



**NATIONAL COMMISSION
ON CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE**



GUIDE TO **SERVICES** and **RESOURCES**

DESKTOP REFERENCE GUIDE

SETTING THE STANDARD
FOR QUALITY IN
CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE

SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS

Academy of Correctional Health Professionals

Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

American Academy of Family Physicians

American Academy of Physician Associates

American Academy of Pediatrics

American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law

American Association of Nurse Practitioners

American Bar Association

American College of Correctional Physicians

American College of Emergency Physicians

American College of Healthcare Executives

American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists

American College of Physicians

American College of Preventive Medicine

American Counseling Association

American Dental Association

American Jail Association

American Medical Association

American Nurses Association

American Osteopathic Association

American Pharmacists Association

American Psychiatric Association

American Psychological Association

American Public Health Association

American Society of Addiction Medicine

National Association of Counties

National Medical Association

National Sheriffs' Association

Society for Adolescent Health and Medicine

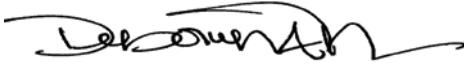
Dear Colleague,

At the National Commission on Correctional Health Care, we have always known that strong partnerships are the key to success. For nearly 50 years, we have remained steadfast to our mission with strong partnerships to help us further our mutual goals.

We are pleased to share our story with you – the story of how we came to be and how our evolution has placed us at the forefront of efforts to improve health care for incarcerated people. This reference guide outlines the services and resources we offer and how we can partner with you.

Your organization’s goals align with ours. Let’s talk about how we can reach them together.

Best regards,



Deborah Ross, CCHP
Chief Executive Officer



OUR INDEPENDENCE MATTERS

The National Commission on Correctional Health Care has no membership or dues. NCCCHC does not require any affiliation to be considered for accreditation, certification, or employment as a consultant or surveyor, or to serve on committees or the board of representatives.

NCCCHC is impartial, unbiased, and dedicated to recognizing and fostering improvements in correctional health care.

NCCHC SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Along with a multidisciplinary board of representatives, the NCCCHC senior leadership team has experience, certifications, and/or advanced degrees in nursing, health care administration, business, criminal justice, and nonprofit management.



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the National Commission on Correctional Health Care is to improve the quality of health care in jails, prisons, and juvenile confinement facilities.

NCCHC ORIGINS

NCCHC's origins date to the early 1970s, when an American Medical Association study of jails found inadequate, disorganized health services and a lack of national standards. In collaboration with other organizations, the AMA established a program that in 1983 became NCCHC, an independent, nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization whose early mission was to evaluate and develop policy and programs for a field clearly in need of assistance.

NCCHC TODAY

Today, NCCHC's leadership is recognized internationally. To help correctional health care systems provide efficient, high-quality care, we offer a broad array of services and resources. We establish standards for health services in correctional facilities, operate a voluntary accreditation program for institutions that meet those standards, produce resource publications and tools, conduct educational conferences, nonprofit and offer certification for correctional health professionals.

NCCHC is supported by the major national organizations representing the fields of health, mental health, law, and corrections. Each supporting organization has named a liaison to the NCCHC board of representatives to create a robust, multidisciplinary structure that reflects the complexities of correctional health care.



Contact us to learn all the ways NCCHC can work with your facility, system, or program to improve your health care services.
info@ncchc.org, (773) 880-1460

PATHWAYS TO EXCELLENCE

Amid shrinking budgets and growing challenges in corrections, the nation's jails and prisons are required to provide constitutionally acceptable care. NCCHC has the resources and programs you need to meet the challenge of correctional health care excellence.

