

	Areas of Focus	DHHS and Partner Website Links	Purpose of Partnership	NC/DHS Division	Assigned Lead	Contact Information	Frequency of Meeting
North Carolina Association of County Commissions	County Operations; Medicaid Expansion	https://www.nccacs.org/	NCACC provides information to and consults Division of Social Services	Division of Social Services	Susan Osborne	susan.osborne@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
North Carolina Division of Social Services (NCCS)	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdcss.org/	The goal of changes to the Child Welfare Unified DHS meets with this youth driven advocacy	Division of Social Services	Lisa Coulam Shirley Williams	lisacoulam@dhs.nc.gov shirley.williams@dhs.nc.gov	Biweekly Monthly
Strong Able Youth Speaking Out (SaySo)	Youth Engagement/ Advocacy and Behavioral Health and Resilience	https://sayso.org/					
North Carolina Association of County Deputies	County Operations	https://www.ncacds.org/	NCACDS - NC Association of County Deputies Provides information to and consults with DH	Division of Social Services	Susan Osborne	susan.osborne@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Youth Villages' Lifeset Program	Independent Living Skills & Behavioral Health	https://youthvillages.org/services/lifeset/	YOUTH Villages Lifeset Program DHS collaborates with Youth Villages' on	Division of Social Services	Shirley Williams Madhu Valmiki	shirley.williams@dhs.nc.gov madhu.valmiki@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians	Child and Family Well-Being of EBCI members	https://ebci.com/	Eastern Band of Cherokee - Official Government Web Collaborative partnership with NC/DHS on	Division of Child and Family Y	Cynthia Enns	cynthia.enns@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Interagency Coordinating Council	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/north-ca	Advises and assists the lead agency, the Davis Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Brian Desse	brian.desse@dhs.nc.gov	N/A
NC Home Visiting Consortium	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/home-visiting-consortium	The NC Home Visiting Consortium is a network Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Greer Cook	greer.cook@dhs.nc.gov	N/A
Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI)	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/ehdi/	The purpose of the EHDI Advisory Committee Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Jason Guntgenman	jason.guntgenman@dhs.nc.gov	N/A
NC Food and Nutrition Services Advocates	Child and Family Well-Being - FNS	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/fns/	Provides information to and consults with NC Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Cynthia Enns	cynthia.enns@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
DSS Directors Association (includes directors y	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncacds.org/	Provides information to and consults with NC Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Cynthia Enns	cynthia.enns@dhs.nc.gov	Bi-Monthly
The Special Supplemental Nutrition Program fo	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/govciv/ncwic/	A forum dedicated to offering local NC WIC Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Sherry Ebner	sherry.ebner@dhs.nc.gov	Bi-Monthly
							Monthly web/ping statewide call; Weekly Office Hours; Workshop; Individual TA for
NC System of Care (NC SOC)	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/whole-of-the-nc-soc	The NC SOC team provides technical assista Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Haley Bayne	haley.bayne@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
The North Carolina State Collaborative for Ch	Child and Family Well-Being, Behavioral Health	https://nccollaborative.org/community-collaboratives/	Community Co The North Carolina State Collaborative for Ch Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Haley Bayne	haley.bayne@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Whole Child Health Advisory Committee	Child and Family Well-Being, Behavioral Health	Not Available	State agencies and partners coordinate so th Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Anne Oduyana	anne.oduyana@dhs.nc.gov	Bi-monthly
Child Care Health Consultants	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/whole-of-the-nc-soc	The purpose of the EHDI Advisory Committee Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Katie Forster	katie.forster@dhs.nc.gov	N/A
