

Fund Source Report

1047 SSBG USHHS Social Services Block Grant

Year Authorized	Year Repealed	Active?	Mental Health?	Duplicated?	Fund Group
1955		No	No	No	Federal Receipts

No Appropriations during last 10 years

Legal Authority

AS 37.20.010

Source of Revenue
Consists of revenues from the federal government. Deactivated in FY02.

Restrictions on Use
Must be used for family and youth services activities for which the federal grant was provided.

Description and History
The Social Services Block Grant (SSBG), also known as Title 20, is awarded annually from the US Department of Health and Human Services. In Alaska, SSBG funds are spent in the Department of Health and Social Services to fund social workers and tasks associated with child protection throughout the state. SSBG is one of the principle sources of funding for the state's efforts to protect children from abuse and chronic neglect.

Beginning with the FY01 Operating Budget, the Social Services Block Grant funds are classified generically as "Federal Receipts". The change to generic federal receipts shows in FY97, when \$4,893,200 was spent, but the next three years used code 1047 for unknown reasons.