

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**SENATE BILL 838\***

Short Title: Medicaid Transformation Reporting. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Hise (Primary Sponsor); Cook, Pate, and Sanderson.

Referred to: Health Care

May 11, 2016

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE FURTHER REPORTING FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
2 AND HUMAN SERVICES RELATED TO TRANSFORMATION OF THE MEDICAID  
3 AND NC HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAMS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT  
4 LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON MEDICAID AND NC HEALTH CHOICE.  
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** No later than October 1, 2016, the Department of Health and Human  
8 Services shall submit a report to the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Medicaid and NC  
9 Health Choice and the Fiscal Research Division containing the following items:

- 10 (1) The status of the 1115 waiver submission to the Centers for Medicare and  
11 Medicaid Services (CMS), as well as any other submissions to CMS related to  
12 the transition of Medicaid and NC Health Choice from fee for service to  
13 capitation. The report shall specifically address the timeliness of the submission  
14 or submissions to CMS, responses received from CMS, and strategies necessary  
15 to ensure approval of a waiver for Medicaid transformation.
- 16 (2) A detailed Work Plan for the implementation of the transformation of Medicaid  
17 and NC Health Choice programs. The Work Plan shall provide sufficient detail  
18 to allow the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Medicaid and NC Health  
19 Choice to monitor progress and identify challenges and impediments to the  
20 implementation of the transformation of Medicaid and NC Health Choice  
21 programs. The detailed Work Plan shall identify key milestones, tasks, and  
22 events necessary to the transition of the programs. For each milestone, task, and  
23 event, the Work Plan shall specify the expected completion dates and identify  
24 the individual who is assigned responsibility for accomplishing or ensuring the  
25 accomplishment of the milestone, task, or event.
- 26 (3) A sufficiently detailed description of any developments or changes during the  
27 planning process to enable the General Assembly to address any barriers to  
28 successful implementation of the Medicaid and NC Health Choice  
29 transformation.

30 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

