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Foreword

The material contained in the Pulmonary Medicine Service Design Guide is the culmination of a partnering effort by the Department of Veterans Affairs Veterans Health Administration and the Facilities Quality Office. The goal of the Design Guide is to ensure the quality of VA facilities while controlling construction and operating costs.

This document is intended to be used as a guide and as a supplement to current technical manuals and other VA criteria in the planning of Pulmonary Medicine Services. The Design Guide is not to be used as a standard design, and use of this Design Guide does not limit the project Architect's and Engineer's responsibilities to develop a complete and accurate project design that best meets the user's needs and applicable code requirements.

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Introduction

The Pulmonary Medicine Service Design Guide is intended to be a graphic consolidation of existing Department of Veterans Affairs standards and criteria. It contains data from the following sources:

- PG-18-1, Master Construction Specifications
- H-18-3, Construction Standards
- · PG-18-4, Standard Details
- PG 7610, Equipment Guide List
- PG-18-6, List of Equipment Symbols
- VA Handbook 7610, Space Planning Criteria
- PG-18-13, Barrier-Free Design Handbook
- PG-18-14, Room Finish and Door Hardware Schedule
- Various Technical Criteria (Design Manuals) pertaining to Architectural, HVAC, Plumbing, and Electrical issues
- Consensus information from various VA medical centers
- Pulmonary Medicine Service Program Division

The Design Guide refers to the above mentioned sources when data is either too detailed or too broad to be included in this guide.

The Design Guide for Pulmonary Medicine Services was developed as a design tool to assist the medical center staff and the contracting officers in better understanding the choices that designers ask them to make, and to help designers understand the functional requirements necessary for proper operation of Pulmonary Medicine Service.

The Guide Plates contained in the Pulmonary Medicine Service Design Guide are intended as illustrations of VA's furniture, equipment and personnel space needs. They are not meant to limit design opportunities.

This Design Guide is not intended to be project-specific. While it does contain the vast majority of spaces required in Pulmonary Medicine Service, it is not possible to foresee all future requirements. Additional support spaces can be found in VA Handbook 7610. The project-specific space program is the basis for an individual project design. It is important to note that the guide plates are a generic graphic representation only.

Equipment manufacturers should be consulted for actual dimensions and utility requirements. Use of this Design Guide does not compromise the project architects' and engineers' responsibilities to develop a complete and accurate design that meets the user's needs and appropriate code requirements.

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Abbreviations

Α	Amperes	NC	Noise Criteria
AC/HR	Air Changes per Hour	NCRP	National Council on Radiation
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act	ND	Protection
ADP	Automatic Data Processing	ND NFPA	Needle Disposal National Fire Protection
AFF	Above Finished Floor	NFPA	
AI A&MM	Acquisition and Installation	NRC	Association
ACIVIIVI	Acquisitions and Material	NSF	Nuclear Regulatory Commission Net Square Feet
AR	Management As Required	NSM	Net Square Meters
AT	Acoustical Ceiling Tile	OSD	Open Site Drain
C	Degrees Celsius	P	Pole
CC	Contractor Furnished and Installed,	PA	Public Address
	Construction Funds	PC	Personal Computer
CF	Construction Funds, VA Furnished,	PCP	Portland Cement Plaster
	Installed by VA or Contractor	PET	Positron Emission Tomography
CFM	Cubic Feet per Minute	PH	Phase
CLG	Ceiling	PL	Plaster
CM	Construction Management Office	PREP	Preparation
CMU	Concrete Masonry Unit	PSIG	Pounds per Square Inch Gauge
CP	Carpet (without cushion	PTD	Paper Towel Dispenser
	broadloom)	QT	Quarry Tile
CRI	Color Rendering Index	RB	Resilient Base
CS	Construction Standard	RIA	Radioimmunoassay
СТ	Ceramic Tile	SC	Special Coating (High Build Glazed
DIA	Diameter		Coating)
	Disconnect Switch	SD	Soap Dispenser
EPO	Emergency Power Off	SD	Standard Detail
EtO	Ethylene Oxide Gas	SF	Square Feet, Square Foot
EXH F	Exhaust	SPD	Supply, Processing, and
FC	Degrees Fahrenheit Foot-candle	SOPC	Distribution Satellite Outpatient Clinic
FD	Floor Drain	SS	Stainless Steel
FIXT	Fixture	TELEC	Telecommunications
FLUOR	Fluorescent	UFAS	Uniform Federal Accessibility
GD	Glove Dispenser	0.7.0	Standards
HAC	Housekeeping Aids Closet	٧	Volts
HVAC	Heating, Ventilation, and Air	VA	Department of Veterans Affairs
	Conditioning	VACO	Veterans Affairs Central Office
HP	Horsepower	VAMC	Veterans Affairs Medical Center
HR	Hour	VC	VA Furnished and Contractor
ICU	Intensive Care Unit		Installed - Medical Care
IES	Illuminating Engineers Society		Appropriation for Equipment and
K	Kelvin		Construction Appropriations for
KW	Kilowatt	VOT	Installation
LB	Pound/Pounds	VCT VHA	Vinyl Composition Tile Veterans Health Administration
LLTS	Lounge, Lockers, Toilets, and Showers	VHA VV	VA Furnished and Installed-VHA
MCS	Master Construction Specifications	V V	Appropriation
MM	Millimeters	W	Watts
MRI	Magnetic Resonance Imaging	WC	Wall Cabinet
MTD	Mounted	W/sf	Watts per Square Feet
NA	Not Procured with Activation Funds	W/sm	Watts per Square Meter