NCCHC STANDARDS

NCCHC's highly respected *Standards* serve as a framework to ensure that systems, policies, and procedures are in keeping with nationally recognized best practices. (page 4)

VALIDATION THROUGH ACCREDITATION

Accreditation provides official recognition that correctional facilities are meeting NCCHC's nationally recognized standards for quality health care services. Accreditation reduces exposure to costly liability and recognizes the accredited institution's commitment to providing quality patient care through use of the *Standards*. (page 5)

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

The Certified Correctional Health Professional program provides formal recognition for individuals who have engaged in a process of ongoing, focused, and targeted professional development. (page 9)

EDUCATION AND MEETINGS

NCCHC conferences are renowned for their exceptional programming, abundant networking, and the best commercial exhibitions in this field. NCCHC hosts three annual conferences, along with webinars, and other programs. (page 11)

PUBLICATIONS

NCCHC keeps the field informed with *CorrectCare* (print and digital), *CorrectCare Extra* e-news, and the *Journal of Correctional Health Care*. (page 12)

NCCHC RESOURCES, INC.

A nonprofit organization, NCCHC Resources serves the increasing demand for high quality technical assistance and consulting services for correctional health care systems. As jails, prisons, and juvenile detention facilities strive to deliver constitutional health care, improve quality, and reduce risk, NCCHC Resources can offer unique expertise from the leaders in correctional health care. (page 13)

NCCHC FOUNDATION

The Foundation gives back by championing the correctional health care field and serving the public by supporting research, professional education, scholarships, and patient reentry into the community. (page 16)

THE NCCHC STANDARDS: A FRAMEWORK FOR QUALITY

When it comes to delivering quality care in correctional settings, the NCCHC *Standards* provide the framework to ensure that systems, policies, and procedures are in place to produce the best outcomes in the most cost-efficient and effective manner.

Developed by leading experts in the fields of health, mental health, law, and corrections, the *Standards* are our recommendations for managing the delivery of health services. These authoritative manuals have guided the field in continuously improving care for incarcerated individuals, strengthening organizational effectiveness, and reducing the risk of adverse legal judgments. The *Standards* are also the foundation of NCCHC's accreditation program.

All five editions – for jails, prisons, juvenile facilities, mental health services, and opioid treatment programs – have a strong focus on quality and outcomes and offer flexibility in how to achieve results. Only NCCHC and NCCHC Resources are qualified and authorized to assess compliance with NCCHC Standards.

NCCHC *Standards* are widely accepted by the courts and are the benchmark for an acceptable level of health care in corrections.



Standards for Health Services
in Jails

Standards for Health Services
in Prisons

Standards for Health Services in
Juvenile Facilities

Standards for Mental Health
Services in Correctional Facilities

Standards for Opioid Treatment
Programs in Correctional Facilities

After nearly 40 years of litigation, a U.S. District Court judge ordered an end to a class action case stating that compliance with NCCHC standards constitutes “powerful evidence” of compliance with the Eighth Amendment prohibiting cruel and unusual punishment. In finding no constitutional violation in the health care provided to incarcerated individuals in the case, the judge wrote that NCCHC accreditation and compliance tied to NCCHC standards, while not determinative, “constitute substantial evidence of adequate medical care.”

Balla v. Board of Corrections (D. Idaho 2020)

nccchc.org/standards



NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED, PROVEN RESULTS

THE IMPACT OF ACCREDITATION

A new study produced by Harvard University researchers shows what correctional health professionals already know: NCCHC accreditation saves lives and improves care. The study found:

86%

Reduction in Mortality

54%

Lower Recidivism in Six Months

11%

Improved Quality of Patient Care and Treatment

A SMART INVESTMENT

NCCHC accreditation isn't just about meeting standards – **it delivers results.**

- ☐ **Reduced Legal Liabilities** – Meeting legal requirements lowers the risk of costly lawsuits
- ☐ **Operational Efficiency** – Streamlined processes reduce errors and improve care delivery
- ☐ **Public Health Gains** – Healthier individuals upon release create safer communities

For nearly 50 years, NCCHC has set the standards for quality constitutional care and awarded accreditation to facilities that demonstrate their commitment to those standards.

Accreditation from NCCHC validates a correctional facility's commitment to quality care and quality improvement in its clinical, administrative, and legal obligations.

NCCHC is the first and only accrediting body dedicated exclusively to health care in the nation's jails, prisons, and juvenile facilities, and its accreditation program is the only one overseen by correctional health care experts.

Accreditation is an objective, third-party review in which NCCHC, an independent, nonprofit organization, recognizes correctional facilities that meet its nationally recognized standards, the benchmark for quality correctional health care services and the most comprehensive correctional health standards.

Accreditation has now been proven in a rigorous third-party study to have significant benefits without, in many cases, requiring additional staff or resources.



Download the Harvard Study at ncchc.org/Harvard-NCCHC-Accreditation-Jan2025 or use this QR code



Recognizes and confirms that the facility meets national standards

Promotes and verifies an efficient, well-managed health care delivery system

Assists facilities in meeting legal requirements, minimizing costly liability

NCCHC OFFERS FIVE TYPES OF ACCREDITATION:

- 1 Health Services in Jails**
- 2 Health Services in Prisons**
- 3 Health Services in Juvenile Confinement Facilities**
- 4 Mental Health Services in Correctional Facilities**
- 5 Opioid Treatment Programs in Correctional Facilities**

MORE BENEFITS

- Accredited facilities report that accreditation:
- Promotes and documents an efficient, well-managed system of health care delivery with feedback from knowledgeable correctional health professionals
 - Validates with objective criteria the areas in which the health care staff is doing well and areas for improvement
 - Educates and trains staff on NCCHC standards, with the benefit of introducing new efficiencies and uniform practices
 - Recognizes staff contributions and excellence, improves morale, and aids recruitment and retention
 - Helps obtain community support and provides justification for budget requests

WHAT SETS US APART?

- Survey teams are customized to the facility's programs (e.g., mental health surveyors for extensive mental health programs, dentist surveyors for facilities with on-site dental care).
- We can survey one facility at a time or the entire system in the span of a week, depending on your needs.
- Survey teams have specific expertise in correctional health care, and each team includes a physician.
- NCCHC accreditation staff and surveyors have worked in corrections – we understand how to implement standards because we've used them and can offer pre- and post-survey support.
- Plus: free webinars on how to prepare for NCCHC accreditation, and for states that are bringing on numerous facilities, on-site, in-depth standards training.

A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO NCCHC ACCREDITATION

STEP 1 BECOME KNOWLEDGEABLE ABOUT THE STANDARDS

- Read the *Standards* to become familiar with them and how they apply to your setting or program.

STEP 2 APPLY AND SUBMIT THE NCCHC ACCREDITATION APPLICATION

- Complete the full application at [MyNCCHC.org](https://www.ncchc.org).

STEP 3 SUBMIT SURVEY FEES

- NCCHC will send an invoice to your facility once your application is approved.

STEP 4 CONDUCT A SELF-ASSESSMENT AND PREPARE FOR THE SURVEY

- Use the self-assessment tool and the Survey Preparation Guide (sent to you after application).
- Evaluate your compliance with the *Standards*.

