

Key Policy Improvements and Funding Included in the FY 2023 Omnibus

Appropriations Package: The end-of-year FY 2023 Omnibus Appropriations package signed into law by President Biden on December 29th, 2022, addresses many longstanding NJHSA policy priorities. The package contains funding for the Nonprofit Security Grant Program and the Holocaust Survivor Assistance Program, the Jabara-Heyer NO HATE Act, the ABLE Age Adjustment Act, and a 5-year extension of Medicaid's Money Follows the Person Program for older adults and people with disabilities. The package also contains measures to address the national mental health crisis, including reauthorizing vital substance use and mental health programs, addressing the workforce shortage, expanding access to critical services in Medicare and Medicaid, extending telehealth broadly for an additional two years, bolstering parity enforcement, and more. Unfortunately, the bill does not include extension of the Child Tax Credit and Afghan Adjustment Act. Learn more here. For questions, please contact [Elizabeth Cullen](#), Associate Director, Health Policy, the Jewish Federations of North America, and Washington Representative, Network of Jewish Human Service Agencies.