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Type of Detox	Description	Estimated Cost	Pros	Cons
1. Current Outpatient Detoxification	Client receives detox meds though an outpatient clinic.	\$595 per person \$59,500 per year Could serve up to 100 clients per year	Placement not limited to bed availability. Effective for most low to moderate detox cases. Does not require client to leave their current living situation. Lower cost than residential. Mobile team.	Clients fear they can't do it without going "into a detox". Not appropriate for all cases. Limited observation. Unsupervised environment. Not available 24/7.
Team (mobile model) Proposal	detoxification medications, case management, transportation, and residential placement services.	\$2,038 per person \$305,724 for the first year \$272,500 for year two Serves 150 clients	 Includes medication management and health education and monitoring. Includes transportation, case management, and residential placement services. Easy access, not limited to bed availability. Works with client's own support system. 	Not a controlled environment. Not a "drop-off" location.
3. Social Model Residential Detoxification	Client resides at a residential Detox Center. Detox medications may be used, but not prescribed on site. Social Model Recovery (12 Step) is typical intervention.	\$35,000 per bed per year \$210,000 per year for 6 bed facility, non- medical staffing only. (Does not include rent, food, supplies to run a 24/7 facility). Serve approx. 300 clients per year	24 hour Observation. Controlled environment. On-site support and case management. Takes client out of their substance using environment. Suitable for most detox cases. Opportunity for assessment and triage.	Bed dependent. Requires client to leave their current home. Can be used as shelter rather than detox. More costly than outpatient. Requires siting of a facility. State licensing and certification regulations.
4. Medical Detoxification (Hospital based)	Client resides in a hospital or other medical facility while detoxifying. Medical monitoring, treatment and prescription drugs available onsite.	\$1,200 per bed per day \$4,380,000 per year for 10 bed facility	 24 nurse and physician monitoring. Controlled environment. On-site support and case management. Takes client out of their substance using environment. Suitable for only medical necessity detoxifications. Opportunity for assessment and triage. 	Most expensive. Requires more staffing. Medical facility. May not appeal to some clients.