NC Child Care Commission	Child Care Rulemaking	https://nccchildcare.ncdhs.gov/Home/Child-Care-Commission	NC Child Care Commission is responsible Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Julie Peck	julie.peck@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Positive Parenting Program (Triple P) NC Learn	Child and Family Well-Being, Social Services, Juvenile Justice	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/whole-of-the-nc-soc	Consists of a variety of internal and external Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Ashley Bowen	ashley.bowen@dhs.nc.gov	N/A
Children's Complex Care Coalition	Children with complex medical needs	Not Available	To improve systems of care for children with Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Geri Mattson	geri.mattson@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Governor's Commission on Children with S	Children and youth with special health care needs	https://hhs.nc.gov/nc-board/details/ncdss/cscn-c50e-b81-8123-14	The partnership allows for bidirectional comm Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Geri Mattson	geri.mattson@dhs.nc.gov	N/A
NC Pediatric Society	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncpeds.org/default.asp	The NC Pediatric Society Homepage The Center for Safer Schools Task Force was	Division of Child and Family Y	Geri Mattson	geri.mattson@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Task Force for Safer Schools	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts-schools/district-operations-and-center-sa	The purpose of UNCG/CYCP is to educate, a Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	OJ Morris	oj.morris@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
University of North Carolina Greensboro (UNCG)	Program Support through multiple contracts	https://ncpnc.uncc.edu/our-programs/	UNCG provides information to and consults Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Sarah Bevers-Hoast	sarah.bevers-host@dhs.nc.gov	Weekly
UNC Chapel Hill School of Social Work Behav	Child Behavioral Health, Rapid Response Team, Children with Comp	https://bhs.unc.edu/	Behavioral Health Springwood's long standi Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Sarah Bevers-Hoast	sarah.bevers-host@dhs.nc.gov	Weekly
Duke University N Psychiatry Access Line (NCI)	Program Support through multiple contracts with DHSS	https://ncncp.org/ncncp-cal/	NC PAL provides mental health consultation Division of Child and Family Y	Division of Child and Family Y	Stacie Forest	stacie.forest@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly/Quarterly
Yay Babies	Early Childhood - Homelessness	Not Available	LME-MCOs also employ family partners, who Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Laura Hewitt	laura.hewitt@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Think Babies NC Alliance	Early Childhood - Infants & Toddlers	https://nccar.org/education-policy/or/think-babies-nc/	Think Babies Policy recommendations for infants and Todd Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Ariel Ford - CDC/EE C	arielford@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Association of Developmental Day Director	Early Childhood - Early Intervention	Not Available	Child care rulemaking and policy recommend Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Nicole Boone	nicole.boone@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Early Well Initiative	Early Childhood - Social and Emotional Health	https://nccchild.org/intro-earlywell/	Policy recommendations around the social-e Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Julie Peck	julie.peck@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Integrating Healthy Opportunities for (IHOPe)	Early Childhood - Physical Health and Disability	https://www.natstarnonemorenc.com/hope/	Child care rulemaking and policy recommend Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Kimberly Healdy	kimberly.healdy@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Division of Social Services (DSS)	Early Childhood - Early Intervention	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/ehdi/	Child care rulemaking and policy recommend Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Jessica News	jessica.news@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Subsidy Advisory Committee	Early Childhood - Child Care Subsidy	https://www.nccchildcare.ncdhs.gov/Home/Child-Care-Commission	Policy recommendations for the Child Care Division of Child Development	Division of Child Development	Elizabeth Hayes	elizabeth.hayes@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Social Security Administration/Atlanta Regiona	Child and Family Well-Being	Not Available	Weekly we meet to identify strengths and opp Division of Disability Determin	Division of Disability Determin	Karen Russell	karen.russell@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