STEP 5 SCHEDULE THE SURVEY

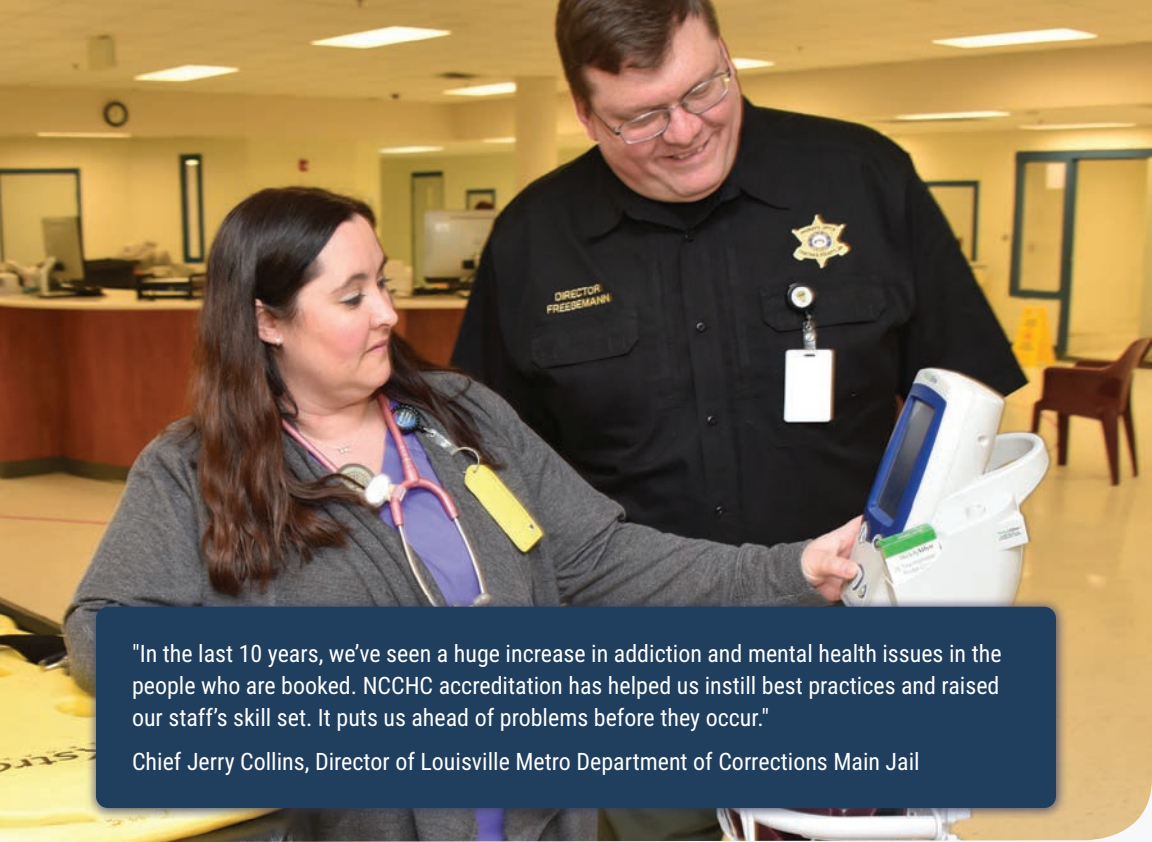
- NCCHC will schedule your survey when you are ready.
 - Initial surveys require 10-12 months of documentation.
 - Reaccreditation requires 36 months of documentation.

STEP 6 NCCHC CONDUCTS THE SURVEY

- The survey team will work collaboratively with you to determine compliance with the *Standards* through observation of the health care delivery services. Each survey includes:
 - An entrance conference
 - Review of health records and other documents, including policies and procedures
 - Facility tour
 - Structured interviews with health staff, administrators, custody staff, other personnel, and incarcerated individuals
 - An exit conference to provide preliminary feedback and answer questions

NCCHC SURVEYORS

NCCHC survey teams are made up of professionally certified and experienced physicians, nurses, health services administrators, and corrections professionals who understand correctional health care operations. They review patient health records as well as policies and procedures; interview health staff, correctional officers, and incarcerated individuals; and tour the facility. Finally, they conduct an exit conference to discuss their preliminary findings.



"In the last 10 years, we've seen a huge increase in addiction and mental health issues in the people who are booked. NCCHC accreditation has helped us instill best practices and raised our staff's skill set. It puts us ahead of problems before they occur."

Chief Jerry Collins, Director of Louisville Metro Department of Corrections Main Jail

AFTER THE SURVEY

- The lead surveyor submits the report to the accreditation committee.
- The accreditation committee carefully evaluates the findings for compliance with the *Standards* and determines the accreditation decision.
- NCCHC will send a comprehensive survey report to the responsible official and health services administrator within two weeks of the committee meeting.
- Facilities will be asked to provide corrective action for standards found to be out of compliance.

