

**RULES GOVERNING
THE SANITATION AND SAFETY
OF MIGRANT HOUSING
15A NCAC 18A .2100**

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Rules .2101 - .2103 of Title 15A Subchapter 18A of the North Carolina Administrative Code (T15A.18A .2101 - .2103); have been transferred and recodified from Rules .2114 - .2116 Title 10 Subchapter 10A of the North Carolina Administrative Code (T10.10A .2114 - .2116). Rules .2104 - .2105 of Title 15A Subchapter 18A of the North Carolina Administrative Code (T15A.18A .2104 - .2105); have been transferred and recodified from Rules .2118 - .2119 Title 10 Subchapter 10A of the North Carolina Administrative Code (T10.10A .2118 - .2119). Rules .2106 - 2116 of Title 15A Subchapter 18A of the North Carolina Administrative Code (T15A.18A .2106 - .2116) have been transferred and recodified from Rules .2121 - .2131 of Title 10 Subchapter 10A of the North Carolina Administrative Code (T10.10A .2121 - .2131), effective April 4, 1990.

- 15A NCAC 18A .2101 DEFINITIONS**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2102 PERMITS**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2103 INSPECTIONS**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2104 RIGHT OF ENTRY**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2105 GRADING**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2106 SITE**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2107 BUILDINGS**

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15A NCAC 18A .2108 WATER SUPPLY

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- 15A NCAC 18A .2109 TOILET FACILITIES**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2110 SEWAGE DISPOSAL FACILITIES**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2111 LAUNDRY: HANDWASHING: AND FACILITIES**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2112 LIGHTING AND ELECTRICAL OUTLETS**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2113 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2114 KITCHEN AND DINING FACILITIES**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2115 INSECT: RODENT: AND ANIMAL CONTROL**
- 15A NCAC 18A .2116 FIRST AID**

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15A NCAC 18A .2117 WATER SANITATION AND QUALITY

(a) A water supply shall be provided that complies with the provisions of 15A NCAC 18A .1700.

(b) Prior to occupancy of a migrant housing facility, water samples for bacteriological analysis shall be collected by an environmental health specialist and submitted to the Division of Laboratory Services of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources or another laboratory certified pursuant to 15A NCAC 20D for analysis. A sample negative for coliform organisms shall be obtained prior to the issuance of health department approval.

(c) An environmental health specialist may collect water samples after occupancy for analysis by the Division of Laboratory Services of the Department or another laboratory certified pursuant to 15A NCAC 20D to determine the continued safety of the water supply for domestic use. The water supply shall be deemed unsafe for domestic use and action taken as follows:

- (1) The water supply shall be deemed immediately unsafe upon confirmation of the presence of fecal coliform bacteria or, upon determination by the Environmental Epidemiology Section of the Department that the presence of chemical constituents poses an immediate threat to life. Under these circumstances, the Department shall immediately contact both the migrant housing operator and the Migrant Housing Division, North Carolina Department of Labor. All verbal contact made by the environmental health specialist shall be confirmed in writing.
- (2) The water supply shall be deemed unsafe for long-term usage upon confirmation of a positive total coliform test or upon determination by the Environmental Epidemiology Section of the Department that the presence of chemical constituents poses a threat to health. Under these circumstances, the Department shall, within three days, notify the migrant housing operator and the Migrant Housing Division, North Carolina Department of Labor. All verbal contacts made by the environmental health specialist shall be confirmed in writing.

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