

9.2 Terminology Used in this Chapter

“Correctional facility” means the facility operated by the North Carolina Department of Correction having physical custody of a person convicted of a criminal offense.

“Inmate” means a person convicted of a crime and placed in the physical custody of the Department of Correction. It does not include a person in jail pending trial.

“State facility” is a facility under the supervision of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services for the provision of “services for the care, treatment, habilitation, or rehabilitation of the mentally ill, the developmentally disabled or substance abusers.” G.S. 122C-3(14)f.