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I don't comment here on this bill 1426 specific provisions, I do say that Maine and the US need to use proven interventions to address needs of an increasing number of struggling individuals and families.

There are bills here today (182, 183...) placing new restrictions on public assistance. This punishes kids & families, creating more vulnerable communities & mental health crises.

Budgets matter

We spend more & more tax \$\$ for cops and jails, for arresting & housing poor and sick people behind closed doors harming kids, families & communities Let's spend money to help families succeed