**ARTICLE 9**

**APPROPRIATIONS**

Section 1. **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES APPROPRIATIONS.**

The sums shown in the columns marked "Appropriations" are appropriated to the agencies and for the purposes specified in this article. The appropriations are from the general fund, or another named fund, and are available for the fiscal years indicated for each purpose. The figures "2024" and "2025" used in this article mean that the appropriations listed under them are available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, or June 30, 2025, respectively. "The first year" is fiscal year 2024. "The second year" is fiscal year 2025. "The biennium" is fiscal years 2024 and 2025.

| | APPROPRIATIONS | |
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| | Available for the Year | |
| | Ending June 30 | |
| | **2024** | **2025** |
| Sec. 2. **COMMISSIONER OF HUMAN SERVICES** | | |
| Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** | **$ 6,735,763,000** | **$ 7,317,034,000** |

Appropriations by Fund

| | 2024 | 2025 |
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| General | 6,733,999,000 | 7,315,232,000 |
| Health Care Access | 31,000 | 69,000 |
| Lottery Prize | 1,733,000 | 1,733,000 |

**ARTICLE 8**

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| | APPROPRIATIONS | |
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| | Available for the Year | |
| | Ending June 30 | |
| | **2024** | **2025** |
| Sec. 2. **COMMISSIONER OF HUMAN SERVICES** | | |
| Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** | **$ 6,824,051,000** | **$ 7,263,031,000** |

Appropriations by Fund

| | 2024 | 2025 |
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| General | 6,815,172,000 | 7,258,069,000 |
| Lottery Prize | 1,733,000 | 1,733,000 |
| Opiate Epidemic Response | 500,000 | -0- |

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The amounts that may be spent for each purpose are specified in the following subdivisions.

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| Subd. 2. **Central Office; Operations** | 15,739,000 | 11,260,000 |

(a) **Vulnerable Adult Act redesign phase two.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for the Vulnerable Adult Act redesign phase two is available until June 30, 2027.

(b) **Caregiver respite services grants.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for caregiver respite services grants is available until June 30, 2027.

(c) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $5,168,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $5,018,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Subd. 3. **Central Office; Health Care** | 3,313,000 | 3,953,000 |

**Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $3,683,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $3,683,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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The amounts that may be spent for each purpose are specified in the following subdivisions.

Subd. 2. **Central Office; Operations**

| Appropriations by Fund | | |
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| General | 65,613,000 | 16,057,000 |

(a) **Staffing Costs.** Appropriations for staffing costs in this subdivision are available until June 30, 2027.

(b) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $4,975,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $4,868,000 in fiscal year 2027.

Subd. 3. **Central Office; Children and Families**

| Appropriations by Fund | | |
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| General | 1,073,000 | 3,693,000 |

**Staffing Costs.** Appropriations for staffing costs in this subdivision are available until June 30, 2027.

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| Subd. 4. **Central Office; Health Care** | 2,039,000 | 2,122,000 |

(a) **Staffing Costs.** Appropriations for staffing costs in this subdivision are available until June 30, 2027.

(b) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $900,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $900,000 in fiscal year 2027.

(c) **Initial PACE Implementation Funding.** $150,000 in fiscal year 2024 is to complete

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| | | | the initial actuarial and administrative work necessary to recommend a financing mechanism for the operation of PACE under Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.69, subdivision 23, paragraph (e). This is a onetime appropriation. | | |
| Subd. 4. **Central Office; Aging and Disabilities Services** | 18,136,000 | 21,810,000 | Subd. 5. **Central Office; Continuing Care for Older Adults** | 14,120,000 | 21,666,000 |
| | | | (a) **Staffing Costs.** Appropriations for staffing costs in this subdivision are available until June 30, 2027. | | |
| (a) **Research on access to long-term care services and financing.** $700,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for additional funding for the actuarial research study of public and private financing options for long-term services and supports reform under Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 16. This is a onetime appropriation. | | | (b) **Research on Access to Long-Term Care Services.** $700,000 in fiscal year 2024 is to support an actuarial research study of public and private financing options for long-term services and supports reform to increase access across the state. This is a onetime appropriation. | | |
| | | | (c) **Employment Supports Alignment Study.** $50,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $200,000 in fiscal year 2025 are to conduct an interagency employment supports alignment study. The base for this appropriation is $150,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $100,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | |
| (b) **Case management training curriculum.** $377,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $377,000 in fiscal year 2025 are to develop and implement a curriculum and training plan to ensure all lead agency assessors and case managers have the knowledge and skills necessary to fulfill support planning and coordination responsibilities for individuals who use home and community-based disability services and live in own-home settings. This is a onetime appropriation. | | | (d) **Case Management Training Curriculum.** $377,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $377,000 fiscal year 2025 are to develop and implement a curriculum and training plan to ensure all lead agency assessors and case managers have the knowledge and skills necessary to fulfill support planning and coordination responsibilities for individuals who use home and community-based disability services and live in own-home settings. These are onetime appropriations. | | |
| (c) **Office of Ombudsperson for Long-Term Care.** $1,744,000 in fiscal year 2024 and | | | (h) **Office of Ombudsman for Long-Term Care.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and | | |

$2,049,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for additional staff and associated direct costs in the Office of Ombudsperson for Long-Term Care. The additional staff must include ten full-time regional ombudsmen, two full-time supervisors, and five additional full-time support staff.

