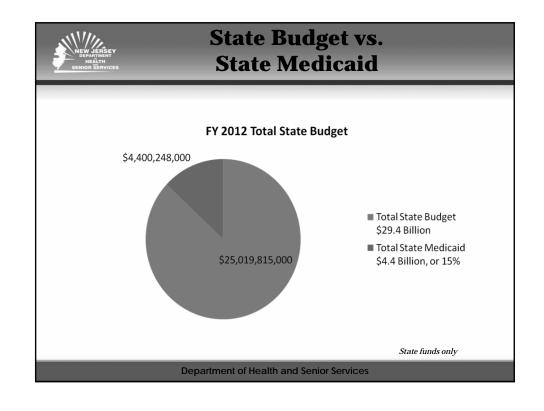


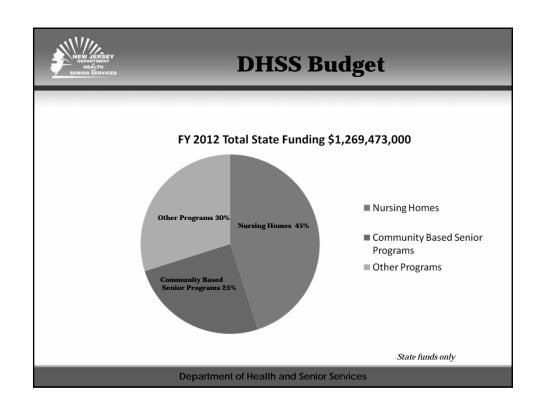


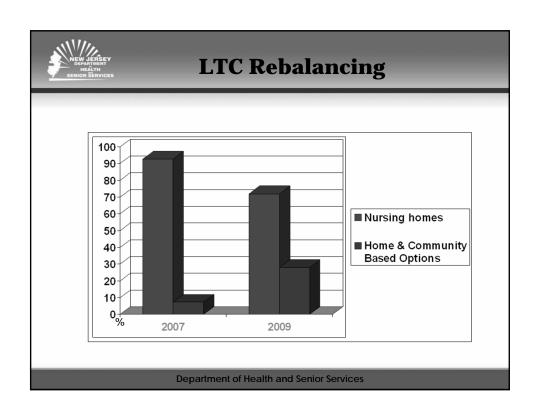
Budget Overview



- Prioritizes healthcare for uninsured
- Invests in Home & Community Based Services
- Protects PAAD & Senior Gold









Global Options

- Medicaid Waiver Program
- Create a seamless more comprehensive home and community-based support system
- \$47.6 million increase in proposed budget



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Comprehensive Waiver

Benefit to Patients

- Appropriate care in appropriate setting
- Improved health outcomes
- Integrated & coordinated care
- Increased access to HCBS

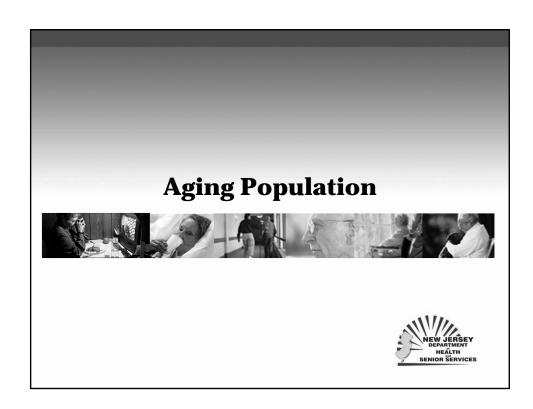
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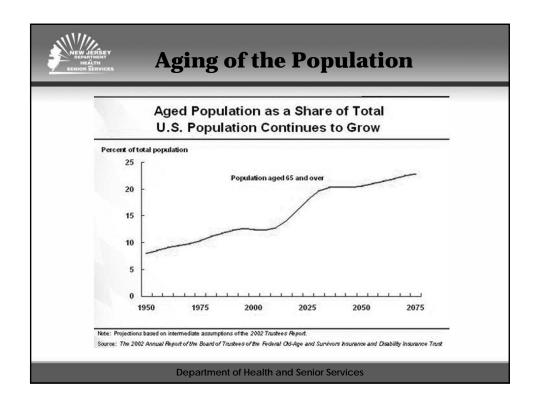
- Administrative flexibility & redesign across departments
- Opportunities for savings
- Increased federal matching dollars
- Streamlined & expedited decision making between NJ & CMS



Impact to Assisted Living Providers

- Increased population due to aggressive rebalancing
- Beginning this fall, clients in GO will be receiving acute services through managed care
 - GO client will need to choose HMO for services
- Visit nj.gov/health to view FAQs







Health Care Spending by Age

	Average Spending Per Person
Age (in years)	
<5	\$1,761
5-17	1,245
18-24	1,452
25-44	2,360
45-64	5,474
65 or Older	9,357
Sex	
Male	\$3,319
Female	4,139

Source: Kaiser Family Foundation using data from U.S.HHS, AHRQ, Medical Expenditure Panel Survey (MEPS), 2007

Long-term Care in NJ



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Long-term Care in NJ

- Promote access to high quality long-term care
- Greater choice to residents based on their clinical needs
- Least restrictive environment
- NJ AL system a model
 - Allows residents to age in place in a community setting





Regulatory & Statutory AL Updates

Regulatory changes

- 60-day discharge notice
- Conversion of facility requirements

Statutory changes

- Escrow funds to pay for placement & care of Medicaid eligible residents
- Bill of Rights

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Senior Health







Medicare Wellness Services



Now that I know about the new, free and reduced cost preventive benefits offered to individuals enrolled in Medicare Part B, I pledge to call my doctor within the next 30 days to make an appointment for my first free annual wellness visit. A that appointment, I will ask my doctor which preventive benefits are right for me.

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- Cancer screenings
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- Cardiovascular blood tests
- Diabetes screening tests

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End-of-Life Care

- Develop end-of-life plan
- Talk with health care provider & family
- **Document your wishes**
 - Advance Directives
- Visit: nj.gov/health/advancedirective





In Conclusion

- Making progress in giving seniors more long-term care options
- Helping seniors age with independence & dignity
- Partnering with the AL industry
- Looking forward to building upon accomplishments