

**Subsidized Guardianship and Foster Care, Serious Emotional
Disturbance Waiver Program
Fiscal Year 2020, 4th Quarter Report**
(FY 2020 Appropriation Act - Public Act 67 of 2019)

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Sec. 547. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for the guardianship assistance program, the department shall pay a minimum rate that is not less than the approved age-appropriate payment rates for youth placed in family foster care.

(2) The department shall report quarterly to the state budget office, the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on the department budget, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the senate and house policy offices on the number of children enrolled in the guardianship assistance and foster care - children with serious emotional disturbance waiver programs.



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The following tables provide the monthly enrollment data for the Guardianship Assistance and the Children with Serious Emotional Disturbance Waiver Programs.

GUARDIANSHIP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (GAP)

FY 2020, QUARTER #4	# OF CHILDREN ENROLLED IN GAP
July 1-31, 2020	1178
August 1-31, 2020	1191
September 1-30, 2020	1189

CHILDREN WITH SERIOUS EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCE WAIVER (SEDW)

FY 2020, QUARTER #4	# OF CHILDREN ENROLLED IN SEDW
July 1-31, 2020	185
August 1-31, 2020	189, 1 pending
September 1-30, 2020	194, 13 pending