

1 10A NCAC 14E .0315 is amended with changes as published in NCR 29:11, pp. 1290-1298 as follows:

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3 **10A NCAC 14E .0315 HOUSEKEEPING**

4 ~~Abortion clinics~~ Clinics that are certified by the Division to perform abortions shall meet the standards for sanitation  
5 as required by the Division of ~~Environmental Health~~ Public Health, Environmental Health Section, in the rules and  
6 regulations governing the sanitation of ~~private~~ hospitals, nursing ~~homes, and rest homes, sanitariums, sanatoriums,~~  
7 ~~and educational~~ adult care homes, and other institutions, ~~10 NCAC 10A,~~ set forth in 15A NCAC 18A .1300,  
8 including subsequent amendments and editions, with special emphasis on the following:

- 9 (1) ~~There must be cleaning of such a frequency as to maintain~~ the floors, walls, woodwork and  
10 windows ~~in a manner to minimize the spread of dust particles in the atmosphere. Accumulated~~  
11 must be cleaned, and accumulated waste material must be removed at least ~~daily.~~ daily;
- 12 (2) ~~The~~ the premises must be kept free from rodents and insect ~~infestation.~~ infestation;
- 13 (3) ~~Bath~~ bath and toilet facilities must be maintained in a clean and sanitary condition at all ~~times.~~  
14 times; and
- 15 (4) ~~Linen which~~ linen that comes directly in contact with the patient shall be provided as needed for  
16 each individual patient. No such linen shall be interchangeable from one patient to another before  
17 being properly cleaned, sterilized, or laundered.

18 Copies of 15A NCAC 18A .1300 may be obtained at no charge from the Division of Public Health, Environmental  
19 Health Section, 1632 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC, 27699-1632, or accessed electronically free of charge from  
20 the Office of Administrative Hearings at <http://www.ncoah.com>.

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22 *History Note: Authority G.S. 14-45.1(a); 143B-10;*  
23 *Eff. February 1, 1976;*  
24 *Readopted Eff. December 19, 1977;*  
25 *Amended Eff. October 1, 2015; December 1, 1989.*