

**Department of Health & Human Services**

**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

**Senate Finance Presentation**

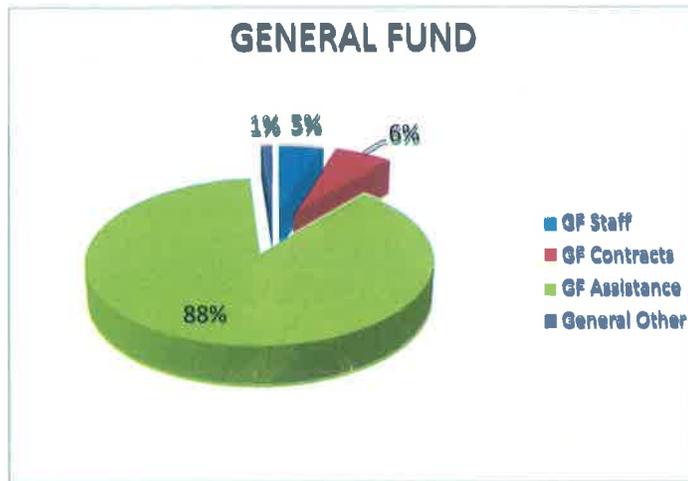
**Agency Overview:**

The Division of Family Assistance administers programs that provide financial and nutritional assistance to needy New Hampshire citizens who meet a means test. The categories of financial assistance include Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF), Old Age Assistance (OAA), Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled (APTD), Aid to the Needy Blind (ANB), Refugee Case Assistance and State Assistance Non-TANF.

The Division of Family Assistance administers the New Hampshire Employment Program (NHEP) which in addition to providing financial and medical assistance provides employment and training services to assist individuals to achieve and maintain financial independence.

**Budget pages: 625 through 631**

**General Fund Impact**



	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY16	FY17	FY16	FY17
	Actual	Adj. Auth.	Agency	Agency	Governor	Governor	House	House
Total Funds	57,997,006	64,879,606	62,673,736	64,095,824	58,802,562	59,144,807	58,802,562	59,144,807
General Funds	28,556,309	32,519,414	32,185,886	32,783,525	31,481,857	31,751,085	31,481,857	31,751,085

	14-15 Biennium	16-17 Biennium	\$	%
	ACT/ADJ AUTH	HOUSE	Change	Change
General Funds	61,075,723	63,232,942	2,157,219	3.41%
Total Funds	122,876,612	117,947,369	(4,929,243)	-4.18%

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**Caseloads (Clients Served):**

Case Type	SFY 14 Budgeted			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,344	\$ 518.09	\$ 6,381,763	\$ 20,790,000
6153 FWOC	11	\$ 434.00	\$ 57,288	\$ 57,288
6176 IDP	421	\$ 532.00	\$ 2,687,664	\$ 2,687,664
6170 OAA	1,431	\$ 167.00	\$ 2,867,724	\$ 2,867,724
6171 ANB	161	\$ 172.00	\$ 332,304	\$ 332,304
6174 APTD	7,774	\$ 125.05	\$ 11,565,664	\$ 11,665,664

Case Type	SFY 14 Actual			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,146	\$ 494.15	\$ 6,331,771	\$ 18,655,072
6153 FWOC	14	\$ 405.22	\$ 70,102	\$ 70,102
6176 IDP	327	\$ 513.60	\$ 2,013,803	\$ 2,013,803
6170 OAA	1,504	\$ 178.22	\$ 3,215,899	\$ 3,215,899
6171 ANB	151	\$ 163.07	\$ 294,663	\$ 294,663
6174 APTD	7,727	\$ 129.85	\$ 11,838,784	\$ 12,039,275

Case Type	SFY 15 Adjusted Authorized			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,514	\$ 533.63	\$ 8,874,063	\$ 22,500,000
6153 FWOC	12	\$ 434.00	\$ 62,496	\$ 62,496
6176 IDP	421	\$ 507.00	\$ 2,561,224	\$ 2,561,224
6170 OAA	1,445	\$ 167.00	\$ 2,895,780	\$ 2,895,780
6171 ANB	160	\$ 162.30	\$ 311,432	\$ 311,432
6174 APTD	7,732	\$ 125.05	\$ 11,502,639	\$ 11,602,639

Case Type	SFY 15 Projected as of 3/31/15			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	2,912	\$ 482.41	\$ 8,874,063	\$ 17,184,223
6153 FWOC	13	\$ 450.27	\$ 80,217	\$ 80,217
6176 IDP	296	\$ 520.11	\$ 1,869,152	\$ 1,869,152
6170 OAA	1,527	\$ 189.52	\$ 3,515,949	\$ 3,515,949
6171 ANB	144	\$ 164.34	\$ 282,693	\$ 282,693
6174 APTD	7,511	\$ 126.26	\$ 11,619,603	\$ 11,719,603

Case Type	Agency-2016			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,146	\$ 500.00	\$ 8,874,063	\$ 19,037,736
6153 FWOC	16	\$ 370.88	\$ 71,209	\$ 71,209
6176 IDP	335	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,010,000	\$ 2,010,000
6170 OAA	1,520	\$ 190.00	\$ 3,465,600	\$ 3,465,600
6171 ANB	149	\$ 175.00	\$ 312,900	\$ 312,900
6174 APTD	7,700	\$ 130.00	\$ 12,012,000	\$ 12,012,000

Case Type	Agency-2017			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,240	\$ 500.00	\$ 8,874,063	\$ 19,601,736
6153 FWOC	16	\$ 370.88	\$ 71,209	\$ 71,209
6176 IDP	342	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,050,200	\$ 2,050,200
6170 OAA	1,564	\$ 195.00	\$ 3,658,964	\$ 3,658,964
6171 ANB	152	\$ 175.00	\$ 319,158	\$ 319,158
6174 APTD	7,854	\$ 130.00	\$ 12,252,240	\$ 12,252,240

Case Type	Governor Proposed-2016			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,146	\$ 500.00	\$ 8,874,063	\$ 19,037,736
6153 FWOC	16	\$ 455.00	\$ 87,360	\$ 87,360
6176 IDP	335	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,010,000	\$ 2,010,000
6170 OAA	1,550	\$ 190.00	\$ 3,534,000	\$ 3,534,000
6171 ANB	149	\$ 175.00	\$ 312,900	\$ 312,900
6174 APTD	7,500	\$ 130.00	\$ 11,700,000	\$ 11,700,000

Case Type	Governor Proposed-2017			
	Caseload	Avg. Mo. Grant	General	Total
6146 TANF	3,146	\$ 500.00	\$ 8,874,063	\$ 19,037,736
6153 FWOC	16	\$ 455.00	\$ 87,360	\$ 87,360
6176 IDP	335	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,010,000	\$ 2,010,000
6170 OAA	1,600	\$ 195.00	\$ 3,744,000	\$ 3,744,000
6171 ANB	152	\$ 175.00	\$ 319,158	\$ 319,158
6174 APTD	7,500	\$ 130.00	\$ 11,700,000	\$ 11,700,000

- Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF); Families with Older Children (FWOC); Interim Disabled Parent (IDP); Old Age Assistance (OAA); Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled (APTD); Aid to the Needy Blind (ANB)

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**Caseload Assumptions:** (% growth in cases, cost assumptions of growth, explanation of higher or lower trends in growth, etc.).

- Old Age Assistance (OAA) caseload has increased approx. 1% per month over the last 3 years. As the population in New Hampshire continues to age, we expect this 1% monthly increase to continue in kind over SFY16/17.
- Aid for Permanently and Temporarily Disabled (APTD) caseload has been decreasing, and is expected to stay level throughout the biennium.
- Caseloads for all other programs are expected to stay level, which are currently operating on a very narrow band with limited flexibility to react to changes in the financial climate.

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Activity 4500

	SFY16			SFY17				
	Federal	General	Other	Total	Federal	General	Other	Total
Activity 4500	\$ 24,729,100	\$ 32,185,886	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 60,374,388	\$ 25,484,569	\$ 32,783,525	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 61,727,496
<b>Maintenance Request</b>	\$ 24,729,100	\$ 32,185,886	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 60,374,388	\$ 25,484,569	\$ 32,783,525	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 61,727,496
Base Monthly Payment Award (BPA) Increase (TANF)	\$ 2,299,348			\$ 2,299,348	\$ 2,368,328			\$ 2,368,328
<b>Change Request</b>	\$ 2,299,348			\$ 2,299,348	\$ 2,368,328			\$ 2,368,328
<b>Total Agency Request</b>	\$ 27,028,448	\$ 32,185,886	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 62,673,736	\$ 27,852,897	\$ 32,783,525	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 64,095,824
Salary and Benefit Reductions (4 Unfund, 1 Abol)	\$ (252,396)	\$ (161,717)		\$ (414,113)	\$ (263,484)	\$ (172,689)		\$ (436,173)
Removal of BMPA Increase	\$ (2,299,348)			\$ (2,299,348)	\$ (2,368,328)			\$ (2,368,328)
Removal of CPI / Contract Reductions	\$ (615,401)	\$ (314,863)		\$ (930,264)	\$ (1,286,755)	\$ (368,498)		\$ (1,655,263)
6153 FWOC Increase		\$ 16,151		\$ 16,151	\$ 16,151			\$ 16,151
6170 OAA Increase		\$ 68,400		\$ 68,400	\$ 85,036			\$ 85,036
6174 APTD Decrease		\$ (312,000)		\$ (312,000)	\$ (552,240)			\$ (552,240)
6176 IDP Decrease					\$ (40,200)			\$ (40,200)
<b>Governor Final</b>	\$ 23,861,303	\$ 31,481,857	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 58,802,562	\$ 23,934,320	\$ 31,751,085	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 59,144,807
<b>House Final</b>	\$ 23,861,303	\$ 31,481,857	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 58,802,562	\$ 23,934,320	\$ 31,751,085	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 59,144,807
<b>Senate Final</b>	\$ 23,861,303	\$ 31,481,857	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 58,802,562	\$ 23,934,320	\$ 31,751,085	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 59,144,807
<b>Final Approved Budget</b>	\$ 23,861,303	\$ 31,481,857	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 58,802,562	\$ 23,934,320	\$ 31,751,085	\$ 3,459,402	\$ 59,144,807

\* BMPA - Basic Maintenance Payment Allowance

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Budget Adjustments Worksheets for Budget Fiscal Years 2016 and 2017

05 HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES  
00095 HEALTH AND HUMAN SVCS DEPT OF  
045 HHS: TRANSITIONAL ASSISTANCE  
04500 DIVISION OF FAMILY ASSISTANCE

