

## SECTION .2800 - TWO THROUGH FIVE STAR RATED LICENSES

### 10A NCAC 09 .2801 SCOPE

- (a) This Section shall apply to all child care facilities that have achieved or wish to achieve a rated license of two stars or higher.
- (b) A child care facility shall be eligible for a rated license of two through five stars upon application and assessment of compliance with the requirements of this Section.
- (c) A one-star rated license shall be issued to a child care facility if it complies with G.S. 110-91 and this Chapter.
- (d) No requirement in any component of a two-star or higher rating shall be less than the requirements for a one-star rating described in G.S. 110-91 and this Chapter. Prior to issuance of an initial two through five-star rating, all requirements in G.S. 110-91 and this Chapter shall be met at the time the program is assessed for a higher rating. The requirements for a rated license of two stars or higher shall be in addition to the standards found in G.S. 110-91 and this Chapter.
- (e) Nothing in this Section shall preclude or interfere with issuance of an administrative action as allowed by G.S. 110, Article 7 and this Chapter.

*History Note:* Authority G.S. 110-85; 110-88(7); 110-90(4); 143B-168.3;  
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