

# Enhancements – HCBS

## HCBS Rate Standardization to FE Rate

The Governor recommends enhancements of \$17,691,945 from all funding sources, including \$7,069,701 SGF in FY 2024 to increase select HCBS service rates on the Brain Injury (BI), Physical Disability (PD), Autism, and Technology Assisted (TA) waivers to match the rates approved for the Frail Elderly (FE) waiver by the 2022 Legislature.

- The FE waiver includes services that are common to the BI, PD, Autism, and TA waivers and increasing rates for one waiver and not the others creates a disparity across those common services.
- This enhancement request will increase the rates for Self-Directed Personal Care Services, Agency-Directed Personal Care Services, Enhanced Care Services (sleep cycle support), Medication Reminders, and Financial Management Services for the BI, PD, Autism, and TA waivers, as applicable, to match the approved FE waiver rates for these services.