(d) **Direct care services corps pilot project.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for a grant to the Metropolitan Center for Independent Living for the direct care services corps pilot project. Up to $25,000 may be used by the Metropolitan Center for Independent Living for administrative costs. This is a onetime appropriation.

(e) **Research on access to long-term care services and financing.** Any unexpended amount of the fiscal year 2023 appropriation referenced in Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 16, estimated to be ....., is canceled. The amount canceled is appropriated in fiscal year 2024 for the same purpose.

(f) **Provider capacity grant for rural and underserved communities.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for provider capacity grants for rural and underserved communities is available until June 30, 2027.

(g) **Long-term care workforce grants for new Americans.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for long-term care workforce grants for new Americans is available until June 30, 2027.

(h) **Vulnerable Adult Act redesign phase two.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for the Vulnerable

$500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for additional staff and associated costs in the Office of Ombudsman for Long-Term Care.

(f) **Direct Care Service Corps Pilot Project.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for a grant to HealthForce Minnesota at Winona State University for purposes of the direct care service corps pilot project. Up to $25,000 may be used by HealthForce Minnesota for administrative costs. This is a onetime appropriation.

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| Adult Act redesign phase two is available until June 30, 2027. | | | | | |
| **(i) Caregiver respite services grants.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for caregiver respite services grants is available until June 30, 2027. | | | | | |
| **(j) Senior nutrition program.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for the senior nutrition program is available until June 30, 2027. | | | | | |
| (k) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $7,468,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $7,465,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | | (i) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $6,476,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $6,378,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | |
| Subd. 5. **Central Office; Behavioral Health, Housing, and Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services** | 4,857,000 | 6,539,000 | Subd. 6. **Central Office; Behavioral Health, Housing, and Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services** | 6,415,000 | 7,838,000 |
| | | | (a) **Staffing Costs.** Appropriations for staffing costs in this subdivision are available until June 30, 2027. | | |
| (a) **Competency-based training for substance use disorder provider community.** $150,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $150,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for provider participation in clinical training for the transition to American Society of Addiction Medicine standards. | | | (b) **Competency-based Training Funding for Substance Use Disorder Provider Community.** $300,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $300,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for provider participation in clinical training for the transition to American Society of Addiction Medicine standards. This is a onetime appropriation. | | |
| (b) **Substance use disorders public awareness campaign.** $300,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $300,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the general fund for a public awareness campaign under Minnesota Statutes, section 245.89. | | | (c) **Public Awareness Campaign.** $1,200,000 in fiscal year 2024 is to develop and establish a public awareness campaign targeting the stigma of opioid use disorders with the goal of prevention and education of youth on the dangers of opioids and other substance use. This is a onetime appropriation. | | |
| (c) **Overdose surge alert system.** $250,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $250,000 in fiscal year | | | (d) **Bad Batch Overdose Surge Text Alert System.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and | | |

2025 are for an overdose surge alert system under Minnesota Statutes, section 245.891.

(d) **Culturally specific recovery community organization start-up grants.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for culturally specific recovery community organization start-up grants is available until June 30, 2027.

(e) **Culturally specific services grants.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, any amount appropriated in this act for administration for culturally specific services grants is available until June 30, 2027.

(f) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $4,029,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $4,029,000 in fiscal year 2027.

$250,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for development and ongoing funding for a text alert system notifying the public in real time of bad batch overdoses. This is a onetime appropriation.

(e) **Evaluation of Recovery Site Grants.** $300,000 in fiscal year 2025 is to provide funding for evaluating the effectiveness of recovery site grant efforts. This is a onetime appropriation.

THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH WAS INADVERTANTLY INCLUDED IN UES2934-2. SEE INSTEAD SECTION 5, PARAGRAPH (A), BELOW.

(f) **Office of Addiction and Recovery.** $750,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $750,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the Office of Addiction and Recovery.

(g) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $2,667,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $2,567,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Subd. 6. **Forecasted Programs; Housing Support** | 783,000 | 1,592,000 |
| Subd. 7. **Forecasted Programs; MinnesotaCare** | 31,000 | 69,000 |

This appropriation is from the Health Care Access Fund.

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| Subd. 8. **Forecasted Programs; Medical Assistance** | 5,715,267,000 | 6,360,981,000 |
| Subd. 9. **Forecasted Programs; Alternative Care** | 47,189,000 | 51,022,000 |

Any money allocated to the alternative care program that is not spent for the purposes indicated does not cancel but must be transferred to the medical assistance account.

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| Subd. 10. **Forecasted Programs; Behavioral Health Fund** | 96,387,000 | 98,417,000 |

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| Subd. 7. **Forecasted Programs; Medical Assistance** | 5,654,675,000 | 6,359,727,000 |
| Subd. 8. **Forecasted Programs; Alternative Care** | 47,793,000 | 51,035,000 |

Any money allocated to the alternative care program that is not spent for the purposes indicated does not cancel but must be transferred to the medical assistance account.

