SB813

Measure Title: RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Report Title: Budget; Department of Health; Operating Expenses;

Appropriation (\$)

Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the department of health, including funding for DOH

Description: general administration and attached agencies,

behavioral health administration, and health

resources administration.

Companion:

Package: None

Current Referral:

CPH, WAM

Introducer(s): BAKER



STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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Testimony in SUPPORT of SB813 RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

SENATOR ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH

Hearing Date: February 1, 2019 Room Number: 229

- 1 Fiscal Implications: Sufficient appropriations are required to assure optimal public health, and
- 2 in particular for addressing community mental health issues, and environmental management.
- 3 **Department Testimony:** The Department of Health supports the Governor's Executive Budget

4 Request, as follows:

Fiscal Year 2020				
Act 53/18	Reductions	Additions	Total FY20	MOF
Appropriation				
\$ 490,367,659.00	\$ (7,207,300.00)	\$ 24,251,995.00	\$ 507,412,354.00	A
\$ 203,699,060.00		\$ 1,484,483.00	\$ 205,183,543.00	В
\$ 87,478,064.00		\$ 41,949,009.00	\$ 129,427,073.00	N
\$ 53,891,894.00	\$ (4,045,915.00)	\$ 19,012,081.00	\$ 68,858,060.00	P
\$ 4,417,031.00		\$ 608,395.00	\$ 5,025,426.00	U
\$ 211,594,712.00		\$ 370,533.00	\$ 211,965,245.00	W
\$ 1,051,448,420.00	\$ (11,253,215.00)	\$ 87,676,496.00	\$ 1,127,871,701.00	Total
Fiscal Year 2021				
Act 53/18	Reductions	Additions	Total FY21	MOF
Appropriation				
\$ 490,367,659.00	\$ (7,207,300.00)	\$ 31,070,088.00	\$ 514,230,447.00	A
\$ 203,699,060.00		\$ 2,765,344.00	\$ 206,464,404.00	В
\$ 87,478,064.00	\$ (5,552,632.00)		\$ 81,925,432.00	N

\$ 53,891,894.00	\$ (4,993,161.00)		\$ 48,898,733.00	P
\$ 4,417,031.00		\$ 612,173.00	\$ 5,029,204.00	U
\$ 211,594,712.00		\$ 370,533.00	\$ 211,965,245.00	W
\$ 1,051,448,420.00	\$ (17,753,093.00)	\$ 34,818,138.00	\$ 1,068,513,465.00	Total

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- 2 Please see Attachment A which is a copy of Tables 3 and 15 of the briefing materials as a
- 3 summary of the Department of Health's requested budget appropriations broken down by
- 4 Program ID.
- 5 The department request the Legislature's attention for the following priorities.

6 Recurring Base Budget Appropriations

7 Executive Office on Aging

8 • Kupuna Care (base) \$4,854,305

• Kupuna Care \$3,877,063

• Kupuna Caregiver Program \$1,200,000

11 New Appropriations Requests

12 Health Resources Administration

- 13 Emergency Medical Services Collective Bargaining Request
- The EMSIPSB FY 2020 and FY 2021 budget request included \$11,872,596 (FY 20) and \$15,040,191 (FY 21) for a mandatory union collective bargaining increase.
- The department has requested that the Executive Budget Request be amended to include this appropriation.
- 18 Emergency Medical Services Recurring Other Expenses for services providers contracted to
- 19 provide pre-hospital emergency medical service

- The EMSIPSB FY 2020 and FY 2021 budget request included \$2,381,815 (FY 20) and \$3,642,807 (FY 21) for other current expenses cost increases.
- The request includes, but is not limited to, costs for subcontracts, drugs/medication,
 insurance, rental of space, meals, uniforms, fuel, repair and maintenance, staff training,
 telecommunications service and equipment, utilities, indirect/administrative overhead,
 equipment, and motor vehicles.
 - The department has requested that the Executive Budget Request be amended to include this appropriation.

9 Medical Cannabis

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- As required by Act 159, HRS (2018), the Department is currently engaged in a reorganization process to integrate the Medical Cannabis Registry and the Medical Cannabis Dispensary Programs into the new Office of Medical Cannabis Control and Regulation to be managed directly under HTH595.
- Family Health Services Replace Funding for Family Planning Program (Title X)
- Hawaii's Title X annual grant award has decreased in recent years from \$2,157,300 in FY
 2016 to \$1,000,000 in FY 2019; and more recent, proposed changes at the federal level,
 restricts Hawaii's comprehensive approach by limiting family planning services offered
 to women.
 - This request will institutionalize the HFPP and solidify comprehensive family planning options for Hawaii's men and women regardless of changes in the political environment.

