

# State of North Carolina

**ROY COOPER**  
GOVERNOR

**HEALTHCARE QUALITY WEEK**

**2020**

**BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**

**A PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, the people of North Carolina are concerned with quality, cost, access to, and safety of healthcare; and

**WHEREAS**, improved healthcare outcomes result in better quality of life and decreased healthcare costs, which ultimately benefit the people of North Carolina; and

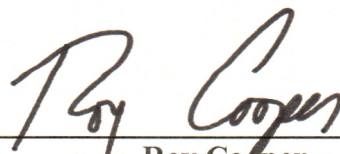
**WHEREAS**, healthcare quality professionals contribute to improved healthcare quality by providing education, monitoring processes and outcomes, analyzing data to facilitate improved systems, helping to integrate evidence-based practices, maintaining high ethical standards, and leading continual improvement initiatives in the varied healthcare organizations that serve the people of North Carolina; and

**WHEREAS**, healthcare quality professionals have been an invaluable resource for combatting the COVID-19 pandemic, lending their expertise to a field that is facing an unprecedented strain, and contributing to the saving of lives across our state and nation; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of North Carolina recognizes the importance of delivering high-quality, cost-effective, and safe healthcare to the people of our state;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 18 – 24, 2020, as “**HEALTHCARE QUALITY WEEK**” in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



  
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Roy Cooper  
Governor

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh this thirteenth day of October in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-fifth.