

Stories and Letters outlining concerns and impact of funding and service cuts:

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As a parent of a special needs teen with moderate Autism, I am frustrated by the lack of help/resources from the Government in caring for my own child, although we have been fortunate to at least have had a support worker in the summer and family support for a few hours each month, but even this help will be leaving us now. Our daughter will graduate from High School next year and we will be forced to sell or give up our present business/family income to take care of her as both myself and my husband work together. God only knows how we will manage in the future. The thought of this insecurity frightens me. I just found out about this Organization as someone kind enough directed me here. My concern is that we may have to move from our small community and give up everything we know in order to help our daughter. I wonder where to look to next. Sincerely, Tina
