

**Table 10-2: Table of Permitted Uses**

PERMITTED USES	MF-14/10/6	R-10	RM-10	R-15	RA-15	RAM-15	CB	HB	CW	B-2	O/I	L/I	HI	C	PUD
<b>OFFICE AND COMMERCIAL SERVICE</b>															
SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FACILITY, OUTPATIENT								P		<u>P</u>	P				
<del>TATTOO AND BODY PIERCING ESTABLISHMENTS</del> <del>[pursuant to 10-3(DD) (GG)]</del>							<u>P</u>	<u>S</u> <u>P</u>		<u>S</u> <u>P</u>		<u>S</u> <u>P</u>			
TAXIDERMIST								S				<u>P</u>	P		
TEACHING STUDIO (including fine arts, yoga, martial arts, etc.)							P	<u>P</u>		<u>P</u>	P				
VETERINARY SERVICES WITH CLOSED PENS												P	P		P

### Section 10-3: Supplemental Use Standards

#### (GG) Tattoo and Body Piercing Establishments

- (1) ~~The owner, employees, and all patrons of the establishment must be over eighteen (18) years of age.~~
- (2) ~~The location of the establishment cannot be located closer than one thousand (1000) feet from any residential zoning district or residential use.~~
- (3) ~~The location of the establishment cannot be located closer than fifteen hundred (1500) feet from any church, day care center, public or private elementary or secondary educational school, public park, public library, cemetery or motion picture establishment which shows G or PG rated movies to the general public.~~
- (4) ~~The business cannot be located closer than fifteen hundred (1500) feet from any existing tattoo or body piercing establishment.~~
- (5) ~~The business establishment shall only conduct business to the public between 8:00 am and 9:00 pm daily.~~
- (6) ~~The business shall abide by all Federal, State and Town regulations.~~
  - (1) Purpose: The purpose of this section is to ensure that tattoo and body piercing establishments operate in a safe, sanitary, and compatible manner within the Town of Shallotte, while also allowing for reasonable business development.
  - (2) Operational Requirements
    - (a) Age Restrictions:
      - (1) All owners and employees of the establishment shall be at least eighteen (18) years of age.
      - (2) No person under eighteen (18) years of age may receive a tattoo or body piercing, unless explicitly allowed under N.C.

General Statutes, and with parental or legal guardian consent where applicable.

(b) Health and Safety Certification:

- (1) All establishments shall maintain valid and current certification from the Brunswick County Health Department prior to commencing operations.

(3) Location and Spacing Requirements

(a) Separation

- (1) Tattoo and body piercing establishments shall not be located within 300 feet of another tattoo and body piercing establishment, measured from building to building in a straight line.

- (2) Tattoo and body piercing establishments shall not be located within 500 feet of the following sensitive uses:

- Public or private K-12 schools
- Daycare centers
- Public parks
- Places of worship
- Public libraries
- This distance shall be measured from the property line of the tattoo or piercing establishment to the property line of the protected use. This shall not apply in mixed-use or downtown zoning districts where walkability and commercial variety are encouraged.

(b) Residential Buffering

- (1) Tattoo and piercing establishments shall be a minimum of 200 feet from the nearest residentially zoned property, unless separated by a public road or located in a mixed-use zoning district.

(4) Signage and Appearance

(a) Signage

- (1) Signage shall comply with the Shallotte Sign Ordinance. No flashing, animated, or neon signs are permitted.

(b) Appearance

- (2) Exterior appearance of the establishment shall be professional and consistent with adjacent commercial uses.

(5) Other Regulations

- (a) The business shall adhere to tattoo and body piercing regulations detailed in NCGS 14-400, as well as abide by all Federal, State and Town regulations.