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| Subd. 9. **Forecasted Programs; Behavioral Health Fund** | 96,387,000 | 98,417,000 |
| Subd. 10. **Grant Programs; Children and Economic Support Grants** | 1,000,000 | -0- |

**Minnesota Alliance for Volunteer Advancement.** (1) $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for a grant to the Minnesota Alliance for Volunteer Advancement to administer needs-based volunteerism subgrants that:

(i) target underresourced nonprofit organizations in greater Minnesota to support selected organizations' ongoing efforts to address and minimize disparities in access to human services through increased volunteerism; and

(ii) demonstrate that the populations to be served by the subgrantee are considered underserved or suffer from or are at risk of homelessness, hunger, poverty, lack of access to health care, or deficits in education.

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| | (2) The Minnesota Alliance for Volunteer Advancement shall give priority to organizations that are serving the needs of vulnerable populations. By December 15, 2025, the Minnesota Alliance for Volunteer Advancement shall report data on outcomes from the subgrants and recommendations for improving and sustaining volunteer efforts statewide to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees and divisions with jurisdiction over human services. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. |
| | Subd. 11. **Grant Programs; Refugee Services Grants** 3,000,000 5,000,000 |
| | **New American Legal and Social Services Workforce Grant Program.** $3,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $5,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for legal and social services grants. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| Subd. 11. **Grant Programs; Other Long-Term Care Grants** 31,248,000 27,176,000 | Subd. 12. **Grant Programs; Other Long-Term Care Grants** 44,772,000 38,925,000 |
| (a) **Provider capacity grant for rural and underserved communities.** $13,016,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for provider capacity grants for rural and underserved communities under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.4761. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. | (a) **Provider Capacity Grants for Rural and Underserved Communities.** $24,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for provider capacity grants for rural and underserved communities. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (b) **Long-term care workforce grants for new Americans.** $10,060,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $10,060,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for long-term care workforce grants for new Americans under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.4762. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. | (b) **Supporting New Americans in the Long-Term Care Workforce Grants.** $25,759,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $13,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for supporting new Americans in the long-term care workforce grants. This is a onetime appropriation. |

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| (c) **Supported decision making programs.** $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for supported decision making grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.4771. This is a onetime appropriation. | | | | | |
| (d) **HCBS workforce development grants.** Any unexpended amount of the 2023 appropriation referenced in Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 20, estimated to be ....., is canceled. The amount canceled is appropriated in fiscal year 2024 for the same purpose. | | | | | |
| (e) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $1,925,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $1,925,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | | (c) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $1,925,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $1,925,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | |
| Subd. 12. **Grant Programs; Aging and Adult Services Grants** | 100,277,000 | 105,417,000 | Subd. 13. **Grant Programs; Aging and Adult Services Grants** | 97,599,000 | 49,520,000 |
| (a) **Vulnerable Adult Act redesign phase two.** $19,791,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $20,652,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to counties for the Vulnerable Adult Act redesign phase two. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. | | | | | |
| (b) **Caregiver respite services grants.** $6,009,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for caregiver respite services grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.9756. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. This is a onetime appropriation. | | | (c) **Caregiver Respite Services Grants.** $1,800,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for caregiver respite services grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.9756. This is a onetime appropriation. | | |
| (c) **Live well at home grants.** $30,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $30,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for live well at home grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.9754, subdivision 3f. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2027. | | | (d) **Live Well at Home Grants.** $4,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for live well at home grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.9754. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. | | |

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(d) **Senior nutrition program.** $15,791,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $15,761,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the senior nutrition program. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. This is a onetime appropriation.

(e) **Boundary Waters Care Center nursing facility grant.** $250,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for a sole source grant to Boundary Waters Care Center in Ely, Minnesota.

(f) **Assisted living rent increase relief grants.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for grants to residents of assisted living facilities who experienced rate increases of over ten percent in calendar year 2022.

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(a) **Age-Friendly Community Grants.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for the continuation of age-friendly community grants under Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 8, subdivision 1. The base for this appropriation is $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2026, $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2027, and $0 in fiscal year 2028. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2027.

(b) **Age-Friendly Technical Assistance Grants.** $575,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for the continuation of age-friendly technical assistance grants under Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 8, subdivision 2. The base for this appropriation is $575,000 in fiscal year 2026, $575,000 in fiscal year 2027, and $0 in fiscal year 2028. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2027.

(c) **Senior Nutrition Program.** $4,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for the senior nutrition program under Minnesota Statutes, section

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(g) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $32,995,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $32,995,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Subd. 13. **Deaf and Hard of Hearing Grants** | 2,886,000 | 2,886,000 |
| Subd. 14. **Grant Programs; Disabilities Grants** | 151,405,000 | 42,691,000 |

(a) **Direct Support Connect.** The base is increased by $250,000 in fiscal year 2026 for Direct Support Connect. This is a onetime base adjustment.

(b) **Home and community-based services innovation pool.** $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the home and community-based services innovation pool under Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.0921.

(c) **Emergency grant program for autism spectrum disorder treatment agencies.** $10,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $10,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the emergency grant program for autism spectrum disorder treatment providers. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025.

(d) **Temporary grants for small customized living providers.** $650,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $650,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to assist small customized living providers to transition to community residential services licensure or integrated community supports licensure. This is a onetime appropriation.

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256.9752. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025.

(f) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $32,995,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $32,995,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Subd. 14. **Grant Programs; Deaf and Hard of Hearing Grants** | 2,886,000 | 2,886,000 |
| Subd. 15. **Grant Programs; Disabilities Grants** | 160,792,000 | 29,533,000 |

(a) **Transition Grants for Small Customized Living Providers.** $8,450,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for grants to assist transitions of small customized living providers as defined under Minnesota Statutes, section 245D.24. This is a onetime appropriation and is available through June 30, 2025.

(b) **Lead Agency Capacity Building Grants.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $2,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to assist organizations, counties, and Tribes to build

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(e) **Self-directed bargaining agreement; electronic visit verification stipends.** $6,095,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for onetime stipends of $200 to bargaining members to offset the potential costs related to people using individual devices to access the electronic visit verification system. Of this amount, $5,600,000 is for stipends and $495,000 is for administration. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025.

(f) **Self-directed collective bargaining agreement; temporary rate increase memorandum of understanding.** $1,600,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for onetime stipends for individual providers covered by the SEIU collective bargaining agreement based on the memorandum of understanding related to the temporary rate increase in effect between December 1, 2020, and February 7, 2021. Of this amount, $1,400,000 of the appropriation is for stipends and $200,000 is for

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capacity for employment opportunities for people with disabilities.

(c) **Employment and Technical Assistance Center Grants.** $450,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $1,800,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for employment and technical assistance grants to assist organizations and employers in promoting a more inclusive workplace for people with disabilities.

(d) **Case Management Training Grants.** $37,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $123,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to provide case management training to organizations and employers to support the state's disability employment supports system. The base for this appropriation is $45,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $45,000 in fiscal year 2027.

(e) **Electronic Visit Verification Stipends.** $6,095,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for onetime stipends of $200 to bargaining members to offset the potential costs related to people using individual devices to access the electronic visit verification system. $5,600,000 of the appropriation is for stipends and the remaining amount is for administration of the stipends. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025.

(f) **Self-Directed Collective Bargaining Agreement; Temporary Rate Increase Memorandum of Understanding.** $1,600,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for onetime stipends for individual providers covered by the SEIU collective bargaining agreement based on the memorandum of understanding related to the temporary rate increase in effect between December 1, 2020, and February 7, 2021. $1,400,000 of the appropriation is for stipends and the remaining amount is for administration

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| administration. This is a onetime appropriation. | of the stipends. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (g) **Self-directed collective bargaining agreement; retention bonuses.** $50,750,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for onetime retention bonuses covered by the SEIU collective bargaining agreement. Of this amount, $50,000,000 is for retention bonuses and $750,000 is for administration of the bonuses. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. | (g) **Self-Directed Collective Bargaining Agreement; Retention Bonuses.** $50,750,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for onetime retention bonuses covered by the SEIU collective bargaining agreement. $50,000,000 of the appropriation is for retention bonuses and the remaining amount is for administration of the bonuses. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. |
| (h) **Self-directed bargaining agreement; training stipends.** $2,100,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $100,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for onetime stipends of $500 for collective bargaining unit members who complete designated, voluntary trainings made available through or recommended by the State Provider Cooperation Committee. Of this amount, $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for stipends, and $100,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $100,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for administration. This is a onetime appropriation. | (h) **Training Stipends.** $2,100,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $100,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for onetime stipends of $500 for collective bargaining unit members who complete designated, voluntary trainings made available through or recommended by the State Provider Cooperation Committee. $2,000,000 of the appropriation is for stipends and the remaining amount in both fiscal year 2024 and fiscal 2025 is for the administration of stipends. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (i) **Self-directed bargaining agreement; orientation program.** $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for onetime $100 payments to collective bargaining unit members who complete voluntary orientation requirements. Of this amount, $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the onetime $100 payments, and $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for orientation-related costs. This is a onetime appropriation. | (i) **Orientation Program.** $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $2,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for onetime $100 payments for collective bargaining unit members who complete voluntary orientation requirements. $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the onetime payments, while $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for orientation-related costs. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (j) **Self-directed bargaining agreement; Home Care Orientation Trust.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for the Home Care Orientation Trust under Minnesota Statutes, section 179A.54, subdivision 11. The commissioner shall disburse the appropriation | (k) **Home Care Orientation Trust.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for the Home Care Orientation Trust in Article 10 of the 2023-2025 collective bargaining agreement between the state of Minnesota and Service Employees International Union Healthcare |

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| to the board of trustees of the Home Care Orientation Trust for deposit into an account designated by the board of trustees outside the state treasury and state's accounting system. This is a onetime appropriation. | Minnesota and Iowa. The commissioner shall disburse the appropriation to the board of trustees of the Home Care Orientation Trust for deposit into an account designed by the board of trustees outside of the state treasury and state's accounting system. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (k) **HIV/AIDS support services.** $10,100,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for grants to community-based HIV/AIDS support services providers and for payment of allowed health care costs as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 256.935. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. | (j) **HIV/AIDS Support Services.** $24,200,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for grants to community-based HIV/AIDS support services providers and for payment of allowed health care costs as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 256.9365. This is a onetime appropriation and is available through June 30, 2027. |
| (l) **Motion analysis advancements clinical study and patient care.** $400,000 is fiscal year 2024 is for a grant to the Mayo Clinic Motion Analysis Laboratory and Limb Lab for continued research in motion analysis advancements and patient care. This is a onetime appropriation and is available through June 30, 2025. | |
| (m) **Grant to Family Voices in Minnesota.** $75,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $75,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for a grant to Family Voices in Minnesota under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.4776. | (e) **Parent-to-Parent Programs.** (1) $625,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $625,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to organizations supporting the organizations' parent-to-parent programs for families of children with special health care needs. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. |
| | (2) Of this amount, $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to organizations that provide services to underserved communities with a high prevalence of autism spectrum disorder. The commissioner shall give priority to organizations that provide culturally specific and culturally responsive services. |
| | (3) Eligible organizations must: |

