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I work for an agency that provides DSP staff for individuals with disabilities in Maine. Every day I watch these dedicated Direct Support Workers pour their heart into caring for their clients and helping them have more independent, productive, and fulfilling lives. Then I watch them quit, because they cannot afford to stay. The wages that our agency can pay are completely dependent upon the Maine Legislature to take action and make people with disabilities and those that care for them a priority. Wages for this critical job have languished for far too long and we have come to the crisis point. We simply cannot continue to provide services without paying better wages.