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Emergency Eyewash & Shower Inspections

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What We Provide:

Organizations that work with hazardous materials including hospitals, laboratories, manufacturing facilities, and industrial sites rely on FMS for full onsite inspection, testing, and compliance evaluation of emergency eyewash stations and emergency showers. Eyewash and shower stations are evaluated for placement, accessibility, function, and documentation according to ANSI Z358.1, OSHA, The Joint Commission, and IPC standards.

Why Organizations Need Emergency Eyewash & Shower Inspections

Proper emergency eyewash and shower inspections ensure life-saving equipment is ready, accessible, and compliant:

- Equipment is located where hazards exist, including labs, chemical storage, and mechanical rooms
- Units are fully functional and immediately available in emergencies
- Compliance with ANSI/ISEA Z358.1-2014, OSHA 29 CFR 1910.151(c), TJC, and IPC standards is maintained
- Risk of injury or exposure is minimized
- Supports accreditation and regulatory requirements



Scope of Assessment



Onsite Equipment Assessment

Inspect all emergency eyewash stations and showers for placement, accessibility, clear signage, and structural condition.

Functional Performance Testing

Test units for hands-free operation, flow rates (eyewash ≥ 0.4 GPM, shower ≥ 20 GPM), water temperature (60–100°F), and continuous flow for fifteen minutes.

Records & Documentation Review

Examine weekly activation logs, annual inspection records, corrective action history, and staff training documentation.

Compliance Verification

Evaluate adherence to ANSI Z358.1, OSHA 1910.151(c), The Joint Commission EC.02.02.01 EP 5, and IPC Section 411 requirements.

Process

1 Preparation

Confirm scope, unit counts, and schedule; gather existing documentation and site access information.

2 On-Site Inspection

Perform physical walkthrough and assessment of all emergency eyewash and shower units.

4 Reporting and Recs

Compile a detailed inspection report with unit-by-unit findings, photos, and corrective recommendations.

3 Testing and Verification

Conduct functional testing and evaluate operational performance and compliance with standards.