

**641—80.4(135) LPHS funds.**

**80.4(1)** Allocation for LPHS funds to each contractor is determined by the following formula:

*a.* Eighteen percent of the total LPHS funds will be divided so that an equal amount is available for use in each county in the state.

*b.* Eight percent of the total LPHS funds will be allocated to each county according to the county's population based upon the published data of the U.S. Census Bureau, which is the most recent data available three months prior to the release of the LPHS application.

*c.* Forty-four percent of the total LPHS funds will be allocated according to the proportion of state residents who are elderly persons living in a county based upon the bridged-race population estimates produced by the U.S. Census Bureau in collaboration with the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS).

*d.* Thirty percent of the total LPHS funds will be allocated according to the proportion of state residents who are low-income persons living in a county based upon the U.S. Census Bureau's SAIPE.

**80.4(2)** The department will annually determine the potential for unused funds from contracts. Reallocation of the funds will be at the discretion of the department.

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