

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control and the Alliance for a Healthier South Carolina have developed the first comprehensive health improvement plan for our state, under the name "Live Healthy South Carolina"; and

WHEREAS, this plan establishes measurable goals and objectives for five priority areas that could most positively impact the health and well-being of all South Carolinians; and

WHEREAS, this plan explicitly addresses the need for improvement actions specifically targeted to reducing and eliminating disparities in health outcomes due to race/ethnicity, education, income, and place of residence; and

WHEREAS, this plan has the potential to ensure that South Carolina will be a state where all residents have the opportunity to lead healthier lives; and

WHEREAS, a healthier South Carolina will translate into a more prosperous and productive state.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Henry McMaster, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim April 2019 as

LIVE HEALTHY SOUTH CAROLINA MONTH

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to join together to take individual and collective actions in support of this plan to improve the health and well-being of everyone in our state.



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HENRY McMASTER
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA