

Examples of scored observations from actual surveys are:

- Patient and family bathrooms in the outpatient clinic lacked an emergency call system to be used in case of an emergency
- Call bells were not adjacent to the showers, creating a risk that patients who fell in the shower would not be able to summon assistance
- Bedside tables and trays had wheels that were not able to be locked and presented a fall hazard if a patient used them for support
- In the kitchen, staff were observed having plastic gloves on during cooking which created risk for harm since they were not heat resistant
- In Central Sterilization, the controls for ethylene oxide were self-alarmed; however, the alarm was inside the sterilizer room and posed a challenge to be audible from outside the room
- Unmarked conduit was laid across the roof walkway creating a potential hazard for falls while walking
- No lights were installed on the roof which could result in unsafe condition for the facility staff should they need to access the roof after dark
- In the waste yard, Oxygen and other gas cylinders were not individually secured

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