# 2021

### Cook County Preliminary Forecast

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# FY2020 Overview



### FY2020 Total Budget: \$6.2B



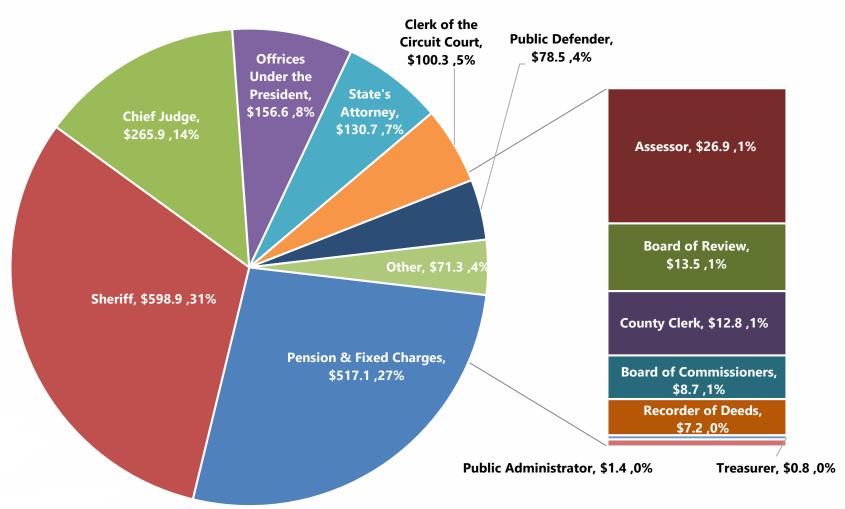
Healthcare and Public Safety make up 67.0% of the Total Budget 87.2% of the Operating Budget)



### General Fund Budget: \$1.9B



Offices Under the President make up 8% of the General Fund Budget



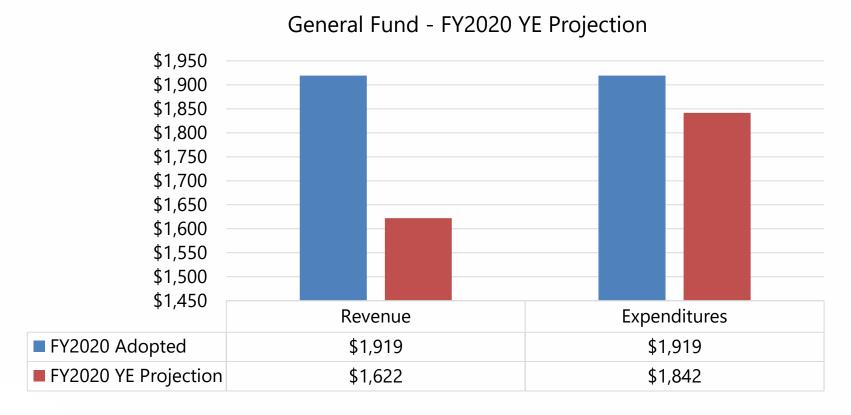
## General Fund



### Preliminary FY2020 Year-End Projections



#### The General Fund is projected to end FY2020 \$219.7M unfavorable to budget



Revenues \$297 million or 15% **below** the adopted budget Expenses \$77.5 million or 4% **below** the adopted budget.

