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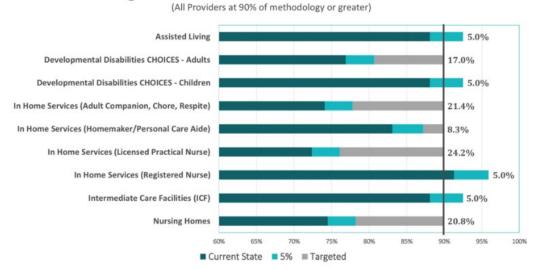
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Long-Term Care Providers Get Financial Boost!

In the fall of 2022, Governor Kristi Noem proposed a five percent across the board increase for Medicaid providers. She also proposed moving certain community-based providers, which includes nursing homes, assisted living, and in-home services, to 90% of their reimbursement methodology. For nursing homes, this means an additional 24.5 million dollars. The SDAHO advocacy team, along with many members, spent the legislative session explaining the need for additional funding, as our nursing home providers are facing a crisis. We are happy to share that the legislature is including funding for 100% of methodology, which means a total of 49 million additional dollars for South Dakota's nursing home providers. Below is a graph outlining targeted provider reimbursement rates, taken from the Governor's proposed budget.

Targeted Provider Reimbursement Rates



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