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	SECTION .1900 SUPPLEMENTAL RULES FOR THE LICENSURE OF THE SKILLED- INTERMEDIATE- ADULT CARE HOME BEDS IN A HOSPITAL	10A NCAC 13B .1901	SUPPLEMENTAL RULES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1902	DEFINITIONS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1903	INSPECTIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1904	PROCEDURE FOR APPEAL	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1905	ADMISSIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1906	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1907	GENERAL	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1908	FREQUENCY: METHOD AND CONTENT OF ASSESSMENT: PLANNING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1909	IMPLEMENTATION OF HEALTH PLAN	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1910	NURSING/HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1911	VACANT DIRECTOR OF NURSING POSITION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1912	NURSE STAFFING REQUIREMENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1915	ADULT CARE HOME PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1916	REHABILITATIVE NURSING AND DECUBITUS CARE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1917	MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1918	TRAINING	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1919	DENTAL CARE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1920	AVAILABILITY OF PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1921	DINING FACILITIES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .1922	ACTIVITIES AND RECREATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1923	SOCIAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1924	RESTRAINTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1925	REQUIRED SPACES	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1926	NURSING HOME PATIENT OR RESIDENT RIGHTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1927	BRAIN INJURY LONG TERM CARE PHYSICIAN SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1929	SPECIAL NURSING REQUIREMENTS FOR BRAIN INJURY LONG TERM CARE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1930	VENTILATOR DEPENDENCE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1931	PHYSICIAN SERVICES FOR VENTILATOR DEPENDENT PATIENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .1932	EMERGENCY ELECTRICAL SERVICE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .2000 – SPECIALIZED REHABILITATIVE AND HABILITATIVE SERVICES	10A NCAC 13B .2020	DEFINITIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .2033	DEEMED STATUS FOR INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITIES OR UNITS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .2100 – TRANSPARENCY IN HEALTH CARE COSTS	10A NCAC 13B .2101	DEFINITIONS	Eff. September 30, 2015	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .2102	REPORTING REQUIREMENTS	Amended Eff. January 31, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	45 CFR Part §164	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .3000 - GENERAL INFORMATION	10A NCAC 13B .3001	DEFINITIONS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	CFR Part §482	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .3100 - PROCEDURE	10A NCAC 13B .3101	GENERAL REQUIREMENTS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3102	PLAN APPROVAL	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3103	CLASSIFICATION OF MEDICAL FACILITIES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.13	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3104	LENGTH OF LICENSE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3105	STATISTICAL INFORMATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .3106	LICENSURE SURVEYS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3107	DENIAL, AMENDMENT OR REVOCATION OF LICENSE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3108	SUSPENSION OF ADMISSIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3109	PROCEDURE FOR APPEAL	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3110	ITEMIZED CHARGES	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3111	TEMPORARY CHANGE IN BED CAPACITY	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .3200 - GENERAL HOSPITAL REQUIREMENTS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3201	HOSPITAL REQUIREMENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3202	ADMISSION AND DISCHARGE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3203	DISCHARGE PLANNING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.43	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3204	TRANSFER AGREEMENT	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3205	DISCHARGE OF MINOR OR INCOMPETENT	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .3300 - PATIENT'S BILL OF RIGHTS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3301	PRINCIPLE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3302	MINIMUM PROVISIONS OF PATIENT'S BILL OF RIGHTS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.13	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3303	PROCEDURE	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.13	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .3400 - SUPPLEMENTAL RULES FOR THE LICENSURE OF CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITALS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3401	SUPPLEMENTAL RULES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §485	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3402	DEFINITIONS	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §485	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3405	DESIGNATED CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITALS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §485	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .3500 - GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3501	GOVERNING BODY	Amended Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3502	REQUIRED FACILITY BYLAWS, POLICIES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3503	FUNCTIONS	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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	<b>SECTION .3600 - MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION OF OPERATIONS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3601	CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3602	RESPONSIBILITIES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3603	PERSONNEL POLICIES AND PRACTICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3604	JOB DESCRIPTIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3605	PERSONNEL RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3606	EDUCATION PROGRAMS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3607	PERSONNEL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3608	INSURANCE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3609	AUDIT OF FINANCIAL OPERATIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .3700 - MEDICAL STAFF</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3701	GENERAL PROVISIONS	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3703	APPOINTMENT	Amended Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3704	ESTABLISHMENT AND CATEGORIES OF MEDICAL STAFF MEMBERSHIP	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3705	MEDICAL STAFF BYLAWS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3706	ORGANIZATION AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE MEDICAL STAFF	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3707	MEDICAL ORDERS	Readopted Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3708	MEDICAL STAFF RESPONSIBILITIES FOR QUALITY IMPROVEMENT REVIEW	Amended Eff. July 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .3800 - NURSING SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3801	NURSE EXECUTIVE	