K 050  NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE STANDARD

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Fire drills are held at unexpected times under varying conditions, at least quarterly on each shift. The staff is familiar with procedures and is aware that drills are part of established routine. Responsibility for planning and conducting drills is assigned only to competent persons who are qualified to exercise leadership. Where drills are conducted between 9 PM and 6 AM a coded announcement may be used instead of audible alarms. 19.7.1.2

This STANDARD is met as evidenced by:
Based on record review of fire drills, it was determined that the facility failed to conduct 3 of 12 fire drills in 2010.

The findings included:
During record review on 1/18/11, the facility failed to provide a fire drill for the second shift of the first quarter of 2010; a third shift fire drill for the second quarter of 2010; and a second shift fire drill for the third quarter of 2010.

CORRECTIVE ACTION:
1. The facility will conduct fire drills quarterly on each shift and in accordance with the facility's fire plan.
2. The facility Maintenance Supervisor was inserviced on 1/20/11 to conduct fire drills quarterly on each shift.
3. The Administrator and Maintenance Supervisor will monitor monthly for compliance.

COMPLETION DATE: 02-04-11