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WTNH-TV Ch. 8 Mark Davis Report: Home health care in jeopardy because of state budget stalemate

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Home health care agencies around the state appear to be in jeopardy because of the continued [state budget stalemate](#) at the Capitol. Licensed Home health nursing care is designed to save the state money by keeping the chronically ill Medicaid population out of costly Emergency Rooms and Nursing Homes. The State's home health industry saves the State budget \$103-Million per year on average, a state budget savings that is in jeopardy as home health agencies begin to limit access, close their doors, and discharge Medicaid clients due to 10 years of inadequate reimbursement rates.

<http://wtnh.com/2017/08/21/budget-stalemate-leads-to-closure-of-home-health-care-agencies/>