

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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KODY H. KINSLEY
SECRETARY

December 29, 2023

SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Brian Matteson, Director Fiscal Research Division Suite 619, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

Dear Director Matteson:

NC General Statute 122C-115.6, as amended by SL 2023-134, Section 9G.7A, requires that when a county realigns with another area authority under G.S. 122C-115.5, a portion of the risk reserve and other funds of the area authority from which the county is disengaging shall be transferred to the area authority with which the county is realigning. The amount of risk reserve and other funds to be transferred shall be determined by the Department in accordance with a formula or formulas developed by the Department. Prior to finalizing any formula developed, the Department shall post the proposed formula on its website and provide notice of the proposed formula to all area authorities, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Medicaid, and the Fiscal Research Division. The Department shall accept public comment on the proposed formula. The Department shall post the final version of the formula on its website.

I am hereby notifying you that the Department has posted the proposed formula to its website, at https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/programs-and-services/behavioral-health-idd/lmemco-contracts-and-reports. The Department is accepting public comment, beginning December 19, 2023 and ending January 3, 2024.

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

Sincerely,

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Jay Ludlam on behalf of Kody H. Kinsley

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Secretary

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The Honorable Joyce Krawiec, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 308, 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 Donny Lambeth, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 303, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

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