



Budget Impasse: Impact on York County Residents

The current State budget impasse may cause York County residents to lose critical services that keep families safe, stable, and healthy. The following is a brief summary of some of the critical services in York County that may not be available as a result of the impasse.

Potential Impact

- ◆ 729 at risk children in their own homes may not receive in-home services to safely maintain them with their families.
- ◆ 349 children in foster care may not receive the casework services needed to achieve permanency.
- ◆ 70 agency-run foster homes may not receive the support and training to deal with the difficult behaviors of children placed in their homes.
- ◆ 497 families in need of services to prevent the removal of their children from their homes may receive reduced assistance.
- ◆ 2,400 individuals may not receive vital transportation services to medical appointments which include life-sustaining trips to dialysis and chemotherapy.
- ◆ 650 homeless individuals (330 children) may not be provided with emergency shelter. These families may be forced to live on the streets or in their cars.
- ◆ 1,400 households may become homeless due to the unavailability of rental assistance.
- ◆ 550 individuals may not receive inpatient Drug & Alcohol treatment.
- ◆ 198 individuals may not receive reimbursement for needed psychotropic medications not otherwise eligible for Medical Assistance funding.
- ◆ 235 adults may be in jeopardy of losing their partial hospitalization, residential treatment and housing support services
- ◆ 4,208 adults and children/adolescents may not receive mental health case management services resulting in loss of intake/assessment services, resource linkages and at-risk intensive case management.

This is a Call to Action! Contact the Governor's Office or your local Legislator now. See contact information on back of this page.

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