ONGOING ACCREDITATION

- Each year the facility will submit an Annual Maintenance Report with updates.
- As part of the accreditation cycle, a survey team will conduct a visit every three years.

CELEBRATE YOUR SUCCESS!

NCCHC accreditation is a highly regarded achievement and your staff should be proud!

Share the news with press releases and updates to your website.

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION



Certification through NCCHC's Certified Correctional Health Professional program signifies one's leadership, commitment, and expertise. Certification demonstrates mastery of national standards expertise required for leadership in this specialized field. The CCHP credential is a professional designation and symbol of achievement that is highly valued not only by participants but also by employers.

Basic certification is available for all professionals working in correctional health care, including administrative, correctional, and support staff. It is a stepping-stone (and an eligibility requirement) toward advanced and specialty certifications.

WHY IS CERTIFICATION IMPORTANT?

**MORE THAN
90%**

of respondents to a survey about the CCHP program said they pursued certification because it:

- Provides personal satisfaction
- Enhances feelings of personal accomplishment
- Provides evidence of professional commitment
- Enhances professional credibility
- Indicates professional growth
- Validates specialized knowledge
- Enhances personal confidence in professional abilities
- Indicates mastery of professional standards

"The CCHP credential indicates to my colleagues, managers, and patients a commitment to obtaining knowledge and providing a higher level of care."

CCHP CERTIFICATION IN 4 EASY STEPS

1. Submit initial application (online form and fee); you will then receive the candidate handbook and instructions for completing the application.
2. Complete application (provide resume and license).
3. Submit registration to take the exam (NCCHC conference, test center, or online).
4. Study for and take the exam; you will receive results within two weeks.

RESOURCES TO SUPPORT CANDIDATE SUCCESS: BE PREPARED!

On-Demand Video

On-demand video training is available for CCHP, CCHP-RN, and CCHP-MH.

Preconference Seminars

Sign up for a live, instructor-led review seminar at NCCHC conferences.

At Your Facility

Bring an instructor to your facility for a full day of training, plus on-site testing. (Minimum 10 participants)

93% of those who attend a CCHP on-demand webinar or in-person review pass the CCHP exam!

CCHP EXAM PREPARATION TIPS

The CCHP exam is based on the content of NCCHC's *Standards*, so learning the standards is critical to passing the exam. Successful candidates often undertake study sessions, either alone or in a group. Sample test questions provide an idea of what to expect (see ncchc.org/sample-questions).

RECERTIFICATION

Certification is valid for one year. All CCHPs must apply for continuing certification annually. Continuing certification requires participation in 18 hours of continuing education per year, at least six of which are specific to correctional health care. Documentation of these activities need not be submitted, but we highly recommend that you maintain documentation of your continuing education activities.



ADVANCED CERTIFICATION

The CCHP-Advanced program recognizes CCHPs who have demonstrated excellence, commitment, and contribution to the field of correctional health care and their own discipline or profession. Advanced certification requires at least three years of participation in the certification program and demonstration of extensive experience in and knowledge of correctional health services delivery.

SPECIALTY CERTIFICATION

Correctional health professionals face unique challenges. They must provide effective, efficient care to a high-acuity population while facing strict security regulations, crowded facilities, and myriad legal and public health concerns. Specialty certification provides validation of a commitment to maintain the knowledge necessary to provide care to incarcerated patients. Specialty exams measure mastery of the standards, with focus on the roles and responsibilities germane to the discipline.



CCHP-Mental Health



CCHP-Clinical Provider
For Physicians, NPs, PAs



CCHP-Registered Nurse

ncchc.org/professional-certification

EDUCATION AND MEETINGS

Educating the field is a key strategy in fulfilling the NCCHC mission. Professional education also helps with career advancement, satisfaction, and staff retention. Our programming is driven by rigorous ongoing needs assessments of professionals, augmented by input from a committee of experts in diverse disciplines.

ADVANCING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

NCCHC conferences are renowned for their exceptional educational programs, abundant networking, and the best exhibit halls in the field.