Class	Description	FY 2014 Actual	FY 2015 Adj Auth	FY 2015 \$ change	FY 2015-14 % change	FY 2016 Governor's	FY 2016 House	FY 2016 to FY 15 Adj Auth \$ change	FY 2016 to FY 15 Adj Auth % change	FY 2017 Governor's	FY 2017 House	FY 2017 to FY 16 House \$ change	FY 2017 to FY 16 House % change
010	Personnel Services-Permanent	2,282,286	2,539,962	257,676	11.3%	2,226,483	2,226,483	(313,479)	-14.1%	2,257,598	2,257,598	31,115	1.4%
012	Personnel Services-Unclassified	321,920	316,679	(5,241)	-1.6%	339,993	339,993	23,314	6.9%	340,293	340,293	300	0.1%
018	Overtime	653	3,000	2,347	359.4%	3,000	3,000	0	0.0%	3,000	3,000	0	0.0%
020	Current Expense	187,289	301,201	113,912	60.8%	269,996	269,996	(31,205)	-11.6%	264,996	264,996	(5,000)	-1.9%
026	Organizational Dues	14,696	15,020	324	2.2%	15,020	15,020	0	0.0%	15,020	15,020	0	0.0%
030	Equipment	0	3,359	3,359	#DIV/0!	3,359	3,359	0	0.0%	3,359	3,359	0	0.0%
037	Technology-Hardware	0	1	1	#DIV/0!	0	0	(1)	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
039	TELECOM	22,522	53,120	30,598	135.9%	22,535	22,535	(30,585)	-135.7%	22,535	22,535	0	0.0%
040	Indirect costs	30,241	100,550	70,309	232.5%	60,121	60,121	(40,429)	-67.2%	60,121	60,121	0	0.0%
041	Audit Fund Set Aside	180,967	190,380	9,413	5.2%	174,079	174,079	(16,301)	-9.4%	174,079	174,079	0	0.0%
042	Additional Fringe Benefits	91,375	99,195	7,820	8.6%	93,482	93,482	(5,713)	-6.1%	93,482	93,482	0	0.0%
046	Consultants	4,008,413	1	(4,008,412)	-100.0%	1	1	0	0.0%	1	1	0	0.0%
050	Personal Services-Temporary	95,357	152,523	57,166	59.9%	292,456	292,456	139,933	47.8%	298,305	298,305	5,849	2.0%
060	Benefits	1,460,854	1,756,997	296,143	20.3%	1,391,002	1,391,002	(365,995)	-26.3%	1,449,725	1,449,725	58,723	4.1%
062	Workers Compensation	173,171	123,588	(49,583)	-28.6%	173,171	173,171	49,583	28.6%	173,171	173,171	0	0.0%
066	Training	0	0	0	#DIV/0!	500	500	500	100.0%	500	500	0	0.0%
070	In-State Travel	31,639	35,426	3,787	12.0%	33,338	33,338	(2,088)	-6.3%	33,338	33,338	0	0.0%
080	Out-of-State Travel	7,493	12,317	4,824	64.4%	10,773	10,773	(1,544)	-14.3%	10,773	10,773	0	0.0%
102	Contracts for Program Services	9,343,213	11,884,855	2,541,642	27.2%	11,884,855	11,884,855	0	0.0%	11,884,855	11,884,855	0	0.0%
103	Contracts for Operational Services	287,892	2,360,000	2,072,108	719.8%	550,000	550,000	(1,810,000)	-329.1%	560,000	560,000	10,000	1.8%
501	Payments to Clients	37,428,279	40,975,878	3,547,599	9.5%	37,843,398	37,843,398	(3,132,480)	-8.3%	38,084,656	38,084,656	241,258	0.6%
502	Payments to Providers	1,819,300	2,665,000	845,700	46.5%	2,665,000	2,665,000	0	0.0%	2,665,000	2,665,000	0	0.0%
538	Emergency Assistance	209,446	1,290,554	1,081,108	516.2%	750,000	750,000	(540,554)	-72.1%	750,000	750,000	0	0.0%
	<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>57,997,006</b>	<b>64,879,606</b>	<b>6,882,600</b>	<b>11.9%</b>	<b>58,802,562</b>	<b>58,802,562</b>	<b>(6,077,044)</b>	<b>-10.3%</b>	<b>59,144,807</b>	<b>59,144,807</b>	<b>342,245</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
000	Federal Funds 403959	25,723,898	28,393,492	2,669,594	10.4%	23,861,303	23,861,303	(4,532,189)	-19.0%	23,934,320	23,934,320	73,017	0.3%
001	Transfer from Other Agencies 484995	559,402	500,000	(59,402)	-10.6%	559,402	559,402	59,402	10.6%	559,402	559,402	-	0.0%
009	Agency Income 403530	3,157,397	4,145,000	987,603	31.3%	2,900,000	2,900,000	(1,245,000)	-42.9%	2,900,000	2,900,000	-	0.0%
<b>GF</b>	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>28,556,309</b>	<b>31,841,114</b>	<b>3,284,805</b>	<b>11.5%</b>	<b>31,481,857</b>	<b>31,481,857</b>	<b>(359,257)</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>	<b>31,751,085</b>	<b>31,751,085</b>	<b>269,228</b>	<b>0.8%</b>
	<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>57,997,006</b>	<b>64,879,606</b>	<b>6,882,600</b>	<b>11.9%</b>	<b>58,802,562</b>	<b>58,802,562</b>	<b>(6,077,044)</b>	<b>-10.3%</b>	<b>59,144,807</b>	<b>59,144,807</b>	<b>342,245</b>	<b>0.6%</b>