21 Environmental Health Administration

- Environmental Management Division Positions and funding for enforcement of nonpoint source water pollution regulations
 - The six positions will begin implementing Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) §342E,
 Nonpoint Source Pollution Management and Control. HRS §342E was passed in
 1993 and DOH has not implemented the law to date.

1	0	DOH has not implemented HRS §180C-4, Erosion and Sediment Control, which
2		was passed in 1974.
3	0	Under article XI, §1 of the Hawaii state constitution, DOH has a constitutional
4		mandate under the public trust doctrine to regulate nonpoint source pollution.
5	0	The federal Coastal Zone Act Reauthorization Amendments (CZARA) §6217
6		require DOH and the Department of Business, Economic Development &
7		Tourism (DBEDT) to develop and implement a Coastal Nonpoint Pollution
8		Control Program.
9	• Sanita	tion Branch - Positions and funding for sanitarians and funds for improved food
10	safety	
11	0	To enable the Sanitation Branch to maintain the current inspection frequency and
12		workload to keep up with National Standards.
13	0	Hawaii is a tourist destination and those visiting, as well as residents, expect that
14		food being served in restaurants and other food service establishments is safe and
15		wholesome.
16	0	The promulgation and implementation of Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapter
17		11-50 and placarding in July 2014 has dramatically reduced the risk of food-
18		related illness.
19	0	With the positions requested, we will be moving towards staffing levels that will
20		reduce the occurrence of food illness risk by nearly 50%.
21	General Admi	inistration
22	Office of Hea	lth Status Monitoring (OSHM) - Re-engineer the Vital Statistics System
23	• The O	ffice of Health Status Monitoring (OHSM) is responsible for registering all vital
24	events	occurring in the State of Hawaii, which includes the registering and licensing of
25	over 5	0,000 vital events and approximately 80,000 requests resulting in over 300,000

certified copies annually.

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- The Vital Statistics System (VSS) was developed over 20 years ago and is not
 supportable with today's technology and security features. The replacement of the VSS
 is to address security aspects of the system, improve customer service and efficiency to
 register and issue certified copies of Birth, Marriage and Death.
- 5 Office of Policy, Planning, and Program Development (OPPPD) Add Funds for Telehealth
- 6 Pilot Project

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- Telehealth is one of three strategic priorities documented in DOH's strategic plan.
- This request is the third and last for the current DOH strategic planning cycle. The first pilot is in southwest Hawaii, was requested through the Governor's budget. The second is split between Wahiawa and (most likely) east Hawaii, and was a stand-alone bill offered by the WAM Chair. The third as appealed on this form, is to be statewide in part to fill pilot gaps in Maui and Kauai. DOH believes it is important to seed pilots in all counties in the interest of fairness and to learn from the unique circumstances of each county.

15 Behavioral Health Administration

- 16 Hawaii State Hospital Forensic Building Positions and Funding
- A new forensic building is being constructed at Hawaii State Hospital and slated to open spring 2021.
- The opening of two additional units is projected to occur during Fiscal Year 2023. To ensure quality patient care, additional direct care staff are needed to run these additional units.
- 22 Developmental Disabilities Division Increase State match for Medicaid Intellectual and
- 23 Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) Home and Community Based Services Waiver

DDD requests an increase of \$7,702,000 in state funding (which will be used to match \$8,902,000 in federal funds) in fiscal year 2020 and an increase of \$5,814,000 in state funding (which will be used to match \$6,582,000 in federal funds) in fiscal year 2021.
 This funding will allow DDD to complete implementation of provider rate changes and other improvements to the I/DD Waiver program. Changes to provider payment rates and other waiver policies ensures that the State will be in continued compliance with federal

requirements (with the federal government paying for more than half of the cost) and that

- 9 <u>Capital Improvement Projects</u>
- 10 Hawaii State Hospital Maintenance and Furniture, Fixtures & Equipment (FFE) for new

State residents with I/DD have access to quality services.

