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To: Illinois Hospital / Clinic and Ambulatory Surgical Centers

From: Illinois Department of Public Health

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Subject: Hospital and ASTC Notification of Required Facility Policy-Surgical Smoke Plume Evacuation System

Surgical Smoke Plume Evacuation System – P.A. 102-0533 – Under the legislation, hospitals and ambulatory surgical treatment centers are required to adopt a policy to ensure the elimination of surgical smoke plume by use of a surgical smoke plume evacuation system for each procedure that generates surgical smoke plume from the use of energy-based devices. Each facility must submit a notification to the Department in a letter identifying the date of the adoption of the facility's policy.

Hospitals are required to report to the Department that the Hospital has adopted and implemented a policy to meet the Hospital Licensing Requirements at Title 77 Ill Adm Code 250.1325

Ambulatory Surgical Treatment Centers (ASTC) that the ASTC has adopted and implemented a policy to meet the Ambulatory Surgical Treatment Center Licensing Requirements at Title 77 Ill Adm Code 205.410.

All providers shall send reports to IDPH email account DPH.HospitalReports@illinois.gov or mail to Illinois Department of Public Health, HCF&P, 525 West Jefferson St, 4th Floor, Springfield, IL 62671.

Please direct any further questions to karen.senger@illinois.gov

Link to regulations Hospital Title 77 Ill Adm. Code 250

https://www.ilsos.gov/departments/index/register/volume46/register_volume46_issue_3_8.pdf

Link to regulations Ambulatory Surgical Treatment Center Title 77 Ill Adm. Code 205

https://www.ilsos.gov/departments/index/register/volume46/register_volume46_issue_1_2.pdf