

# SAVE OUR CENTERS

Join Us Thursday  
September 12, 2019  
5:00 p.m.

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DHS hearing on closure of  
White Haven State Center:  
St. Patrick's Church  
411 Allegheny St.  
White Haven, PA

The Pennsylvania Department of Human Services (DHS) recently announced the closure of Polk State Center and White Haven State Center. These centers are the homes of hundreds of residents with intellectual disabilities, and they are the workplaces of hundreds of AFSCME members.

Residents, elected officials, the public and workers alike were blindsided by this announcement. It is a misguided decision that will uproot and endanger people's lives.

DHS is hosting public hearings to accept comments about the closure of these facilities. AFSCME members are encouraged to attend.