

LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

Statewide Behavioral Health Services

Overview and Funding

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House Bill 1, Introduced Funding for Behavioral Health Services

- \$4.0 billion in All Funds (\$3.0 billion in General Revenue Funds and General Revenue-Dedicated Funds) for non-Medicaid/Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) behavioral health services at 23 agencies across six articles.
- Estimated behavioral health-related Medicaid and CHIP expenditures total \$3.4 billion in All Funds and \$111.7 million in All Funds, respectively.
- Total behavioral health-related funding, including Medicaid and CHIP expenditures, is estimated to be \$7.5 billion in All Funds.
- Funding at the Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) includes:
 - \$1.3 billion in All Funds (\$1.1 billion in General Revenue Funds) for community mental health services for adults and children, including
 - \$11.8 million in All Funds (\$11.0 million in General Revenue Funds) to expand outpatient treatment capacity for children;
 - \$852.4 million in All Funds (\$720.9 million in General Revenue Funds) for state mental health hospitals, including
 - \$27.6 million in General Revenue Funds to staff and operate expanded capacity at three facilities; and
 - \$435.7 million in All Funds (\$93.4 million in General Revenue Funds) for substance abuse services.

Funding for Behavioral Health Services (non-Medicaid/CHIP) (in millions)

	2018-19 Biennium			2020-21 Biennium				
		Estimated /	/ Bue	dgeted	House Bill 1		, Introduced	
	G	eneral Revenue			G	General Revenue		
Agency		Related		All Funds		Related		All Funds
Office of the Governor, Trusteed Programs	\$	23,590,585	\$	152,386,112	\$	22,910,620	\$	152,784,703
Veterans Commission	\$	-	\$	12,178,000	\$	-	\$	11,578,000
Article I Subtotal	\$	23,590,585	\$	164,564,112	\$	22,910,620	\$	164,362,703
Health and Human Services Commission	\$	2,145,093,014	\$	3,344,325,792	\$	2,233,432,902	\$	2,954,906,878
Texas Civil Commitment Office	\$	309,222	\$	309,222	\$	309,222	\$	309,222
Department of Family and Protective Services	\$	26,809,128	\$	52,846,472	\$	26,809,128	\$	52,846,472
Department of State Health Services	\$	1,528,479	\$	2,873,837	\$	3,956,189	\$	5,323,118
Article II Subtotal	\$	2,173,739,843	\$	3,400,355,323	\$	2,264,507,441	\$	3,013,385,690
Texas Education Agency	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,978,500	\$	36,978,500
School for the Deaf	\$	-	\$	-	\$	127,727	\$	127,727
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center	\$	-	\$	-	\$	20,000,000	\$	20,000,000
University of Texas - Health Science Center at Houston	\$	16,000,000	\$	16,000,000	\$	16,000,000	\$	16,000,000
University of Texas - Health Science Center at Tyler	\$	8,000,000	\$	8,000,000	\$	8,000,000	\$	8,000,000
Article III Subtotal	\$	24,000,000	\$	24,000,000	\$	56,106,227	\$	81,106,227
Supreme Court of Texas	\$	1,234,000	\$	1,234,000	\$	2,000,000	\$	2,000,000
Court of Criminal Appeals	\$	637,000	\$	637,000	\$	637,000	\$	637,000
Article IV Subtotal	\$	1,871,000	\$	1,871,000	\$	2,637,000	\$	2,637,000
Military Department	\$	1,911,600	\$	1,911,600	\$	1,911,600	\$	1,911,600
Commission on Jail Standards	\$	375,021	\$	375,021	\$	371,712	\$	371,712
Juvenile Justice Department	\$	171,818,790	\$	175,440,434	\$	171,782,819	\$	175,464,819
Department of Criminal Justice	\$	510,699,663	\$	515,788,705	\$	515,699,663	\$	520,788,705
Article V Subtotal	\$	684,805,074	\$	693,515,760	\$	689,765,794	\$	698,536,836
Medical Board	\$	1,084,984	\$	1,084,984	\$	1,084,984	\$	1,084,984
State Board of Dental Examiners	\$	266,611	\$	266,611	\$	263,856	\$	263,856
Board of Nursing	\$	2,010,916	\$	2,010,916	\$	2,010,916	\$	2,010,916
Optometry Board	\$	72,000	\$	72,000	\$	72,000	\$	72,000
State Board of Pharmacy	\$	486,009	\$	486,009	\$	486,009	\$	486,009
Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners	\$	90,000	\$	90,000	\$	90,000	\$	90,000
Article VIII Subtotal	\$	4,010,520	\$	4,010,520	\$	4,007,765	\$	4,007,765
Cross Article Total, Excluding Medicaid and CHIP	\$	2,912,017,022	\$	4,288,316,715	\$	3,039,934,847	\$	3,964,036,221

