



Please - TAKE ACTION: Tell Gov. Shapiro funding increases are needed for aging services in the 2024-2025 state budget

This week, LeadingAge PA sent letters to the Governor's office urging that the below budget asks be included in his FY 2024-25 state budget proposal, as the Shapiro administration is already working on the Governor's 2024-2025 budget proposal in preparations for his February budget address:

- **A 5% rate increase (plus inflationary add-on and consideration for additional financial burdens) for the LIFE program** to help bridge the gap from years of inequity and stagnant rates not keeping pace with increased costs. Let the Governor know how critical this need is here:
<https://www.votervoice.net/LeadingAgePA/Campaigns/109205/Respond>
- **\$70 million investment in nursing homes (a 3.5% rate increase)** to help address year-two staffing ratios and additional costs and inflation providers continue to endure. Tell the Governor you support this needed funding here:
<https://www.votervoice.net/LeadingAgePA/Campaigns/109204/Respond>

Please share the above VoterVoice action alerts far and wide so that you, your colleagues, and residents or participants can contact the Governor directly to express support for these funding needs. You can also **download the VoterVoice app** (available for [Apple](#)) and sign up for alerts from LeadingAge PA so you never miss an opportunity to take action!