11 forensic facility

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- In FY20, \$1,920,000 is needed to replace chillers in Bldg Q. Assessment by consultant to determine the air handlers that must be replaced immediately throughout the rest of the campus.
- In FY20, \$6,525,000 is needed to purchase of furniture, fixtures and equipment for the new facility. FF&E must be provided prior to the opening of the new facility.
 - In FY21, \$8,997,000 is needed for Hawaii State Hospital Anti-Ligature and Other Improvements.
- 19 Offered Amendments: N/A.

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HTH100	Communicable Disease & Public Hth	A	242.87	2.30	\$	27,625,184	239.87	3.00	\$		5.7%	239.87	3.00	\$	29,292,576	6.0%	
	Nursing	В	1.00	6.00	\$	726,850	-	-	\$	13,343	-98.2%	-	-	\$	13,343	-98.2%	
		N	-	15.00	\$	8,648,246	-	21.00	\$	8,723,375	0.9%	-	21.00	\$	8,723,375	0.9%	
		Р	14.00	25.50	\$	5,373,696	14.00	25.50	\$	9,607,365	78.8%	14.00	25.50	\$	5,607,365	4.3%	
		U	-	1.00	\$	178,291	3.00	1.00	\$	759,649	326.1%	3.00	1.00	\$	759,649	326.1%	
HTH131	Disease Outbreak Control	Α	22.60	-	\$	1,922,731	22.60	-	\$	1,947,434	1.3%	22.60	-	\$	1,947,434	1.3%	
		N	31.40	38.00	\$	11,215,072	23.40	10.00	\$	18,887,619	68.4%	23.40	10.00	\$	3,778,582	-66.3%	
		Р	-	32.50	\$	4,895,488	-	31.50	\$	15,587,403	218.4%	-	31.50	\$	5,141,093	5.0%	
HTH420	Adult Mental Hth - Outpatient	Α	195.00	150.50	\$	61,703,356	230.00	115.50	\$	62,719,100	1.6%	230.00	115.50	\$	62,726,126	1.7%	
		В	ı	ı	\$	11,610,000	-	ı	\$	11,610,000	0.0%	-	ı	\$	11,610,000	0.0%	
		N	ı	5.00	\$	1,467,581	-	1.00	\$	2,333,370	59.0%	-	1.00	\$	2,333,370	59.0%	
	Adult Mental Hth - Inpatient	Α	638.00	27.00	\$	74,630,197	650.50	27.00	\$		4.4%	777.50	27.00	\$	87,140,174	16.8%	
HTH440	Alcohol & Drug Abuse Division	Α	28.00	1.00	\$	20,149,764	29.00	-	\$	20,246,936	0.5%	29.00	-	\$	20,246,936	0.5%	
		В	-	-	\$	750,000	-	-	\$	750,000	0.0%	-	-	\$	750,000	0.0%	
		N	-	-	\$	8,535,892	-	-	\$	8,857,980	3.8%	-	-	\$	8,857,980	3.8%	
		P	-	8.50	\$	5,806,914	-	7.50	\$	5,019,276	-13.6%	-	7.50	\$	6,570,543	13.2%	
