**DHHS Vision Statement**

All North Carolinians will enjoy optimal health and well-being.

**DHHS Mission Statement**

The North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, in collaboration with its partners, protects the health and safety of all North Carolinians and provides essential human services.

**DHHS Values**

When all DHHS employees adhere to the following values, all North Carolinians will view DHHS as the best managed agency in state government:

- **Customer-focused.** North Carolinians are the center of our service design and delivery, and allocation of human and fiscal resources.

- **Anticipatory.** DHHS uses feedback from our customers and partners on all levels – national, state and local – to guide our thinking, planning, policies and practices.

- **Collaborative.** DHHS values internal and external partnerships.

- **Transparent.** DHHS shares information, planning and decision-making processes and communicates openly with its customers and partners.

- **Results-oriented.** DHHS emphasizes accountability and measures its work by the highest standards.