



Legislative Forum Update: Closing the Gap on DSP Wages

Thirty-two legislative offices from the Pennsylvania General Assembly participated in our Annual Legislative Appreciation and ID/A Awareness Forum last Friday. We extend our deepest gratitude to our lawmakers, guest, presenters, and all of our members.

As suggested by some of our legislators to their colleagues, letters of support are being issued to caucus leaders and appropriation committee chairs supporting our request for an additional \$65 million for increased DSP wages. Dozens of lawmakers have confirmed sending letters to their leadership and we continue to work diligently for further support from the legislature.

The PA budget is expected to be finalized next month and we are launching the final phase of our campaign for Pennsylvania to invest an additional \$65 million into our essential DSP workforce.

Please visit our Action Center at

<https://www.votervoices.net/TPA/campaigns/89327/respond> to urge your Senator and Representative to support DSP wages. Feel free to share this link widely across your organizations and stakeholder communities.

Thank you for your support and please contact The Provider Alliance with any additional questions or comments at <https://provideralliance.org>.