

Microblading

1. Yes, it requires a tattoo permit. [.3201 (5)]
2. Room separated or used for other purposes? [.3207 (a)]
3. Not required to shave the eyebrows prior to microblading. [.3209 (a)]
4. Not required to apply a germicidal solution to area; area only has to be cleaned with soap and water. [.3209 (b)]
5. Not required to cover the area with a sterile bandage once finished. [.3209 (f)]
6. Using disposable pens, electric pens, or re-useable pens; autoclave needed? [.3208 (b)]
 - pre-sterilized, one-time use needles or blades used with disposable handles = no autoclave required
 - pre-sterilized, one-time use needles or blades used with reusable handle (such as a stainless steel or other metal handle) = handle shall be autoclaved between each use
 - electric machine used with pre-sterilized one-time use needle cartridge = no autoclave required. However, the machine housing and power cord shall be disinfected after each use with a hospital grade disinfectant whether a barrier film is used or not.
7. Using grease pencils, markers, etc. to mark/outline the area? Only single-use pencils, etc. are allowed. [.3209 (d)]
8. All other tattoo rules in Rules Governing Tattooing 15A NCAC 18A .3200 must be met before a permit will be issued.