

IMPACT OF SERVICE PRIORITY LEVEL CUTS ON CLIENTS

3,231 long-term care service clients in service priority levels 15 through 17 received service closure notices effective February 1, 2003.

Level 15 to 17	February 2003	November 2004	November 2006
No Services	1,071	1,263	1,374
Waivered Services	419	809	792
Nursing Facility Services	28	49	78
Personal Care	578	398	216
Medical Only	<u>1,135</u>	<u>712</u>	<u>771</u>
Total	3,231	3,231	3,231

Effective February 1, 2003, of the 3,231 clients:

- 1,071 received neither long-term care services nor health plan coverage through DHS.
- 419 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 13 and received community-based long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 28 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 13 and received nursing facility long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 578 were categorically eligible (income less than 100% of the SSI standard) and needed help with an Activity of Daily Living. They received no more than 20 hours of Personal Care services per month and health plan coverage.
- 1,135 were categorically eligible and received only health plan coverage.

In November 2006, in this same group of 3,231:

- 1,374 received neither long-term care services nor health plan coverage through DHS.
- 792 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 13 and received community-based long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 78 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 13 and received nursing facility long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 216 were categorically eligible (income less than 100% of the SSI standard) and needed help with an Activity of Daily Living. They received no more than 20 hours of Personal Care services per month and health plan coverage.
- 771 were categorically eligible and received only health plan coverage.

1,643 long-term care service clients in service priority levels 12 through 14¹ received service closure notices effective April 1, 2003.

Level 12 to 14	April 2003	November 2004	November 2006
No Services	408	640	754
Waivered Services	586	606	536
Nursing Facility Services	151	121	90
Personal Care	181	100	61
Medical Only	317	176	202
Total	1643	1643	1643

Effective April 1, 2003, of the 1,643 clients:

- 408 received neither long-term care services nor health plan coverage through DHS.
- 586 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 11 and received community-based long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 151 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 11 and received nursing facility long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 181 were categorically eligible (income less than 100% of the SSI standard) and needed help with an Activity of Daily Living. They received no more than 20 hours of Personal Care services per month and health plan coverage.
- 317 were categorically eligible and received only health plan coverage.

In November 2006 in this same group of 1,643:

- 754 received neither long-term care services nor health plan coverage through DHS.
- 536 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 13 and received community-based long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 90 were reassessed into service priority levels 1 through 13 and received nursing facility long-term care and health plan coverage through DHS.
- 61 were categorically eligible (income less than 100% of the SSI standard) and needed help with an Activity of Daily Living. They received no more than 20 hours of Personal Care services per month and health plan coverage.
- 202 were categorically eligible and received only health plan coverage.

¹ Eligibility for service priority levels 12 and 13 was restored by the Oregon Legislative Assembly effective July 1, 2003.