

Hazardous Materials and Operations

Lawrence Hospital has a comprehensive Health & Safety (H&S) program to address the health and safety of its employees and patients as well as to ensure compliance with the complex regulatory environment. Additionally, NYSDOH regulates medical procedures, treatment regimes, material handling, medical waste handling, and proper equipment protocols. Lawrence Hospital has developed a Hazardous Material policy as one element of its H&S program. The Hazardous Material policy includes proper procedure and protocols for regulated medical waste, municipal solid waste, recyclable waste, universal waste, and hazardous waste. See attachment F for further policy and procedures. Lawrence Hospital's Cancer Care program is accredited by the American College of Surgeons with Commendation.

The elevator tower adjacent the proposed addition provides structural support for panel antennas operated by Verizon Wireless, Nextel, and Sprint. These antennas are approximately 50' above the proposed roof garden above the second floor of the proposed addition. However, this proximity to the roof garden does not pose a health risk or hazard as indicated in the report prepared by Pinnacle Telecom Group, LLC . See Attachment M.