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**EMPLOYMENT SUPPORTS**

**4510-6127**

**Budget pages 626-627**

PURPOSE:

The New Hampshire Employment Program (NHEP) is the employment support program associated with Financial Assistance to Needy Families (FANF) cash assistance, which includes TANF, FWOC, and IDP. It assists able-bodied parents to become self-sufficient by providing employment and training services to clients on the principal of Motivational Interviewing, wherein clients' career aspirations are explored and client motivation and barriers assessment is completed. A Case Management model monitors client progress monthly (or more frequently) and makes social /health services referrals to assure client outcomes are met.

CLIENT PROFILE:

Federal TANF law requires that 50% of all recipients of TANF federal or MOE funded assistance be in qualifying work activities. FANF clients are required to participate in federally approved work activities for either 20 or 30 hours per week, depending on the age of the youngest child in the household. Individuals must participate unless they are temporarily or permanently exempt. Examples of exemptions include if the individual is under age 16, is over age 16 but still in high school, is ill or incapacitated, is responsible for a child under age one (with a lifetime limit of 12 months lifetime), and other reasons. Exemption status is monitored through Case Management. All General fund spending is counted towards TANF Maintenance of Effort (MOE).

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	SFY14	SFY15	SFY16	SFY17	SFY16	SFY17	SFY16	SFY17
	Actual	Adj Auth	Maint	Maint	GOV	GOV	House	House
TOTAL FUNDS	\$10,031	\$11,360	\$12,074	\$12,315	\$11,055	\$11,097	\$11,055	\$11,097
GENERAL FUNDS	\$3,606	\$4,678	\$4,262	\$4,354	\$3,916	\$3,955	\$3,916	\$3,955
ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL	\$2,877	\$2,878	\$3,452	\$3,422	\$3,161	\$3,173	\$3,161	\$3,173
Avg. Monthly CASELOAD	3,487	3,947	3,497	3,598	3,497	3,497	3,497	3,497

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FUNDING SOURCE

Federal funding in this appropriation is 94% TANF block grant. The other 6% of federal funds comes from Adoption, Medicaid, Food Stamps, Foster Care and Child Support. The general funding in this appropriation is used towards the required \$32M MOE for the TANF block grant as well as match for the other federal programs.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Vocational and barrier assessments, job readiness training, work experience, vocational/post-secondary education, career planning, and reimbursements for employment related costs.

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

Services are provided through a combination of State employees and contracts. There are 41 positions.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Ensure clients graduate TANF with career paths, money management skills, and community resources.
- Meet federal participation rate targets and avoid penalty.

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**TEMP ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILIES**

**4510-6146**

**Budget Pages 627-628**

PURPOSE:

Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) is a bi-weekly financial assistance benefit that is granted to families with dependent children who do not have sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health.

