State Authorization: NCGS § 122C-3(12a)(b)

N. C. Department of Health and Human Services Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and Substance Abuse Services

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Brief Description of Program: The State Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) program funds are used to assist individuals with traumatic brain injury to receive the necessary support to remain in their communities. These individuals, once identified by the local authority as consumers in need of assistance, have access to program funds. Examples of what funds are used for are as follows: equipment/devices, behavioral supports, in-home supports, community supports, transportation, residential support, etc. The funds are used as a provider of last resort above and beyond what other funding sources may cover. These funds are also available when an individual is not eligible for any other funding source. Additional program needs identified may allow local authorities, other agencies and providers of service to people with traumatic brain injury to develop programs to meet specific needs. These funds are also used for funding other traumatic brain injury-related initiatives to improve the State and local service systems in identifying and increasing support and service to individuals with traumatic brain injury.

Organizations Funded:	[] Private	[] Local Government	[X] Both
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Contract exists between DMH/DD/SAS and The Brain Injury Association of NC to carry out activities and programs identified as important in improving the quality of life for individuals with traumatic brain injury. Funds are disbursed to LME/MCOs on an availability basis for specific client requests.

Source of Funds: State X

Federal