Here are some FY 2020A and FY 2021 Budget cuts of particular note relating to PBG priorities:

**Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities**

* Cut funds for residential treatment of addictive diseases –
	+ FY 2020A: Gov: -$4.9 M H: -$4.2 S: agree
	+ FY 2021: Gov: -$4.9 M H:
* Cut funds for adult mental health services
	+ FY 2020A: Gov: -$3.48 M H: -$ 3.1 and Add $5.4M S: agree
* Cut funds for adult mental health services for behavioral health services
	+ FY 2021: Gov: -$8.34 M H:
* Cut funds for child and adolescent mental health services
	+ FY 2020A Gov: -$12.75 M H:- $12.75 M S: agree
	+ FY 2021 Gov: -$14 M H:

**Department of Public Health**

* Cut funds for county boards of health
	+ FY 2020A Gov: -$6.4 M H: -$3.8M S: No cut (0)
	+ FY 2021 Gov: -$9.24 M H:
* **Status:** FY 2020 Amended Budget is in Conference Committee. House will pass FY 2021 Budget before crossover day and then go to the Senate Appropriations Committee for their deliberations.
* **Action Steps: Reach out to your Senator and your Representative as well as the leadership listed below to express your positions on these budget proposals.**
	+ Contact Governor Brian Kemp (404) 656-1776 or email [here](https://gov.georgia.gov/contact-us/constituent-services)
	+ Contact Lt. Gov. Geoff Duncan (404) 656-5030
	+ Contact House Appropriations Chair Terry England terry.england@house.ga.gov
	+ Contact Senate Appropriations Chair Jack Hill jack.hill@senatega.gov

Prepared by Elizabeth J. Appley, Esq.

PBG Public Policy Advocate