

Human Services Department Director's Report

Seattle City Council | Human Services Public Health Committee

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Human Services Department



Department's Core Functions:

- Planning
- Grant-making
- Direct services

Key Tenets:

1. Results and Racial Equity
2. Stewardship
3. Employees
4. Innovation

Making Impact



2017 Work Plan

Department Operations:

1. Scale results-based accountability
2. Standardize contracting practice
3. Strengthen a positive work culture
4. Design a modern data infrastructure
5. Achieve performance metrics & service targets



2017 Work Plan

Key Projects & Initiatives:

- Pathways Home implementation
- Bridging the Gap Interim Action Plan
- Affordable Fair Housing
- Age-Friendly Seattle
- Mayor's Youth Opportunity Initiative
- Heroin & Opiate Taskforce
- Data Disaggregation
- Strengthening capacity of human service sector