North Carolina Division of Health Benefits (DH	Child and Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/whole-of-the-nc-soc	Weekly we meet to identify strengths and oq Division of Disability Determin	Division of Disability Determin	Geneva Johnson	geneva.johnson@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
State Consumer and Family Advisory Committ	(people with lived experience)	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/mental-health-developmental-disab	The State Consumer and Family Advisory Con Division of Mental Health, De	Division of Mental Health, De	Badia Henderson	badia.henderson@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Providers/Provider Associations	Behavioral Health	https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=3f2e1c5m3f5v	This is a collaborative meeting where DHMDV Division of Mental Health, De	Division of Mental Health, De	Charles Rousseau	charles.rousseau@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Brain Injury Advisory Council (BIAC)	Behavioral Health	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/mental-health-developmental-disab	The BIAC promotes interagency coordination, Division of Mental Health, De	Division of Mental Health, De	Badia Henderson	badia.henderson@dhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
North Carolina Healthcare Association (NCHA)	Behavioral Health	https://www.nccha.org/	This is a collaborative meeting where DHMDV Division of Health Benefits	Division of Health Benefits	Charles Rousseau	charles.rousseau@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Local Management Entity/Managed Care Orga	Behavioral Health	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/mental-health-developmental-disab	This is a collaborative meeting where DHMDV Division of Health Benefits	Division of Health Benefits	Charles Rousseau	charles.rousseau@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Local Management Entity/Managed Care Orga	Behavioral Health	https://www.ncdhs.gov/divisions/mental-health-developmental-disab	This is a collaborative meeting where DHMDV Division of Health Benefits	Division of Health Benefits	Charles Rousseau	charles.rousseau@dhs.nc.gov	Monthly

			<p>CCM is a workgroup whose mission is to foster meaningful partnerships and drive collaborative solutions that improve access to care and address drivers of health.</p> <p>Through education, community and partner engagement, and policy discussions, we strive to empower communities, eliminate health disparities and ensure Medicaid beneficiaries receive comprehensive, person-centered support.</p>	Shadonna Headen			
Connecting Communities and Medicaid (CCM) NC Medicaid Community Stakeholder Workgroup		https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/meetings/committees-and-workgroups	Division of Health Benefits (N)	Monica Johnson	mailto:Medicaid.NC@nc.gov	N/A	
Medical Ambassador Initiative	NC Medicaid Community Stakeholder Workgroup	https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/meetings/committees-and-workgroups	<p>The NC Medicaid Ambassador Initiative is a community service through which trained volunteers, known as ambassadors, help people apply for NC Medicaid using ePASS.nc.gov and HealthCare.gov. The goal is to make sure everyone can get the health coverage they need. Ambassadors give clear information and trusted help to build healthier communities across North Carolina.</p>	Division of Health Benefits (N)	Monica Johnson Stacie Turpin Saunders / Yvonne Copeland	mailto:monica.f.johnson@nc.gov	N/A
NC Association of Local Health Directors (NCA) Public/Population Health, Child and Family Well-Being		https://www.ncalhd.org/ Home Page NCA LHD	DHHS collaborates with local health departm	Division of Public Health, Divi		mailto:Stacie.Turpin@nc.gov	Monthly Annual, but workgroups
NC State Health Improvement Plan (NCSHIP) C Public/Population Health		https://schs.dph.ncdhhs.gov/units/fdas/hsc.htm	NC SCHS: Local Data	Division of Public Health	Ashley Rink	mailto:Ashley.Rink@dshhs.nc.gov	meet more frequently
NC Nurses Association (NCNA) Other		https://www.ncnurses.org/ Home - North Carolina Nurses Association	DPH consults with the NCNA a leading profes	Division of Public Health	Susan Little	mailto:Susan.Little@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC Perinatal Health Equity Collective	Child and Family Well-Being	https://wlcwv.dph.ncdhhs.gov/phsp/psn-team.asp	DHHS: DPH: WCV DPH brings together more than 100 stakehold	Division of Public Health	Berinda Pettiford	mailto:Berinda.Pettiford@dshhs.nc.gov	Bi-Monthly
HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care Advisory Commi	Other	https://epi.dph.ncdhhs.gov/cd/sda/programs/hpac.htm	The purpose of the HIV/STD Prevention and C	Division of Public Health	Pete Moore	mailto:Pete.Moore@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
Tuberculosis (TB) Medical Advisory Committee	Other	https://epi.dph.ncdhhs.gov/cd/tb/partners.htm	NC DPH: Partners in H	Division of Public Health	Jason Stout, MD	mailto:Jason.Stout@duke.edu	N/A
Healthcare Associated Infections (HAI) Program	Other	https://epi.dph.ncdhhs.gov/cd/hai/prevention/psn.htm	NC DPH: Stan	Division of Public Health	Megan Davies	mailto:Megan.Davies@dshhs.nc.gov	Semi-Annually
Newborn Screening Advisory Committee	Other	Not Available	The NC Newborn Screening Advisory Committ	Division of Public Health	Kimberly Blake, MPH	mailto:Kimberly.Blake@dshhs.nc.gov	N/A
Food Safety Advisory Committee (FSAC)	Other	Not Available	Food Safety Advisory Committee (FSAC), serv	Division of Public Health	Shane Smith	mailto:Shane.Smith@dshhs.nc.gov	N/A
NC Environmental Public Health Tracking Progra	Health Equity	https://epi.dph.ncdhhs.gov/eece/programs/EnvPubHealthTracking.htm	This group aims to empower communities by	Division of Public Health	Amiah Keys	mailto:Amiah.Keys@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
North Carolina Public Health Association (NCP	Public Health	https://ncphsa.com/	To strengthen public health across the state,	Division of Public Health	Emi Fry Soone	mailto:Emi.FrySoone@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Commission for the Blind	Stakeholder Input	https://nc.governor.nc.gov/BoardDetails/0c2b550e-c50e-e811-8123-14	The Commission serves in an advisory capaci	Division of Services for the Bi	Patricia Sikes	mailto:patricia.sikes@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
North Carolina Council of the Blind	Stakeholder Input	https://ncbbinfo.org/ Home - NCCB (ncbbinfo.org)	DSB partners with The North Carolina Council	Division of Services for the Bi	Patricia Sikes	mailto:patricia.sikes@dshhs.nc.gov	Annually
National Federation of the Blind of North Carol	Stakeholder Input	https://www.nfbnorthcarolina.org/	DSB collaborates with the National Federatio	Division of Services for the Bi	Patricia Sikes	mailto:patricia.sikes@dshhs.nc.gov	Annually
Making It Visible (MIV)	Assistive Technology Instruction, training, and consulting for Blind	Not Available	Making It Visible (MIV) strives to make the env	Division of Services for the Bi	Sandi Owens	mailto:makingitvisible@nc.gov	N/A
State Rehabilitation Council Meetings & Public	Strong & Inclusive Workforce	https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/vocational-rehabilitation-services/co	The NC State Rehabilitation Council (SRC) we	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Kathie Smith	mailto:Kathie.Smith@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly/As Needed
North Carolina Assistive Technology Program (I	Strong & Inclusive Workforce	https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/vocational-rehabilitation-services/co	NCATP leads North Carolina's efforts to carry	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Patricia Aaron	mailto:patricia.aaron@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NC AgAbility Partnership/Leadership Commits	Strong & Inclusive Workforce	https://ncagability.org/ NC Ag Ability - Agricultural Resources for	NC AgAbility assists farmers or farmworkers	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Patricia Aaron	mailto:patricia.aaron@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Statewide No Wrong Door Project	Supporting Child & Family Well-being	https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/documents/providers/programs-services/	North Carolina's leading long-term service	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Patricia Aaron	mailto:patricia.aaron@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Dept of Public Instruction Accessible Educatio	Strong & Inclusive Workforce	https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts-schools/classroom-resources/exceptio	Accessible Educational Materials was previo	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Patricia Aaron	mailto:patricia.aaron@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
