

MISSION

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.

VISION

Be recognized nationally as the leader in raising the level of correctional health care quality through accreditation, standards, advocacy, professional certification, and education.

OUR VALUES

Trusted

Since 1976, NCCHC has established and promoted national standards for constitutionally acceptable correctional health care.

Committed

NCCHC is dedicated to raising the quality of health care by serving patients, clinicians, institutions, and communities.

Innovative

NCCHC advances quality and safety in the field by leading change through forward-thinking programs and services.

Collaborative

As a national organization, we foster partnerships in the field to share ideas and create solutions to improve correctional health care.

OUR STRATEGIC PRIORITIES 2024 TO 2029



Collaboration/Leadership

- Work in partnership with others to build capacity through national initiatives.
- Lead the field in correctional health care standards and expert resources.
- · Advance and improve patient care and safety.



Education

- Develop and provide world class education in correctional health care.
- · Champion widely accessible education through online learning.
- Support research that advances the field and engages stakeholders.



Advocacy

- Be the recognized voice for the correctional health care field.
- Represent and advance the interests and wellbeing of patients, practitioners, and facility staff.
- · Promote corrections as a health care specialty.



Innovation and growth

- Foster and promote sustainable, efficient, and effective operations in the field.
- Support the expanded use of technology in service delivery.
- Optimize our assets and always act to ensure the future of NCCHC.