### Primary FY2020 Variance Drivers



#### Revenue Drivers (\$297M)

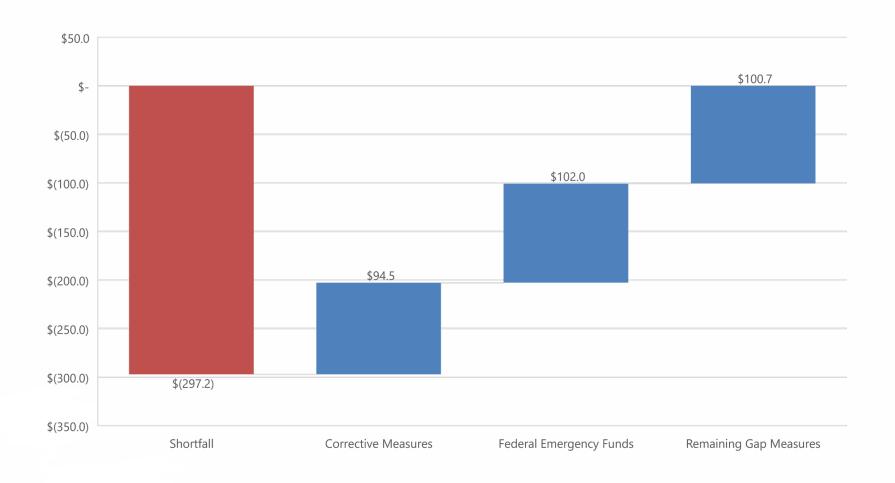
- Economically sensitive revenue declines of \$257.9M (19%) due to COVID-19
  - Sales taxes down by \$110M/13%
  - Amusement Tax down by \$33.5M/84%
  - County Use Tax down by \$22.3M/27%
  - Hotel Accommodations Tax down by \$20.7M/60%
- Fee and License revenue declines of \$27.2M (13%) due to operational closures
  - Clerk of the Circuit Court Fees down by \$16.9M/22%
  - Sheriff General Fees down by \$7.0M/43%

#### **Expense Drivers \$77.5M**

- Increase in expenditures to address COVID-19
  - Overtime expenses up \$43.5M/209%, largely driven by costs in public safety offices
  - Supplies and Materials up \$1.2M/8.8% due to increased costs to address COVID-19 pandemic
- Expenditure savings in response to economic downturn
  - Salaries/Wages down \$68.6M/7% due to expenditure control measures and delayed hiring.
  - Contractual Services down \$13.0M/12.8% due to deferral of planned projects.

#### FY2020 Corrective Action Plan





### FY2021 Preliminary Forecast



#### The outlook for FY2021 includes a General Fund deficit projected at \$222 million





Revenues \$129 million or 7% **below** FY2020 adopted budget Expenses \$92.9 million or 5% **above** FY2020 adopted budget

### Primary FY2021 Variance Drivers



#### Revenue Drivers (\$129M)

- Non-property tax revenue declines of \$73.8M (5%) due to lingering impact of COVID-19
  - Sales taxes down by \$30M/4%
  - Amusement Tax down by \$15.5M/39%
  - County Use Tax down by \$15M/18%
- Continued declines of \$22.6M (11%) in fee and fine revenues of
  - Clerk of the Circuit Court revenues down by \$11.3M/15%
  - County Treasurer revenues down by \$10M/25%

#### **Expense Drivers (\$92.9M)**

- Continued increases in expenditures to address COVID-19 pandemic
  - Contractual Services up \$7.9M/7.8% due in part to need for enhanced screenings at County building entrances.
  - Supplies and Materials up \$1.3M/10% due to continued need for COVID-19.
- Increased personnel expenditures
  - Health care expenditures up \$23.2M/10.7%
    - PPO rates up 12%
    - HMO rates up 9%
  - Salaries/Wages up \$13.5M/1.4% due to year-over-year increases in payroll.
  - Overtime up \$31.2M/\$149% mainly due to increases in public safety offices.

### State Fiscal Impact

Tax Name	Description	Implementation Date	FY2020 Budgeted Revenue	FY2020 Estimated Revenue	FY2021 Revenue Estimate
Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act	Provides that Counties would be permitted to impose up to a 3% tax on recreational cannabis sales that occur within municipalities and 3.75% for sales occurring within unincorporated areas.	1-Jan-20 Collection won't begin until 9/20	<b>\$0</b>	\$2.3 Million	\$13.9 Million
Illinois Gaming Act	Provides that 2% of adjusted gross receipts generated by the Chicago and south suburban Cook casino shall be paid, subject to appropriation to Cook County for criminal justice – Expands number of gaming positions (slots/video)	1-Jul-19	\$3.2 Million*	\$0*	\$1.5 Million*
Sports Wagering Act	Establishes additional 2% tax on adjusted gross wagering receipts for wagers placed in Cook County. Pays the additional 2% tax directly to Cook.	1-Jul-19	\$1.75 Million	\$250 Thousand	\$3.57 Million
Online Sales Tax	Allows County to apply its 1.75% Retailer Occupation Tax (Sales Tax) to online sales being made in the County.	1-Jan-2021	<b>\$</b> 0	\$0	\$53.7 Million

