Resource Guide

Subject: Radiology Inspection Report/Registration

Facility Site Review Source: Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) All Plan Letter 20-006, Site Reviews: Facility Site Review and Medical Record Review

Relevant Law/Standard: CCR, Title 17, Chapter 5, Division 1, Chapter 5, Subchapter 4.0, 4.5, & 4.7; Health and Safety Code Sec. 114960 et seq., 106955 -107111, 114840 -114896

Agency/Organization Source: Radiologic Health Branch

Agency/Organization URL: https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CEH/DRSEM/Pages/RHB.aspx

Background:

The Radiologic Health Branch (RHB) is within the Radiation Safety and Environmental Management Division of the Department of Public Health. RHB is responsible for providing public health functions associated with administering a radiation control program. This includes licensing of radioactive materials, registration of X-ray-producing machines, certification of medical and industrial X-ray and radioactive material users, inspection of facilities using radiation, investigation of radiation incidents, and surveillance of radioactive contamination in the environment.

Purpose:

The Radiologic Health Branch of the Food, Drug and Radiation Safety Division of the CA Department of Public Health enforces the radiation control Laws and Regulations designed to protect both the public and employees against radiation hazards. Enforcement is carried out through licensing, registration and periodic inspection of sources of radiation, such as radiation machines.

Guideline:

CDPH Radiologic Health Branch (RHB) Inspection Report will include one of the following:

1) Inspection Report/Proof of Registration, or

2) Inspection Report/Proof of Registration and Short Form Sign-off sheet, or

3) Inspection Report/Proof of Registration and Notice of Violation form and approval letter for corrective action plan from the CA RHB.

The Radiologic Inspection Report or Proof of Registration (receipt of payment or cancelled check), issued by the RHB, must be present if there is radiology equipment on site.
Registration Application and Information Link

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CEH/DRSEM/Pages/RHB-X-ray/Registration.aspx

Note – For questions regarding radiologic safety (expired or no inspection letters on site), call CDPH radiologic Health Brand at (916) 327-5106.

For Radiation Emergency Assistance call 1-800-852-7550

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