

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**  
**COUNTY OF WAKE**

**NORTH CAROLINA CRIMINAL JUSTICE**  
**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**  
**STANDARDS COMMISSION**

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**INTERPRETIVE RULE**

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NOW COMES the North Carolina Criminal Justice Education and Training Standards Commission pursuant to N.C. General Statute 17C-6 in a public meeting on May 24, 2019 hereby makes the following interpretive rule. G.S. 17C-2(3) sets out a definition for "Criminal Justice Officer(s)." The Commission hereby interprets the above to include and be limited to the following:

**SWORN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER:**

means an appointee of a criminal justice agency or of the state or of any political subdivision of the state who, by virtue of his or her office, is empowered to make arrests for violations of the laws of this state. Specifically excluded from this title are sheriffs and their sworn appointees with arrest authority who are governed by the provisions of Chapter 17E of the General Statutes.

**STATE CORRECTIONAL OFFICER POSITIONS:**

- Correctional Officer I, II, III
- Correctional Sergeant I, II, III
- Correctional Lieutenant I, II, III
- Correctional Housing Unit Manager I, II, III
- Correctional Captain I, II, III
- Correctional Assistant Superintendent I, II, III, IV, V
- Assistant Correctional Supt. Programs I, II
- Correctional Facility Superintendent I, II, III
- Correctional Facility Administrator
- Correctional Associate Warden for Operations
- Associate Warden for Programs
- Correctional Deputy Prison Warden
- Correctional Prison Warden
- Correctional Programs Supervisor
- Correctional Case Manager
- Correctional Food Service Officer I, II, III
- Correctional Food Service Supervisor I, II, III
- Correctional Food Service Manager I, II, III
- Chief of Security
- Assistant Chief of Security (DOP)
- Chief of Special Operations
- Confinement Response Violation (CRV) Facility Director
- Director, Special Operations & Intelligence (SOIU)
- Chief of Special Operations-Communications
- Chief of Special Operations- Intelligence
- Chief of Special Operations-Field Operations
- Operations Specialist
- Lead Criminal Analyst
- Criminal Analyst
- DCC Asst. Chief of Special Operations

**STATE PROBATION/PAROLE OFFICER POSITIONS:**

Probation/Parole Officer  
Probation/Parole Associate  
Chief Probation/Parole Officer  
Probation/Parole Officer Field Specialist  
Chief of Special Operations  
Confinement Response Violation (CRV) Facility Director  
Director, Special Operations & Intelligence (SOIU)  
Chief of Special Operations-Communications  
Chief of Special Operations- Intelligence  
Chief of Special Operations-Field Operations  
Operations Specialist  
Lead Criminal Analyst  
Criminal Analyst  
DCC Asst. Chief of Special Operations  
Director, Division of Community Corrections  
Deputy Director, Division of Community Corrections  
Training Administrator  
Special Populations Administrator  
Judicial Division Administrator  
Assistant Judicial Division Administrator  
Judicial District Manager  
Assistant Judicial District Manager

**LOCAL CONFINEMENT PERSONNEL;**

means any officer, supervisor or administrator of a local confinement facility in North Carolina as defined in G.S. 153A-217, to include Juvenile Detention Home Worker who is defined as any employee of a state or local juvenile detention facility who provides instruction, evaluation, or supervision and custody of juveniles confined therein; or, any officer, supervisor or administrator of a county confinement facility in North Carolina as defined in G.S. 153A-218.

**STATE JUVENILE JUSTICE OFFICER POSITIONS:**

***CLINICAL***

Clinical Chaplain I  
Nurse Supervisor II  
Nurse Supervisor III  
Registered Nurse  
Psychologist  
Social Worker  
Social Worker Supervisor Social  
Worker Clinical  
Substance Abuse Counselor, Clinical

***HUMAN SERVICES***

Youth Program/Education Assistant II  
Youth Services Behavior Specialist  
Housing Unit Supervisor  
Youth Counselor Technician  
Youth Counselor  
Youth Counselor Supervisor

***MANAGERIAL***

Casework Associate II  
Youth Development Center Program Manager  
Youth Development Center Assistant Unit Administrator  
Youth Development Center Director  
Juvenile Detention Center Director  
Juvenile Detention Center Supervisor  
Psychological Program Manager

**CHIEF COURT COUNSELOR/JUVENILE COURT COUNSELOR POSITIONS:**

Juvenile Court Counselor Chief  
Juvenile Court Counselor  
Juvenile Court Services Field Specialist  
Juvenile Court Counselor Supervisor

