

**10A NCAC 13S .0324      QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- (a) The governing authority shall establish a quality assurance program for the purpose of providing standards of care for the clinic. The program shall include the establishment of a committee that shall evaluate compliance with clinic procedures and policies.
- (b) The committee shall determine corrective action, if necessary to achieve and maintain compliance with clinic procedures and policies.
- (c) The committee shall consist of one physician who is not an owner, the chief executive officer or designee, and other health practitioners.
- (d) The frequency of meetings and details of data collection shall be defined by the governing authority.

*History Note:*      *Authority G.S. 131E-153.5; 143B-165;*  
                         *Codifier determined that findings of need did not meet criteria for emergency rule on October 30, 2023;*  
                         *Emergency Rule Eff. November 14, 2023;*  
                         *Temporary Adoption Eff. February 8, 2024;*  
                         *Eff. October 1, 2024.*