



Association of Developmental
Disabilities Providers



ADDP Legislative Budget Forum: *Investing in the Human Services Workforce*

State House, Great Hall ♦ February 12, 2025 ♦ 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Program Agenda

Welcome

Ellen Attaliades, President/CEO, ADDP

Diane Gould, President/CEO, Advocates, Inc.; Chair, Board of Directors, ADDP

Host Remarks

Representative Jay D. Livingstone, Chair, Joint Committee on Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities

Senator Robyn K. Kennedy, Chair, Joint Committee on Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities

Featured Speaker

Josh Cutler, Undersecretary of Labor

Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development

ADDP Workforce Metrics Survey Report Findings

Mandy Nichols, Vice President, ADDP

ADDP Budget Request Overview

Ellen Attaliades, President/CEO, ADDP

ADDP Outstanding Leadership Award

Alexis Hill, Director of Public Policy, ADDP

Introduction: Mary Jo Cooper, MA

VP, Developmental Services, Bay Cove Human Services, Inc.; Board of Directors, ADDP

Honoree: Sara J. Goodrich, BSN, RN

Director of Health Services for Developmental Services, Bay Cove Human Services, Inc.

Stories from the Workforce

John Randall, President/CEO, Amego, Inc.; Board of Directors, ADDP

ADDP Legislator of the Year Award

Introduction: Shane Brooks, VP of Community Residential Services, Gándara Center

Honoree: Representative Michael J. Finn

House Chair, Joint Committee on Bonding, Capital Expenditures & State Assets

Closing Remarks

Ellen Attaliades, President/CEO, ADDP