

1 10A NCAC 13E .0305 is amended under temporary procedures as follows:

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3 **10A NCAC 13E .0305 LIVING ROOM ~~AREA~~**

4 (a) Each overnight respite care program shall have a living area with not less than 40 square feet of floor area per
5 participant.

6 (b) The living area for the overnight respite care program required by Paragraph (a) of this Rule may be combined
7 with the adult day care program or adult day health program activities and craft areas only after the Division of Aging
8 ~~and Adult Services~~ of the Department of Health and Human Services determines, in writing, that the requirements of
9 10A NCAC 06R .0401(d) for an adult day care program and 10A NCAC 06S .0301 for an adult day health program
10 are met.

11 (c) The living ~~room~~ area shall have windows with views to the outdoors. The gross window area shall not be less than
12 eight percent of the floor area required by Paragraph (a) of this ~~Rule.~~ Rule and be equipped with insect-proof screens.
13 To inhibit participant elopement, the window opening may be restricted to a six-inch opening.

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15 *History Note: Authority G.S. 131D-6.1;*

16 *Eff. April 1, ~~2017~~ 2017;*

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