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- Texas Receives \$210M for Behavioral Health Services
- HHSC Expands Outpatient Competency Restoration Services
- Emergency SNAP Benefits Extended for July
- Texas Receives \$2.5B for Pandemic EBT
- HHSC Home and Community-Based Services \$287M Spending Plan
- Rusk State Hospital Updates
- Job Fairs for State Hospitals and State Supported Living Centers

New \$45M State Psychiatric Hospital to be Built in DFW

[Texas HHSC, UT Southwestern teaming up on new psychiatric hospital in DFW](#)

Andrew Greenstein
KRLD-AM
July 7, 2021

[New \\$45M State Psychiatric Hospital Being Planned For Dallas-Fort Worth Area](#)

KTVT-TV Dallas/Fort Worth
July 7, 2021

[State psychiatric hospital in development for D-FW](#)

Kevin Reece
WFAA - Dallas/Fort Worth
July 7, 2021

[New UTSW-run state psychiatric hospital could ease mental health care burden felt by other providers](#)

Marin Wolf
Dallas Morning News
July 7, 2021



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[Editorial: UT Southwestern will run Dallas' desperately needed public psychiatric hospital](#)

Dallas Morning News
July 7, 2021

[UT Southwestern to run Texas psychiatric hospital with initial \\$45M infusion](#)

Morgan Haefner
Becker's Hospital Review
July 8, 2021

[North Texas Is Getting Its First Psychiatric Hospital](#)

Rebekah Morr
KERA News
July 10, 2021

[HHSC, UT Southwestern plan new state psychiatric hospital](#)

Corsicana Daily Sun
July 13, 2021

Texas Receives \$210M for Behavioral Health Services

[Gov. Abbott, HHSC announce \\$210 million in federal emergency funding for behavioral health services](#)

San Marcos Corridor News
July 20, 2021

[Texas HHSC to receive more than \\$210M for mental health, substance use disorder services](#)

Ninfa Saavedra
KPRC-TV Houston
July 14, 2021

[Texas to receive \\$210 million for mental health, substance abuse services](#)

Kaitlyn Martinez
KCEN-TV Waco
July 14, 2021



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Governor Announces Federal Money for Mental Health

Dave Kirkpatrick
East Texas Radio
July 15, 2021

Governor Abbott, HHSC Announce \$210 Million In Federal Emergency Funding For Behavioral Health Services

San Saba News & Star
July 16, 2021

Feds Send \$210 Million to Texas for Mental Health Services

Matt Trammell
San Angelo Live
July 19, 2021

Texas to get \$210M in federal funds for substance abuse, mental health services

Corsicana Daily Sun
July 16, 2021

HHSC Expands Outpatient Competency Restoration Services

Health And Human Services Commission Expands Outpatient Competency Restoration Services In Texas

KSST Radio - Sulphur Springs
July 5, 2021

HHSC expands Outpatient Competency Restoration Services in Texas

San Marcos Corridor News
July 7, 2021

Emergency SNAP Benefits Extended for July

Texas HHSC announces extension of emergency SNAP benefits for July

KLTV-TV Tyler
July 6, 2021



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[Texas Giving Emergency Extension Of SNAP Benefits Through July](#)

KTVT-TV Dallas/Fort Worth
July 6, 2021

[Gov. Abbott announces extension for emergency food benefits through July](#)

KABB - San Antonio TV
July 6, 2021

[Additional emergency SNAP benefits approved for July](#)

Alyssa Flores
KRIS -TV Corpus Christi
July 6, 2021

[Texas extends emergency food benefits for July](#)

Corsicana Daily Sun
July 6, 2021

[Texas Governor and HHSC Announce an Extension of Emergency SNAP Food Benefits](#)

Susy Castillo
KTSM-TV El Paso
July 6, 2021

[Texas extends emergency food benefits for July](#)

Athens Daily Review
July 10, 2021

[Texas Giving Emergency Extension Of SNAP Benefits Through July](#)

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July 9, 2021

Texas Receives \$2.5B for Pandemic EBT

[Second round of food aid available to families](#)

Palestine Herald-Press
July 3, 2021



HHSC Home and Community-Based Services \$287M Spending Plan

[Texas awaits approval of enhanced FMAP HCBS spending plan](#)

Eli Kirshbaum
State of Reform
July 15, 2021

Rusk State Hospital Updates

[Rusk State Hospital admin building nearing completion, patient unit still under construction](#)

Erin Wides
KLTU-TV Tyler
July 27, 2021

[Rusk State Hospital recognizes employees at appreciation luncheon](#)

John Hawkins
Cherokeean Herald
July 22, 2021

Job Fairs for State Hospitals and State Supported Living Centers

[On-site job fair to be held Wednesday at local state hospital](#)

KSAT-TV San Antonio
July 12, 2021

[Corpus Christi State Supported Living Center looking to hire 100 candidates at job fair Tuesday](#)

KIII-TV Corpus Christi
July 12, 2021

[More than 100 positions available at Corpus Christi State Supported Living Center](#)

Lisa Leal
KZTV-TV Corpus Christi
July 12, 2021