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Osborn Correctional Closes Units, DDS' Five-Year Plan, & UConn Student Fees to Rise on *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*

Hartford, CT – This Friday at 7 p.m., Connecticut Network viewers will recap a week where Governor Malloy announced the closure of four units at the Osborn Correction Institution, the Department of Developmental Services held a public hearing on its five-year strategic plan and the UConn Board of Trustees signed-off on fee increases for students on the latest episode of *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*.

With the state's total prison population being down 13% since 2012, Governor Dannel Malloy announced the closure of four housing units at the [Osborn Correctional Institution](#) in Somers this week. Meanwhile, back at the Capitol, the [Department of Developmental Services \(DDS\)](#) held a hearing where the public gave testimony on the agency's five-year strategic plan. Citizens took the opportunity to relay concerns about the state's proposal to privatize 40 group homes currently caring for DDS clients.

In the state's education realm, the [State Board of Education](#) met this week and focused their attention on the future of Connecticut's Technical High School system. The UConn Board of Trustees approved student fee increases for Fall 2017 and the Board of Regents for Higher Education considered a contract extension for CSCU President Mark Ojakian.

Capitol Report: Week in Review summarizes the activity at the State Capitol during the week, using voice over and graphics to combine history, context, and next steps in the process with full-length excerpts from the week's proceedings. The program premieres on CT-N every Friday night at 7:00 p.m., then rebroadcasts at Noon and 7:00 p.m. on Saturdays, 8:00 p.m. on Sundays, and 6:00 a.m. Monday mornings; check CT-N's online program schedule for additional airtimes. Each episode runs between 30 and 60 minutes.

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