

# LARNED STATE HOSPITAL

## Budget Committee Report

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## Executive Summary

| Summary of Total Expenditures, FY 2023 – FY 2027 |               |                 |                |               |  |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|--|
|                                                  | SGF           | All Other Funds | Total          | FTE Positions |  |
| <b>FY 2023 Actual</b>                            | \$ 92,446,379 | \$ 17,417,264   | \$ 109,863,643 | 920.5         |  |
| <b>FY 2024 Actual</b>                            | 89,518,134    | 23,819,560      | 113,337,694    | 889.5         |  |
| <b>FY 2025 Actual</b>                            | 108,815,597   | 20,127,426      | 128,943,023    | 896.5         |  |
| <b>FY 2026</b>                                   |               |                 |                |               |  |
| Approved, with Reappropriations                  | \$ 78,967,723 | \$ 11,853,331   | \$ 90,821,054  | 896.5         |  |
| Agency Revised Estimate                          | 112,335,769   | 13,879,435      | 126,215,204    | 733.5         |  |
| Special Committee on the State Budget            | 78,960,693    | 13,879,435      | 92,840,128     | 733.5         |  |
| House Committee of the Whole                     | 112,328,739   | 13,879,435      | 126,208,174    | 733.5         |  |
| Senate Committee of the Whole                    | 111,188,661   | 13,879,435      | 125,068,096    | 733.5         |  |
| Legislative Approved                             | 111,188,661   | 13,879,435      | 125,068,096    | 733.5         |  |
| Governor's Recommendation                        | 111,195,691   | 13,879,435      | 125,075,126    | 733.5         |  |
| <b>FY 2027</b>                                   |               |                 |                |               |  |
| FY 2026 Approved, without Reappropriations       | \$ 78,952,969 | \$ 11,549,028   | \$ 90,501,997  | 896.5         |  |
| Agency Request                                   | 116,404,608   | 12,366,980      | 128,771,588    | 733.5         |  |
| Special Committee on the State Budget            | 79,606,330    | 12,366,980      | 91,973,310     | 733.5         |  |
| House Committee of the Whole                     | 116,404,608   | 12,366,980      | 128,771,588    | 733.5         |  |
| Senate Committee of the Whole                    | 89,606,330    | 12,366,980      | 101,973,310    | 733.5         |  |
| Legislative Approved                             | 90,090,173    | 12,366,980      | 102,457,153    | 733.5         |  |
| Governor's Recommendation                        | 111,834,298   | 12,366,980      | 124,201,278    | 733.5         |  |

Larned State Hospital is the state mental health institution serving the western half of the state. It is composed of three main divisions:

- The **Psychiatric Services Program (PSP)**, which provides mental health services to civilly committed individuals who generally have a shorter length of stay, as they are admitted to the hospital, receive services, and are discharged;
- The **State Security Program (SSP)**, which provides mental health services to individuals referred to the hospital by the District Courts who often have a longer stay due to circumstances surrounding their admission; and
- The **Sexual Predator Treatment Program (SPTP)**, which provides services to individuals determined by a Court to be Sexually Violent Predators. To graduate from the program, individuals are required to successfully progress through the program with gradually decreasing levels of supervision.

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| Summary of Legislative Recommendations, FY 2026    |                       |                      |                       |               |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
|                                                    | SGF                   | All Other Funds      | Total                 | FTE Positions |
| Approved, with Reappropriations                    | \$ 111,187,967        | \$ 14,183,738        | \$ 125,371,705        | 733.5         |
| Agency Revised Estimate                            | 112,328,045           | 13,879,435           | 126,207,480           | 733.5         |
| <b>Special Committee on the State Budget (SBC)</b> |                       |                      |                       |               |
| Change from Agency Revised Estimate                | \$ (33,375,076)       | \$ -                 | \$ (33,375,076)       | -             |
| <b>TOTAL – Special Committee</b>                   | <b>\$ 78,952,969</b>  | <b>\$ 13,879,435</b> | <b>\$ 92,832,404</b>  | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>House Committees</b>                            |                       |                      |                       |               |
| Social Services Budget                             | \$ 33,368,046         | \$ -                 | \$ 33,368,046         | -             |
| Appropriations                                     | -                     | -                    | -                     | -             |
| Committee of the Whole                             | -                     | -                    | -                     | -             |
| Subtotal – House Change from SBC                   | \$ 33,368,046         | \$ -                 | \$ 33,368,046         | -             |
| <b>TOTAL – Current House Position</b>              | <b>\$ 112,321,015</b> | <b>\$ 13,879,435</b> | <b>\$ 126,200,450</b> | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>Senate Committees</b>                           |                       |                      |                       |               |
| Ways and Means [Human Services]                    | \$ 32,227,968         | \$ -                 | \$ 32,227,968         | -             |
| Ways and Means                                     | -                     | -                    | -                     | -             |
| Committee of the Whole                             | -                     | -                    | -                     | -             |
| Subtotal – Senate Change from SBC                  | \$ 32,227,968         | \$ -                 | \$ 32,227,968         | -             |
| <b>TOTAL – Current Senate Position</b>             | <b>\$ 111,180,937</b> | <b>\$ 13,879,435</b> | <b>\$ 125,060,372</b> | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>Legislative Approved</b>                        |                       |                      |                       |               |
| Conference Committee                               | \$ 32,227,968         | \$ -                 | \$ 32,227,968         | -             |
| Governor's Vetoes                                  | -                     | -                    | -                     | -             |
| Veto Overrides                                     | -                     | -                    | -                     | -             |
| Subtotal – Approved Change from SBC                | \$ 32,227,968         | \$ -                 | \$ 32,227,968         | -             |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL – Final Approved</b>                | <b>\$ 111,180,937</b> | <b>\$ 13,879,435</b> | <b>\$ 125,060,372</b> | <b>733.5</b>  |