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3802	NURSING STAFF	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3803	NURSING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3804	PATIENT CARE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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	<b>SECTION .3900 - MEDICAL RECORD SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .3901	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3902	MANAGER	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3903	PRESERVATION OF MEDICAL RECORDS	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	Yes	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3904	PATIENT ACCESS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24 42 CFR Part §482.13	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3905	PATIENT MEDICAL RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3906	CONTENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .3907	MEDICAL RECORDS REVIEW	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4000 - OUTPATIENT SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4001	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.54	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4002	STAFFING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.54	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4003	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.54	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4004	OUTPATIENT SURGICAL AND ANESTHESIA SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.54	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4005	MEDICAL RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4100 - EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4101	EMERGENCY RESPONSE CAPABILITY REQUIRED	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.55	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4102	CLASSIFICATION OF OPTIONAL EMERGENCY SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.55	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4103	PROVISION OF EMERGENCY SERVICES	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.55	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4104	MEDICAL DIRECTOR	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.55	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4105	NURSING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4106	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.55	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4107	EMERGENCY RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4108	OBSERVATION BEDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .4109	TRANSFER	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.55 42 CFR Part §489.24	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4110	DISASTER AND MASS CASUALTY PROGRAM	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.55	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4200 - SPECIAL CARE UNITS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4201	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4202	MEDICAL STAFF	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4203	NURSING STAFF	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.11 42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4204	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4300 - MATERNAL - NEONATAL SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4301	ORGANIZATION MATERNAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4302	MEDICAL STAFF MATERNAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4303	NURSING SERVICES MATERNAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4304	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES MATERNAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4305	ORGANIZATION OF NEONATAL SERVICES	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4306	MEDICAL STAFF OF NEONATAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.22	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4307	NURSING STAFF OF NEONATAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4308	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OF NEONATAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.12 42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4400 - RESPIRATORY CARE SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4401	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.57	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4402	STAFFING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.57	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4403	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.57	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4500 - PHARMACY SERVICES AND MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4501	PROVISION OF SERVICE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4502	PHARMACIST	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .4503	STAFF	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4504	PHARMACY COMMITTEE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4505	PHARMACY FACILITIES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4506	SUPPLIES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4507	STORAGE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4509	SECURITY	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4510	RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4511	MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25 42 CFR Part §482.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4512	MEDICATIONS DISPENSED	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4513	DRUG DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4514	EMERGENCY PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4515	DISPOSITION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4516	COMMERCIAL PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.25	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4600 - SURGICAL AND ANESTHESIA SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4601	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.51 42 CFR Part §482.52	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4602	DIRECTOR OF SURGICAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.51 42 CFR Part §482.52	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4603	SURGICAL AND ANESTHESIA STAFF	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.51 42 CFR Part §482.52	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4604	DIRECTION OF ANESTHESIA SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.51 42 CFR Part §482.52	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4605	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.51 42 CFR Part §482.52	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4700 - NUTRITION AND DIETETIC SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4701	PROVISION OF SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.28	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .4702	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.28	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4703	SANITATION AND SAFETY	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.28	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4704	DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.28	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4705	NUTRITIONAL SUPPORT	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.28	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4800 - DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4801	ORGANIZATION	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.26	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4802	RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.26	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4803	STAFFING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.26	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4804	