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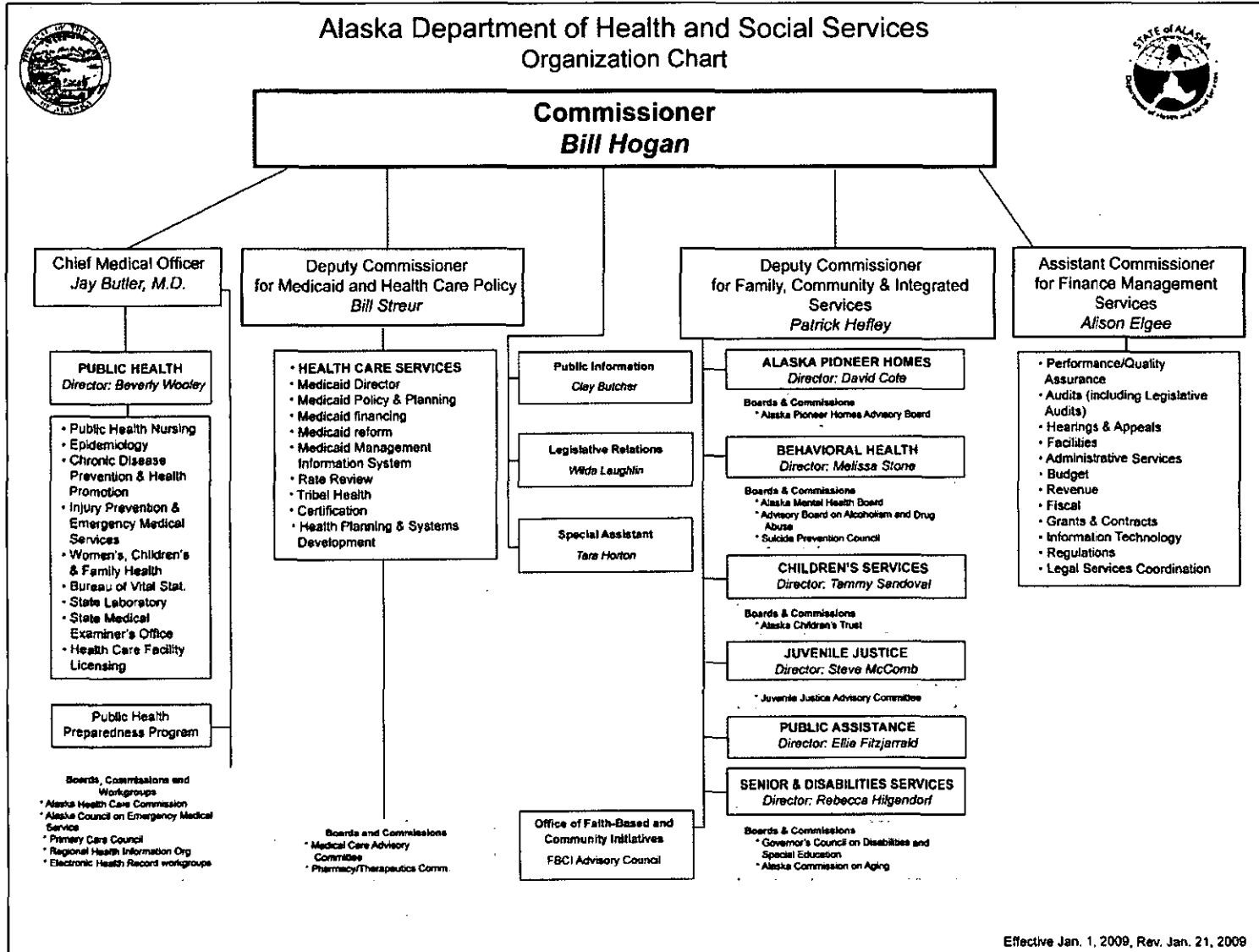
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Commissioner
Bill Hogan
January 27, 2009



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Bill Hogan
Commissioner

- ▶ Contacts
- ▶ 2009 Realignment
- ▶ 2008 Annual Report
- ▶ Organization Chart
- ▶ Priorities
- ▶ Publications

