

Advocacy Center: Action Steps




Step 1 Complete the online form with your personal contact information. The system will then identify and match you to your elected government representatives – NYS Senate & Assembly – in the district where you vote.

A screenshot of a web form titled "Don't cut care management funding for New Yorkers with developmental disabilities!". The form is set against a teal background. At the top left is the Care Management Alliance New York logo. The main text area contains a headline, a photo of two children, and two paragraphs of text explaining the proposed funding cut. To the right is a form section titled "Send an email to your elected representatives in Albany with one click!". It includes input fields for Title, Full Name, Address, Zip, Phone, and Email, each with an asterisk indicating it is required. Below these is a dropdown menu labeled "What's your connection to this cause?". At the bottom right is a red button with a white envelope icon and the text "Send Email".

Care Management Alliance
NEW YORK

Don't cut care management funding for New Yorkers with developmental disabilities!



New York State's Office for People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) has proposed a major 23% cut in funding of essential care management services for state residents with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities (I/DD).

This proposed cut to the budgets of the seven Care Coordination Organizations, who provide these services, along with last year's 16% funding reduction, would drastically and negatively impact the state's 110,000 residents with I/DD and their families who rely on care management to help them access disability services, community resources and ensure their rights are protected so they can live a fulfilling life.

Send an email to your elected representatives in Albany with one click!

Title * ▼

Full Name *

Address *

Zip * city and state not required

Phone *

Email *

What's your connection to this cause? ▼

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Step 2 The prepared email message in the action centers contains the important message points; however, **you may tailor and strengthen the email with a personal story** if you wish.

Subject: Do not cut funding for people with developmental disabilities!

I live in [@advCity] and am VERY concerned.

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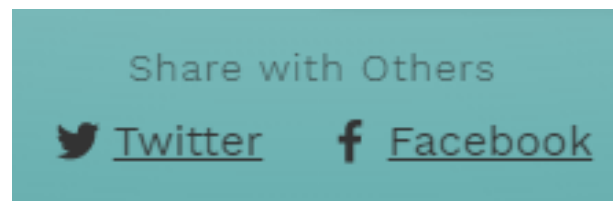
☒ Send me emails about this campaign

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Step 4 Share via Facebook and Twitter.

- Click on the Twitter & Facebook social media icons at the bottom of the action center.
- A message will appear for you to post on your Twitter & Facebook accounts.



Please ask Friends and Families to Take ACTION!



THANK YOU!
