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| <b>Business Name</b>    | Lake Whatcom Residential & Treatment Ctr. | <b>Provider Number</b> | 000601           |
| <b>Address</b>          | 3400 AGATE HEIGHTS RD ,                   | <b>Approval Status</b> | Approved         |
| <b>City, State, Zip</b> | Bellingham, WA 98226                      | <b>Facility Type</b>   | Residential Care |

On 04/24/2024 the Office of the State Fire Marshal conducted an inspection at your facility.

All violations noted during previous related inspection(s) have been corrected.

Owner or Owner's Representative

  
Signature

Linda Dunn Clinical Supervisor  
Print Name and Title

Deputy State Fire Marshal Brandon G. Brown  
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| Code Requirement | Statement of Violation |
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1 Listing

603.5.1 Listing. Relocatable power taps shall be listed in accordance with UL 1363. Current taps shall be listed and labeled in accordance with UL 498A.

(IFC 0603.5.1, 2021)

There was multi-plug adapter that does not have over current protection in use in the downstairs exam room.

2 Extension Cords

Extension cords. Extension cords shall not be a substitute for permanent wiring and shall be listed and labeled in accordance with UL 817. Extension cords shall not be affixed to structures, extended through walls, ceilings or floors, or under doors or floor coverings, nor shall such cords be subject to environmental damage or physical impact. Extension cords shall be used only with portable appliances. Extension cords marked for indoor use shall not be used outdoors..

(IFC 603.6 2021)

1. There was an extension cord utilized as permanent wiring in the downstairs kitchen.
2. There was an extension cord utilized as permanent wiring in the downstairs exam room.

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| <b>3 Where Required</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <p>606.2 Where required. A Type I hood shall be installed at or above all commercial cooking appliances and domestic cooking appliances used for commercial purposes that produce grease laden vapors.</p> <p>EXCEPTIONS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Factory-built commercial exhaust hoods that are listed and labeled in accordance with UL 710, and installed in accordance with Section 304.1 of the International Mechanical Code, shall not be required to comply with Sections 507.1.5, 507.2.3, 507.2.5, 507.2.8, 507.3.1, 507.3.3, 507.4, and 507.5 of the International Mechanical Code.</li><li>2. Factory-built commercial cooking recirculating systems that are listed and labeled in accordance with UL 710B, and installed in accordance with Section 304.1 of the International Mechanical Code, shall not be required to comply with Sections 507.1.5, 507.2.3, 507.2.5, 507.2.8, 507.3.1, 507.3.3, 507.4, and 507.5 of the International Mechanical Code. Spaces in which such systems are located shall be considered to be kitchens and shall be ventilated in accordance with Table 403.3.1.1 of the International Mechanical Code. For the purpose of determining the floor area required to be ventilated, each individual appliance shall be considered as occupying not less than 100 square feet (9.3 m2).</li><li>3. Where cooking appliances are equipped with integral down-draft exhaust systems and such appliances and exhaust systems are listed and labeled for the application in accordance with NFPA 96, a hood shall not be required at or above them.</li><li>4. A Type I hood shall not be required for an electric cooking appliance where an approved testing agency provides documentation that the appliance effluent contains 5 mg/m3 or less of grease when tested at an exhaust flow rate of 500 cfm (0.236 m3/s) in accordance with UL 710B.</li><li>5. A Type I hood shall not be required to be installed in an R-2 occupancy with not more than 16 residents.</li></ol> | <p>Residential hood that vents directly out has a large amount of grease build up which indicates that the residential cooking appliance is being used in a manner that produces grease vapors without the proper hood system installed.</p> |

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| (IFC 607.2 2018 WAC 51-54A)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>4 Cleaning</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Hoods, grease-removal devices, fans, ducts and other appurtenances shall be cleaned at intervals as required by Sections 607.3.3.1 through 607.3.3.3.<br><br>(IFC 607.3.3 2018)                                                                                                                               | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the semi-annual hood cleaning.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>5 Testing and Maintenance</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Sprinkler systems shall be tested and maintained in accordance with Section 901.<br><br>(IFC 903.5 2021)                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 1. Facility is unable to provide documentation for the annual sprinkler system inspection.<br><br>2. Facility is unable to provide documentation for the 5 year internal piping inspection.<br><br>3. Facility is unable to provide documentation for the annual backflow forward flow test in accordance with NFPA 25. |
| <b>6 Extinguishing System Service</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Automatic fire-extinguishing systems shall be serviced not less frequently than every six months and after activation of the system. Inspection shall be by qualified individuals, and a certificate of inspection shall be forwarded to the fire code official upon completion.<br><br>(IFC 904.13.5.2 2021) | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the semi-annual kitchen suppression system servicing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>7 Inspection, Testing and Maintenance</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| The maintenance and testing schedules and procedures for fire alarm and fire detection systems shall be in accordance with Sections 907.8.1 through 907.8.5 and NFPA 72. Records of inspection, testing and maintenance shall be maintained.<br><br>(IFC 907.8 2021)                                          | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the annual fire alarm system testing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>8 Maintenance</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Carbon monoxide alarms and carbon monoxide detection systems shall be maintained in accordance with NFPA 72. Carbon monoxide alarms and carbon monoxide detectors that become inoperable or begin producing end-of-life signals shall be replaced.<br><br>(IFC 915.6 2021 WAC)                                | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the monthly carbon monoxide detector testing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |

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| <b>9 Activation Test</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                   |
| Emergency lighting equipment shall be tested monthly for a duration of not less than 30 seconds. The test shall be performed manually or by an automated self-testing and self-diagnostic routine. Where testing is performed by self-testing and self-diagnostics, a visual inspection of the emergency lighting equipment shall be conducted monthly to identify any equipment displaying a trouble indicator or that has become damaged or otherwise impaired.<br><br>(IFC 1032.10.1 2021)                                                                                                                                                                             | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the monthly 30 second activation test for the emergency lights.                   |
| <b>10 Power Test</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                   |
| Battery-powered emergency lighting equipment shall be tested annually by operating the equipment on battery power for not less than 90 minutes.<br><br>(IFC 1031.10.2 2021)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the annual 90 minute power test for the emergency lights.                         |
| <b>11 Maintenance</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                   |
| Emergency and standby power systems shall be maintained in accordance with NFPA 110 and NFPA 111 such that the system is capable of supplying service within the time specified for the type and duration required.<br><br>(IFC 1203.4 2021)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Facility is unable to provide documentation for the annual servicing of the emergency generator.                                  |
| <b>12 Fire Drills</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                   |
| In all Group I, Group E, and Group R2 Occupancies licensed by the state and inspected by the state fire marshal's office, at least twelve planned and unannounced fire drills shall be held every year.<br>(1) Drills shall be conducted quarterly on each shift in Group I and Group R2, Occupancies and monthly in Group E Occupancies to familiarize personnel with signals and emergency action required under varied conditions.<br>(2) A detailed written record of all fire drills shall be maintained and available for inspection.<br>(3) When drills are conducted between 9:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m., a coded announcement may be used instead of audible alarms. | Facility cannot provide documentation for the completion of twelve planned and unannounced fire drills in the previous 12 months. |

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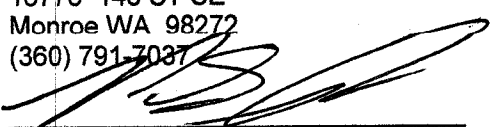
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