



**American Association
of Homes and Services
for the Aging**

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June 29, 2001

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I am enclosing the lobbying report for July 1 through December 31, 2000 for the American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging.

I regret that due to an office move and several staff changes, we failed to file this report in a timely way. I actually have completed the report for the first half of 2001 and will send it under separate cover, so we should be caught up.

Once again, I am sorry for the delay in filing this report.

Sincerely,

Barbara Gay
Director of Information

Representing not-for-profit organizations dedicated to
providing quality care across the continuum of senior services

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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

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|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Registrant Name American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging | | | |
| 2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2519 Connecticut Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 20008 | | | |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____ | | | |
| 4. Contact Name Barbara Gay | Telephone 202-783-2242 | E-mail (optional) bgay@aahsa.org | 5. Senate ID # |
| 7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self | | | 6. House ID # |

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____

11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

| 12. Lobbying Firms | 13. Organizations |
|--|---|
| INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: | EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: |
| Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> | Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000) | \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000) |
| Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client). | 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code |

Signature

Barbara Gay

Printed Name and Title Barbara Gay, Director of Information

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Registrant Name AAHSA Client Name Self

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 5661, Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Benefits Improvement and Protection Act, to provide additional Balanced Budget Act relief to health care providers, including nursing homes and home care providers

H.R. 4547, Medicare and Medicaid Nursing Services Quality Improvement Act, to provide a waiver of nurse aide training requirements for specially trained staff to assist nursing home residents with specific tasks

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives
Senate
Health Care Financing Administration

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) | New |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| Michael Rodgers | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Will Bruno | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Barbara Gay | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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H.R. 5042, to protect the right of a Medicare beneficiary enrolled in a Medicare+ Choice plan to receive services at a skilled nursing facility where the individual lived prior to the hospitalization

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives
Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

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15. General issue area code H01 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 2733 - Affordable Housing for Seniors and Families Act, to reauthorize and expand programs that provide supportive housing for seniors and people with disabilities. Includes grants for the preservation of affordable housing and for the conversion of senior housing to assisted living

H.R. 4635 - VA/HUD Appropriations for FY2001 - urged full funding for senior housing under Section 202 and other HUD programs

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives
Senate
Department of Housing and Urban Affairs

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) | New |
|----------------|---|--------------------------|
| Larry McNickle | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Linda Couch | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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15. General issue area code WEL (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 4577 - Labor/HHS/Education Appropriations for FY2001 - urged full funding for Older Americans Act programs and the Title XX Social Services Block Grant program

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House of Representatives
Senate

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