Standard Operating Procedure

Essential facilities equipment will be identified and provided with an emergency electrical power source in all areas of in-patient care.

Purpose

To enhance the protection and safety of all in-patients during an electrical power failure.

Procedure

The areas and equipment covered by emergency electrical service are the following:

HOSPITAL

A. Nurses stations/ceiling lights.

B. Designated emergency receptacles in rooms, corridors, and at the nurses stations which are indicated by the color red.

C. All exit lights.

D. All equipment listed below is on emergency power:

1. Air handlers # 1, # 3, and # 4.
2. Exhaust fans.
3. Elevator (1).
4. Temperature control Air compressors.
5. Clinical air compressor.
6. Vacuum pumps.
7. Fuel oil pumps.
8. Domestic water booster pumps.
9. Jockey pumps for sprinkler systems.
10. Fire pumps.
11. Condensate pumps.
12. Central Service sterilizers and Operating Room sterilizers.
13. Sliding doors in main entrance of MC Hospital and Emergency Department entrances.
14. X-ray equipment.
15. Nurses call and P.A. system.
16. All fire and smoke alarms.
17. Fire panels.
18. Egress illumination.
20. Telephone service.
21. Operating Room Surgery Department.
22. Emergency Department.

DOWLING HALL

A. Rehabilitative Services nursing station.
B. Designated red receptacles in Rehabilitation patient rooms, corridors, and some ceiling lights.
C. Exit lights.
D. All equipment listed below is on emergency power:
   1. Air handlers.
   2. Exhaust fans.
   3. Elevator (1).
   4. Temperature control air compressor.
   5. Fuel oil pumps emergency generator.
   6. Domestic water booster pumps.
   7. Jockey pumps for sprinkler systems.
   8. Fire pumps.
   9. Condensate pumps.
  11. All fire and smoke alarms.
  12. Fire panels.
  14. Telephone service.

KOBACKER CENTER

A. Designated red receptacles.
B. Exit lights.
C. Egress illumination.
D. Fire alarm system.

1. At no time is the emergency electrical power circuit to be removed from the above equipment.
2. If servicing is required, the Department Head responsible for the area being serviced by the equipment being repaired, is to be notified prior to any service work being performed.
3. The department being affected by the loss of emergency power capacity will make appropriate arrangements to ensure in-patients are removed from any emergency circuits prior to any service being performed.