



Materials Inspection Report

1. Licensee/Location Inspected: Ascension River District Hospital 4100 River Rd. East China, MI, 48054 Report Number(s) 2024-001	2. NRC/Regional Office Region III U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 2056 Westings Avenue, Suite 400 Naperville, IL 60563-2657
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3. Docket Number(s) 030-31795	4. License Number(s) 21-26213-01	5. Date(s) of Inspection 12/12/2024
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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. During this inspection, certain of your activities, as described below and/or attached, were in violation of NRC requirements, and were assessed at Severity Level IV, in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy.

A. 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, corrective action was or is being taken, and the remaining criteria in the NRC Enforcement Policy were satisfied.
 (Non-cited violation(s) was/were discussed involving the following requirement(s))

B. The following violation(s) is/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 AND DATE
LICENSEE'S REPRESENTATIVE		
NRC INSPECTOR	Daniel Fiedorek	DANIEL FIEDOREK <small>Digitally signed by DANIEL FIEDOREK Date: 2024.12.30 13:32:10 -06'00'</small>
BRANCH CHIEF	Rhex Edwards	 <small>Digitally signed by RHEX EDWARDS Date: 2025.01.07 07:35:13 -06'00'</small>



Materials Inspection Record

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4. Report Number(s): 2024-001			5. Date(s) of Inspection: 12/12/2024		
6. Inspector(s): Daniel Fiedorek		7. Program Code(s): 02121	8. Priority: 5	9. Inspection Guidance Used: 87130	
10. Licensee Contact Name(s): Jan Vincent		11. Licensee E-mail Address: jan.vincent@ascension.org		12. Licensee Telephone Number(s): 810-329-7111	

13. Inspection Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial		14. Locations Inspected: <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid		15. Next Inspection Date (MM/DD/YYYY):	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Routine	<input type="checkbox"/> Announced	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main Office	<input type="checkbox"/> Field Office	12/12/2029	
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Routine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unannounced	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Job Site	<input type="checkbox"/> Remote	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Extended
				<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced	<input type="checkbox"/> No change

16. Location(s) Inspected List:
4100 River Rd.
East China, MI, 48054

17. Scope and Observations:

This was an unannounced routine inspection of a small community hospital in East China, MI. At the time of the inspection the nuclear medicine department at the hospital was open on Tuesdays and Thursdays, performing approximately one to three studies per day. The licensee primarily does cardiac studies but does occasional bone scans, lung scans, and diagnostic iodine-123 administrations. The licensee had one nuclear medicine technologist on staff and retained a medical physics consultant for quarterly audits and instrument calibrations. The inspection consisted of a review of licensee records and a facility tour. One cardiac stress administration was observed.

The inspector reviewed records of the physicist quarterly audits, weekly wipes, daily surveys, dose logs, daily instrument checks, dosimetry, survey meter calibration, quarterly instrument calibrations, sealed source inventory, and leak tests. No issues were identified from the records review.

The inspector also toured the licensee hot lab, injection area, and stress room. Independent surveys taken using a Radeye G survey meter (Calibrated 4/5/2024, S/N 30713) showed no elevated radiation levels. During the tour the licensee verified the location of sealed sources from the latest inventory. The licensee also demonstrated package receipt procedures and daily instrument checks. The inspector also discussed spill procedures and radiation safety principles with the licensee and found the nuclear medicine technologist to have adequate knowledge of both. One cardiac stress test administration was observed. No issues were identified from the facility tour.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified from this inspection.

Signature and Date - Branch Chief



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From: [Porzondek, Carol](#)
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Subject: [External_Sender] Re: NRC Inspection of Ascension River District
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2025 9:59:40 AM
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Thank you Daniel. I was able to open the document.

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From: Daniel Fiedorek <Daniel.Fiedorek@nrc.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 7, 2025 9:42 AM
To: jan.vincent@ascension.org <jan.vincent@ascension.org>; Porzondek, Carol <cporzon2@hfhs.org>
Subject: NRC Inspection of Ascension River District

Carol and Jan,

Please see the attached form 591M documenting my inspection of Ascension River District Hospital in December. As discussed during the exit meeting, no violations were identified and no actions other than keeping a copy of the report are required on your end. I would however appreciate if you could send me an email confirming you are able to open the document. If you have any questions please feel free to reach out.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC’s “Rules of Practice,” a copy of this letter, its enclosure, and your response, if you choose to provide one, will be made available electronically for public inspection in the NRC’s Public Document Room or from the NRC’s Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), accessible

from the NRC's website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. To the extent possible, your response should not include any personal privacy, proprietary, or safeguards information so that it can be made publicly available without redaction.

Thanks!

Daniel

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