Senate Subcommittee Report

Agency: State Institutions for Mental Health	Bill No. SB 444	Bill Sec. 3
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Expenditure Summary	Agency Estimate FY 2022		Governor Recommendation FY 2022			Senate Subcommittee Adjustments		
Operating Expenditures:								
State General Fund	\$	109,974,312	\$	95,820,489	\$	0		
Federal Funds		1,791,136		1,791,136		0		
Other Funds		22,471,547		22,471,547		0		
Subtotal	\$	134,236,995	\$	120,083,172	\$	0		
Capital Improvements:								
State General Fund	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0		
Federal Funds		0		0		0		
Other Funds		53,783		53,783		0		
Subtotal	\$	53,783	\$	53,783	\$	0		
TOTAL	\$	134,290,778	\$	120,136,955	\$	0		
FTE positions		1,425.0		1,407.0		0.0		

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Agency Estimate

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Overall, the expenditures increased by \$17.1 million, or 14.6 percent, above the amount approved by the 2021 Legislature. Significant items in the agencies' revised estimate includes the following:

FUNDING FOR OPERATIONS COST AT LSH. LSH had several supplemental requests that pertained to additional costs associated with staffing coverage and food service at the hospital. As part of its revised estimate, LSH included a request for \$13.0 million SGF for anticipated contractual staffing expenditures to ensure adequate coverage at the hospital. As the agency has historically indicated, it continually relies on contractual staff and has found that the COVID-19 pandemic has created more of a need for these services. Additionally, the estimate included an increase associated for LSH's food service contract. The agency relies on a thirdparty to provide meals to its patients and received a revised estimate for the contract,

which increased by 62.0 percent. This would result in a total increase of \$15.0 million SGF for operational costs at LSH in FY 2022.

SHIFT IN CATEGORY OF EXPENDITURE FOR OSH STAFFING. Overall, OSH's revised estimate does not increase significantly. However, there is a \$2.4 million swap between salaries and wages expenditures and contractual services. As with LSH, OSH relies on contractual nursing staff to provide direct support coverage for the hospital when there is a shortage in FTE positions. The agency revised its budget to include additional funding for contractual staff as it anticipates an increased vacancy rate in FY 2022. This does not result in an overall expenditure increase for OSH in FY 2022, but causes decreases in certain categories of expenditure.

The agency estimate also includes 1,425.0 FTE positions, which is a decrease of 4.0 FTE positions below the number approved by the 2021 Legislature.

Governor's Recommendation

The **Governor** recommends \$120.1 million, including \$95.8 million SGF, for expenditures in FY 2022. This is a decrease of \$14.2 million SGF below the agencies' FY 2022 revised estimate. Decreases in the recommendation are primarily related to the Governor not including several of the agencies' supplemental requests, including the following:

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Senate Subcommittee Recommendation

The **Subcommittee** concurs with the Governor's recommendation in FY 2022 with the following notation:

Larned State Hospital

1. The Committee notes the agency's supplemental and enhancement requests for increased funding for contractual nursing staff expenditures, and requests the agency provide more information on the estimate for those expenditures. Once the agency provides more information, the Committee recommends the Senate Committee on Ways and Means consider the agency's supplemental and enhancement requests for contractual nursing staff expenditures during its deliberations on the entire state budget.

Senate Committee Recommendation

The **Committee** concurs with the Subcommittee's recommendation in FY 2022 with the following adjustment:

Larned State Hospital

1. Review at Omnibus the addition of \$13.0 million SGF for increased funding for contractual nursing staff expenditures, in FY 2022.

Senate Committee of the Whole Recommendation (Sub. for SB 444)

The **Committee of the Whole** concurs with the Committee's recommendation in FY 2022.

House Budget Committee Report

Agency: State Institutions for Mental Health	Bill No. HB 2592	Bill Sec. 34

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House Budget Committee Recommendation

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House Committee Recommendation

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House Committee of the Whole Recommendation (House Sub. for Sub. for SB 267)

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Conference Committee Recommendation (House Sub. for Sub. for SB 267)

The **Committee** concurs with the Governor's recommendation for FY 2023.

Omnibus Activity (HB 2510)

Larned State Hospital

1. Adopt GBA No. 2, Item 5, to add \$5.5 million SGF, for additional funding to cover the costs of contractual nursing staff for the remainder of the fiscal year in FY 2022.

	Re	Governor's commendation FY 2022	Legislative Legislative Approved Action FY 2022		Governor's Vetoes FY 2022		Final Legislative Approved FY 2022		
All Funds									
State Operations	\$	125,568,762	\$ 0	\$	125,568,762	\$	0	\$	125,568,762
Aid to Local Units		0	0		0		0		0
Other Assistance		14,410	 0		14,410		0		14,410
Subtotal - Operations	\$	125,583,172	\$ 0	\$	125,583,172	\$	0	\$	125,583,172
Capital Improvements		53,783	 0		53,783		0		53,783
TOTAL	\$	125,636,955	\$ 0	\$	125,636,955	\$	0	\$	125,636,955
State General Fund									
State Operations	\$	101,306,813	\$ 0	\$	101,306,813	\$	0	\$	101,306,813
Aid to Local Units		0	0		0		0		0
Other Assistance		13,676	 0		13,676		0		13,676
Subtotal - Operating	\$	101,320,489	\$ 0	\$	101,320,489	\$	0	\$	101,320,489
Capital Improvements		0	 0		0		0		0
TOTAL	\$	101,320,489	\$ 0	\$	101,320,489	\$	0	\$	101,320,489
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