NCCHC webinars and online conferences offer convenient education that helps participants meet continuing education requirements.

NCCHC and our consulting arm, NCCHC Resources, Inc., also offer on-site training, including a full-day standards seminar followed by on-site administration of the CCHP exam.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

NCCHC is accredited by ACCME, ANCC, APA, and NASW to provide continuing education for physicians, nurses, psychologists, and social workers, as well as general credit for CCHPs and professionals in other disciplines. Our conferences and webinars offer more than 150 hours of CE each year.

PARTNER OPPORTUNITIES

The professionals who attend NCCHC conferences are leaders and hands-on practitioners in the field. For conference sponsors and exhibitors, NCCHC events provide an unparalleled opportunity to help these professionals provide high-quality care. Reach this important audience:

- Exhibit at NCCHC educational conferences: Spring Conference on Correctional Health Care, Correctional Mental Health Care Conference, and National Conference on Correctional Health Care
- Expand your reach through advertising and sponsorships: print, digital, and on-site educational and exhibit hall opportunities
- Sponsor an NCCHC educational webinar

WHAT ARE ATTENDEES LOOKING FOR?

84% are looking for new products and services

48% want to meet with current suppliers

89% visited the exhibits two or more times

WHO ARE OUR CONFERENCE ATTENDEES?

33% nurses/nurse practitioners

23% physicians/PAs

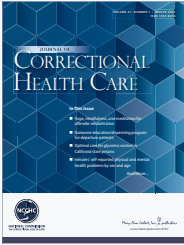
11% mental health

7% health services administrators

5% custody/law enforcement

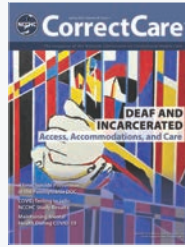
PUBLICATIONS

JOURNAL OF CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE



The *Journal of Correctional Health Care* is the only national, peer-reviewed scientific journal to address correctional health care topics.

Indexed in the National Library of Medicine's PubMed database, JCHC features original research, case studies, best practices, literature reviews, and more to keep correctional health care professionals informed of important trends and developments. Topics include clinical care, health services and support, personnel and staffing, ethical issues, medical records, quality improvement, risk management, and medical-legal issues.



CORRECTCARE®

CorrectCare, the official voice of the preeminent organization in correctional health care, is published semi-annually, and reaches 25,000 individuals, including key personnel at correctional facilities, CCHPs,

members of the Academy of Correctional Health Professionals, and other qualified professionals.

It is also posted online at ncchc.org/correctcare.

CORRECTCARE® EXTRA

NCCHC's e-newsletter is designed for the way readers consume content today. *CorrectCare Extra* is emailed to 20,000+ correctional health professionals every other week – 26 issues a year – to keep them informed of industry news and important NCCHC updates. *CorrectCare Extra* uses artificial intelligence to personalize news content based on reader engagement.

POSITION STATEMENTS

NCCHCs position statements express the organization's expert opinion on important issues that are not addressed in the *Standards*. These position statements assist correctional facilities in designing policies and procedures. Topics address medical, technical, ethical, and managerial issues such as managing chronic pain, restraint of pregnant individuals, transgender health care, restrictive housing, medical autonomy, and much more.

ncchc.org/position-statements



LOOKING FOR DIGITAL, PRINT, OR IN-PERSON OPPORTUNITIES?

Contact Sales@ncchc.org to talk about reaching NCCHC's unique correctional health care audience, or download the NCCHC Marketing Guide at ncchc.org/advertising-opportunities.



SOLUTIONS FROM THE MOST TRUSTED NAME IN
CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE

CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE CONSULTING

IMPROVE CARE • REDUCE LIABILITY • PREVENT CRITICAL INCIDENTS



Put NCCHC's unique clinical and correctional expertise to work as your partner.

Our mission is to provide comprehensive, customized consulting and technical assistance services that help elevate the quality of correctional health care. And, as a nonprofit, our fees are invested into future programs for the field.