MONITORING RADIATION EXPOSURE OF PERSONNEL	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.26	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4805	SAFETY	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.26	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4806	NUCLEAR MEDICINE SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.53	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .4900 - LABORATORY SERVICES AND PATHOLOGY</b>	10A NCAC 13B .4901	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4902	RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4903	STAFFING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4904	TESTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4905	TISSUE REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4906	BLOOD BANK	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .4907	MORGUE AND AUTOPSY FACILITIES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .5000 - PHYSICAL REHABILITATION SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .5001	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.56	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5002	DELIVERY OF CARE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.56	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5003	POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.56	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .5004	PATIENT RECORDS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.56	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5005	CARDIAC REHABILITATION PROGRAM	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.56	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .5100 - INFECTION CONTROL</b>	10A NCAC 13B .5101	ORGANIZATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5102	POLICY AND PROCEDURES	Readopted Eff August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5103	LAUNDRY SERVICE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5104	ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5105	STERILE SUPPLY SERVICES	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .5200 - PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .5201	PSYCHIATRIC OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES: APPLICABILITY OF RULES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5202	DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO PSYCHIATRIC OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27 42 CFR Part §482.60 42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5203	STAFFING FOR PSYCHIATRIC OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27 42 CFR Part §482.60 42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5204	PSYCHIATRIC OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES RECORD REQUIREMENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.27 42 CFR Part §482.60 42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5205	SECLUSION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.13 42 CFR Part §482.27 42 CFR Part §482.60 42 CFR Part §482.42	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5206	COMPLIANCE WITH STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5207	PSYCHIATRIC OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE OUTPATIENT SERVICES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .5300 - NURSING AND ADULT CARE HOME BEDS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .5301	THE LICENSURE OF NURSING AND ADULT CARE HOME BEDS IN A HOSPITAL	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .5400 - COMPREHENSIVE INPATIENT REHABILITATION</b>	10A NCAC 13B .5401	DEFINITIONS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5402	PHYSICIAN REQUIREMENTS FOR INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITIES OR UNITS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5403	ADMISSION CRITERIA FOR INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITIES OR UNITS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5404	COMPREHENSIVE INPATIENT REHABILITATION EVALUATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .5405	COMPREHENSIVE INPATIENT REHABILITATION INTER-DISCIPLINARY TREAT/PLAN	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5406	DISCHARGE CRITERIA FOR INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITIES OR UNITS	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5407	COMPREHENSIVE REHABILITATION PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5408	COMPREHENSIVE INPATIENT REHABILITATION PROGRAM STAFFING REQUIREMENTS	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2023	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5409	STAFF TRAINING FOR INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITIES OR UNIT	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5410	EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS/COMPREHENSIVE INPATIENT REHABILITATION PROGRAMS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5412	ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY PATIENTS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5413	ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR SPINAL CORD INJURY PATIENTS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2020	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5414	DEEMED STATUS FOR INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITIES OR UNIT	Amended Eff. October 1, 2019	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482 42 CFR Part §412.22 42 CFR Part §412.23	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .5500 – SUPPLEMENTAL RULES FOR HOSPITALS PROVIDING LIVING ORGAN DONATION TRANSPLANT SERVICES</b>	10A NCAC 13B .5501	APPLICABILITY OF RULES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.72 -§482.74 42 CFR Part §482.80 -§482.104	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5502	INDEPENDENT DONOR ADVOCATE TEAM	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.72 -§482.74 42 CFR Part §482.80 -§482.104	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5503	INFORMED CHOICE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.72 -§482.74 42 CFR Part §482.80 -§482.104	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5504	EVALUATION PROTOCOL FOR LIVING ORGAN DONORS	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.72 -§482.74 42 CFR Part §482.80 -§482.104	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5505	PERIOPERATIVE CARE AND FACILITY SUPPORT	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.72 -§482.74 42 CFR Part §482.80 -§482.104	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .5506	DISCHARGE PLANNING	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. July 22, 2017	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 CFR Part §482.72 -§482.74 42 CFR Part §482.80 -§482.104 42 CFR Part §482.43	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .6000 - PHYSICAL PLANT</b>	10A NCAC 13B .6003	DEFINITIONS	Eff. March 21, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	<b>SECTION .6100 – GENERAL REQUIREMENTS</b>	10A NCAC 13B .6101	LIST OF REFERENCED CODES, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND STANDARDS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .6102	GENERAL	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .6103	EQUIVALENCY AND CONFLICTS WITH REQUIREMENTS	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		10A NCAC 13B .6105	INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE AND APPLICATION OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE FGI GUIDELINES	Eff. March 21, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .6200 - CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS	10A NCAC 13B .6207	OUTPATIENT SURGICAL FACILITIES	Readopted Eff. April 1, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		10A NCAC 13B .6228	NEONATAL LEVEL I, II, III, AND IV NURSERIES	Eff. March 21, 2019	Necessary	No		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt