

Children's Respite Update January 7, 2010

The Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services Respite Initiative received full funding (\$500,000) for Fiscal Year 2009-2010.

Counties were notified in late November by letter and each County received the full allocation that was issued in previous years. Please refer to attached chart for specific County allocation information.

Counties were initially hesitant in spending respite funds until it was certain that these funds were available. The 2nd quarter reporting forms are due from the Counties on January 20, 2010.

The next Respite Development Workgroup meeting is being held on February 24, 2010, at the Child Welfare Training Program located in Mechanicsburg, PA. The focus of this meeting is to review the 1st and 2nd quarter reporting form data.

If you have any questions about the information above or are interested in becoming a member of the Respite Development Workgroup, please feel free to contact Crystal Doyle, OMHSAS – Bureau of Children's Behavioral Health Services, 717-705-8397 or crdoyle@state.pa.us.

Respite Care Allocation FY 2009-2010

County	Final Distribution
Allegheny	\$45,918
Armstrong/Indiana	\$6,240
Beaver	\$7,134
Bedford/Somerset	\$5,000
Berks	\$15,351
Blair	\$5,000
Bradford/Sullivan	\$5,000
Bucks	\$11,091
Butler	\$5,109
Cambria	\$5,000
Cameron/Elk	\$5,000
Carbon/Monroe/Pike	\$6,510
Centre	\$5,000
Chester	\$7,030
Clarion	\$5,000
Clearfield/Jefferson	\$6,018
Columbia/Montour/Snyder/Union	\$5,000
Crawford	\$5,000
Cumberland/Perry	\$5,407
Dauphin	\$11,421
Delaware	\$15,470
Erie	\$10,647
Fayette	\$8,860
Forest/Warren	\$5,000
Franklin/Fulton	\$5,000
Greene	\$5,000
Huntingdon/Mifflin/Juniata	\$5,000
Lackawanna/Susquehanna	\$10,433
Lancaster	\$12,712
Lawrence	\$5,000
Lebanon	\$5,000
Lehigh	\$11,881
Luzerne/Wyoming	\$13,064
Lycoming/Clinton	\$5,000
McKean	\$5,000
Mercer	\$6,650
Montgomery	\$12,239
Northampton	\$8,146
Northumberland	\$5,000
Philadelphia	\$112,166
Potter	\$5,000
Schuylkill	\$5,000
Tioga	\$5,000
Venango	\$5,000
Washington	\$7,773
Wayne	\$5,000
Westmoreland	\$12,628
York/Adams	\$15,102