Headlines



- ▶ State Response Team Travels to Emmonak
- ▶ State health department will continue to survey residents over the next year (PDF)
- ▶ State launches FosterWear clothing effort Tuesday (PDF)
- ▶ New database to help doctors, parents track immunizations (PDF)
- ▶ Annual Medicare Drug Plan enrollment window closes Wednesday
- ▶ State issues provisional license to owners of long-term care facility (PDF)
- ▶ State assumes temporary management of long-term care facility
- ▶ State Health & Social Services names

Services



- ▶ Birth & Marriage Certificates
- ▶ Child Care
- ▶ Child Protection Services
- ▶ Denali KidCare
- ▶ Food Stamps
- ▶ Immunization Information
- ▶ Medicaid
- ▶ Public Health Centers
- ▶ Temporary "Cash" Assistance
- ▶ Senior Benefits Program
- ▶ Senior Information Office
- ▶ Substance Abuse Treatment
- ▶ ...view more DHSS services

Divisions





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David Cote

Division of Alaska
Pioneer Homes Director

*"While preserving dignity and
independence for the Pioneer Homes*

News

- ▶ **Juneau Pioneer Home Celebrates 20 years in 2008!** Sig Olsen and Marritt Andruss dance to the Thunder Mountain Big Band at the 20th anniversary ball. Click to see the picture that appeared in the Juneau Empire Friday June, 6, 2008.
- ▶ **She's Gotta Dance...** Marge Gull is still dancing the night away at a young 95; click here to read the Anchorage Daily News story.
- ▶ **Happy 104th Ura Harp!** Ura Harp celebrated her 104th Birthday on November 29th; click here to see her on the front page of the Anchorage Daily News (pdf 811 KB).

Our Statewide Homes



- ▶ Anchorage
- ▶ Fairbanks
- ▶ Juneau
- ▶ Ketchikan
- ▶ Palmer
- ▶ Sitka

- ▶ Map of locations



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Behavioral Health

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Melissa Witzler-Stone
Director

"Partners promoting healthy communities."

Mission & Values



Current Events & Announcements

Department offers tools to understand, support teens: *Alaskans encouraged to reach out to young people in their lives*

Meeting Behavioral Health Needs Statewide - Data Analysis of Behavioral Health Disorders Prevalence and People Served in Alaska, FY2008

Presentation - 10/23/08

Comprehensive Behavioral Health Treatment & Recovery (CBHTR) Grant Program SFY09 Funding Summary

Sections

- ▶ Home
- ▶ Division Contacts

Programs

- ▶ Alaska Psychiatric Institute
- ▶ Policy & Planning
- ▶ Prevention & Early Intervention
- ▶ Program Integrity
- ▶ Traumatic Brain Injury
- ▶ Treatment & Recovery

Resources

- ▶ Advisory, Advocacy, &



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Health Care Services

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William Streur
Deputy Commissioner

vacant
DHCS Deputy Director

**Alaska Medicaid
Recipient Handbook**

School Medicaid

Quick Links

- ▶ [Contacts](#)
- ▶ [Director's Office](#)
- ▶ [Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- ▶ [HIPAA Information](#)
- ▶ [Help Beyond Medicaid](#)
- ▶ [Medicaid State Plan](#)
- ▶ [Medical Care Advisory Committee](#)
- ▶ [Provider Information](#)
- ▶ [Publications/Reports](#)
- ▶ [Prior Authorization](#)
- ▶ [Recipient Help Line](#)
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- ▶ [Payment Error Rate Measurement \(PERM\)](#)

Programs

- ▶ [Adult Dental Care Program](#)
- ▶ [Case Management Services](#)
- ▶ [Chronic & Acute Medical Assistance \(CAMA\)](#)
- ▶ [Denali KidCare](#)
- ▶ [Early & Periodic Screening, Diagnosis & Treatment \(EPSDT\)](#)
- ▶ [Medicaid](#)
- ▶ [Medicare Part "D"](#)
- ▶ [Preferred Drug List](#)
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Steve McComb
Director



Of Interest

- ▶ AJJAC Annual Report to the Governor, 2008
- ▶ Juvenile Justice's Year in Review
- ▶ Success Stories
- ▶ *Threat Security and Safety: An Assessment of Security Needs for Alaska's Juvenile Detention Facilities*
- ▶ DJJ FY07 Statistics
- ▶ McLaughlin Youth Center turns 40!
- ▶ Restorative Justice System
- ▶ Information for Victims of Juvenile Crimes
- ▶ Who's Who in the DJJ State Office

The mission of the Division of Juvenile Justice is:

- ▶ Hold juvenile offenders accountable for their behavior.
- ▶ Promote the safety and restoration of victims and

Our Locations

- ▶ Map of DJJ Locations
- ▶ List of DJJ Locations
- ▶ Youth Facilities
- ▶ Probation Services

What We are Doing

- ▶ Statistics
- ▶ Publications
- ▶ Performance Measures
- ▶ Capital Projects
- ▶ Grants

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Office of Children's Services



Safe Children, Strong Families

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Tammy Sandoval, Director

Mission, Goals & Strategies

- ▶ Strengthening families;
- ▶ Keeping Alaska's children safer;
- ▶ Partnership with tribal leaders;
- ▶ Fostering a high quality and stable workforce; and
- ▶ Building enhanced relationships with community partners.



**REPORT
CHILD
ABUSE**

1-800-478-4444

**MANDATORY
REPORTING**

(1 PRESENTATION)

Alaska Parent Line

Programs

- ▶ Adoption & Guardianship
- ▶ Children's Justice Act
- ▶ Children's Trust

of Interest

- ▶ FosterWear
- ▶ Career Opportunities
 - ▶ The Pipeline - An OCS Newsletter
 - ▶ Radio & PSA Spots
 - ▶ UAA FYSTA Info/Training Calendar
 - ▶ FOSTER Community Partners Program



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Public Assistance



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Ellie Fitzjarrald
Director

Director's Office

Our Mission

**Proposed Regulations
and Public Notices**

Fraud Control

Online Manuals

Headlines...

- ▶ State Response Team Travels to Emmonak
- ▶ Need help with your heating bills?
- ▶ Anchorage Adult Public Assistance office moving effective June 10th, 2008
- ▶ PERM Payment Error Rate Measurement - Medicaid A nationwide audit began this winter and promises to have a major impact on Alaska.
- ▶ **SeniorCare program to end following legislative session**
- ▶ Native Family Assistance Program Celebrates Expansion

For Employers

- ▶ Job Start - Money for your Business!
- ▶ Need help hiring?
- ▶ Tax Credits for Employers
- ▶ Calendar of Job Fairs
- ▶ Job Hotline for Employers

For Customers

- ▶ Contact Us!
- ▶ Work for us!
- ▶ AK Job Centers Phone/Fax/TDD
- ▶ Alaska Quest Card
- ▶ Prescription Drug Resource List
- ▶ Printable Application for Public Assistance

Programs

- ▶ Adult Public Assistance
- ▶ Child Care
- ▶ Chronic and Acute Medical Assistance
- ▶ Denali Kidcare
- ▶ Family Nutrition
- ▶ Food Stamps
- ▶ General Relief Assistance
- ▶ Heating Assistance
- ▶ Medicaid
- ▶ SeniorBenefits
- ▶ Temporary Assistance

Get Help...

- ▶ ...finding a job?
- ▶ ...with Child Care?
- ▶ ...with Child Support?



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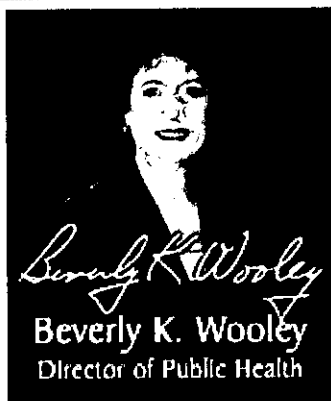
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Public Health

Prevention. Promotion. Protection.

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Fish Consumption
 GUIDELINES

BREAST & CERVICAL HEALTH TOPIC
 HPV & GARDASIL VACCINE

Seasonal, Avian and
 Pandemic Influenza **Flu**

Announcements & Events

-  **Department offers tools to understand, support teens:** *Alaskans encouraged to reach out to young people in their lives*
- ▶ **Your opinion counts. Take this short survey on health care.**
 Results will be forwarded to President-elect Barack Obama's transition team.
- ▶ American College of Surgeons lists ways to improve state trauma system
- ▶ Trauma System Presentation
- ▶ 2007 Alaska Youth Risk Behavior Survey Results
- ▶ **View all Department of Health & Social Services Press Releases**

Of Interest

- ▶ Certified Copies of Birth, Death, Marriage, &

Public Health

- ▶ Public Health Home
- ▶ Certification & Licensing
- ▶ Chronic Disease Prevention & Health Promotion
- ▶ Epidemiology
- ▶ Health Planning & Systems Development
- ▶ Injury Prevention & EMS
- ▶ Laboratories
- ▶ Public Health Nursing
- ▶ Preparedness
- ▶ State Medical Examiner
- ▶ Vital Statistics
- ▶ Women's, Children's & Family Health



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Who do we serve? (pdf 234k) : Seniors • Adults with Physical Disabilities and Seniors on Medicaid Waivers • Persons with Developmental Disabilities • Vulnerable Adults • Assisted Living Providers



Rebecca Hilgendorf
Director

About Us

- ▶ [Our Service Principles](#)

Current Training

BASIC Care Coordinator Training:

Details and the registration form

Of Interest

- ▶ [2008 Waitlist Report](#)
 - ▶ [Recommendations for a Rate Methodology for Home and Community-Based Services](#)
 - ▶ [1st Quarterly Report 2009](#)
 - ▶ [Contractors Wanted for the Environmental Modification Home Accessibility Program](#)
 - ▶ [Recommendations for the Alaska Long Term Care Plan Final Report](#)
 - ▶ [Provider Cost Survey](#)

Sections

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- ▶ [Care Coordination Training and Resource Materials](#)
- ▶ [Developmental Disabilities](#)
- ▶ [Personal Care Assistant Program](#)
- ▶ [Quality Assurance Program](#)
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Finance and Management Services

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Quicklinks...

- ▶ Capital Grants Status Report 08
- ▶ Legislative Reports
- ▶ StreamLine - November 2008
- ▶ Facilities Funding Allocation Plan



Alison Elgee
Director

Current Projects....

**H&SS FY-09
Budget
Overview**

Headlines...

- ▶ Long-term Forecast of Medicaid Enrollment and Spending in Alaska: Supplement 2007-2027
- ▶ Long-term Forecast of Medicaid Enrollment and Spending in Alaska: Supplement 2006-2026
- ▶ Long-term Forecast of Medicaid Enrollment and Spending in Alaska: Supplement 2005-2025



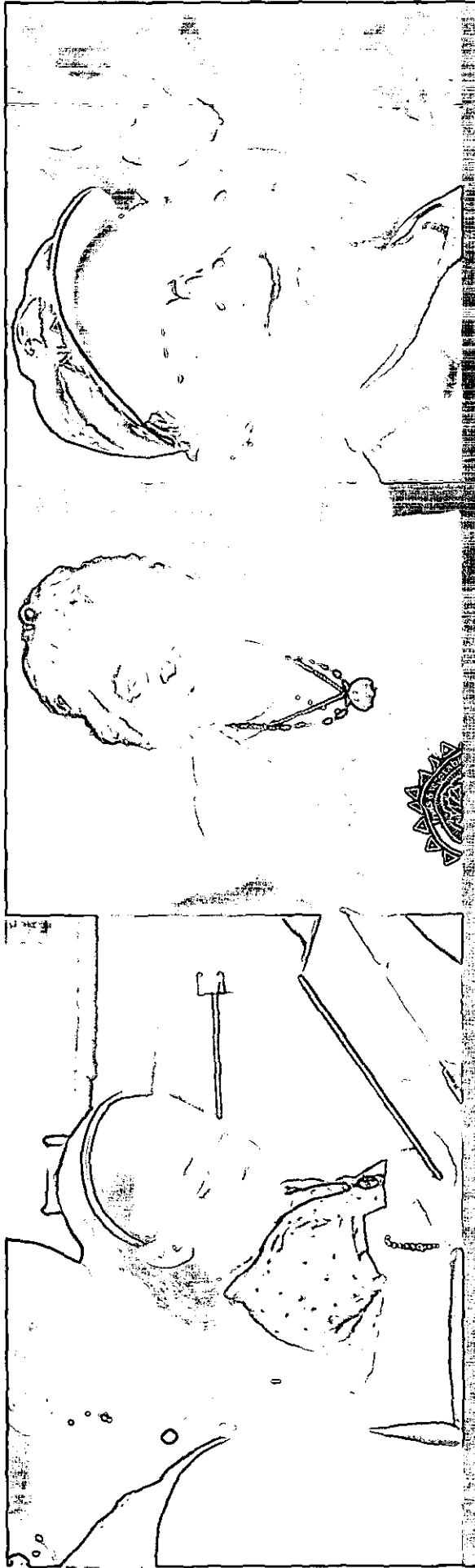
View the DHSS FY08 Operating Grants (PDF 3.6 MB)

Sections

- ▶ Home
- ▶ Assistant Commissioner
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- ▶ Hearings & Appeals

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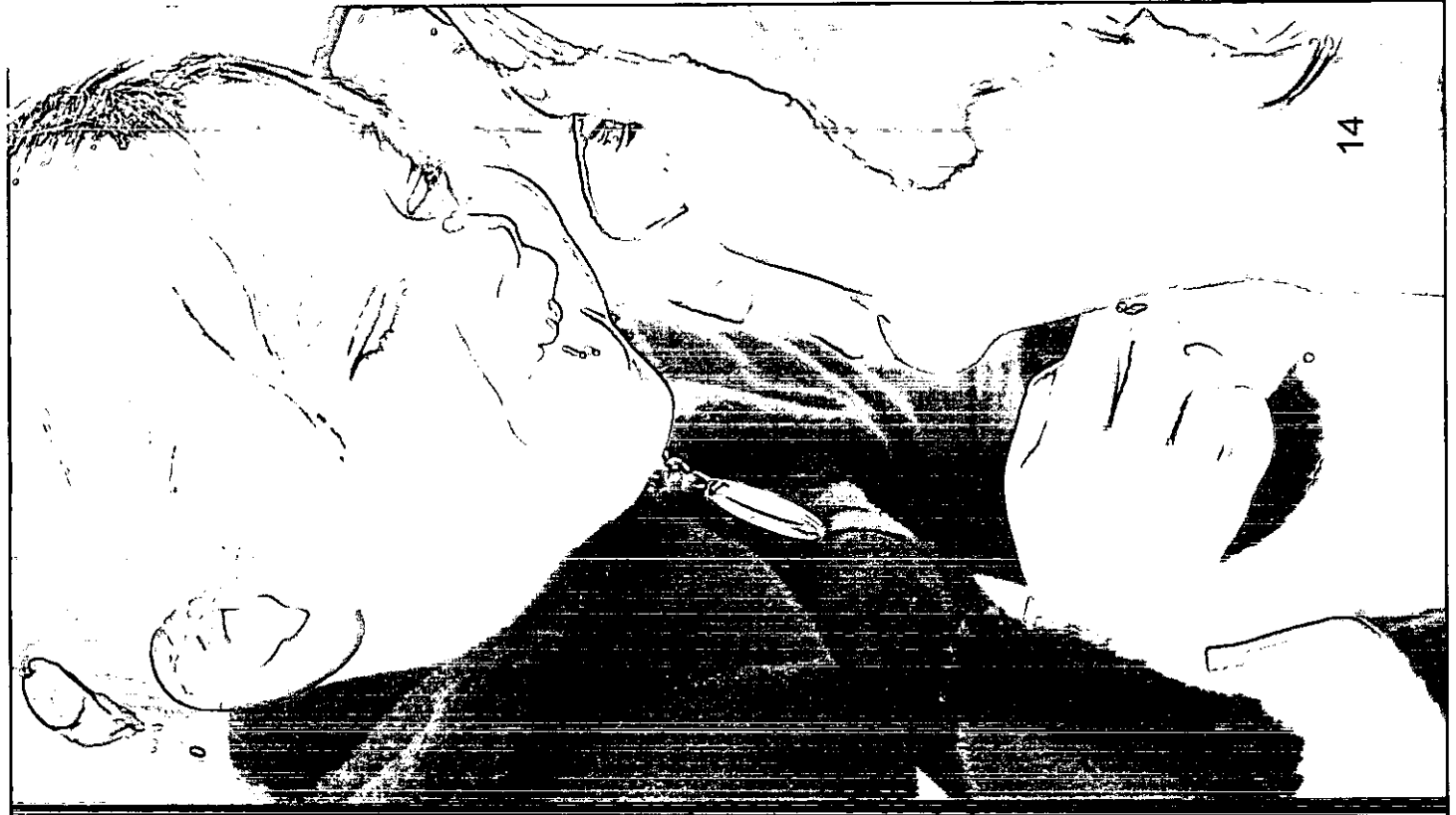
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- ▶ Safety Plan



