Alzheimer's Pilot

(FY2020 Appropriation Act - Public Act 154 of 2019)

March 1, 2020

- **Sec. 469.** (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for senior community services, \$400,000.00 is appropriated for Alzheimer's disease services. The funds shall be remitted to the Alzheimer's Association-Michigan chapter for the purpose of carrying out a dementia care and support program in Allegan, Kent, Lenawee, Macomb, Midland, Monroe, Oakland, St. Clair, St. Joseph, and Wayne Counties. Program services shall be provided to individuals with Alzheimer's disease or dementia and their families in the 10 counties, and shall include a 24/7 helpline, continued care consultation, and referrals to support groups and other community-based services. The Alzheimer's Association-Michigan chapter shall also contract for an evaluation of the program. The total cost for program evaluation shall not exceed \$15,000.00.
- (2) By March 1 of the current fiscal year, the department shall provide a report to the house and senate subcommittees on the department budget, the house and senate fiscal agencies and policy offices, and the state budget office on the status of the program and the evaluation, the number of employees funded by the program, the number of persons served by the program, and the number of persons served by the program who continue to live in their own home as known as of the date of the report. The report shall include an analysis of program data to assess whether providing the in-home support services significantly delays the need for residential long-term care services for individuals with Alzheimer's disease or dementia.



Section 469(2) PA 154 of 2019

Program Status:	The Michigan Commission on Services to the Aging approved the grant award to the Alzheimer's Association at its January 17, 2020 meeting. The Alzheimer's Association has been contacted by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) to establish a grant agreement document in E-GrAMS. MDHHS is currently working with the Alzheimer's Association to develop the grant work plan and budget as part of the grant agreement.
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The number of persons served by the program:	0
The number of persons served by the program who continue to live in their own home as known as of the date of the report:	0
Analysis of program data to assess whether providing the in-home support services significantly delays the need for residential long-term care services for individuals with Alzheimer's disease or dementia:	NA - MDHHS is currently working with the Alzheimer's Association on the grant work plan and grant agreement.