NC Council for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	Strong & Inclusive Workforce	https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/services-deaf-and-hard-hearing/nc-c	The North Carolina Council for the Deaf and t	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Laura Robison	mailto:patricia.aaron@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
All Ages/All Stages Aging State Plan	Supporting Family Well-Being	https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/nc-nca	All Ages, All Stages NC: A Roadmap for Aging	Division of Vocational Rehabi	Patricia Aaron	mailto:patricia.aaron@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Local Health Department Public Information O	Public Health	Not Available	Monthly meeting with Local Health Departme	Office of Communications	Heather Strickland	mailto:heather.strickland@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
NC Minority Health Providers	Health Equity, Community and Partner Engagement, Social Drivers o	Not Available	Engage minority providers as a valued partner	Health Equity Portfolio	Michael Leach	mailto:Michael.A.Leach@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Primary Care Advisory Committee (NCCHCA, U Health Equity		Not Available	<p>The Primary Care Advisory Committee develops an objective and equitable process for grading applications for grants funded under the Community Health Grant Program and development of a standardized method for grant recipients to report objectives and measurable quality health outcomes.</p> <p>NCAFCFC is a nonprofit organization comprised of 70 member clinics serving patients in 87 of North Carolina's 100 counties. These clinics are part of a network that is providing quality care and improving the health and well-being of the uninsured and underinsured in North Carolina.</p> <p>NCAFCFC is a member of the Community Health Grant legislative safety net group as directed in legislation</p>	Office of Rural Health	Maggie Sauer	mailto:Maggie.Sauer@dshhs.nc.gov	Regular Meetings
North Carolina Association of Free & Charitable Health Equity	Health Equity	https://ncafcfc.org/	NCAFCFC is a member of the Community Health Grant legislative safety net group as directed in legislation	Office of Rural Health	Nicole Fields Pierre	mailto:nicole.fields-pierre@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Farmworker Health Program/Co-Governance & Policy		https://www.ncdhhs.gov/institutes/nc-nca	The Farmworker Health Program/Co-Governa	Office of Rural Health	Elizabeth Freeman	mailto:Elizabeth.Freeman@nc.gov	N/A
Farmworker Advocacy Network	Farmworker Health	https://hcfan.org/	Statewide network of organizations that work to improve living and working conditions of farmworkers and poultry workers in North Carolina. Since 2003, our full members have brought workers' voices to the legislative process. In the past, we have identified and led campaigns to improve housing conditions, pesticide safety and wages. FAN's members, as they are able, work together to:	Office of Rural Health	Elizabeth Freeman	mailto:Elizabeth.Freeman@nc.gov	Monthly (during growing season); otherwise quarterly
Department of Information Technology - Digital	Digital equity for patients to access care through telehealth, telehea	https://www.ncbroadband.gov/	To increase support to NC communities re: br	Office of Rural Health	Eric Bell	mailto:eric.bell@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
NCHA, UNC Sheps Center, Evergreen Associat	Access to rural health, critical access hospitals and rural health clin	https://www.shepscenter.unc.edu/programs/projects/rural-health/	NC To develop programs to support the fiscal hee	Office of Rural Health	Nick Galvez	mailto:nick.galvez@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly
Community Health Worker (CHW) Partner Grou	Discuss CHW issues and opportunities across the state; currently fu	https://nchcwa.org/ Home - NCCHWA - North Carolina Community Hea	To support CHWs statewide, review national,	Office of Rural Health	Monika Midgett	mailto:monika.midgett@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
CHW Association	Community Health Worker support and certification	https://nchcwa.org/	To support CHWs as integral healthcare wor	Office of Rural Health	Honey Estrada	mailto:HoneyEstrada@nchcwa.org	Monthly Contractor