The overriding theme for future
direction of the Alaska
Department of Health and Social
Services is *helping individuals
and families create safe and
healthy communities.*

Priorities

- Substance abuse
- Health and wellness
- Health-care reform
- Long-term care
- Vulnerable Alaskans



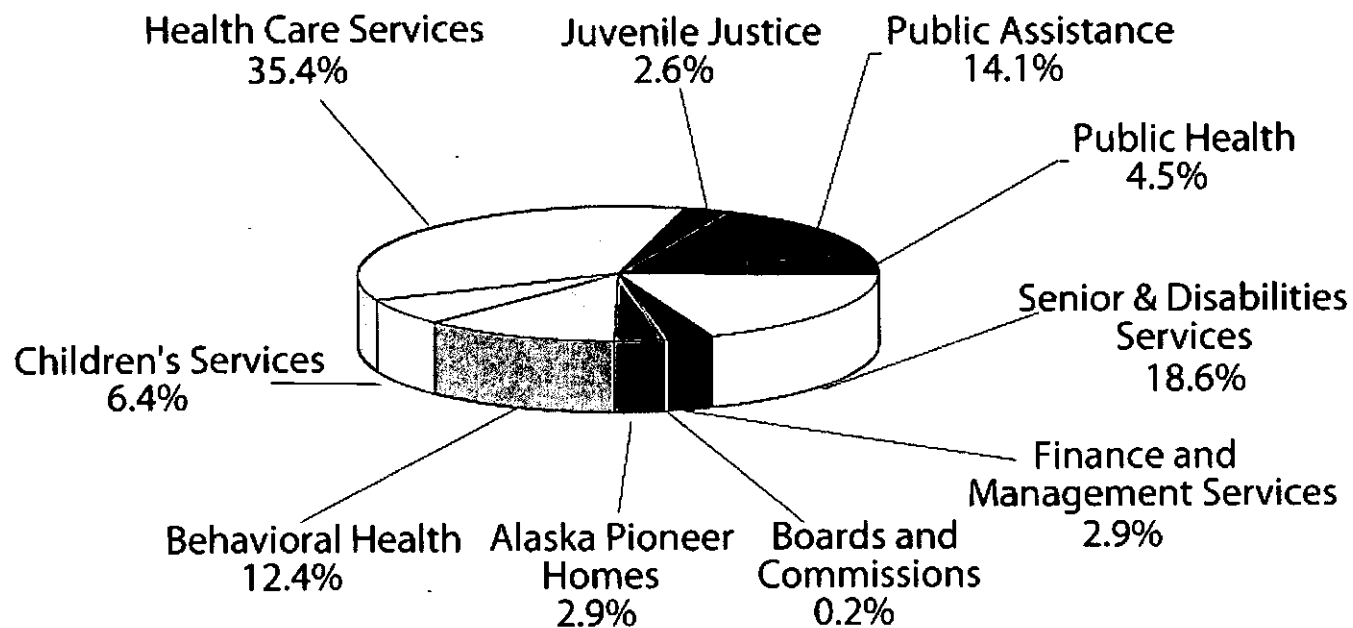


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Budget Highlights

DHSS FY2008 Actual Expenditures by Division

(Total Funds)





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- Medicaid
- Denali KidCare
- Child Care
- Substance Abuse
- Heating Assistance
- Governor's Health Initiative
- Capital Projects



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Other

- Measuring Performance
- Community Partners
- Stimulus Package



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Conclusion

- Questions?