HTH460	Child & Adolescent Mental Hth	Α	158.00	25.00	\$	43,364,539	170.00	13.00	\$	44,020,134	1.5%	170.00	13.00	\$	44,020,134	1.5%	
		В	17.00	6.00	\$	15,093,233	17.00	6.00	\$	15,133,262	0.3%	17.00	6.00	-	15,133,262	0.3%	
		N	-	5.00	\$	1,039,108	-	5.00	\$	2,329,630	124.2%	-	5.00	\$	2,339,630	125.2%	
		Р	-	8.50	\$	2,318,223	-	8.50	\$	2,318,223	0.0%	-	-	\$	-	-100.0%	
		U	-	2.00	\$	2,281,992	-	2.00	\$	2,281,992	0.0%	-	2.00	\$	2,281,992	0.0%	
HTH495	Behavioral Hth Admin	Α	45.50	50.50	\$	6,730,409	45.50	50.50	\$	6,997,306	4.0%	45.50	50.50	\$	6,997,306	4.0%	
		Р	-	1.00	\$	137,363	-	1.00	\$	137,363	0.0%	-	1.00	\$	137,363	0.0%	
HTH501	Developmental Disabilities	Α	213.75	5.00	\$	83,368,937	215.75	3.00	\$	91,875,295	10.2%	215.75	3.00	_	89,989,491	7.9%	
		В	3.00	-	\$	1,053,448	3.00	-	\$	1,063,165	0.9%	3.00	-	\$	1,063,165	0.9%	
HTH520	Disability & Comm Access Board	Α	11.00	-	\$	1,020,915	11.50	-	\$	1,048,420	2.7%	11.50	-	\$	1,048,420	2.7%	
		В	8.00	-	\$	966,656	8.00	-	\$	1,043,264	7.9%	8.00	-	\$	1,043,264	7.9%	
		U	2.00	-	\$	286,003	2.00	-	\$	292,599	2.3%	2.00	-	\$	292,600	2.3%	
HTH560	Family Health Services	Α	107.00	2.50	\$	31,362,698	115.00	2.50	\$	34,800,648	11.0%	115.00	2.50		34,784,520	10.9%	
		В	13.00	3.00	\$	18,310,272	15.00	2.00	\$	18,439,145	0.7%	15.00	2.00		18,439,145	0.7%	
		N	119.50	14.30	\$	38,992,602	111.50	11.30		37,058,582	-5.0%	111.50	11.30	\$	36,458,582	-6.5%	
		Р	8.00	19.20	\$	14,856,705	12.00	11.70		13,117,887	-11.7%	12.00	11.70		12,417,887	-16.4%	
		U	-	-	\$	203,441	-	-	\$	203,441	0.0%	-	-	\$	203,441	0.0%	
HTH590	Chronic Disease Prevention & Hth	Α	39.50	6.00	\$	7,344,766	41.50	4.00	\$	7,200,372	-2.0%	41.50	4.00	\$	7,207,848	-1.9%	
	Promotion	В	-	-	\$	48,656,356	-	-	\$	48,656,356	0.0%	-	-	\$	48,656,356	0.0%	
		Р	10.50	24.50	\$	7,846,023	10.50	24.50	\$	7,387,677	-5.8%	10.50	24.50	\$	7,164,769	-8.7%	
		U	-	-	\$	1,000,000	-	-	\$	1,000,000	0.0%	-	-	\$	1,000,000	0.0%	
HTH595	Health Resources Admin	Α	2.00	-	\$	203,309	6.00	1.00	\$	522,505	157.0%	6.00	1.00	\$	522,505	157.0%	
		В	-	-	\$	-	7.00	4.00	\$	1,562,034	100.0%	7.00	4.00	\$	1,562,034	100.0%	

