



May 14, 2024

The Honorable Mike Johnson  
Speaker  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives

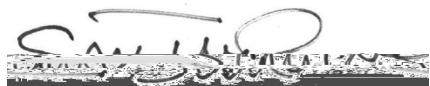
The Honorable Hakeem Jeffries  
Democratic Leader  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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The Honorable Rose DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
2008 (MHPAEA).

As we have in past years, we ask Congress to assure that SHIP funds meet the needs of seniors nationwide in a complex marketplace for health insurance. SHIPs are to advise, educate and empower individuals to navigate Medigap and long-term care insurance and to help beneficiaries meet their needs from the vast array of available options. SHIPs are able to address consumer questions and complaints quickly and effectively.

analysis of quantitative and nonquantitative treatment limits embedded in plans' policies, procedures, operations, and evidentiary standards. States have worked hard to develop their capacity to conduct reviews under this federal law, but more resources are needed. Grants authorized by the CAA would allow many states to enhance their enforcement and hold more plans accountable for the MHPAEA standards. With record numbers of Americans seeking mental health (nh)-1128102.3 (m)-21 (t)-~~5~~.158.53 (i)104 over treatment limits (lic)-84 (ie)-~~16~~.i (7r)t5n (lic)-84 /mbo)-136(id)-~~16~~ (ic)

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