

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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## SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Honorable Donny Lambeth, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 620, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

The Honorable Larry Potts, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 307B1, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603 The Honorable Jim Burgin, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 308, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

Dear Chairmen:

Session Law 2023-14, Section 1.2 amends Article 1I of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes to include a provision that requires the Department of Health and Human Services to prepare an annual comprehensive annual statistical report based upon the data gathered from reports under this Article. The report shall be made available to the public in a downloadable format and the Department shall submit the report to the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services on or before October 1.

I am hereby notifying you that this report will be delayed.

Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Karen Wade, Director of Policy, at Karen.Wade@dhhs.nc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Mare T. on behalf of Kody H. Kinsley

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