

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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KODY H. KINSLEY
SECRETARY

October 1, 2024

SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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

The Honorable Carla Cunningham, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 403, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

Dear Chairmen:

North Carolina General Statutes 122C-5, 131D-2.13(e) and 131D-10.6(10) require the Department of Health and Human Services to report annually to the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services on the Deaths Reported and Facility Compliance with Laws, Rules, and Regulations Governing Physical Restraints and Seclusion.

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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Marle T. Gombon on behalf of Kody H. Kinsley

Kody H. Kinsley Secretary