<sup>\*</sup>Estimate is limited to County Ordinance revenue collected from expanded terminals in Cook County for existing gambling entities e.g. Rivers Casino and race tracks)

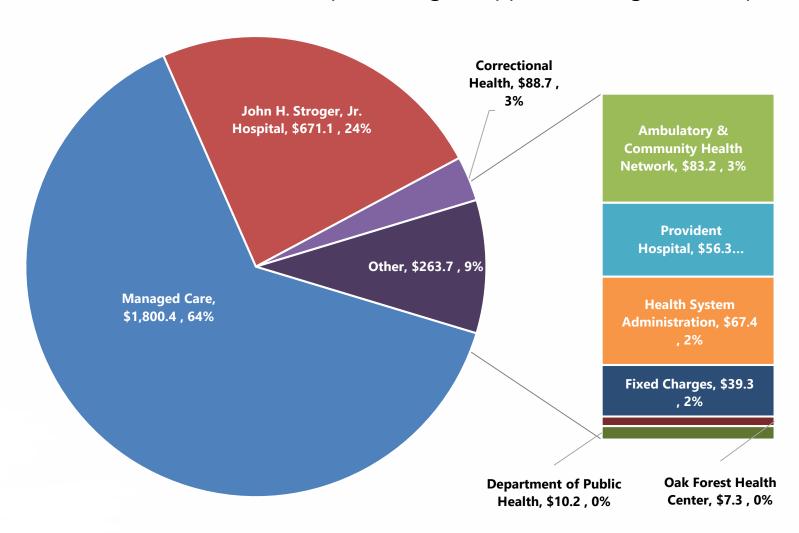
# Health Enterprise Fund



#### Health Enterprise Fund FY2020 Budget: \$2.8B



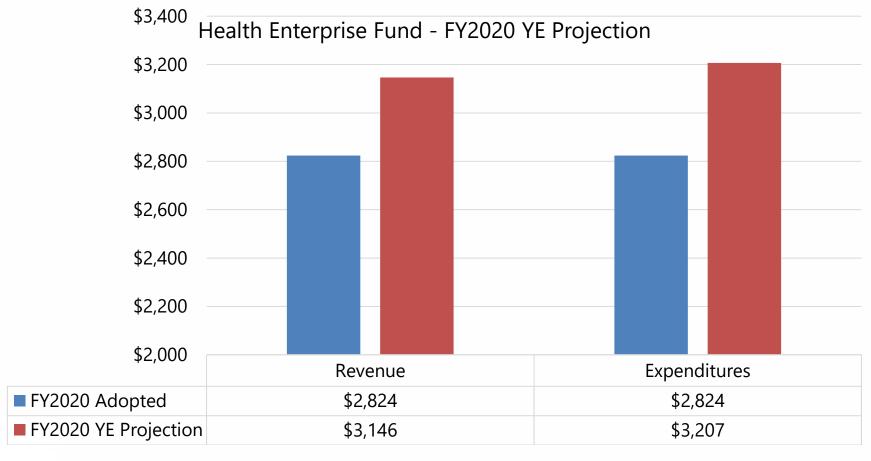
More than half of the Health Enterprise Budget supports Managed Care operations



