

SAFETY INSPECTION REPORT AND COMPLIANCE INSPECTION

1. LICENSEE/LOCATION INSPECTED:

Tri-County Radiologists, P.C.
36561 Harper Avenue
Clinton Township, Michigan 48035

REPORT NUMBER(S) 2012001

2. NRC/REGIONAL OFFICE

Region III
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
2443 Warrenville Road, Suite 210
Lisle, IL 60532-4352

3. DOCKET NUMBER(S)

030-13748

4. LICENSE NUMBER(S)

21-17974-01

5. DATE(S) OF INSPECTION

December 20, 2012

LICENSEE:

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under your license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) rules and regulations and the conditions of your license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector. The inspection findings are as follows:

- 1. Based on the inspection findings, no violations were identified.
- 2. Previous violation(s) closed.
- 3. The violation(s), specifically described to you by the inspector as non-cited violations, are not being cited because they were self-identified, non-repetitive, and corrective action was or is being taken, and the remaining criteria in the NRC Enforcement Policy, to exercise discretion, were satisfied.

Non-cited violation(s) were discussed involving the following requirement(s):

- 4. During this inspection, certain of your activities, as described below and/or attached, were in violation of NRC requirements and are being cited in accordance with NRC Enforcement Policy. This form is a NOTICE OF VIOLATION, which may be subject to posting in accordance with 10 CFR 19.11.
(Violations and Corrective Actions)

Statement of Corrective Actions

I hereby state that, within 30 days, the actions described by me to the Inspector will be taken to correct the violations identified. This statement of corrective actions is made in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201 (corrective steps already taken, corrective steps which will be taken, date when full compliance will be achieved). I understand that no further written response to NRC will be required, unless specifically requested.

TITLE	PRINTED NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
LICENSEE'S REPRESENTATIVE			
NRC INSPECTOR	Geoffrey M. Warren	<i>G. Warren</i>	12/20/12
BRANCH CHIEF	Tamara E. Bloomer	<i>Robert W. Battone, Jr. for</i>	1/3/13

Docket File Information
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6. INSPECTION PROCEDURES USED 87130	7. INSPECTION FOCUS AREAS 03.01 - 03.08
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SUPPLEMENTAL INSPECTION INFORMATION

1. PROGRAM CODE(S) 02201	2. PRIORITY 5	3. LICENSEE CONTACT Stanley Halprin, M.D., RSO	4. TELEPHONE NUMBER (586) 791-0620
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Main Office Inspection Next Inspection Date: Dec. 2017

Field Office Inspection 28351 Schoenherr Road, Warren, MI

Temporary Job Site Inspection

PROGRAM SCOPE

The licensee operated two cardiology clinics in Clinton Township and Warren, Michigan, with authorization to use byproduct materials in Sections 35.100 and 35.200. The facility in Warren, Michigan, was staffed with two part-time nuclear medicine technologists and operated Wednesday through Friday. The technologists typically administered 80 diagnostic doses monthly, exclusively cardiac procedures using technetium-99m unit doses received from a licensed nuclear pharmacy. All waste was either held for decay-in-storage (DIS) or returned to the nuclear pharmacy.

Performance Observations

The inspector observed one diagnostic administration of licensed material, including dose preparation and disposal, as well as daily and weekly contamination surveys and package surveys. Licensee staff demonstrated morning checks and other procedures. The inspector noted no concerns with these activities. Interviews with licensee personnel indicated adequate knowledge of radiation safety concepts and procedures. The inspector performed independent and confirmatory radiation measurements, which indicated results consistent with licensee survey records and postings.