

Vermont Legal Aid
Estimate of SFY27 State Funding
as of 2/4/26

Project	Estimated SFY27 Funding / (Loss)	State Funding Source	Notes
Mental Health Law / Poverty Law / Disability Law	\$ 2,367,994	AHS	This covers mandatory legal services and general legal services, estimated to be 51% and 49% of grant costs, respectively.
Mental Health Law	\$ 250,000	DMH/AHS	This funding was added beginning in SFY22 to cover the criminal docket.
Mental Health Law	\$ 230,000	DMH	This is a pass-through reimbursement to pay for statutorily required Independent Psychiatric Evaluations (IPEs).*
Medicare Advocacy	\$ (528,815)	DVHA	The amount shows as negative because the Governor's budget eliminates this contract.
Health Care Advocate	\$ 2,000,406	AHS	
Tenant Representation Pilot	\$ 170,833	AHS	This is a two-year award, expiring 10/31/26. The funding amount is an estimate for Jul-Oct 2026.
Long-Term Care Ombudsman	\$ 443,580	DAIL	This award is federal fiscal year based and is supported by both state and federal funds. The funding amount is adapted to fit the state fiscal year and is an estimate of the state portion only.
DULCE	\$ 38,650	VDH	This award is supported by both state and federal funds. The funding amount is an estimate of the state portion only.

Total Estimated State Funding for SFY27 **\$ 4,972,648**
***Less IPE pass-through funds** **\$ (230,000)**
Net direct funding **\$ 4,742,648**

Additional Note:

Victims' Rights Project / VOCA	\$ 338,500	CCVS	This funding is excluded from the above summary because it is 100% pass-through federal funds.
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