Legend of Symbols

System	Description of Symbol	Gr. Symbol
Power Receptacles	DUPLEX RECEPTACLE, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED 450MM (18") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	⊭
	DUPLEX RECEPTACLE, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED ABOVE COUNTER TOP	\biguplus_{A}
	DUPLEX RECEPTACLE WITH GROUND FAULT INTERRUPTER, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED 450MM (18") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	⊢GFI
	DUPLEX RECEPTACLE WITH GROUND FAULT INTERRUPTER, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED ABOVE COUNTER TOP	₩ _{GFI-A}
	WEATHERPROOF DUPLEX RECEPTACLE WITH GFI, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED 450MM (18") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	$igoplus_{WP}$
	QUADRAPLEX OUTLET, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED 450MM (18") AFF OR QUADRAPLEX OUTLET, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - PEDESTAL-MOUNTED	₩
	QUADRAPLEX OUTLET, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED ABOVE COUNTER TOP	⊢⊕ _A
	QUADRADUPLEX OUTLET WITH GROUND FAULT INTERRUPTER, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED 450MM (18") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	₩GFI
	QUADRADUPLEX OUTLET WITH GROUND FAULT INTERRUPTER, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - MOUNTED ABOVE COUNTER TOP	⊢⊕ _{GFI-A}
	DUPLEX RECEPTACLE, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - EMERGENCY POWER - MOUNTED 450MM (18") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	⊨
	QUADRAPLEX RECEPTACLE, NEMA 5-20R - 20 AMP - EMERGENCY POWER	⊦⊙
	SPECIAL RECEPTACLE	H
	TELEVISION OUTLET	TV
	ELECTRICAL STRIP MOLD - NEMA 5-20R RECEPTACLES AT 600MM (2"-0") INTERVALS	
	BATTERY POWERED CLOCK	HC
	CIRCUIT BREAKER	СВ

Legend of Symbols (cont.)

System	Description of Symbol	Gr. Symbol
Switches	SINGLE POLE SWITCH	Ş
	SINGLE POLE SWITCH - SUFFIX OF "a", "b", OR "c" INDICATES SEPARATE CONTROL OF FIXTURE(S) WITH SAME DESIGNATION	ް
	DIMMER SWITCH	Ş ^D
	THREE-WAY SWITCH	§ ³
	DOOR SWITCH	DS
	FUSED OR UNFUSED DISCONNECT SWITCH	
	EMERGENCY POWER OFF (EPO) PUSH BUTTON	EPO H•
Lighting	600mm x 600mm (2' x 2') FLUORESCENT FIXTURE	
	300mm x 300mm (1' x 4') FLUORESCENT FIXTURE	
	600mm x 1200mm (2' x 4') FLUORESCENT FIXTURE	
	WALL-MOUNTED FLUORESCENT FIXTURE	
	600mm x 1200mm (2' x 2') FLUORESCENT FIXTURE - EMERGENCY POWER	
	600mm x 1200mm (2'x 4') FLUORESCENT FIXTURE - EMERGENCY POWER	
	WALL-MOUNTED FLUORESCENT FIXTURE - EMERGENCY POWER	
	WALL MOUNTED LIGHT FIXTURE - TYPE AS NOTED	⊣
	LIGHT FIXTURE - TYPE AS NOTED	0

Legend of Symbols (cont.)

System	Description of Symbol	Gr. Symbol
Communi- cations	TELEPHONE OUTLET - MOUNTED 450 mm (18") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	
	WALL-MOUNTED TELEPHONE OUTLET - MOUNTED 1200 mm (48") AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED	\bowtie_{w}
	COMPUTER TERMINAL OUTLET - VERIFY EXACT NEEDS - PROVIDE SIGNAL AND POWER OUTLET AS REQ'D	\mapsto
	SPEAKER - CEILING-MOUNTED	(\$)
	INTERCOM OUTLET	-①
	NURSE CALL DOME LIGHT - CEILING-MOUNTED	N
	NURSE CALL DOME LIGHT - WALL-MOUNTED	H(N)
	NURSE CALL DUTY STATION	-N _D
	EMERGENCY NURSE CALL	-N _E
	NURSE CALL STAFF STATION	-N _s
	VOLUME CONTROL - WALL MOUNTED	HV
Sp. Outlets	JUNCTION BOX - PURPOSE AND LOCATION AS NOTED	<u> </u>
Mechanical	SUPPLY AIR DIFFUSER	
	RETURN OR EXHAUST AIR REGISTER OR GRILLE	
	ROOM THERMOSTAT	-①
Plumbing	COMBINATION FAUCET HOSE BIBB	
	MEDICAL GAS OUTLET	
	EMERGENCY SHOWER	0