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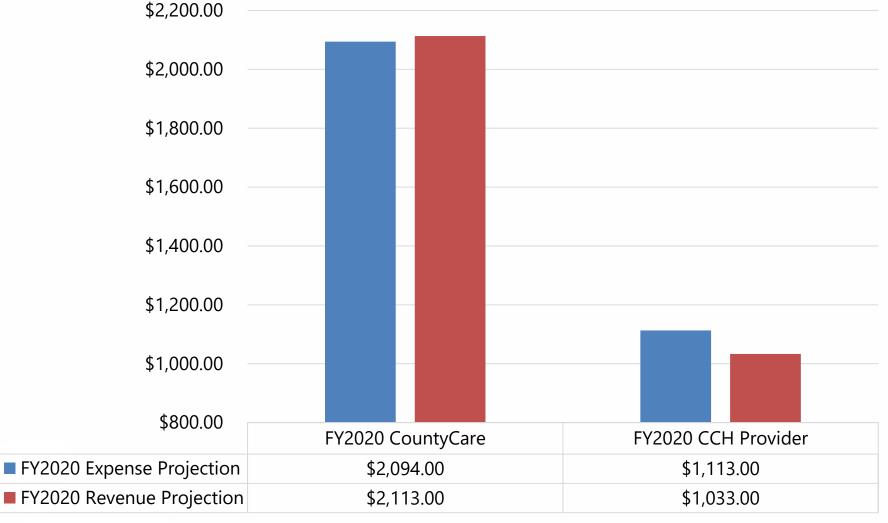
#### The Health Fund is projected to end FY2020 \$61M unfavorable to budget.



Revenues \$322 million or 11% **above** the adopted budget Expenses \$383 million or 14% **above** the adopted budget.

### FY2020 CCH Provider vs. CountyCare





### CountyCare Enrollment



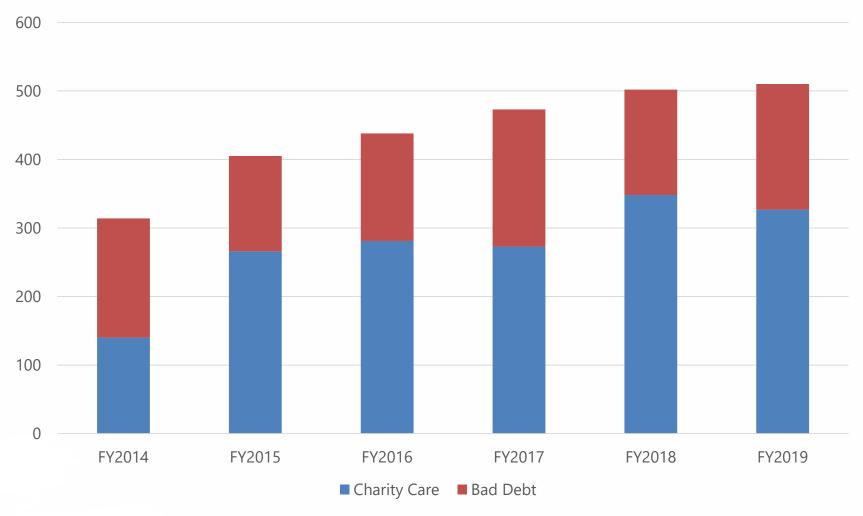
#### MCO enrollment expected to ramp up throughout FY2020



### **Uncompensated Care**

Continued Expected Pressure on the Budget





### Primary FY2020 Variance Drivers



#### **Revenue Drivers \$322M**

#### Revenue increases:

- Federal Government Revenue\* up \$127M due to COVID-19 funding provided by federal government.
- Medicaid/Managed Care up \$141M/7% due to increased Medicaid membership through CountyCare auto enrollments.
- Revenue declines:
  - Private Payor Patient Fee revenue down \$52M/35% due in part to decline in charges and suspension of services due to COVID-19
  - Medicare Patient revenue down \$28M/16%.

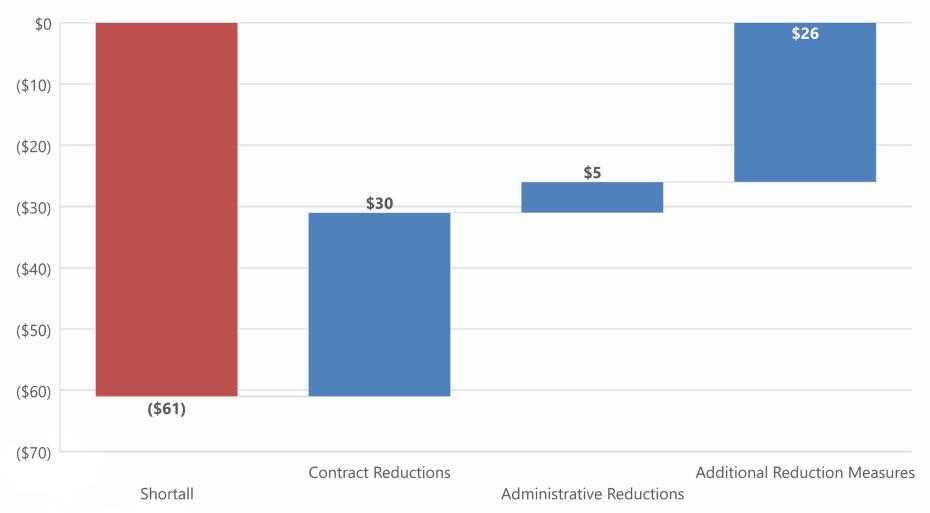
#### **Expense Drivers (\$383M)**

- Increased Managed Care expenditures
  - Managed Care Claims up \$288M/17% due to increased County Care membership
  - Professional Services up \$49.9M/53%

- Increased personnel expenditures
  - Salaries/Wages up \$30.7M/5.6% due to increased internal hiring.
  - Overtime up \$13.7M/44.8% driven by increased hours due to understaffing and addressing COVID-19.

#### FY2020 Corrective Action Plan

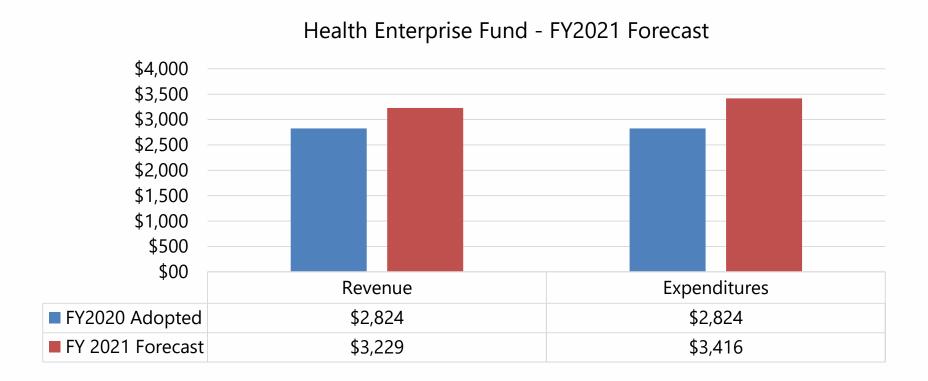




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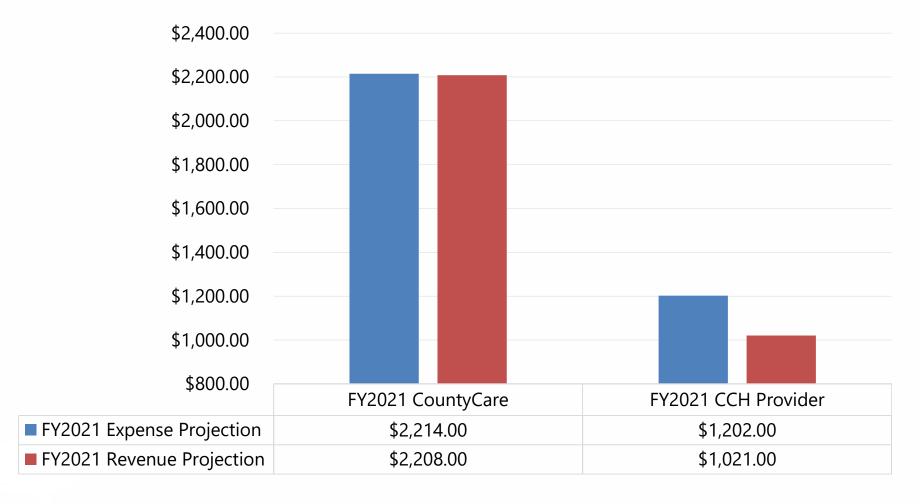
The outlook for FY2021 includes a Health Fund deficit projected at \$187 million



Revenues \$405 million or 14% **above** FY2020 adopted budget Expenses \$592 million or 21% **above** FY2020 adopted budget

### FY2021 CCH Provider vs. CountyCare





### Primary FY2021 Variance Drivers



#### **Revenue Drivers \$405M**

#### Revenue increases:

- Medicaid/Managed Care up \$341.9M/16% due to increases in membership and rate increase projections.
- Medicare revenue up \$7.4M/4% driven by natural increase in membership year over year.
- Revenue declines:
  - Private Payor Patient Fee revenue down \$21.8M/14% due to lingering reductions in patient volumes resulting from impact of COVID-19.

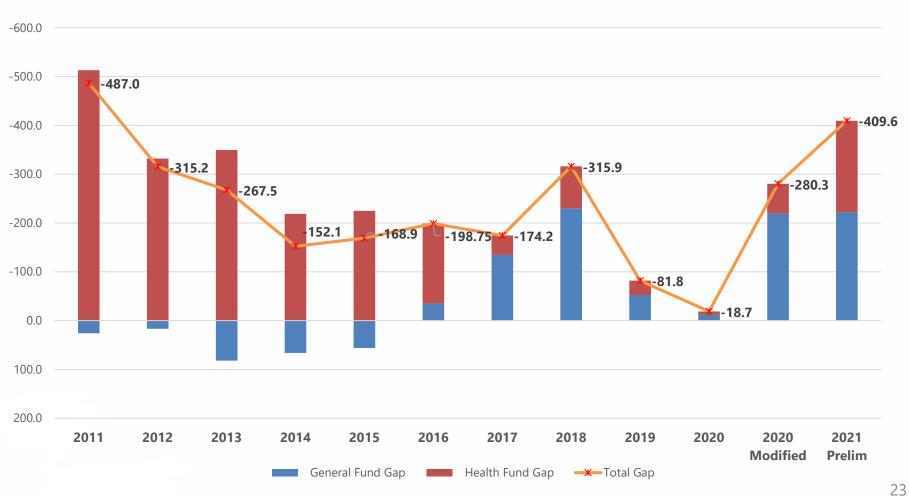
#### **Expense Drivers (\$592M)**

- Contractual Services up \$480M/26% due in part to increased Managed Care claims and contracts with third party claim administrators.
- Maintenance and Operations up \$15.5M/16% due increases on equipment contracts.
- Increased personnel expenditures
  - Salaries/Wages up \$62M/12% due to payroll increases and a \$44.6M/48% reduction in turnover.
  - Overtime up \$14M/46% driven by increased hours due to understaffing.

### Historical Budget Gaps



#### Structural solutions reduced deficits by 96% since 2011



# FY2021 Budget Calendar



### FY2021 Proposed Budget Calendar



June 26 Release Preliminary Forecast

July 16 Public hearing on 2020/2021 Preliminary Forecast

July 20-24 Mid-Year Budget Hearings

**July-Sept** Finalize FY2021 budget requests with Departments

October 8 Present President's Executive Budget Recommendation

October 26 – Department and Public Hearings/Amendment
November 6 System Open

November 6 Commissioner Amendments Due

November 19 Board of Commissioners Vote on Appropriation Bill