(i) conduct outreach and provide support to newly identified parents or guardians of a child with special health care needs;

(ii) provide training to educate parents and guardians in ways to support their child and navigate the health, education, and human services systems;

(iii) facilitate ongoing peer support for parents and guardians from trained volunteer support parents; and

(iv) communicate regularly with other parent-to-parent programs and national organizations to ensure that best practices are implemented.

(4) Grant recipients must use grant money for the activities identified in clause (3).

(5) For purposes of this section, "special health care needs" means disabilities, chronic illnesses or conditions, health-related educational or behavioral problems, or the risk of developing disabilities, illnesses, conditions, or problems.

(6) Each grant recipient must report to the commissioner of human services annually by January 15 with measurable outcomes from programs and services funded by this appropriation the previous year including the number of families served and the number of volunteer support parents trained by the organization's parent-to-parent program.

(g) **Native American Elder Coordinator.** $441,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $441,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the Native American elder coordinator position under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.975, subdivision 6. The base for this appropriation is $441,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $441,000 in fiscal year 2027.

(n) **Self-advocacy grants for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities.** $323,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $323,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for self-advocacy grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.477. Of these amounts, $218,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $218,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the activities under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.477, subdivision 1, paragraph (a), clauses (5) to (7), and for administrative costs, and $105,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $105,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the activities under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.477, subdivision 2.

(o) **Home and community-based workforce incentive fund grants.** $34,742,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $4,983,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the home and community-based workforce incentive fund grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.4764. The base for this appropriation is $2,986,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $2,986,000 in fiscal year 2027.

(p) **Technology for home grants.** $300,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $300,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for technology for home grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.4773.

(q) **Direct Support Professionals Employee-Owned Cooperative program.** $175,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $175,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for a grant to the Metropolitan Consortium of Community Developers for the Direct Support Professionals Employee-Owned Cooperative program. The grantee must use the grant amount for outreach and engagement, managing a screening and selection process, providing one-on-one technical assistance, developing and providing training curricula related to cooperative development and home and community-based waiver services,

(l) **Home and Community-Based Workforce Incentive Fund Grants.** $33,300,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for home and community-based workforce incentive fund grants. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2026.

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| administration, reporting, and program evaluation. This is a onetime appropriation. | |
| (r) **Transfer.** $10,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for a transfer to Anoka County for administrative costs related to fielding and responding to complaints related to unfair rent increases. | |
| | (m) **Community Residential Setting Transition.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for a grant to Hennepin County to expedite approval of community residential setting licenses subject to the corporate foster care moratorium exception under Minnesota Statutes, section 245A.03, subdivision 7, paragraph (a), clause (5). |
| (s) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $28,194,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $27,944,000 in fiscal year 2027. | (n) **Base Level Adjustment.** The base is $27,355,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $27,030,000 in fiscal year 2027. |
| Subd. 15. **Grant Programs; Adult Mental Health Grants** 1,200,000 3,200,000 | Subd. 16. **Grant Programs; Adult Mental Health Grants** 1,500,000 1,500,000 |
| (a) **Training for peer workforce.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $3,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 from the general fund are for peer workforce training grants. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2027. | |
| (b) **Family enhancement center grant.** $200,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $200,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for a grant to the Family Enhancement Center to develop, maintain, and expand community-based social engagement and connection programs to help families dealing with trauma and mental health issues develop connections with each other and their communities, including the NEST parent monitoring program, the cook to | |

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connect program, and the call to movement initiative. This paragraph does not expire.

(c) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $200,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $200,000 in fiscal year 2027.

Subd. 16. **Grant Programs; Chemical Dependency Treatment Support Grants**

| Appropriations by Fund | | |
|---|---|---|
| General | 24,275,000 | 21,047,000 |
| Lottery Prize | 1,733,000 | 1,733,000 |

(a) **Culturally specific recovery community organization start-up grants.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $3,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for culturally specific recovery community organization start-up grants. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section

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**African American Child Wellness Institute.** $3,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for a grant to the African American Child Wellness Institute, a culturally specific African American mental health service provider that is a licensed community mental health center specializing in services for African American children and families of all ages. The grant must be used to support the center in offering culturally specific, comprehensive, trauma-informed, practice- and evidence-based, person- and family-centered mental health and substance use disorder services; supervision and training; and care coordination regardless of ability to pay or place of residence. This is a onetime appropriation.

