

Board & Cares*

For individuals with serious mental illness (SMI) whose payment for care is the SSI/SSP Non-Medical Out-of-Home Care Payment Standard

Inadequate Funding is resulting in:

- Hundreds Closing in CA (that accept SSI/SSP & serve individuals w/SMI)
- Thousands of Beds Lost in CA (and continue to be lost)
- Tiered funding is not in place for individuals with SMI (Currently approx. \$1,212/month). Note: Tiered funding *is* in place for individuals with intellectual/developmental disabilities (IDD) (\$1,212 to \$9,891/month dds.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/CCF_Rates_January_2022.pdf)

Financial & Social Impact for those who lack access:

- Homelessness, Crisis, Hospitalization & Recidivism
- Displacement from Community

* ***Board & Cares are also called:***

- Adult Residential Facilities & Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly
- “Enhanced” or “Augmented” Board & Cares (County Behavioral Health agencies pay “patches” ranging up to \$125/day)
- Assisted Living

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