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21 22 moves to amend the bill on page 151, lines 14 to 15, by inserting a new section between the lines to read:

"FUNDS FOR OVERDOSE MEDICATIONS

SECTION 11F.14. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, of the funds appropriated to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Services, the recurring reduction for single-stream funding for each year of the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium shall be increased by one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000); and the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) in recurring funds for each year of the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium shall be used to purchase opioid antagonists, as defined in G.S. 90-12.7, to reverse opioid-related drug overdoses as follows:

- (1) Seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) in recurring funds for each year of the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium shall be used to purchase opioid antagonists to be distributed at no charge to the North Carolina Harm Reduction Coalition to serve individuals at risk of experiencing an opioid-related drug overdose or to the friends and family members of an at-risk individual.
- Twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) in recurring funds for each year of (2) the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium shall be used to purchase opioid antagonists to be distributed at no charge to North Carolina law enforcement agencies."; and

by adjusting the appropriate totals accordingly.

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