NC Rural Health Association	Rural Health	https://www.ruralhealthnc.org/	<p>NCCHCA is the HRSA funded state Primary Care Association (PCA) and Health Center Controlled Network (HCCN). FQHCs receive federal assistance for sliding fee discounts to assure no one is denied access to care.</p> <p>NCCHCA represents FQHCs to state and federal officials and provides training and technical assistance on clinical, operational, financial, administrative, and governance issues. All FQHCs and FQHC Look Alikes in North Carolina are members of the North Carolina Community Health Center Association (NCCHCA).</p> <p>NCCHCA is a safety net organization, one of several ORH partners with to ensure access to care. NCCHCA is a partner on the CDC funded Community Health Worker Program. Four of the OHC sites are pilots for the inclusion of CHWs in their whole person health models. NCCHCA is also a member of the Community Health Grant legislative safety net group as directed in legislation. Invested in Supporting Rural Health</p> <p>NCRHA is a collaborative network of associations, organizations, and individuals representing healthcare, education, economic development, local government, and a variety of other stakeholders invested in supporting rural health. The organization and its membership are committed to amplifying the voice of North Carolina's rural communities, helping foster a movement to improve the health and well-being of all citizens.</p> <p>As a State Office of Rural Health, our role is to provide updates to state, local and federal resources. The Association helps disseminate this information, advocate and raise awareness at the federal and state level. ORH educates, NCRHA advocates.</p>	Office of Rural Health	Maggie Sauer	mailto:maggie.sauer@dshhs.nc.gov	Quarterly
North Carolina Community Health Clinic Assoc	Access to Care	https://www.ncchca.org/about-us/	North Carolina Community Health	Office of Rural Health	Nicole Fields Pierre	mailto:nicole.fields-pierre@dshhs.nc.gov	Monthly

				The NC Rural Center's mission is to develop, promote, and implement sound economic strategies to improve the quality of life of rural North Carolinians. We serve the state's 78 rural counties, with a special focus on individuals with low to moderate incomes and communities with limited resources. Through this partnership, ORH has the ability to connect to local economic strategies affecting health, including housing, jobs, broadband, leadership development, rural coalition building.	Office of Rural Health	Patricia Woodie	Monthly
Rural Center	Rural Health / Community Engagement	NC		The 15-member Council (consisting of legislators, community leaders, and health and human services professionals from across the state) has the following duties and responsibilities in service of racial/ethnic minority communities:			
				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Advise and make recommendations to the Governor and Secretary of Health and Human Services - Identify limitations associated with existing laws, regulations, programs, and services - Examine the financing of and access to health services - Identify and review health promotion and disease prevention strategies - Support policies and legislation to improve accessibility and delivery of health services. 			
Minority Health Advisory Council	Health Equity, Policy, Community and Partner Engagements, Social Drivers of Health, Cultural Competency, Communication Equity, Populations and Communities Historically Marginalized (HMPs), Rural Health Needs, Community and Clinical Linkages	NC		This is a statewide program and network that consists of local health departments and community-based groups working together to reduce diabetes incidence and mortality across North Carolina. This program and partners work to meet the needs of individuals, families and communities related to Diabetes prevention, management and healthy living. It also serves to meet communities where they are with unique needs (i.e., racial/ethnic groups, LGBTQIA+, persons with disabilities etc.) MDPP is composed of three main components: 1. Community screenings for prediabetes and region-specific targeted marketing campaigns in minority communities promoting prediabetes and diabetes awareness. 2. 12-month NC MDPP Lifestyle Class Series in minority communities. 3. Community conversations to minority communities across North Carolina.	Office of Health Equity	Portia Pope	Quarterly
NC Minority Diabetes Prevention Program (MDPP)	Chronic Disease/Diabetes, Health Equity, Social Drivers of Health, Healthy Living, Chronic Kidney Disease, Populations Historically Marginalized (HMPs), Community and Partner Engagement, Rural Health Needs, Community and Clinical Linkages	NC			Office of Health Equity	Portia Pope; Demita	Monthly