HTH610	Environmental Health Services	Α	129.00	_	\$ 8,630,451	129.00		\$ 8,928,221	3.5%	129.00		\$	8,940,534	3.6%
11111010	Livironmental fleatin Services	В	23.00		\$ 2,753,804	37.00		\$ 3,715,775	34.9%	37.00		\$	4,434,680	61.0%
		N	2.00	_	\$ 158,000	2.00	_	\$ 158,000	0.0%	2.00	_	\$	158,000	0.0%
		P	2.00	_	\$ 364,150	2.00		\$ 364,150	0.0%	2.00	_	\$	364,150	0.0%
		U	3.00	_	\$ 231,850	3.00		\$ 245,963	6.1%	3.00		\$	249,740	7.7%
HTH710	State Laboratory Services	A	72.00	1.00	\$ 7,703,038	74.00	1.00	\$ 9,019,144	17.1%	74.00	1.00	\$	8,213,396	6.6%
11111710	State Edboratory Services	N	-	-	\$ -	-	9.00	\$ 5,146,110	100.0%	-	9.00	\$	1,029,222	100.0%
		P	_	3.00	\$ 390,000	-	2.00	\$ 176,112	-54.8%	_	2.00	\$	176,112	-54.8%
HTH720	Health Care Assurance	A	25.00	2.00	\$ 2,610,719	27.00	2.00	\$ 3,666,363	40.4%	27.00	2.00	\$	3,666,363	40.4%
		В	-	5.00	\$ 1,311,000	-	-	\$ 421,000	-67.9%	-	-	\$	421,000	-67.9%
		P	16.00	-	\$ 2,502,450	16.00	-	\$ 4,388,679	75.4%	16.00	-	\$	4,388,679	75.4%
HTH730	Emergency Medical Services &	Α	12.00	1.40	\$ 73,810,954	12.00	1.40	\$ 69,366,593	-6.0%	12.00	1.40	\$	69,366,593	-6.0%
	Injury Prevention System	В	-	6.00	\$ 22,230,234	-	6.00	\$ 22,275,925	0.2%	-	6.00	\$	22,275,925	0.2%
	,	Р	-	3.00	\$ 630,000	-	3.00	\$ 630,000	0.0%	-	2.00	\$	340,000	-46.0%
HTH760	Health Status Monitoring	Α	33.50	-	\$ 1,626,893	33.50	-	\$ 1,965,390	20.8%	33.50	-	\$	1,965,390	20.8%
	<u> </u>	В	-	2.00	\$ 484,641	-	2.00	\$ 504,643	4.1%	-	2.00	\$	504,643	4.1%
		Р	4.00	-	\$ 342,300	4.00	-	\$ 342,300	0.0%	4.00	-	\$	342,300	0.0%
HTH840	Environmental Management	Α	70.00	-	\$ 5,151,159	73.00	-	\$ 5,559,860	7.9%	76.00	-	\$	5,764,090	11.9%
		В	63.00	7.00	\$ 79,561,332	64.00	7.00	\$ 79,802,051	0.3%	64.00	7.00	\$	80,364,007	1.0%
		N	31.60	2.00	\$ 9,538,948	32.10	2.00	\$ 13,444,878	40.9%	32.10	2.00	\$	5,002,918	-47.6%
		Р	9.40	4.00	\$ 1,864,920	8.90	4.00	\$ 5,003,083	168.3%	8.90	4.00	\$	1,415,181	-24.1%
		U	2.00	-	\$ 235,454	2.00	-	\$ 241,782	2.7%	2.00	-	\$	241,782	2.7%
		W	31.00	-	\$ 208,801,050	39.00	-	\$ 209,120,978	0.2%	39.00	-	\$:	209,120,978	0.2%
HTH849	Environmental Health Admin	Α	24.00	1.25	\$ 3,776,299	24.00	1.25	\$ 3,870,454	2.5%	24.00	1.25	\$	3,870,454	2.5%
		В	0.50	-	\$ 77,234	0.50	-	\$ 79,580	3.0%	0.50	-	\$	79,580	3.0%
		N	3.40	0.60	\$ 296,103	3.40	0.60	\$ 238,834	-19.3%	3.40	0.60	\$	238,834	-19.3%
		Р	12.10	3.15	\$ 4,426,797	12.10	3.15	\$ 2,754,751	-37.8%	12.10	3.15	\$	2,809,500	-36.5%
		W	14.00	-	\$ 2,793,662	14.00	-	\$ 2,844,267	1.8%	14.00	-	\$	2,844,267	1.8%
HTH850	Office of Environmental Quality Cor	ntro A	5.00	-	\$ 392,774	5.00	-	\$ 410,149	4.4%	5.00	-	\$	410,149	4.4%
HTH904	Executive Office on Aging	Α	8.54	2.35	\$ 15,024,319	9.54	2.35	\$ 14,470,219	-3.7%	9.54	2.35	\$	14,496,697	-3.5%
		N	6.46	2.00	\$ 7,087,531	6.46	2.00	\$ 7,680,000	8.4%	6.46	2.00	\$	7,680,000	8.4%
		P	1	8.00	\$ 1,223,791	-	8.00	\$ 1,223,791	0.0%	-	8.00	\$	1,223,791	0.0%
HTH905	Developmental Disabilities Council	Α	2.50	1	\$ 230,932	2.50	-	\$ 238,005	3.1%	2.50	-	\$	238,005	3.1%
		N	5.00	-	\$ 498,981	5.00	-	\$ 514,000	3.0%	5.00	-	\$	514,000	3.0%
HTH906	State Hth Planning & Dev Agency	Α	6.00	-	\$ 560,711	6.00	-	\$ 590,549	5.3%	6.00	-	\$	590,549	5.3%
		В	-	-	\$ 114,000	-	-	\$ 114,000	0.0%	-	-	\$	114,000	0.0%
HTH907	General Administration	Α	124.50	5.00	\$ 11,023,468	127.00	5.00	\$ 10,339,367	-6.2%	127.00	5.00		10,315,495	-6.4%
		В	-	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ -	0.0%	-	-	\$	-	0.0%
		N	-	-	\$ -	8.00	20.00	\$ 24,054,695	100.0%	8.00	20.00	\$	4,810,939	100.0%
		Р	-	5.00	\$ 913,074	-	5.00	\$ 800,000	-12.4%	-	5.00	\$	800,000	-12.4%
HTH908	Office of Language Access	Α	5.00	-	\$ 399,137	5.00	-	\$ 469,261	17.6%	5.00	-	\$	469,262	17.6%

