

## **10A NCAC 27E .0102 PROHIBITED PROCEDURES**

In each facility the following types of procedures shall be prohibited:

- (1) those interventions which have been prohibited by statute or rule which shall include:
  - (a) any intervention which would be considered corporal punishment under G.S. 122C-59;
  - (b) the contingent use of painful body contact;
  - (c) substances administered to induce painful bodily reactions, exclusive of Antabuse;
  - (d) electric shock (excluding medically administered electroconvulsive therapy);
  - (e) insulin shock;
  - (f) unpleasant tasting foodstuffs;
  - (g) contingent application of any noxious substances which include but are not limited to noise, bad smells or splashing with water; and
  - (h) any potentially physically painful procedure, excluding prescribed injections, or stimulus which is administered to the client for the purpose of reducing the frequency or intensity of a behavior.
- (2) those interventions determined by the governing body to be unacceptable for or prohibited from use in the facility.

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