

## EQUIPMENT ROOMS, ELECTRICAL

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Compliance: The design, construction and layout of all electrical equipment rooms shall be in complete compliance with the current revision of the National Electric Code (NEC). This code is to be viewed as the “final authority” for establishing the minimum requirements for these spaces, including the clearances that are required for the electrical equipment located within them. The requirements of these documents often exceed the minimum requirements of the Code. When

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**No Foreign Equipment/Systems:** Electrical rooms shall only be used to house electrical equipment/systems with the exception of non-electrical equipment/systems that serve the electrical room (e.g. ductwork that provides ventilation for a transformer room). Equipment and/or systems that serve other purposes shall not be located within or be allowed to pass through these spaces. This includes ductwork, hydronic heating/cooling piping, plumbing systems, roof drainage systems, etc.

**Safety:** An approved eyewash and safety shower shall be installed at each location where hazardous chemicals are stored or handled (e.g. battery storage areas).