Department of Health Capital Improvements Program (CIP) Requests

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	Prog ID	<u>Wide</u>	<u>Senate</u>	Rep.				
Prog ID	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Project Title</u>	<u>MOF</u>	FY20 \$\$\$	<u>FY21 \$\$\$</u>
HTH100	1	1	7	13	KALAUPAPA SETTLEMENT IMPROVEMENTS, MOLOKAI	С	2,100,000	
HTH907	1	2	0	0	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HEALTH AND SAFETY, STATEWIDE	С	1,945,000	14,414,000
HTH710	1	3	17		HAWAII STATE LABORATORIES IMPROVEMENTS, STATEWIDE	С	4,683,000	8,172,000
HTH430	1	4	24	49	HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL, HEALTH AND SAFETY, OAHU	С	8,445,000	8,997,000
HTH840	1	5	0	0	WASTEWATER TREATMENT REVOLVING FUND FOR POLLUTION CONTROL, STATEWIDE	С	2,487,000	2,487,000
HTH840	1	6	0	0	WASTEWATER TREATMENT REVOLVING FUND FOR POLLUTION CONTROL, STATEWIDE	N	12,431,000	12,431,000
HTH840	1	7	0	0	SAFE DRINKING WATER REVOLVING FUND, STATEWIDE	С	2,221,000	2,221,000
HTH840	1	8	0	0	SAFE DRINKING WATER REVOLVING FUND, STATEWIDE	N	11,107,000	11,107,000
HTH907	2	9	0	0	ENERGY SAVINGS IMPROVEMENTS, STATEWIDE	С	1,696,000	2,406,000
HTH907	3	10	0	0	REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE, STATEWIDE	С	1,647,000	6,873,000
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Testimony in SUPPORT of SB0813 Relating to the Department of Health

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH SENATOR ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR SENATOR STANLEY CHANG. VICE CHAIR

Testimony of Caroline Cadirao
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Attached Agency to the Department of Health

Hearing Date: February 1, 2019,

9:30 AM

Room Number: 229

- 1 **EOA's Position:** The Executive Office on Aging (EOA), an attached agency to the Department
- 2 of Health supports this measure, provided that its enactment does not reduce or replace priorities
- 3 within the Administration's base budget request.
- 4 **Fiscal Implications:** This measure appropriates funds in the amount of \$26,478 for SFY20 and
- 5 \$26,478 for SFY21.
- 6 **Purpose and Justification:** Regarding HTH 904/AJ this bill adds a program specialist IV
- 7 positon and funds for Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator. EOA's
- 8 budget request to the Governor included \$26,478 in SFY20 and \$52,956 for SFY21. Our
- 9 justification stated that EOA would need 6 months to establish the position therefore only 6
- months of funding or \$26,478 would be needed in the first year of the biennium. However, we
- would need full funding for the position (\$52,956) in year two of the biennium.

- 1 In 2018, Governor Ige signed Act 146 Relating to Health. This Act added a new section to the
- 2 EOA statute, HRS Chapter 349, to "prepare an update of the state plan on Alzheimer's Disease
- and Related Dementias no less frequently than once per fiscal biennium". Additionally Act 146
- 4 required EOA to implement the five goals developed in the state plan, make recommendations
- 5 for social policy and coordinate services among public and private agencies to meet the needs of
- 6 person's with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias and their families. The plan was
- 7 published in December 2013 and has not been updated since. To fulfill the mandates in Act 146
- 8 EOA needs to establish 1.0 FTE at \$52,956.
- 9 **Recommendation**: EOA respectfully requests adding \$26,478 to SFY21 so the total amount
- would equal \$52,956 for 1.0 FTE.
- 11 Thank you for the opportunity to testify.



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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing		
Deborah Stone-Walls	Testifying for Maui County Office on Aging	Support	Yes		

Comments:

Specifically in support of Line 22, Item No. 4, HTH904/AJ Program Specialist IV position and funds for Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementia Services Coordinator.