



Board of Commissioners

Health & Human Services Committee Agenda

Monday, March 2, 2026 – 1:00 PM
Meeting Held Remotely

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: Committee Chair Cheryl Stallings

1. Approval of the Minutes of the Health & Human Services Committee on October 20, 2025

2. Child Welfare: Prevention, Protection, Permanency

Antonia Pedroza, Department of Social Services

Staff will provide commissioners a high-level overview of the child welfare issues and the County's role in serving children. Commissioners are welcome and encouraged to ask questions. This briefing is for background information and no specific guidance is requested from the committee.

Attachments:

1. Presentation

3. Community Health Improvement Plan

Rebecca Kaufman, Public Health

County public health departments are required to complete a Community Health Improvement Plan every three years. Wake County completed its updated plan in 2025, partnering with the NC Institute for Public Health. Staff will review the plan, key strategies, and performance measures that staff will use to measure progress. This briefing is for background information and no specific guidance is requested from the committee.

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4. Opioid Program Update

Alyssa Kitlass, Behavioral Health

With settlement agreements in place with drug manufacturers and other parties, an annual funding stream is in place to support opioid programming. Staff will review the funding framework, the County's investment strategy, and highlight current programs. This briefing is for background information and no specific guidance is requested from the committee.

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