§ 143B-138.1. Department of Health and Human Services – functions and organization.

(a) All functions, powers, duties, and obligations previously vested in the following commissions, boards, councils, committees, or subunits of the Department of Human Resources are transferred to and vested in the Department of Health and Human Services by a Type I transfer, as defined in G.S. 143A-6:

1. Division of Aging.
2. Division of Services for the Blind.
3. Division of Medical Assistance.
5. Division of Social Services.
6. Division of Health Service Regulation.
7. Division of Vocational Rehabilitation.
9. Division of Services for the Deaf and the Blind.
11. Division of Child Development.

(b) All functions, powers, duties, and obligations previously vested in the following commissions, boards, councils, committees, or subunits of the Department of Human Resources are transferred to and vested in the Department of Health and Human Services by a Type II transfer, as defined in G.S. 143A-6:

1. Respite Care Program.
2. Governor's Advisory Council on Aging.
4. Professional Advisory Committee.
5. Consumer and Advocacy Advisory Committee for the Blind.
7. Social Services Commission.
9. Medical Care Commission.
14. Repealed by Session Laws 2002, ch. 126, s. 10.10D(c), effective October 1, 2002.

(c) The functions, powers, duties, and obligations previously vested in the following commissions, boards, councils, committees, or subunits of the Department of Environment, Health, and Natural Resources are transferred to and vested in the Department of Health and Human Services by a Type I transfer, as defined in G.S. 143A-6:

1. Division of Dental Health.
2. State Center for Health Statistics.
3. Division of Epidemiology.
4. Division of Health Promotion.
5. Division of Maternal and Child Health.
(8) Division of Laboratory Services.
(9) Office of Local Health Services.
(10) Division of Postmortem Medicolegal Examinations.
(11) Office of Women's Health.

(d) All functions, powers, duties, and obligations previously vested in the following commissions, boards, councils, committees, or subunits of the Department of Environment, Health, and Natural Resources are transferred to and vested in the Department of Health and Human Services by a Type II transfer, as defined in G.S. 143A-6:

(1) Commission for Public Health.
(2) Council on Sickle Cell Syndrome.
(3) Repealed by Session Laws 2011-266, s. 1.30(b), effective July 1, 2011.
(4) Commission of Anatomy.
(5) Minority Health Advisory Council.
(6) Advisory Committee on Cancer Coordination and Control.

(e) The Department of Health and Human Services is vested with all other functions, powers, duties, and obligations as are conferred by the Constitution and laws of this State. (1997-443, s. 11A.3; 1998-202, s. 4(v); 2002-126, s. 10.10D(c); 2007-182, ss. 1, 2; 2011-266, s. 1.30(b); 2011-326, s. 19; 2013-247, s. 3.)