CLIENT PROFILE:

This category of cash assistance provides cash assistance to families with dependent children through either the Family Assistance Program (FAP) or the New Hampshire Employment Program (NHEP). To qualify, the household must include a dependent child who is deprived of the support or care of a parent, lives with a parent or specified relative and is under the age of 18. Recipients of TANF cash assistance are also eligible for Medicaid.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	<b>SFY14</b>	<b>SFY15</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Adj Auth</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>House</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	\$19,450	\$25,066	\$21,065	\$21,629	\$19,038	\$19,038	\$19,038	\$19,038
<b>GENERAL FUNDS</b>	\$6,332	\$8,874	\$8,874	\$8,874	\$8,874	\$8,874	\$8,874	\$8,874
<b>ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL (Monthly Average)</b>	\$494.15	\$533.63	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
<b>Caseload Monthly Average</b>	3,146	3,514	3,146	3,240	3,146	3,146	3,146	3,146

\*Does not include emergency assistance payments made on behalf of clients (100% Fed Funds)

Emergency Assistance	\$209	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750
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FUNDING SOURCE

Federal funding in this appropriation is TANF block grant funding. Other funding, in the amount of \$2.8M is from Child Support Collections. All general funds in this account are put towards the required \$32M MOE for the TANF block grant.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Cash and emergency assistance.

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

The Division of Client Services that determine eligibility for the cash, medical and child care programs within the Department

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Ensure TANF children and their parents have income to pay for shelter, utilities, food, clothing, and child care, to prevent them from experiencing homelessness, joblessness, hunger and ill-health.
- Increase the percentage of adult TANF recipients who exit TANF due to increased wages from employment.
- Increase the rate of case closures due to child support collected and co-habitation.
- Increase the percentage of adult TANF recipients employed in one quarter of the year that were still employed in the next two consecutive quarters.

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**SEPARATE STATE TANF PROGRAM – FAMILIES WITH OLDER CHILDREN**

**4510-6153**

**Budget Page 628**

PURPOSE:

Families with Older Children (FWOC) is a bi-weekly financial assistance benefit that is granted to families with dependent children who do not have sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with safety and health. This category of assistance represents families who are eligible for the TANF program, but for purposes of meeting the federal work participation requirements were originally removed from the co-mingled federal/state program and captured in this solely state-funded program under authority provided in RSA 167:77-e.

CLIENT PROFILE:

This category of cash assistance provides cash assistance to families with dependent children. To qualify, the household must include a dependent child age 19 up to age 20 who is still in high school or the equivalent full time, who is deprived of the support or care of a parent, and who lives with a parent or specified relative. Recipients of FWOC cash assistance are also eligible for Medicaid.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	<b>SFY14</b>	<b>SFY15</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Adj Auth</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>House</b>
TOTAL FUNDS	\$70	\$62	\$71	\$71	\$87	\$87	\$87	\$87
GENERAL FUNDS	\$70	\$62	\$71	\$71	\$87	\$87	\$87	\$87
ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL (Monthly Average)	\$405.22	\$434.00	\$370.88	\$370.88	\$455.00	\$455.00	\$455.00	\$455.00
Caseload Monthly Average	14	12	16	16	16	16	16	16

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FUNDING SOURCE

This appropriation is 100% general funds. All general funds in this account are put towards the required \$32M MOE for the TANF block grant.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Cash assistance.

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

The Division of Client Services determine eligibility for the cash, medical and child care programs within the Department

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Increase the percentage of 18 through age 20 years old TANF household members remaining in high school.
- Increase the percentage of FWOC cases engaged in employment

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**STATE SUPPLEMENTAL ASSISTANCE – OLD AGE ASSISTANCE**

**4510-6170**

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PURPOSE:

Old Age Assistance (OAA) is a bi-weekly financial assistance benefit that is granted to residents 65 years of age or older who do not have sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health.