Subd. 17. **Grant Programs; Chemical Dependency Treatment Support Grants**

| Appropriations by Fund | | |
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| General | 89,788,000 | 6,497,000 |
| Lottery Prize | 1,733,000 | 1,733,000 |
| Opiate Epidemic Response | 500,000 | -0- |

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| 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. This is a onetime appropriation. | |
| | (a) **Safe Recovery Sites.** $55,491,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for start-up and capacity-building grants for organizations to establish safe recovery sites. This appropriation is onetime and is available until June 30, 2025. |
| (b) **Technical assistance for culturally specific organizations; culturally specific services grants.** $1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $3,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants to culturally specific providers for technical assistance navigating culturally specific and responsive substance use and recovery programs. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. | (b) **Culturally Specific Services Grants.** $4,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for grants to culturally specific providers for technical assistance navigating culturally specific and responsive substance use and recovery programs. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (c) **Technical assistance for culturally specific organizations; culturally specific grant development training.** $200,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $200,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for grants for up to four trainings for community members and culturally specific providers for grant writing training for substance use and recovery-related grants. This is a onetime appropriation. | (c) **Culturally Specific Grant Development Trainings.** $200,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $200,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the general fund for up to four trainings for community members and culturally specific providers for grant writing training for substance use and recovery programs. This is onetime appropriation. |
| (d) **Harm reduction and culturally specific grants.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are to provide sole source grants to culturally specific communities to purchase testing supplies and naloxone. | (d) **Harm Reduction Supplies for Tribal and Culturally Specific Programs.** $8,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund to provide sole source grants to culturally specific communities to purchase syringes, testing supplies, and opiate antagonists. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (e) **Family treatment start-up and capacity-building grants.** $10,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for family treatment and capacity-building grants. This is a onetime | (e) **Families and family Treatment Capacity-building and Start-up Grants.** $10,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for start-up and capacity-building grants for family substance use disorder |

appropriation and is available until June 30, 2027.

(f) **Start-up and capacity building grants for withdrawal management.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $3,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for start-up and capacity building grants for withdrawal management. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. This is a onetime appropriation.

treatment programs. Any unexpended funds are available until June 30, 2029. This is a onetime appropriation.

(f) **Minnesota State University, Mankato Community Behavioral Health Center.** $750,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $750,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the general fund for a grant to the Center for Rural Behavioral Health at Minnesota State University, Mankato to establish a community behavioral health center and training clinic. The community behavioral health center must provide comprehensive, culturally specific, trauma-informed, practice- and evidence-based, person- and family-centered mental health and substance use disorder treatment services in Blue Earth County and the surrounding region. The center must provide the services to individuals of all ages, regardless of ability to pay or place of residence. The community behavioral health center and training clinic must also provide training and workforce development opportunities to students enrolled in the university's training programs in the fields of social work, counseling and student personnel, alcohol and drug studies, psychology, and nursing. The commissioner shall make information regarding the use of this grant funding available to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over health and human services. Any unspent money from the

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| | fiscal year 2024 appropriation is available in fiscal year 2025. These are onetime appropriations. |
| (g) **Recovery community organization grants.** $6,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 is for grants to recovery community organizations, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 254B.01, subdivision 8, to provide for costs and community-based peer recovery support services that are not otherwise eligible for reimbursement under Minnesota Statutes, section 254B.05, as part of the continuum of care for substance use disorders. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2027. This is a onetime appropriation. | (h) **Recovery Community Organization Grants.** $4,300,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for grants to recovery community organizations, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 254B.01, subdivision 8, that are current grantees as of June 30, 2023. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. |
| (h) **Opiate antagonist training grants.** $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for opiate antagonist training grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 245.893. | |
| | (i) **Opioid Overdose Prevention Grants.** $500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the general fund for a grant to Ka Joog, a nonprofit organization in Minneapolis, Minnesota, to be used for collaborative outreach, education, and training on opioid use and overdose, and distribution of opiate antagonist kits in East African and Somali communities in Minnesota. This is a onetime appropriation. |
| (i) **Problem gambling.** $225,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $225,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the lottery prize fund for a grant to a state affiliate recognized by the National Council on Problem Gambling. The affiliate must provide services to increase public awareness of problem gambling, education, training for individuals and organizations that provide effective treatment services to problem | (j) **Problem Gambling.** $225,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $225,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the lottery prize fund for a grant to a state affiliate recognized by the National Council on Problem Gambling. The affiliate must provide services to increase public awareness of problem gambling, education, training for individuals and organizations that provide effective treatment services to problem |

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gamblers and their families, and research related to problem gambling.

(j) **Project ECHO at Hennepin Health Care.** $1,228,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for Project ECHO grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 254B.30, subdivision 2.

(k) **White Earth Nation substance use disorder digital therapy tool.** $4,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is from the general fund for a grant to the White Earth Nation to develop an individualized Native American centric digital therapy tool with Pathfinder Solutions. This is a onetime appropriation. The grant must be used to:

(1) develop a mobile application that is culturally tailored to connecting substance use disorder resources with White Earth Nation members;

(2) convene a planning circle with White Earth Nation members to design the tool;

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gamblers and their families, and research related to problem gambling.

(k) **Project ECHO.** $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $1,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the general fund for a grant to Hennepin Healthcare to expand the Project ECHO program. The grant must be used to establish at least four substance use disorder-focused Project ECHO programs at Hennepin Healthcare, expanding the grantee's capacity to improve health and substance use disorder outcomes for diverse populations of individuals enrolled in medical assistance, including but not limited to immigrants, individuals who are homeless, individuals seeking maternal and perinatal care, and other underserved populations. The Project ECHO programs funded under this section must be culturally responsive, and the grantee must contract with culturally and linguistically appropriate substance use disorder service providers who have expertise in focus areas, based on the populations served. Grant funds may be used for program administration, equipment, provider reimbursement, and staffing hours. This is a onetime appropriation.

