

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 944

Short Title: Fund Community Health Svcs/Mecklenburg County. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Carney, Cotham, and Lofton (Primary Sponsors).
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Referred to: Appropriations, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

April 14, 2025

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES, DIVISION OF CENTRAL MANAGEMENT AND SUPPORT, OFFICE OF
RURAL HEALTH, TO PROVIDE COMMUNITY HEALTH GRANT SUPPORT TO
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Central Management and Support, Office of Rural Health, the sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2025-2026 fiscal year to be allocated as a directed grant to support the operations of Care Ring, Inc., a nonprofit community health clinic located in Mecklenburg County that provides primary care services to medically vulnerable residents who would otherwise be unable to receive needed primary care services due to geographic, economic, or other barriers.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2025.



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