



*State of North Carolina  
Department of Correction  
Division of Prisons*

***POLICY & PROCEDURES***

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Management**  
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**.0101 PURPOSE**

It is the intent of this policy to establish general guidelines for the administration of food and nutrition management within the Division of Prisons, a division of the North Carolina Department of Correction. More specific policies and procedures that address food and nutrition management are found in the Division of Prison's Food and Nutrition Management Policy and Procedure Manual.

**.0102 GENERAL**

In order to ensure the nutritional welfare of all offenders housed within the Division of Prisons, the Food and Nutrition Management Section is managed by a Registered Dietitian, licensed to practice in North Carolina. Correctional Food Service Managers who direct the preparation and service of all offender meals are instructed and guided by staff Registered Dietitians in appropriate meal specifications. Meals prepared for the general offender population as well as those requiring Medical Nutritional Therapy (MNT) meet all requirements of the Dietary Reference Intakes (DRI's) established by the Food and Nutrition Board of the National Research Council.

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