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NC Collaborative for Children, Youth and Families

DATE: March 19, 2021

Date and Time	Committee	Location
		Legislative Office Building (LOB) Legislative Building (LB) Audio link: https://www.ncleg.gov/Audio
March 23, 8:30 a.m.	Joint HHS Appropriations	421 LOB, livestream
March 23, 9:00 a.m.	House Rules (H. 183 on agenda)	1228/1327 LB, livestream
March 23, 11:00 am	Senate Judiciary (S. 207, S. 301 on agenda)	544 LOB, livestream
March 23, 1:00 pm	House Education K-12 (H. 32 and H. 205 on the agenda)	643 LOB, livestream

Medicaid Managed Care Open Enrollment Begins:

On Monday, March 15th, open enrollment began for the Standard Plan under Medicaid Transformation. The open enrollment period will continue until May 14th. After that time, Medicaid beneficiaries in the Standard Plan will be auto-assigned to Prepaid Health Plans and primary care practices. By this time, Medicaid beneficiaries under the Standard Plan should have received a notice that they qualify for the Standard Plan. Those individuals can seek assistance from the Enrollment Broker at ncmedicaidplans.gov. The website is available in English and in Spanish. Individuals can chat with an Enrollment Broker on that website or download the app as "NC Medicaid Managed Care". [Beneficiary outreach materials](#) are available on the NC DHHS Medicaid Transformation county playbook webpage.

Resources:

NC Health News [article](#) on American Rescue Plan incentives to expand Medicaid

Bills on the Move:

[H. 91](#), Reduce Regulation to Help Children with Autism, passed House and referred to Senate Rules.

[H. 205](#), Abuse & Neglect Resources in Public Schools, reported favorably by Committee on Family, Children and Aging Policy and re-referred to Education K-12.

[S. 90](#), Social Services Reform/Inter-County Collaboration/Child Well-Being Transformation Council Rec, reported favorably by Senate Health Care and re-referred to Senate Appropriations.

[S. 103](#), Reduce Regulation to Help Children with Autism, passed Senate and referred to House Rules.

Other Bills:

[H. 29](#), Verification of Immigration Status: SAVE

[H. 32](#), Equity Opportunity Act

[H. 42](#), 2020 COVID Relief Bill Modifications

[H. 82](#), Summer Learning Choice for NC Families

[H. 132](#), Juvenile Code Rev's/CIP Recommendations—AB (Agency Bill)

[H. 149](#), Improving Access to Care through Telehealth

[H. 173](#), Separate Divisions, Juvenile Justice and Adult Corrections—AB (Agency Bill)

[H. 183](#), Juvenile Court Counselors/Sensitivity Training—AB (Agency Bill)

[H. 192](#), COVID Response, Supplemental Spending 2020-2021

[H. 212](#), Social Services Reform

[H. 215](#), Early Childhood Data Analytics/Pilot/Guilford

[H. 232](#), LRC Study – Affordable Housing

[H. 249](#), Children with Disabilities Funding Formula

[H. 252/S. 207](#), Various Raise the Age Changes/JJAC Recs.

[H. 260](#), Raise Min. Age/Juvenile Jurisdiction

[H. 262](#), Smart Start Funds

[H. 274](#), 2021 Current Operations Appropriations Act

[H. 277/S. 249](#), The SAVE Act

[H. 298](#), 2021 Current Operations Appropriations Act

[H. 300](#), 2021 Pandemic Recovery Appropriations Act

[H. 305](#), 2021 Omnibus Coronavirus Relief Act

[H. 313](#), 2021 Pandemic Recovery Appropriations Act

[H. 314](#), 2021 Omnibus Coronavirus Relief Act

[H. 325](#), 2021 Omnibus Coronavirus Relief Act

[S. 37](#), In-Person Learning Choice for Families, ratified, vetoed by Governor on 2/26

[S. 61](#), Dental Services/Medicaid Transformation

[S. 78](#), A Safe Return for In-Person Learning

[S. 86](#), Medicaid Recs/School-Based Health and InCK evaluation/ Child Well-Being Transformation Council Rec

[S. 88](#), NC FAST Child Welfare Case Mgmt./PED Study

[S. 89](#), Regional Supervision/Child Well-Being Transformation Council Rec

[S. 93](#), Assisting NC Families in Crisis

[S. 105](#), 2021 Appropriations Act

[S. 106](#), 2021 Appropriations Act

[S. 107](#), 2021 Appropriations Act

[S. 154](#), Fully Funded School Social Works and Psychologists

[S. 207/H. 252](#), Various Raise the Age Changes/JJAC Recs.
[S. 301](#), Expand Expunction Eligibility

Bills Signed into Law:

[SL 2021-1](#): COVID Relief Bill Modifications

[SL 2021-3](#): 2021 COVID-19 Response and Relief

[SL 2021-4](#): The Reopen the Schools Act of 2021