## OE6 North Carolina Wrapup

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#### **Topics**

Recapping open enrollment numbers

- comparing past and present
- North Carolina's status on the national stage

≻National Perspective

- $\circ$  challenges and successes
- o federal updates
- $\circ$  2019 special enrollment period outlook
- Partner Survey

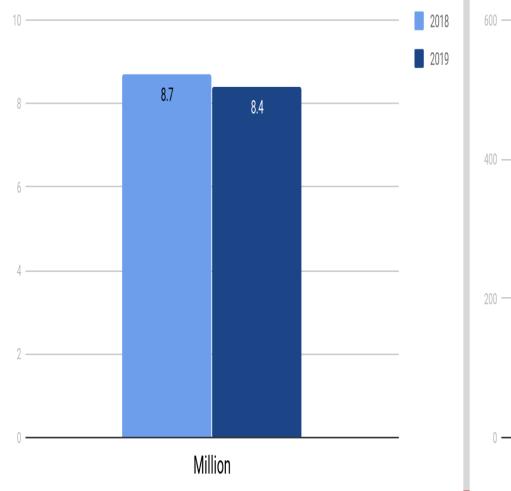


## North Carolina focus

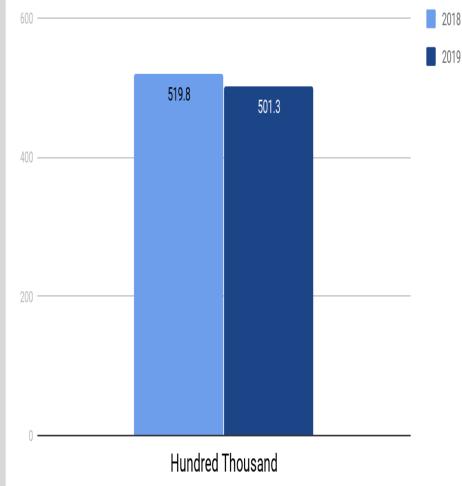


#### Success despite setbacks!

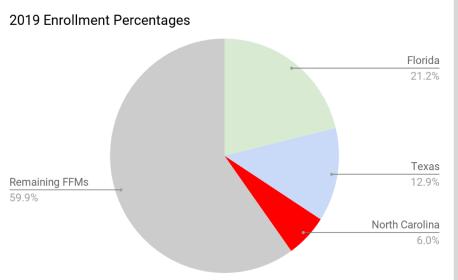
Nationwide FFM Final Enrollments



North Carolina Final Enrollments

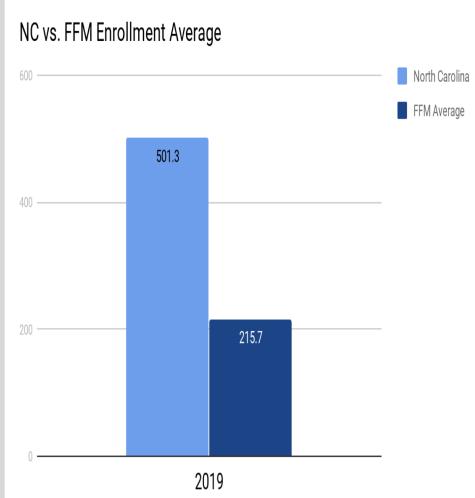


### Tale of the numbers



## North Carolina ranked 3rd in enrollment among FFM states!!

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## The national perspective



#### Notable challenges

- Cuts to navigator funding programs
  - states were forced to stretch resources, and many invested bulk of funding into OEP months which could create gaps during the upcoming SEP months
- Consumer confusion
  - Repeal & replace, court proceedings, and cuts to marketing/outreach funds left many consumers unaware of OEP, deadlines, and whether ACA even still existed
- Overall drop in ACA support from federal level



#### Factors contributing to success

- Coalition resource sharing
  - unified messaging
  - shareable graphics for digital/social media outreach
  - textbanking
- Experienced assisters
  - navigator organizations have stayed in the program
  - those that have dropped out contributed in other ways -volunteering, CACs, public education efforts, etc.
- Returning consumers
  - many had good experiences in the past & appreciate having coverage
  - reached out to organizations that have helped them in the past



#### Federal updates for 2019

Texas v. Azar court case:

- On hold pending the end of the shutdown
- Changing players:
  - House has officially intervened
  - Maine looking to withdraw
  - Wisconsin, Colorado, Nevada, and Michigan intend to join defendants



### Efforts for the upcoming months

#### Special Enrollment Period

- Updating SEP consumer facing material
  - YI will be focusing on youth centered
  - Partners such as Community Catalyst will also be developing content
- Revamping health insurance literacy content: fact sheets, videos, social media graphics
- Creating tax reconciliation resources

#### General ACA planning

- Continue monitoring Texas v. Azar
- Coordinating efforts for next open enrollment period



#### **Reminder: OE6 Debrief Survey**



## Thank You!!!