

**Report on Aging and Adult Services Agency
Home-Delivered Meals Waiting Lists**
(FY2019 Appropriation Act - Public Act 207 of 2018)

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Sec. 1403. (1) By February 1 of the current fiscal year, the aging and adult services agency shall require each region to report to the aging and adult services agency and to the legislature home-delivered meals waiting lists based upon standard criteria. Determining criteria shall include all of the following: (a) The recipient's degree of frailty. (b) The recipient's inability to prepare his or her own meals safely. (c) Whether the recipient has another care provider available. (d) Any other qualifications normally necessary for the recipient to receive home-delivered meals.

(2) Data required in subsection (1) shall be recorded only for individuals who have applied for participation in the home-delivered meals program and who are initially determined as likely to be eligible for home-delivered meals.



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The Aging & Adult Services Agency requires that Home-Delivered Meals (HDM) be offered as one of its service programs. Following is a table providing data on the number of individuals on the waiting list as of September 30, 2018, and the time period they were on the waiting list. When individuals are placed on the waiting list for HDM they are also provided with assistance and/or referrals to other services. These include: local non-Area Agency on Aging food assistance programs (e.g., Senior Project FRESH), local food banks, the local Department of Health and Human Services office, MiChoice Waiver Program, service options counseling, and private pay programs.

Fiscal Year	Quarter	Number On HDM Waiting List	HDM Stay less than 30 days	HDM Stay 30-59 Days	HDM Stay 60-179 days	HDM Stay 180 Days or Longer
2018	1st	1,033	226	142	277	388
2018	2nd	1,039	193	180	333	333
2018	3rd	1,067	190	122	347	408
2018	4th	861	150	145	249	317