

Proposed Clarifying Language for Chapter 16 of the
North Carolina 2014 Proposed State Medical Facilities Plan

Current wording in Chapter 16 of the North Carolina 2014 State Medical Facilities Plan, page 395 (*excerpt only*):

Utilization Data:

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Staff proposes the additional clarifying language, which is shaded and in bold print:

Utilization Data:

Truven Health Analytics collected data for the period from October 2011 through September 2012 from hospital providers, and the Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill distilled the data down to the individual counties. **Where data from Truven Health Analytics was not available, utilization data were obtained from the 2013 “Mental Health/Substance Abuse Hospital License Renewal Application” and the “Substance Abuse Residential Facilities Data Collection Form” as part of the 2013 “Renewal License Application for MH/DD/SAS Facilities” submitted to the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Service Regulation.**