COLLABORATIVE APPROACH

We will assemble a team of clinicians, administrators, and custody experts to partner with your staff to address challenges, identify potential issues, and develop effective, evidence-driven solutions.

EXPERT CONSULTING SERVICES

Our team has deep core competencies in both clinical settings and correctional facilities and systems. We are a bridge between these two worlds – and that dual focus touches everything we do as your partner.

RISK AND LIABILITY REDUCTION

We help you avoid costly and time-intensive litigation, mitigate a wide array of correctional health care risks, and reduce the risk of undesirable outcomes for staff and incarcerated people.

[NCCHCResources.org](https://www.ncchcresources.org)

REDUCE RISK THROUGH QUALITY AND CONSISTENCY

Only NCCHC Resources can guarantee reliance on evidence-based practices, comprehensive familiarity with NCCHC *Standards* and positions, and expertise in applying the standards. Work with NCCHC Resources to:

- Objectively validate the areas where your health care facility is doing well
- Identify areas for improvement
- Protect your organization by minimizing the occurrence of adverse events, thus avoiding health care-related lawsuits and grievances and often reducing liability premiums
- Educate and train staff
- Introduce new efficiencies and standardized practices
- Protect the health of the public, your staff, and the incarcerated population
- Ensure that those who are incarcerated and released receive adequate and appropriate health care

NCCHC IS THE STANDARD

NCCHC literally “wrote the book” on correctional health care standards and accreditation programs. The knowledge, support, and solutions you receive as a client are derived from the objective standards and best practices that promote a constitutional level of care for patients in your facility.

RESPONSIVE

You’ll get to know our team personally. You’ll feel comfortable knowing that when an issue arises, we’re just a phone call or text away.

INTEGRITY

We do the right things – for the right reasons – for correctional facilities, for correctional health care vendors, and for incarcerated individuals in need of quality care.



OUR SERVICES

RFP AND CONTRACT DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT

- RFP development and evaluation for all levels of services complexity. Your health services are only as good as the contract requiring them.
- Industry-leading contract development and management to help you and your vendor succeed in providing verifiable, high quality, cost-effective health services.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND MONITORING SERVICES

- Independent monitoring of health services performance and standards, ongoing oversight, analysis, and support for medical and custody leadership.

IN-CUSTODY DEATH INVESTIGATIONS

- Vital subject matter expertise for all levels of government oversight in investigating the deaths of incarcerated people to help determine the root causes, identify systems and individual errors, and recommend corrective action.

OPIOID TREATMENT PROGRAMS

- Help navigating one of the most challenging areas of correctional health care. Our experts can support you wherever you fall on the spectrum of caring for patients with substance use challenges.

SYSTEM READINESS AND ACCREDITATION PREPARATION

- System readiness for accreditation and compliance verification, including on-site assessments and feedback.

HEALTH SERVICES TECHNICAL EVALUATIONS

- Comprehensive review of medical and mental health services with targeted recommendations for improvement.

SUICIDE PREVENTION

- Detailed evaluation of suicide prevention with examination of all pertinent aspects of security, health care, and facility design.

HEALTH SERVICES SPACE PLANNING AND DESIGN

- Correctional health services-focused review and management of facility design and utilization in partnership with national architectural experts. Define and analyze needed services to optimize space utilization with consideration of appropriate levels of care.
- Prevent costly and dangerous errors and omissions by having NCCHC experts serve as your advisor or representative before or during construction.

TRAINING

Online or in-person training for staff on:

- Crisis intervention training
- Custody's role in health services
- NCCHC *Standards* training
- Opioid use disorder
- Medication-assisted treatment

"NCCHC Resources has been an engaging and collaborative partner, challenging us to champion positive changes within our jails."

—Captain, large jail system

"We can't thank you enough for the work that you and your team have put into helping us move toward accreditation."

—Deputy Director, state correctional system



NCCHC FOUNDATION

A Dynamic Vision for Correctional Health

OUR MISSION

Empowering correctional health care through innovative **research**, impactful **professional education**, life-changing **scholarships**, and seamless **reentry support** for patients.

