



SPRING CONGRESSIONAL OUTLOOK: MENTAL HEALTH REVIEW

FISCAL YEAR 23 APPROPRIATIONS

President's FY23 Budget Request: Released March 28

- \$1.7 billion for the Community Mental Health Block Grant, with:
 - A new 10% set-aside for early intervention and prevention for at-risk youth and adults
 - An increased set-aside from 5% to 10% for crisis services
- \$697 million for 988 and Behavioral Health Services
- \$553 million for Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHCs)
 - Recommends allowing all states and territories to participate in the existing demonstration program
- \$36 million for youth suicide prevention
- \$21 million for Zero Suicide program
- Recommends elimination of the 190-day lifetime limit on psychiatric hospital services

Hearings:

- HHS Secretary Xavier Becerra is appearing before House and Senate Appropriations committees of jurisdiction for hearings on the proposed FY 2023 budget
- Senate Appropriations hosted a hearing for the proposed budget on May 4

HOUSE WAYS & MEANS

- Hosted a hearing titled "Substance Use, Suicide Risk, and the American Mental Health System" on March 2
- Hosted a hearing titled "America's Mental Health Crisis" on February 2
- Hosted a hearing for the proposed FY23 Health and Human Services budget on April 28

HOUSE ENERGY & COMMERCE

- Oversight & Investigations Subcommittee hosted a hearing titled "Americans in Need: Responding to the National Mental Health Crisis" on February 17
- Health Subcommittee hosted a hearing titled "Communities in Need: Legislation to Support Mental Health and Well-Being" on April 5
- Hosted a hearing for the proposed FY23 Health and Human Services budget on April 27
- Hosted a markup that included the Restoring Hope for Mental Health and Well-Being Act on May 18

SENATE HELP

- Hosted a hearing titled "Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders: Responding to the Growing Crisis" on February 1
- Hosted a hearing titled "Strengthening Federal Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Programs" on March 23

SENATE FINANCE

- Released bipartisan report titled "[Mental Health Care in the United States: The Case for Federal Action](#)" on March 29
- Hosted a two-part hearing on Youth Mental Health during the first two weeks of February
- Hosted a hearing titled "Behavioral Health Care When Americans Need It: Ensuring Parity and Care Integration" on March 30

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