

## **FY2020 Governor's Amended Budget**

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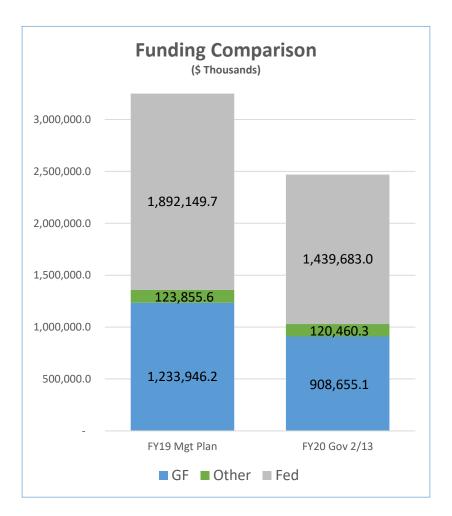


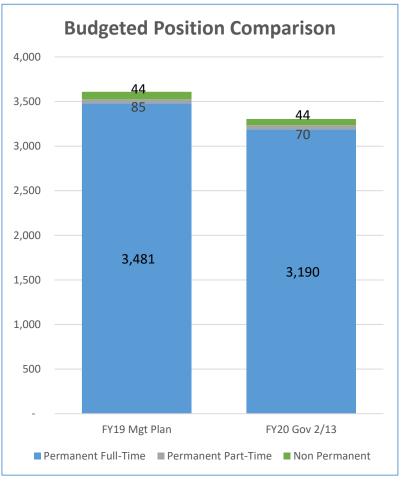
# **Department of Health & Social Services**

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## FY2020 Budget: Department of Health & Social Services







### FY2020 Budget: Department of Health and Social Services Snapshot (\$ Thousands)

- Increase Behavioral Health Opioid Grants in the offices of Epidemiology and Substance Misuse and Addiction Prevention (+6,120.0 Fed)
- Alaska Psychiatric Institute:
  - Explore Privatization of the Alaska Psychiatric Institute (-\$0.0, PFT -248)
- Alaska Pioneer Homes:
  - Fund Alaska Pioneer Homes Payment Assistance (+\$15,000.0 GF)
  - Implement Rate Increase to Cover Full Cost of Care
  - Realign Pioneer Home Funding (-\$16,792.4 GF, -\$16,386.2 GF/MH)
- Medicaid:
  - Implement Medicaid Services Cost Containment Measures and Reforms (-\$225,000.0 GF, -\$450,000.0 Fed)
  - Eliminate Adult Dental Medicaid Benefit (-\$8,273.6 GF, -\$18,730.9 Fed)
  - \$271 million reduction from status quo projections (inclusive of bullets above)



### FY2020 Budget: Department of Health and Social Services Snapshot (\$ Thousands)

- Repeal Senior Benefits Payment Program (-\$19,986.1 GF)
- Reduce Adult Public Assistance (-\$14,700.0 GF)
  - Move to 1983 standard for maintenance of effort calculation
- Reduce Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Maintenance of Effort (MOE) (-\$16,912.0 GF)
  - Work with federal partners to reduce MOE requirements
- Repeal Hold Harmless Program (-\$17,724.7 Other)
  - Provide option to receive dividends through monthly payments to minimize disruption to assistance recipients
- Close Youth Detention and Treatment at Nome Youth Facility (-\$2,000.0 GF)
- Reduce Public Health Nursing (-\$2,000.0 GF)
- Statewide Support Executive Branch 50% Travel Reduction (-\$448.6 GF)