CLIENT PROFILE:

This category of cash assistance is available to residents who are 65 years of age or older. Eligibility for this category of assistance depends on income, resources and living arrangement. Recipients of OAA cash assistance are also automatically eligible for Medicaid.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	<b>SFY14</b>	<b>SFY15</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Adj Auth</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>House</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	\$3,216	\$2,896	\$3,466	\$3,659	\$3,534	\$3,744	\$3,534	\$3,744
<b>GENERAL FUNDS</b>	\$3,216	\$2,896	\$3,466	\$3,659	\$3,534	\$3,744	\$3,534	\$3,744
<b>ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL (Monthly Average)</b>	\$178.22	\$167.00	\$190.00	\$195.00	\$190.00	\$195.00	\$190.00	\$195.00
<b>Caseload</b>	1,504	1,445	1,520	1,564	1,550	1,600	1,550	1,600

FUNDING SOURCE

The funding for this appropriation is 100% general funds. These general funds are used to meet the Medicaid MOE requirement.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Cash assistance.

**Department of Health & Human Services**

**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

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SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

The Division of Client Services that determine eligibility for the cash, medical and child care programs within the Department

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Ensure aged, blind or disabled individuals have sufficient income to access to life essentials, such as shelter, utilities, food and clothing.
- Decrease the State dollars spent on these programs by enforcing movement of state supplemental recipients into corresponding federal programs, such as SSI/SSDI.

**Department of Health & Human Services**  
**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

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**STATE SUPPLEMENTAL ASSISTANCE – AID TO THE NEEDY BLIND**

**4510-6171**

**Budget Page 629**

PURPOSE:

Aid to the Needy Blind (ANB) is a bi-weekly financial assistance benefit that is granted to residents of any age who are legally blind and who do not have sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with safety and health.

CLIENT PROFILE:

This category of cash assistance is available to residents of any age who are legally blind. Eligibility for this category of assistance depends on income, resources and living arrangement. Recipients of ANB cash assistance are also automatically eligible for Medicaid.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	<b>SFY14</b>	<b>SFY15</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Adj Auth</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>House</b>
TOTAL FUNDS	\$295	\$311	\$313	\$319	\$313	\$319	\$313	\$319
GENERAL FUNDS	\$295	\$311	\$313	\$319	\$313	\$319	\$313	\$319
ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL (Monthly Average)	\$163.07	\$162.30	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00
Caseload	151	160	149	152	149	152	149	152

FUNDING SOURCE

The funding for this appropriation is 100% general funds. These general funds are used to meet the Medicaid MOE requirement.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Cash assistance.

**Department of Health & Human Services**

**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

**Senate Finance Presentation**

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

The Division of Client Services that determine eligibility for the cash, medical and child care programs within the Department

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Ensure aged, blind or disabled individuals have sufficient income to access to life essentials, such as shelter, utilities, food and clothing.
- Decrease the State dollars spent on these programs by enforcing movement of state supplemental recipients into corresponding federal programs, such as SSI/SSDI

**Department of Health & Human Services**  
**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

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**STATE SUPPLEMENTAL ASSISTANCE—AID TO PERMANENTLY & TOTALLY DISABLED**

**4510-6174**

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PURPOSE:

Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled (APTD) is a bi-weekly financial assistance benefit that is granted to residents between the ages of 18 – 64 who are determined to be physically or mentally disabled, who do not have sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health.

CLIENT PROFILE:

This category of cash assistance is available to residents who are between the ages of 18 – 64 who are determined to be physically or mentally disabled to the extent that the individual cannot engage in a substantial gainful activity and which is expected to last for a continuous period of not less than 48 months or which is likely to result in death. Eligibility for this category of assistance depends on income, resources and living arrangement. Recipients of APTD cash assistance are most often automatically eligible for Medicaid.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	<b>SFY14</b>	<b>SFY15</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Adj Auth</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>House</b>
TOTAL FUNDS	\$12,039	\$11,603	\$12,012	\$12,252	\$11,700	\$11,700	\$11,700	\$11,700
GENERAL FUNDS	\$11,839	\$11,503	\$11,912	\$12,152	\$11,700	\$12,700	\$11,700	\$12,700
ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL (Monthly Average)	\$129.85	\$125.05	\$130.00	\$130.00	\$130.00	\$130.00	\$130.00	\$130.00
Caseload	7,727	7,732	7,700	7,854	7,500	7,500	7,500	7,500

FUNDING SOURCE

The funding for this appropriation is 99.38% general funds. The other 0.62% of other funds are estimated estate recoveries. These general funds are used to meet the Medicaid MOE requirement.