## Agency

The **agency** requests a revised estimate of \$126.2 million, including \$112.3 million SGF, and 733.5 FTE positions in FY 2026. This is an increase of \$35.7 million, including \$33.4 million SGF, or 39.3 percent, above the amount approved by the 2025 Legislature. The increase is primarily attributable to the agency's supplemental requests for \$32.2 million SGF to fund anticipated contract staff expenditures and \$1.1 million SGF to re-open a State Security Program competency unit in FY 2026. The revised estimate also includes a deletion of 163.0 FTE positions and adding \$14.2 million of the agency's \$26.1 million shrinkage allocation.

## Special Committee on the State Budget

The **Special Committee** concurs with the agency's revised estimate with the following adjustments:

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1. Delete \$32.2 million SGF for contract staff expenditures in FY 2026.
2. Delete \$1.1 million SGF for an additional State Security Program competency unit in FY 2026.
3. Delete \$14,754 SGF to lapse reappropriated operating funds and Sexual Predator Treatment Program funds in FY 2026.

## House Committees

### House Committee on Social Services Budget

The **House Budget Committee** concurs with the Special Committee's recommendation with the following adjustments:

1. Add \$32.2 million SGF for contract staff expenditures in FY 2026.
2. Add \$1.1 million SGF for an additional State Security Program competency unit in FY 2026.

### House Committee on Appropriations

The **House Committee** concurs with the Budget Committee's recommendation in FY 2026.

### House Committee of the Whole

The **House Committee of the Whole** concurs with the Committee's recommendation in FY 2026.

## Senate Committees

### Senate Committee on Ways and Means – Human Services Subcommittee

The **Senate Subcommittee** concurs with the Special Committee's recommendation with the following adjustment:

1. Add \$32.2 million SGF for contract staff expenditures in FY 2026.

### Senate Committee on Ways and Means

The **Senate Committee** concurs with the Subcommittee's recommendation in FY 2026.

### Senate Committee of the Whole

The **Senate Committee of the Whole** concurs with the Committee's recommendation in FY 2026.

## Conference Committees

The **Conference Committee** concurs with the Special Committee's recommendation with the following adjustment:

2. Add \$32.2 million SGF for contract staff expenditures in FY 2026.

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FY 2027

| Summary of Legislative Recommendations, FY 2027    |                        |                      |                        |               |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------|
|                                                    | SGF                    | All Other Funds      | Total                  | FTE Positions |
| <b>FY 2026 Approved, without Reappropriations</b>  | <b>\$ 78,952,969</b>   | <b>\$ 11,549,028</b> | <b>\$ 90,501,997</b>   | <b>896.5</b>  |
| <b>Agency Request</b>                              | <b>116,404,608</b>     | <b>12,366,980</b>    | <b>128,771,588</b>     | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>Special Committee on the State Budget (SBC)</b> |                        |                      |                        |               |
| <i>Change from Agency Request</i>                  | <i>\$ (36,798,278)</i> | <i>\$ -</i>          | <i>\$ (36,798,278)</i> | <i>-</i>      |
| <b>TOTAL – Special Committee</b>                   | <b>\$ 79,606,330</b>   | <b>\$ 12,366,980</b> | <b>\$ 91,973,310</b>   | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>House Committees</b>                            |                        |                      |                        |               |
| Social Services Budget                             | \$ 36,798,278          | \$ -                 | \$ 36,798,278          | -             |
| Appropriations                                     | -                      | -                    | -                      | -             |
| Committee of the Whole                             | -                      | -                    | -                      | -             |
| <i>Subtotal – House Change from SBC</i>            | <i>\$ 36,798,278</i>   | <i>\$ -</i>          | <i>\$ 36,798,278</i>   | <i>-</i>      |
| <b>TOTAL – Current House Position</b>              | <b>\$ 116,404,608</b>  | <b>\$ 12,366,980</b> | <b>\$ 128,771,588</b>  | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>Senate Committees</b>                           |                        |                      |                        |               |
| Ways and Means [Human Services]                    | \$ 10,000,000          | \$ -                 | \$ 10,000,000          | -             |
| Ways and Means                                     | -                      | -                    | -                      | -             |
| Committee of the Whole                             | -                      | -                    | -                      | -             |
| <i>Subtotal – Senate Change from SBC</i>           | <i>\$ 10,000,000</i>   | <i>\$ -</i>          | <i>\$ 10,000,000</i>   | <i>-</i>      |
| <b>TOTAL – Current Senate Position</b>             | <b>\$ 89,606,330</b>   | <b>\$ 12,366,980</b> | <b>\$ 101,973,310</b>  | <b>733.5</b>  |
| <b>Legislative Approved</b>                        |                        |                      |                        |               |
| Conference Committee                               | \$ 10,000,000          | \$ -                 | \$ 10,000,000          | -             |
| Governor's Vetoes                                  | -                      | -                    | -                      | -             |
| Veto Overrides                                     | -                      | -                    | -                      | -             |
| Certifications                                     | 483,843                | -                    | 483,843                | -             |
| <i>Subtotal – Approved Change from SBC</i>         | <i>\$ 10,483,843</i>   | <i>\$ -</i>          | <i>\$ 10,483,843</i>   | <i>-</i>      |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL – Final Approved</b>                | <b>\$ 90,090,173</b>   | <b>\$ 12,366,980</b> | <b>\$ 102,457,153</b>  | <b>733.5</b>  |

## Agency

The **agency** requests \$128.8 million, including \$116.4 million SGF, and 733.5 FTE positions for FY 2027. This is an increase of \$38.3 million, or 42.3 percent, above the amount approved by the 2025 Legislature. The increase is primarily attributable to the agency's enhancement requests of \$32.2 million to fund its anticipated contract staff expenditures and \$4.6 million SGF to re-open a State Security Program competency unit for FY 2027. The revised estimate also includes a deletion of 163.0 FTE positions and adding \$15.0 million of the agency's \$26.1 million shrinkage allocation.

## Special Committee on the State Budget

The **Special Committee** concurs with the agency request for FY 2027, with the following adjustments:

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1. Delete \$32.2 million SGF for contract staff expenditures for FY 2027.
2. Delete \$4.6 million SGF for an additional State Security Program competency unit for FY 2027.

## House Committees

### House Committee on Social Services Budget

The **House Budget Committee** concurs with the Special Committee's recommendation with the following adjustments:

1. Add \$32.2 million SGF for contract staff expenditures for FY 2027.
2. Add \$4.6 million SGF for an additional State Security Program competency unit for FY 2027.

### House Committee on Appropriations

The **House Committee** concurs with the Budget Committee's recommendation for FY 2027.

### House Committee of the Whole

The **House Committee of the Whole** concurs with the Committee's recommendation for FY 2027.

## Senate Committees

### Senate Committee on Ways and Means – Human Services Subcommittee

The **Senate Subcommittee** concurs with the Special Committee's recommendation, with the following adjustments:

1. Add \$10.0 million SGF for contract staff expenditures for FY 2027.
2. Add language requesting a two-day interim study on the Kansas Sexual Predator Treatment Program to look at cost, functionality, and alternatives for FY 2027.

### Senate Committee on Ways and Means

The **Senate Committee** concurs with the Subcommittee's recommendation for FY 2027.

### Senate Committee of the Whole

The **Senate Committee of the Whole** concurs with the Committee's recommendation for FY 2027.

## Conference Committee

The **Conference Committee** concurs with the Special Committee's recommendation with the following adjustment:

1. Add \$10.0 million SGF for contract staff expenditures for FY 2027.
2. Add language requesting an interim committee on the Kansas Sexual Predator Treatment Program for FY 2027.

## Legislative Approved

HB 2513 authorized the following statewide adjustment which was certified following the conclusion of the 2026 Session:

1. Add \$483,843 SGF to implement the Executive Branch pay plan approved by the 2026 Legislature and certified by the State Finance Council for FY 2027.