STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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SECRETARY

March 18, 2019

SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Honorable Josh Dobson, Chair
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on
Health and Human Services
North Carolina General Assembly
Room 307B, Legislative Office Building
Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

The Honorable Joyce Krawiec, Chair
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on
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North Carolina General Assembly
Room 308, Legislative Office Building
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The Honorable Donny Lambeth, Chair
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on
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North Carolina General Assembly
Room 303, Legislative Office Building
Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

Dear Chairman:

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

Sincerely,

Mandy Cohen, MD, MPH
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Fiscal Research Division
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FY19 Expenditures of Single Stream Funds by LME/MCO
Report Month: March 2019, Reported Expenditures Through: January 2019

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

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<th>Reported SS Earnings ($)</th>
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<td>Alliance</td>
<td>$27,227,581</td>
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<td>Cardinal</td>
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<td>Eastpointe</td>
<td>$12,263,924</td>
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<td>Partners</td>
<td>$18,894,776</td>
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<td>$28,592,683</td>
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<td>Sandhills</td>
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<td>$13,376,954</td>
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<td>Yax (Smoky)</td>
<td>$27,522,075</td>
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<td>$41,883,208</td>
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<td>Trillium</td>
<td>$17,182,965</td>
<td>$50,633,839</td>
<td>$39,000,613</td>
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<td>Statewide</td>
<td>$168,324,551</td>
<td>$205,207,941</td>
<td>$265,018,761</td>
<td>82%</td>
<td>63.5%</td>
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* Single Stream earnings may exceed allocation, but payments are capped.

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

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

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