Funding for Behavioral Health Services (Medicaid and CHIP)

		18-19 Biennium	2020-21 Biennium			
	Estim	ated / Budgeted	Hous	e Bill 1, Introduced		
Agency		All Funds	All Funds			
Cross Article Total, Excluding Medicaid and CHIP	\$	4,288,316,715	\$	3,964,036,221		
Estimated Behavioral Health Related Medicaid Expenditures'	\$	3,191,109,190	\$	3,407,972,801		
Estimated Behavioral Health Related CHIP Expenditures*		92,989,978	\$	111,699,426		
Medicaid and CHIP Subtotal	\$	3,284,099,168	\$	3,519,672,227		
Cross Article Total with Medicaid and CHIP	\$	7,572,415,883	\$	7,483,708,448		

Note: Estimated Behavioral Health Related Medicaid and CHIP expenditures include projected cost growth that is not funded in the Introduced Bill.

Article IX Section 10.04 (2018-19 GAA, Eighty-fifth Legislature, 2017)

Article IX, Sec. 10.04, Statewide Behavioral Health Strategic Plan and Coordinated Expenditures:

- Provides an informational listing of funding for behavioral health and substance abuse services;
- Lists agencies that serve on the Statewide Behavioral Health Coordinating Council;
- Requires the Council to submit the Coordinated Statewide Expenditure Proposal each fiscal year of the biennium; and
- Requires the Council to submit a report each fiscal year detailing progress made towards the Statewide Behavioral Health Strategic Plan. The plan, submitted by the Council in May 2016, provides the framework to address gaps and challenges in the behavioral health system and improve access to care and individual outcomes.

Article IX Section 10.04 (House Bill 1, Introduced, Eighty-sixth Legislature)

House Bill 1, Introduced amends Article IX, Sec. 10.04, Statewide Behavioral Health Strategic Plan and Coordinated Expenditures, to:

- Identify five new agencies in the informational listing of behavioral health appropriations, including the Texas Education Agency, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, and the Department of State Health Services;
- Update the informational listing of behavioral health appropriations to align with recommendations for the 2020-21 biennium;
- Exempt Article IV and Article VIII agencies from serving on the Statewide Behavioral Health Coordinating Council; and
- Extend the time of review of the Statewide Behavioral Health Coordinating Council's Coordinated Statewide Expenditure Proposal for fiscal year 2020.

Construction at State Mental Health Facilities

- The Eighty-fifth Legislature provided \$300.0 million from the Economic Stabilization Fund (ESF) for new construction and significant repairs at the state hospitals and other state-funded inpatient mental health facilities. HHSC was required to receive approval for specific projects prior to expenditure of the funds.
- HHSC has received approval to expend \$293.7 million in ESF for several projects, including:
 - \$11.5 million for construction of a 40-bed unit at San Antonio State Hospital;
 - \$30.5 million for construction of a 70-bed maximum-security unit (MSU) at Kerrville State Hospital;
 - \$91.5 million for construction of a 100-bed MSU and \$4.5 million for planning of a 100-bed unit at Rusk State Hospital;
 - \$125.0 million for construction of a minimum 228-bed unit at Harris County Psychiatric Hospital;
 - \$30.0 million total to begin planning efforts to replace current Austin State Hospital (\$15.5 million; 240-bed campus) and San Antonio State Hospital (\$14.5 million; 300-bed campus); and
 - \$0.7 million to hire 3.0 FTEs for oversight of the construction projects.



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