**Department of Health & Human Services**  
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SERVICES PROVIDED

Cash assistance.

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

The Division of Client Services that determine eligibility for the cash, medical and child care programs within the Department

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Ensure aged, blind or disabled individuals have sufficient income to access to life essentials, such as shelter, utilities, food and clothing.
- Decrease the State dollars spent on these programs by enforcing movement of state supplemental recipients into corresponding federal programs, such as SSI/SSDI.

**Department of Health & Human Services**  
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**SEPARATE STATE ASSISTANCE – INTERIM DISABLED PARENTS**

**4510-6176**

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PURPOSE:

Interim Disabled Parents (IDP) is a bi-weekly financial assistance benefit that is granted to families with dependent children in which the casehead is temporarily disabled or is the primary caregiver for a disabled dependent and who does not have sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health.

CLIENT PROFILE:

This category of assistance represents families who are eligible for the TANF program, but for purposes of meeting the federal work participation requirements were originally removed from the co-mingled federal/state program and captured in this solely state-funded program under authority provided in RSA 167:77-e. Recipients of IDP cash assistance are also eligible for Medicaid. Because our participation rate is strong, we now re-include them in MOE.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	<b>SFY14</b>	<b>SFY15</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>	<b>SFY16</b>	<b>SFY17</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Adj Auth</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>Maint</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>GOV</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>House</b>
TOTAL FUNDS	\$2,014	\$2,561	\$2,010	\$2,050	\$2,010	\$2,010	\$2,010	\$2,010
GENERAL FUNDS	\$2,014	\$2,561	\$2,010	\$2,050	\$2,010	\$2,010	\$2,010	\$2,010
ANNUAL COST PER CASE-TOTAL (Monthly Average)	\$513.60	\$507.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
Caseload	327	421	335	342	335	335	335	335

**Department of Health & Human Services**

**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

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FUNDING SOURCE

This appropriation is 100% general funds. All general funds in this account are put towards the required \$32M MOE for the TANF block grant.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Cash assistance.

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

The Division of Client Services that determine eligibility for the cash, medical and child care programs within the Department

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Increase the percentage of adult TANF recipients receiving SSDI or SSI due to a disability.
- Increase the percentage of adult TANF recipients engaging in work when a disability ends.

**Department of Health & Human Services**  
**Agency #045-4500, Division of Family Assistance**

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**Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)**

**4510-7148**

**Budget Pages 630-631**

PURPOSE:

Provides support to low-income families through grant awards to the five (5) local Community Action Programs in accordance with Public Law 105-285, October 27, 1998

CLIENT PROFILE:

Provides support to low-income families through grant awards to the five (5) local Community Action Programs in accordance with Public Law 105-285, October 27, 1998.

<u>FINANCIAL HISTORY</u>								
Rounded to \$000 except cost per case	SFY14	SFY15	SFY16	SFY17	SFY16	SFY17	SFY16	SFY17
	Actual	Adj Auth	Maint	Maint	GOV	GOV	House	House
TOTAL FUNDS	\$3,322	\$4,602	\$4,600	\$4,601	\$4,598	\$4,600	\$4,598	\$4,600
GENERAL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

FUNDING SOURCE

The funding for this appropriation is 100% federal Community Services Block Grant funds.

SERVICES PROVIDED

Include but are not limited to financial planning, emergency assistance, assistance for health, food, housing, employment and community involvement activities.

SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM

These services are provided through contracts with the Community Action Programs across the state.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

**Historically over 110,000 unduplicated individuals receive services annually from the Community Services Block Grant through the Community Action Programs. It is anticipated that roughly the same number of individuals will receive services in the next biennium.**