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| (3) provide and expand White Earth Nation-specific substance use disorder services; and | | | | | |
| (4) partner with an academic research institution to evaluate the efficacy of the program. | | | | | |
| (l) **Wellness in the Woods.** $100,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $100,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for a grant to Wellness in the Woods to provide daily peer support for individuals who are in recovery, are transitioning out of incarceration, or have experienced trauma. This paragraph does not expire. | | | (g) **Wellness in the Woods.** $250,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $250,000 in fiscal year 2025 are from the general fund for a grant to Wellness in the Woods for daily peer support and special sessions for individuals who are in substance use disorder recovery, are transitioning out of incarceration, or who have experienced trauma. These are onetime appropriations. | | |
| (m) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $5,847,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $5,847,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | | (l) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $3,247,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $3,247,000 in fiscal year 2027. | | |
| Subd. 17. **Direct Care and Treatment - Transfer Authority** | | | Subd. 18. **Direct Care and Treatment - Transfer Authority** | | |
| Money appropriated under subdivisions 18 to 22 may be transferred between budget activities and between years of the biennium with the approval of the commissioner of management and budget. | | | (a) Money appropriated for budget activities under subdivisions 19 to 23 may be transferred between budget activities and between years of the biennium with the approval of the commissioner of management and budget. | | |
| | | | (b) Ending balances in obsolete accounts in the special revenue fund and other dedicated accounts within direct care and treatment may be transferred to other dedicated and gift fund accounts within direct care and treatment for client use and other client activities, with approval of the commissioner of management and budget. These transactions must be completed by August 1, 2023. | | |
| Subd. 18. **Direct Care and Treatment - Mental Health and Substance Abuse** | 169,962,000 | 177,152,000 | Subd. 19. **Direct Care and Treatment - Mental Health and Substance Abuse** | 169,962,000 | 177,152,000 |

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| Subd. 19. **Direct Care and Treatment - Community-Based Services** | 21,223,000 | 22,280,000 |
| Subd. 20. **Direct Care and Treatment - Forensic Services** | 141,020,000 | 148,513,000 |
| Subd. 21. **Direct Care and Treatment - Sex Offender Program** | 115,920,000 | 121,726,000 |
| Subd. 22. **Direct Care and Treatment - Operations** | 72,912,000 | 87,570,000 |

The general fund base is $80,222,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $81,142,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Sec. 3. **COUNCIL ON DISABILITY** | **$ 1,818,000** | **$ 2,285,000** |

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The commissioner responsible for operations of direct care and treatment services, with the approval of the commissioner of management and budget, may transfer any balance in the enterprise fund established for the community addiction recovery enterprise program to the general fund appropriation within this subdivision. Any balance remaining after June 30, 2025, cancels to the general fund.

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| Subd. 20. **Direct Care and Treatment - Community-Based Services** | 20,386,000 | 21,164,,000 |

**Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $20,452,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $20,452,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Subd. 21. **Direct Care and Treatment - Forensic Services** | 141,020,000 | 148,513,000 |
| Subd. 22. **Direct Care and Treatment - Sex Offender Program** | 115,920,000 | 121,726,000 |
| Subd. 23. **Direct Care and Treatment - Operations** | 78,432,000 | 95,098,000 |

The general fund base is $65,263,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $65,263,000 in fiscal year 2027.

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| Sec. 3. **COUNCIL ON DISABILITY** | $ 1,902,000 | $ 2,282,000 |

(a) **Council on Disability; Accessibility Standards Training.** (1) $250,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $250,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the Minnesota Council on Disability to select, appoint, and compensate employees to perform the following tasks:

(i) in consultation with the League of Minnesota Cities and the Association of Minnesota Counties, provide a statewide training module for cities and counties on how

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Sec. 4. **OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES** **$ 3,700,000 $ 4,017,000**

(a) **Department of Psychiatry monitoring.** $100,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $100,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for monitoring the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Minnesota.

(b) **Base level adjustment.** The general fund base is $3,917,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $3,917,000 in fiscal year 2027.

Sec. 5. **COMMISSIONER OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** **$ 3,924,000 $ 76,000**

$3,800,000 in fiscal year 2024 is for development and implementation of an awareness-building campaign for the recruitment of direct care professionals, and $124,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $76,000 in

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to conform local government websites to accessibility standards;

(ii) provide outreach, training, and technical assistance for local government officials and staff on website accessibility; and

(iii) track and compile information about the outcomes of the activities described in clauses (1) and (2) and the costs of implementation for cities and counties to make website accessibility improvements.

(2) The training module described under paragraph (a), clause (1), must be developed and made available to counties and cities on or before July 1, 2024.

(3) This is a onetime appropriation.

(b) **Base Level Adjustment.** The general fund base is $2,032,000 in fiscal year 2026 and $2,032,000 in fiscal year 2027.

