

**10A NCAC 14J .1507 DORMITORY AREA REQUIREMENTS IN JAILS**

- (a) The capacity of dormitories shall not exceed 16.
- (b) The minimum room area for each inmate shall be 50 square feet and 400 cubic feet per inmate.
- (c) Each dormitory shall have one combination commode, drinking fountain, and lavatory with hot and cold water for every eight inmates.
- (d) Each dormitory shall have one shower.
- (e) Each dormitory shall have an approved mirror for every eight inmates (see Rule .1521 of this Section).
- (f) Each dormitory shall have a table and bench (see Rule .1523 of this Section).
- (g) Natural light shall be admitted to the dormitory in compliance with North Carolina State Building Code.

*History Note:* Authority G.S. 153A-220; 153A-221;  
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Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. January 5,  
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