SCDC is lowering virtual visitation rates by more than 20 percent in accordance with new Federal Communications Commission guidelines.

The new rate for virtual visits will be 16 cents per minute, effective Feb. 1, 2025. That lowers a 50-minute visit from \$10 to \$8.

Virtual visitation will still be scheduled in 50minute time slots, but costs will be billed based on the actual length of the visit.

