10A NCAC 14C .2701 DEFINITIONS
The following definitions shall apply to all rules in this Section:

(1) "Adjusted MRI procedure" shall have the same meaning as defined in the annual State Medical Facilities Plan in effect as of the first day of the review period.

(2) "Approved MRI scanner" means a magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) scanner that was issued a certificate of need but is not being used to provide services as of the application deadline for the review period.

(3) "Existing MRI scanner" means an MRI scanner that is being used to provide services as of the application deadline for the review period.

(4) "Fixed MRI scanner" means an MRI scanner that is not a mobile MRI scanner.

(5) "Fixed MRI scanner service area" shall have the same meaning as defined in the annual State Medical Facilities Plan in effect as of the first day of the review period.

(6) "Host site" means the location where the mobile MRI scanner provides services.

(7) "Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) scanner" shall have the same meaning as defined in G.S. 131E-176(14m).

(8) "Mobile MRI scanner" means an MRI scanner that is moved weekly to provide services at two or more host sites.

(9) "Mobile MRI scanner service area" shall have the same meaning as defined in the annual State Medical Facilities Plan in effect as of the first day of the review period.

(10) "Proposed MRI scanner" means the MRI scanner proposed in the application under review.

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