviewing the DSS Workforce Analyst Chart, there is an opportunity to increase targeted recruitment efforts for underrepresented groups, such as: veterans, persons with disabilities,males, American Indians, African Americans and Alaska Indian/Pacific Islanders. Further, the Department will urge Merit System Services to collect thorough demographic recruitment data.

Accomplishments and Resource Needs

Please highlight your Department's successes in achieving a diverse workforce in this section. Describe your Department's assessment of resource needs from the Civil Rights Office. Please share any suggestions and recommendations for improvement you can offer regarding current policies and procedures. Feel free to use examples or specify by job group.

Please include your Department's current compliance rates with required training offered by the Civil Rights Office. All employees must complete the Harassment and Discrimination Prevention Training and the Civil Rights Training every two years.

	Harassment and Discrimination Prevention Training	Civil Rights Training
Total number of Managers	171	171
Managers completed	117	65
Percent of Managers completed	68%	38%
Total number of Employees (non-supervisors/managers)	630	630
Employees (non-	143	156
supervisors/managers) completed		
Percent of Employees (non- supervisors/managers) completed	23%	25%

Section 9 Follow up requested by the Commission

Please discuss any follow-up requested by the Commission during past years' presentations on the Departmental Equal Opportunity Plan in this section. Follow-up may occur via action, memorandum, or additional presentation to the Commission.

In the 2021 Departmental Equal Opportunity Plan presentation, there was a request to include Monterey Peninsula College and specific contacts at California State University Monterey Bay in the outreach efforts.

California State University Monterey Bay and Monterey Peninsula College have been added to our recruitment distribution lists.

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act Implementation (Under the County's <u>Title VI of the Civil Rights Act Implementation Plan</u>)

	Requirement	Implementation Notes	Completed
	Title VI notice at public		2021
	counters		
	Internal process to		2021
	forward discrimination		
	complaints to Civil		
General	Rights Office		
General	Nonstandard contracts		2021
	include a		
	nondiscrimination clause		
	Data is collected on the		2021
	ethnicity and language of		
	people served		8
	Departmental language		2021
	assessment completed		
	Vital documents		2021
	translated into Spanish		
	Website – minimize		2021
	PDFs. When using PDFs,		
	include a Spanish version		
	Procedures and budget		2021
	for the use of		
T	interpretation and		
Language	translation services		
Access	Public voicemails in		2021
	English and Spanish		
	Public counters: language		2021
	charts available		
	Public counters: all		2021
	signage in English and		
	Spanish		
	Public counters:		2021
	procedures to have		
	bilingual staff available		

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Community Engagement	Projects, programs, policies, and services reflect County stakeholders and are sensitive to diverse demographic backgrounds Analyzed potential disproportionate adverse human health or environmental effect on communities of color, tribal communities, or others underrepresented in the public process	2021
	Considerations taken to ensure equitable engagement	2021
	Key community engagement contacts established	2021