

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR MANDY COHEN, MD, MPH
SECRETARY

November 9, 2018

#### SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Honorable Josh Dobson, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 301N, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

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 27603-5925 The Honorable Louis Pate, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 311, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

#### Dear Chairmen:

North Carolina Session Law 2015-241, Section 12F.2.(c), requires the Department of Health and Human Services ("Department") to modify the monthly reporting package submitted by the LME-MCOs to the Department to include revenues and expenditures for the State funding sources for single stream, intellectual and developmental disability, and substance abuse services on Schedule D2. Additionally, the Department is required to modify appropriate schedules in the LME-MCO monthly reporting package to include unduplicated recipients and encounters in the same level of detail included in each D schedule for each source of funding for the reporting for the current and previous year's month and year to date periods. This requirement is continued under Session Law 2017-57, Section 11F.2.(c).

The information provided identifies Single Stream Fund expenditures by LME-MCO with a State average and benchmark for spending expectations by June 2019. The benchmark for the expected single stream funding expenditure for this portion of the fiscal year, first month of the 2019 fiscal year, is 8% of the total annual allocation. The statewide average at this time is 7.3%. Expenditures in the early part of the fiscal year are designed to draw from federal funds prior to the use of state single stream funding. The reports of spending are consistent with state funding expenditures in previous years for this timeframe and the Department anticipates the single stream funding will be accessed increasingly during the year.

The Department continues to work with all LME-MCOs and to monitor their use of single stream funds. The attached graph for the report demonstrates the individual LME-MCOs performance compared to the static targeted expenditures expectation.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kody Kinsley, Deputy Secretary for Behavioral Health and Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, at (919) 733-7011.

Sincerely,

for- Mandy Cohen, MD, MPH Secretary

Ko W.Ker A

cc: Matt Gross

Kody Kinsley Katherine Restrepo Marta T. Hester

Susan Perry-Manning

LT McCrimmon Marjorie Donaldson Steve Owen

Steve Owen
Denise Thomas
Theresa Matula

Dave Richard reports@ncleg.net Lisa Wilks Leah Burns

Zack Wortman

Rod Davis Joyce Jones Erin Matteson Mark Benton

# STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

ROY COOPER
GOVERNOR

MANDY COHEN, MD, MPH
SECRETARY

November 9, 2018

#### SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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

Dear Director Trogdon:

North Carolina Session Law 2015-241, Section 12F.2.(c), requires the Department of Health and Human Services ("Department") to modify the monthly reporting package submitted by the LME-MCOs to the Department to include revenues and expenditures for the State funding sources for single stream, intellectual and developmental disability, and substance abuse services on Schedule D2. Additionally, the Department is required to modify appropriate schedules in the LME-MCO monthly reporting package to include unduplicated recipients and encounters in the same level of detail included in each D schedule for each source of funding for the reporting for the current and previous year's month and year to date periods. This requirement is continued under Session Law 2017-57, Section 11F.2.(c).

The information provided identifies Single Stream Fund expenditures by LME-MCO with a State average and benchmark for spending expectations by June 2019. The benchmark for the expected single stream funding expenditure for this portion of the fiscal year, first month of the 2019 fiscal year, is 8% of the total annual allocation. The statewide average at this time is 7.3%. Expenditures in the early part of the fiscal year are designed to draw from federal funds prior to the use of state single stream funding. The reports of spending are consistent with state funding expenditures in previous years for this timeframe and the Department anticipates the single stream funding will be accessed increasingly during the year.

The Department continues to work with all LME-MCOs and to monitor their use of single stream funds. The attached graph for the report demonstrates the individual LME-MCOs performance compared to the static targeted expenditures expectation.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kody Kinsley, Deputy Secretary for Behavioral Health and Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, at (919) 733-7011.

Sincerely,

for- Mandy Cohen, MD, MPH

Kol Kert

Secretary

cc: Matt Gross
Kody Kinsley
Katherine Restrepo
Marta T. Hester

Susan Perry-Manning

LT McCrimmon Marjorie Donaldson Steve Owen Denise Thomas

Theresa Matula

Dave Richard reports@ncleg.net Lisa Wilks Leah Burns

Zack Wortman

Rod Davis Joyce Jones Erin Matteson Mark Benton

### FY18 Expenditures of Single Stream Funds by LME/MCO Report Month: September 2018, Reported Expenditures through: July 2018

## FY19 - Reported Expenditures of Single Stream Funds by LME/MCO

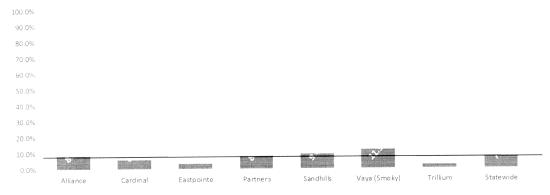
Reported Expenditures through month: July

Current Month Target %: 8% or more

LME/MCO	Reported SS		SS Allocation	Service Level	Reported SS	Reported SS as %
	Earnings *			Req.	as % of	of Svc Level Req
					Alloc*	
Alliance	\$	3,336,200	\$ 13,372,873	\$ 38,535,086	25%	8.7%
Cardinal	\$	4,388,746	\$ 42,169,478	\$ 70,113,612	10%	6.3%
Eastpointe	\$	778,199	\$ 17,077,566	\$ 23,424,987	5%	3.3%
Partners	\$	2,329,242	\$ 22,858,068	\$ 28,392,683	10%	8.2%
Sandhills	\$	2,410,412	\$ 13,376,954	\$ 25,521,488	18%	9.4%
Vaya (Smoky	\$	4,964,326	\$ 45,719,163	\$ 41,883,208	11%	11.9%
Trillium	\$	1,059,871	\$ 50,633,839	\$ 37,147,697	2%	2.9%
Statewide	Ś	19,266,995	\$205,207,941	\$265,018,761	9%	7.3%

<sup>\*</sup> Single Stream earnings may exceed allocation, but payments are capped Pink Highlights Below Target

# FY19 YTD - Reported Single Stream Expenditures as % of Annual Service Requirement



Notes: The NonUCR portion of Single Stream Earnings is based on unaudited self-report from LME/MCOs.

10/19/2018

LME expenditure of State funds will always lag at beginning of year when Federal funds are pulled down; as Federal accounts are depleted, rate of State earnings increase.