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DHH Announces Funding for Waiver Services in the Proposed FY15 Budget

Last Thursday the untiring voices of individuals with developmental disabilities and their families were heard. The Department of Health and Hospitals announced that \$10 million in state funds are included in the Governor's proposed FY15 budget for five waivers serving people with developmental disabilities, seniors and people with adult-onset disabilities. This funding will be used to fill vacant slots with individuals on the waiting lists for the New Opportunities, Children's Choice, Supports, Community Choices and Adult Day Health Care waivers. The funding will also support an additional 200 New Opportunities Waiver slots. According to DHH, a total of 2,500 slots will be filled.

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