OUR VISION

Equitable health care practices are the foundation for healthier communities. By supporting correctional health professionals with evidence-based tools, we ensure a stronger future for all.



THREE PILLARS OF IMPACT

EDUCATION

- Scholarships for emerging professionals to attend in-person and virtual conferences.
- Partnerships with educational institutions to inspire future correctional health care leaders.

RESEARCH

- Addressing the \$238 billion gap in health care research to focus on outcomes for underserved populations.
- Centralized data collection to identify best practices that reduce recidivism and improve community health.

COLLABORATION

- Engaging NGOs, corporations, and government entities to tackle key health challenges, including mental health, substance abuse, and chronic diseases.
- Building reentry pathways that support healthier communities.

"I am so grateful to have been a scholarship recipient for the NCCHC Correctional Mental Health Care Conference. I met so many inspiring and knowledgeable health professionals who had unique perspectives on behavioral health in the correctional setting. I am excited to become a doctor in this field! Thank you to the foundation for the financial support and mentorship.

—Melissa Calica, 2024 Mental Health Scholar, Fourth Year Medical Student, Tufts University School of Medicine

TRANSFORM CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE TODAY

YOUR SUPPORT CREATES:

- **Empowered Professionals:** Scholarships and mentoring for emerging leaders
- **Healthier Communities:** Evidence-based education for clinicians nationwide
- **Seamless Transitions:** Best practices for patient care during reentry
- **Industry Collaboration:** Partnerships that drive solutions to critical health issues

SUPPORT LEVELS & RECOGNITION

Level	Contribution	Your Benefits
Friend	\$1 – \$249	Thank you for partnering with an organization committed to positively impacting the field of correctional health care.
Supporter	\$250 – \$999	Your generous donation plays a vital role in supporting initiatives like professional education, scholarships, and workforce development.
Bronze Partner	\$1,000 – \$4,999	One complimentary webinar registration and a role in contributing to a vision of quality correctional health care for all patients.
Silver Partner	\$5,000 – \$9,999	One complimentary webinar registration, one in-person conference registration, and a role in creating opportunities for boosting patient safety and care.
Gold Partner	\$10,000 – \$24,999	An industry announcement, one in-person conference registration, two webinar registrations, and your logo featured on the Foundation website, all while making a significant impact on individuals’ lives and society as a whole.
Platinum Partner	\$25,000 – \$49,999	A blog posting distributed to the field, one in-person conference and two webinar registrations, along with a Zoom or in-person conversation with the Managing Director of NCCHC Resources and NCCHC CEO. Your generosity will lead to meaningful change and progress in our communities and beyond.
Titanium Partner	\$50,000 – \$99,999	All above plus additional conference and webinar registration(s). Amplified presence at conferences, exclusive sponsorships, and national exposure.
Diamond Partner	\$100,000+	Additional conference and webinar registration(s), introduction at one of the two National Conference luncheons, an article in <i>CorrectCare Extra</i> , and a white paper on a topic of your choosing. Thank you for joining us on this important journey to a better world.

All levels of giving are welcome and include signage at conferences and acknowledgement in the NCCHC annual report and on the website. Logos for Gold, Platinum, Titanium, and Diamond Corporate Partners will be featured on the NCCHC Foundation website.

TAKE ACTION: BUILD A HEALTHIER FUTURE

Together, we can revolutionize health care for underserved populations. Let’s make a difference.

[NCCHCFoundation.org](https://www.ncchcfoundation.org)



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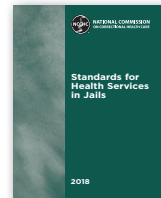


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Full-service consulting to help you identify, solve, and prevent a wide array of risks, avoid costly litigation, and reduce undesirable outcomes for staff and incarcerated people.

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Spring Conference on
Correctional Health Care

Correctional Mental
Health Care Conference

National Conference on
Correctional Health Care

For more information, visit ncchc.org

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