Nurses’ Station & Resident Call System

9.6.c. All non-electrical equipment used for inhalation therapy (oxygen) shall be stored and maintained in accordance with the applicable sections of the “National Fire Protection Association NFPA 99 Standard for Health Care Facilities”.

9.6.d. If a nursing home provides electrical life support services, all electrical equipment used to sustain life shall be connected to an emergency generator, through a critical branch electrical system.

9.6.d.1. The generator and all critical branch electrical circuits shall comply with the standards as identified in the “National Fire Protection Association NFPA 99 Standard for Health Care Facilities”.

9.6.e. All equipment shall be maintained in accordance with section 8.19 of this rule.

9.6.f. Clean nursing equipment and sterile supplies shall be stored in a clean work room or store room that does not permit resident contact.

9.6.g. Sterile supplies shall not be stored under sink drains, in soiled utility rooms or in areas where contamination may occur.

9.6.h. Sterile supplies shall not be stored nor used beyond their dated shelf life.

9.6.i. Damaged supplies and utensils shall not be used.

Shower/Tub Room

New Construction: Nursing Unit

Summary: Resident Call System; Supplies; Equipment