HMP Connections Network	Health Equity, Social Drivers of Health, Populations Historically Marginalized (HMPs), Community and Partner Engagement, Medicaid Expansion, Rural Health Disparity Needs, Community and Clinical Linkages, Cultural Competency, Communication Equity, COVID-19, RSV, MPOX, Chronic Disease, behavioral health, children and families, violence and injury prevention, and much more.	Office of Health		This is a statewide Network that focuses on w	Office of Health Equity	Portia Pope	Monthly
AMEXCAN's NC Community Latino Task Force	Health Equity, Culture, Education, Leadership, Health, Advocacy, community and partner engagement	Latino Health Task Force		The purpose of the task force is to lift up the voice of the community, and advocate across different sectors in North Carolina. The taskforce has three goals: 1) To be a multidisciplinary task force focused on Latino and marginalized issues. 2) To intensively collaborate with local community partners, community members, and federal and state representatives to educate the communities on resources and any up-to-date news. 3) To engage in our respective role as leaders and have consistency in our work.	Office of Health Equity	Carolina SlicesPere	Monthly
NC Counts Coalition and Healthier Together/COVID-19, RSV, MPOX, Chronic Disease, behavioral health, children and Resilience, MpoX, Digital Equity, Census	Health Equity, Social Determinants of Health, Populations and Communities Historically Marginalized (HMPs), Community Partner Engagement, Rural Health Disparity Needs, Community and Clinical Linkages, COVID-19, RSV, Food Deserts, Behavioral Health, COVID Response	Healthier Together		NC Counts Coalition and their Healthier Together	Office of Health Equity	Portia Pope	Monthly
Governor's Advisory Council on Hispanic and Latin-19	Health Equity.	By Executive Order No. 235, The Advisory Cou		Office of Health Equity	Office of Health Equity	Carolina SlicesPere	Quarterly council meetings and monthly subcommittee meetings Weekly, Wednesday
Hispanic Taskforce (Forsyth County) Health Equity Interfaith Network	Health Equity, COVID-19 Health Disparities, Social Drivers of Health, Populations Historically	Not Available Not Available		The Hispanic Task Force of Piedmont serves every family in the community, but especially focuses on ensuring that Hispanic families have access to healthcare related resources. Their members represent many organizations throughout the Forsyth County/Western-Salem area in the Health and Human Services sector as well as Hispanic community groups.	Office of Health Equity	Carolina SlicesPere	Monthly
				The Health Equity Interfaith group is a statewide diverse group of stakeholders from the disability community, including individuals with lived experience and their families; service providers; managers of provider networks (e.g., LME/MCOs); professional associations; policymaking leaders within the NCDHHS; and state legislators). This group provides input and feedback regarding progress in implementing the Olmstead Plan and future revisions.	Office of Health Equity	Portia Pope	Quarterly
Olmstead Plan Stakeholder Advisory (OPSA) Gr Olmstead Plan		Olmstead Plan			Office on Olmstead/Transition	Deb Goda	Monthly, ad hoc, annual conference.
NC Division of Purchase & Contract (P&C)	Non-IT Procurement & NC eProcurement (NCEP) System Support	NC Department of		State authority for non-IT procurement.	Office of Procurement, Contracts	Jennifer Clifton	Monthly, ad hoc, annual conference.
Statewide IT Procurement Office (SITP)	IT Procurement Support	NC Statewide IT		State authority for IT procurement.	OPCG	Jennifer Clifton	Monthly, ad hoc, annual conference.
University of North Carolina (UNC) System	Program support through numerous contracts.	UNC system & constituent universities provide		Enhance business relationships with HUB ver	OPCG	Ken Dahlin	Ad hoc
NC Office of Historically Underutilized Business	HUB policy guidance, training, and reporting.	Professional development, certifications, and cooperative contracts			OPCG	Ken Dahlin	Monthly, ad hoc
National Association of State Purchasing Officers (NASPO)	Professional development, certifications, and cooperative contracts	National Association of State Procurement Officers			OPCG	Ken Dahlin	Ad hoc, annual conference.
National Grant Management Association (NGMA)	Professional development and certifications.	National Grants Management Association			OPCG	Kathryn Caler	Ad hoc
Office of the State Controller (OSC)	Accounting and NC Financial System (NCFIS) Support	NC Office of the State Controller			OPCG, Controller	Darisa Bryant	Ad hoc
Office of State Budget and Management (OSBM)	Budget policy and guidance.	OSBM		Provide budget policy and training. Directed by	OPCG, Budget & Analysis	Kathryn Caler	Ad hoc