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Safety and Buildings Division - Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services

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**Comm 64.0300 Health care facilities. (1)** This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in IMC chapter 3: In addition to the requirements in this code, the heating and ventilation systems for health care facilities only shall conform to the applicable provisions of The Facility Guidelines Institute (FGI) Guidelines for Design and Construction of Health Care Facilities, except as provided in sub. (2).

**Note:** The Guidelines for Design and Construction of Health Care Facilities are not intended for use in the design or construction of HVAC systems for other types of institutional health care facilities including community-based residential facilities (CBRFs) or residential care apartment complexes (RCACs).

**(2)** (a) The requirements in parts 1 and 5 of FGI guidelines are not included as part of this chapter.

(b) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in part 6 of the FGI guidelines: Addenda a, b, d, e and f for ASHRAE 170 are included as part of this chapter, except as provided in sub. 2.

(c) Substitute the following definition for the corresponding definition listed in ASHRAE 170 section 3: "Alteration", has the meaning as given in IEBC section 202.

**Note:** IEBC section 202 defines "alteration" as "any construction or renovation to an existing structure other than a *repair* or *addition*. Alterations are classified as Level 1, Level 2, and Level 3".

**Comm 64.0301 General regulations. (1) SCOPE.** Substitute the following wording for the requirements in IMC section 301.1: This chapter shall govern the approval and installation of all equipment and appliances that comprise parts of the building mechanical systems regulated by this code in accordance with subch. 1.

**(2) ENERGY UTILIZATION.** This is a department informational note to be used under IMC section 301.2: **Note:** See ch. Comm 63 for additional requirements.

**(3) LISTED AND LABELED.** Substitute the following wording for the requirements in IMC section 301.4:

(a) *General.* All appliances regulated by this chapter shall be listed and labeled as specified in this chapter, unless approved by the department in accordance with par. (b) or the product approval criteria in s. Comm 61.50.

(b) *Unlisted appliances.* The department may approve an installation of an unlisted appliance after receipt of all of the following:

1. A statement from the appliance manufacturer indicating the national standard with which the appliance complies.
2. The results of a test on the output and safety controls in accordance with the national standard used by the manufacturer.