Sec. 4. **OMBUDSMAN FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES** $ 3,441,000 $ 3,644,000

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| fiscal year 2025 are for administration. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025. | |
| Sec. 6. **COMMISSIONER OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET** $ 900,000 $ 900,000 | Sec. 5. **MINNESOTA MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET** 1,000,000 1,000,000 |
| | **(a) Office of Addiction and Recovery.** $750,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $750,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the Office of Addiction and Recovery. |
| | **(b) Youth Substance Use and Addiction Recovery Office.** $250,000 in fiscal year 2024 and $250,000 in fiscal year 2025 are for the Youth Substance Use and Addiction Recovery Office. |
| Sec. 7. Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 16, section 28, as amended by Laws 2022, chapter 40, section 1, is amended to read:<br>Sec. 28. **CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS.** | Sec. 6. Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 16, section 28, as amended by Laws 2022, chapter 40, section 1, is amended to read:<br>Sec. 28. **CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS.** |
| Any appropriation in this act for a purpose included in Minnesota's initial state spending plan as described in guidance issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for implementation of section 9817 of the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 is contingent upon the initial approval of that purpose by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, except for the rate increases specified in article 11, sections 12 and 19. This section expires June 30, 2024. | Any appropriation in this act for a purpose included in Minnesota's initial state spending plan as described in guidance issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for implementation of section 9817 of the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 is contingent upon the initial approval of that purpose by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, except for the rate increases specified in article 11, sections 12 and 19. This section expires June 30, 2024. |
| | THE FOLLOWING SECTION WAS TAKEN OUT OF HOUSE ARTICLE 1. |
| Sec. 8. Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 16, is amended to read:<br>Sec. 16. **RESEARCH ON ACCESS TO LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES AND FINANCING.** | Sec. 41. Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 17, section 16, is amended to read:<br>Sec. 16. **RESEARCH ON ACCESS TO LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES AND FINANCING.** |
| (a) This act includes $400,000 in fiscal year 2022 and $300,000 in fiscal year 2023 for an actuarial research study of public and private financing options for long-term services and supports reform to increase access across the state. The commissioner of human services must conduct the study. Of this amount, the commissioner may transfer up to $100,000 to the commissioner of commerce for costs related to the requirements of the study. The general fund base included in this act for this purpose is $0 in fiscal year 2024 and $0 in fiscal year 2025. | (a) This act includes $400,000 in fiscal year 2022 and $300,000 in fiscal year 2023 for an actuarial research study of public and private financing options for long-term services and supports reform to increase access across the state. Any unexpended amount in fiscal year 2023 is available through June 30, 2024. The commissioner of human services must conduct the study. Of this amount, the commissioner may transfer up to $100,000 to the commissioner of commerce for costs related to the requirements of the study. The general fund base included in this act for this purpose is $0 in fiscal year 2024 and $0 in fiscal year 2025. |

(b) All activities must be completed by June 30, 2024.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 9. **DIRECT CARE AND TREATMENT FISCAL YEAR 2023 APPROPRIATION.**

$4,829,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2023 to the commissioner of human services for direct care and treatment programs. This is a onetime appropriation.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 10. **APPROPRIATION ENACTED MORE THAN ONCE.**

If an appropriation is enacted more than once in the 2023 legislative session, the appropriation must be given effect only once.

(b) All activities must be completed by June 30, 2024.

HOUSE ARTICLE 8, SECTION 7 WAS REMOVED TO MATCH WITH SENATE ARTICLE 2, SECTION 50.

Sec. 8. **DIRECT CARE AND TREATMENT FISCAL YEAR 2023 APPROPRIATION.**

$4,829,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2023 to the commissioner of human services for operation of direct care and treatment programs. This is a onetime appropriation.

Sec. 9. **TRANSFERS.**

Subdivision 1. **Grants.** The commissioner of human services, with the approval of the commissioner of management and budget, may transfer unencumbered appropriation balances for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, within fiscal years among the MFIP; general assistance; medical assistance; MinnesotaCare; MFIP child care assistance under Minnesota Statutes, section 119B.05; Minnesota supplemental aid program; housing support program; the entitlement portion of Northstar Care for Children under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256N; and the entitlement portion of the behavioral health fund between fiscal years of the biennium. The commissioner shall inform the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over health and human services quarterly about transfers made under this subdivision.

Subd. 2. **Administration.** Positions, salary money, and nonsalary administrative money may be transferred within the Department of Human Services as the commissioner considers necessary, with the advance approval of the commissioner of management and budget. The commissioners shall inform the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over health and human services finance quarterly about transfers made under this section.

Sec. 10. **APPROPRIATIONS GIVEN EFFECT ONCE.**

If an appropriation or transfer in this article is enacted more than once during the 2023 regular session, the appropriation or transfer must be given effect once.

HOUSE ARTICLE 8, SECITON 11 WAS TAKEN OUT TO MATCH WITH SENATE ARTICLE 8, SECTION 1.

Sec. 11. **EXPIRATION OF UNCODIFIED LANGUAGE.**

All uncodified language contained in this article expires on June 30, 2025, unless a different expiration date is explicit.

Sec. 12. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This article is effective July 1, 2023, unless a different effective date is specified.

Sec. 12. **EXPIRATION OF UNCODIFIED LANGUAGE.**

All uncodified language contained in this article expires on June 30, 2025, unless a different expiration date is explicit.