

# HEALTH SERVICES POLICY & PROCEDURE MANUAL

North Carolina Department Of Correction  
Division Of Prisons

SECTION: Assessment of Patient -

POLICY # A - 8

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SUBJECT: Paternity Testing


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## PATERNITY TESTING

Agencies that request paternity testing of an inmate shall be referred to the Superintendent, who will make arrangements for a suitable site for the inmate to be interviewed and tested by the agency. Facility medical staff will not be involved in the collection of any evidence for paternity testing.



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