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| ARCHITECTURAL | | | | | |
| 810 | 02 | Landscaping | All | Rain Water Sensor: Include rain water sensor feature to reduce unnecessary water use. | Specification |
| 000 | 04 | Masonry | All | Chases: All chases shall be accessible for maintenance. Provide an access panel for personnel entry. | Drawing |
| 335 | 08 | Coiling Doors | All | Coiling Fire Doors: Provide motors for coiling fire doors. | |
| 345 | 12 | Laboratory Casework Systems | All | Fume Hoods: Delete fire extinguishers from fume hoods. | Specification |
| 210 | 14 | Traction Elevators | All | Controls System Integration: Provide features and accessories to facilitate remote monitoring of elevators at Thyssen-Sound Central Monitoring System in the Fairview Building Engineering Office LF-102. | Drawing and specification |
| MECHANICAL | | | | | |
| 000 | 15 | General Mechanical Requirements | All | Submittals: Exceptions to contract documents must be so Noted and included in the first page of the material or equipment submittal. Failing this, the owner or Engineer reserve the right to enforce document requirements at no additional cost to the owner at any point in the project. | Specification and submittal |
| 000 | 15 | General Mechanical Requirements | All | Asbuilts: Asbuilt submittal shall include one full and two half size prints and two CD copies in both .DWG and PDF formats. | Specification |
| 000 | 15 | General Mechanical Requirements | All | Balancing Resolution Log: Mechanical contractor shall maintain a log of all issues raised by the balancer. The log shall be in a spreadsheet format to include: issue description, date identified, responsibility and date corrected. This log shall be distributed to the owner and Engineer and updated weekly. | Specification |
| 000 | 15 | General Mechanical Requirements | All | Training: Consult with Facilities Engineering for training requirements for users and operating engineers. | Specification |
| 005 | 15 | Motors | All | Motor Bearings: Three phase motors 50 HP and less shall have permanently lubricated and sealed motor bearings. The only exceptions to this are at chiller and elevator motors. Motors larger than 50 HP shall have regreasible bearings. | Specification and submittal |

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| 010 | 15 | Variable Frequency Drives | All | Manufacturers: Allowable manufacturers are Dan Foss Graham and ABB. | Specification and submittal |
| 010 | 15 | Variable Frequency Drives | All | Bypass Feature: Include a bypass feature with a manual reset. | Specification and submittal |
| 010 | 15 | Variable Frequency Drives | All | Controls System Integration: Specify vendor specific features or accessories that will allow drive to function according to Siemens specification section- "Sequence of Operation". | Specification |
| 030 | 15 | Mechanical Systems Insulation | All | Piping Inside Air Handling Units: Chilled and heating water piping inside AHU's not insulated from the factory shall be insulated by the mechanical contractor. Heating water piping insulation shall be glass fiber and chilled water piping insulation shall be closed cell elastomeric. | Specification |
| 075 | 15 | Mechanical Systems Identification | All | Piping Systems: Identification of piping and ductwork systems shall match contract drawing designations for new building construction and existing system designations for remodels. | Shop drawings |
| 075 | 15 | Mechanical Systems Identification | All | Terminal Box: Terminal box shall be named to correspond with the room location for the thermostat. | Drawing |
| 084 | 15 | Mechanical Systems Firestopping | All | Firestopping Color: Firestopping shall be RED in color. | Specification |
| 100 | 15 | Sanitary Waste and Storm Drainage Systems | All | Storm and Sanitary Sumps: Storm and sanitary pumps shall be submersible type and mounted on a rail system that will facilitate removal without requiring a confined space permit. | Drawing and specification |
| 100 | 15 | Sanitary Waste and Storm Drainage Systems | All | Storm and Sanitary Pumps: Indicate lifting eye in structure above to facilitate removal of sump pumps. | Drawing |
| 140 | 15 | Corrosion Resistant Waste and Vent System | A,B,C,D,M | Piping Joints: All drain piping must be socket welded except last joint to sink may be mechanical. Vent piping may be either socket welded or mechanical. | Specification |
| 150 | 15 | Gas Piping | All | Earthquake Valves: Provide a 3-valve bypass for automatic earthquake valves for testing and maintenance. | Drawing |
| 160 | 15 | Material Specialties | All | Pressure Reducing Valves: For "non-flowing" systems such as chilled and process cooling water, PRV's shall be pilot operated type and rated for "dead end service". PRV's for flowing systems such as domestic and lab hot and cold water can be internal pilot operated. | Specification |
| 170 | 15 | Heat Tracing | All | Thermostat Control: Add ambient sensing for control of all heat tracing used for freeze protection. | Specification |
| 190 | 15 | Plumbing Fixtures | A,B,C,D,M | Faucet aerators in restrooms shall be low flow type rated at 0.5 GPM max. | Specification |

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| 190 | 15 | Plumbing Fixtures | SCCA | Faucet spouts in patient rooms shall be "laminar flow" type. | Specification |
| 260 | 15 | High Purity Water System Equipment | All | Tempering Valve: Provide tempered hot and cold water inlet for this system. | Drawing |
| 280 | 15 | Automatic Fire Sprinkler Systems | All | Only welded and threaded pipe connections are allowable. Saddle type branch connections are not acceptable. | Specification |
| 280 | 15 | Automatic Fire Sprinkler Systems | All | Flexible hose assemblies are acceptable at final connection to sprinkler heads. Hose assemblies shall be all stainless steel braided hose and UL rated. | Specification |
| 280 | 15 | Automatic Fire Sprinkler Systems | All | Dry pipe systems shall use schedule 40 piping. | Specification |
| 340 | 14 | Laboratory Vacuum Piping System | All | Vacuum Exhaust Trap: Provide a trap at the vacuum exhaust outlet to prevent condensate from the exhaust piping from reentering the pumps when off. | Drawing |
| 360 | 15 | Laboratory Compressed Air System | All | Air Dryer: Include heated air drying feature and moisture sensing controls for dessicant air dryers to minimize wasted compressed air during regeneration process. | Drawing and specification |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Hydronic System Drain and Fill: Provide means for quickly draining and filling all hydronic systems with valved connection at low points. | Drawing and specification |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Reheat Coil Piping: Add bypass tee or other provision ahead of reheat coil piping to allow coil to be bypassed for flushing procedure. Accessories also to be bypassed are wye strainer, circuit setter and control valve. | Drawing and specification |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Demolition: All unused piping shall be removed back to the main header and capped. Hangars shall also be removed. | Drawing |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Tempering Valves: Add check valves to both cold and hot water inlets to water tempering valves. | Drawing and specification |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Section Cuts: Complex areas such as boiler and chiller rooms and penthouses shall have a minimum of two section cuts to facilitate piping plans for these spaces. | Drawing |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Saddle connections to piping: Saddle connections shall be soldered, welded or threaded. Saddles employing a gasketed clamp are not acceptable. | Specifications |
| 510 | 15 | Pipe and Pipe Fittings | All | Chilled Piping Inside AHU's: Chilled water piping inside air handlers shall be copper due continuous presence of moisture. | Drawing and specification |
| 520 | 15 | Valves | All | Full Port Ball Valves: All ball valves shall be fully ported. | Specification |
| 520 | 15 | Valves | All | Branch Valves: Provide branch valves at every floor for hydronic, potable and non potable water systems. | Drawing and specification |

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| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Automatic Air Vents: Provide at all piping drops in recirculating systems. Pipe vents to drain. | Specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | EMCS Sensor Locations: Provide pressure and temperature gauges at all EMCS temperature and pressure sensor locations in piping and ducts. Coordinate locations with controls contractor. | Specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Compression Tank Access: Provide clearance overhead at compression tanks of 150% of tank height to facilitate removal of internal bladder. | Drawing and specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Pressure Gauges: Provide a pressure gauge at both sides of all basket strainers, water filters, gas regulating valves and water pressure regulating valves. | Drawing and specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Circuit setters shall be as manufactured by Tour & Anderson. | Specifications |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Tempering Valves: Add a temperature gauge to the outlet side of all water tempering valves. | Drawing and specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Pipe Expansion Joints: Eliminate expansion joints where possible and use expansion elbows or "U-bends". When expansion joints are necessary, show all pipe guides and anchors as recommended by the Expansion Joint Manufacturer's Association (EJMA). | Drawing |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Circuit Setters and Flow Measurement Devices: Devices shall be sized as recommended by the manufacturer for intended flow. Line size devices may not always be correct. | Drawing and specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Strainers: Provide 100 mesh screen in all strainers ahead of solenoid valves and fuel oil pumps. | Specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Devices at Pumps: Valves, check valve, balancing valve and flexible connectors shall be full line size before reducing to pump connection size. | Specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Chemical Pot Feeders: All heating, chilled and process cooling water systems shall be provided with chemical pot feeders. | Drawing and specification |
| 530 | 15 | Piping Specialties | All | Polishing Filters: Add polishing filters to heating and reheat systems and to cooling side of process cooling water systems. | Drawing |
| 600 | 15 | Primary Heating Equipment | All | Blend Pump: Include a blend pump as an accessory for all Scotch Marine boilers | Drawing and specification |
| 600 | 15 | Primary Heating Equipment | All | Boiler Minimum Temperature: Provide sensors and controls to initiate lag boiler operation whenever boiler temperature falls below 150 degrees F. | Specification |
| 600 | 15 | Primary Heating Equipment | All | Oil Fired Boilers: Oil fired boilers shall be provided with supply and return side oil meters. | Specification |

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| 610 | 15 | Primary Cooling Equipment | All | Controls Integration: Specify options or accessories for vendor specific control panel that will interface with Siemens specification section -"Sequence of Operation". | Specification |
| 610 | 15 | Primary Cooling Equipment | All | Evaporative Cooling Towers: Add VSD's to evaporative cooling towers for maintenance and energy considerations. | Drawing |
| 620 | 15 | Coils | All | Coil Velocity: Velocity at heating and cooling coils shall not exceed 300 FPM. | Specification and drawing |
| 630 | 15 | Pumps | All | Impeller Size Selection: For VAV pump systems, impellers selected shall be suitable for each of three operating conditions: Future maximum design flow (GPM), operating flow and 50% of operating flow. Submittals shall include actual pump curves for each condition. | Specification, drawing & submittals |
| 670 | 15 | Chemical Treatment Systems | All | Glycol Systems: Where freeze protection is required for hydronic systems, only propylene glycol shall be used. The only exception to this is at emergency generator cooling where jacket water comes in contact with antifreeze. In this case, ethylene glycol shall be used. | Specification and drawing |
| 700 | 15 | Packaged Air Handling Units | All | Controls Integration: Specify options or accessories for vendor specific control panel that will interface with Siemens specification section -"Sequence of Operation". | Specification |
| 720 | 15 | Self Contained Air Conditioning Units | All | Controls Integration: Specify options or accessories for vendor specific control panel that will interface with Siemens specification section -"Sequence of Operation". | Specification |
| 720 | | Self Contained Air Conditioning Units | All | Computer Room Air Conditioning Unit (CRAC) Graphical Display: The display panel and controller shall have both cumulative and 24 hour graphical trending capability of individual components including each compressor, fan, humidifier, reheat, alarms and "free cooling". | Specification and drawing |
| 730 | 15 | Factory-Fabricated Custom Air Handling Units | All | Fan and Motor Access: Assure that doors are large enough to remove motor and fan wheel. | Specification and drawing |
| 730 | 15 | Factory-Fabricated Custom Air Handling Units | All | Fan and Motor Access: Provide I-beam overhead above fan motor to facilitate removal. Beam shall start above center of motor and shall extend to the center of access door. Provide I-beam for motors 25 HP and above. | Specification and drawing |
| 730 | 15 | Factory-Fabricated Custom Air Handling Units | All | Serviceable Belt Guards: Refer to drawing detail for belt guard requirements. | Specification |

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| 730 | | Factory-Fabricated Custom Air Handling Units | All | Features: Special construction features shall include: double sloped drain pans, motor removal rail to cabinet door, sliding racks for prefilters, all filters upstream loaded, extended grease lines where applicable, access doors open such that pressure effects seal, access doors sized for removal of largest internal component, receptacles located inside motor sections, cooling coil drain pan extending 2 feet downstream of cooling coil, magnehelic pressure gauge at each filter section, gaskets or boots at all factory and field cabinet penetrations (caulking not acceptable) | Drawing and specification |
| 740 | 15 | Humidification Equipment | All | Dispersion: Humidifiers for vivarium spaces shall be configured for complete absorption within a distance of 18 inches downstream of humidifier dispersion tubes. Dispersion tubes shall be vertical. | Drawings |
| 740 | 15 | Humidification Equipment | All | Humidifier Steam Pressure: Do not exceed 20 PSIG steam supply pressure for humidifiers. | Drawings |
| 800 | 15 | Fans | All | Wheel Size Selection: For VAV fan systems, wheels selected shall be suitable for each of three operating conditions: Future maximum design CFM, operating CFM and 50% of operating CFM. Submittals shall include actual fan curves for each condition. | Specification, drawing & submittals |
| 800 | 15 | Fans | All | Wheel Selection: Whenever a fan wheel class selection is near the upper range of its maximum allowable RPM, increase the fan selection class (i.e. Select Class III over Class II). Wheels selected shall have the capability of increasing future RPM by 30%. | Specification and drawing |
| 800 | 15 | Fans | All | Extended grease lines for bearings: Provide extended grease lines for all fan bearings where not accessible without removing a protective cage. Do not provide extended grease lines where fan bearings are accessible. | Specification |
| 800 | 15 | Fans | All | Adjustable Sheaves: Adjustable sheaves are not allowed for any fans or fan motors. Use only fixed sheaves. | Specification |
| 800 | 15 | Fans | All | Booster Fan: Where devices such as a vented biosafety cabinet in a fume exhaust system drives manifolded exhaust fan static pressure, add a booster fan for that device. | Drawing |
| 830 | 15 | Air Terminal Devices | All | A single air terminal device shall serve no more than four spaces. These spaces shall be similar in use and exposure. | Drawing |
| 830 | 15 | Air Terminal Devices | All | Union at Reheat Coils: Provide one union at coil connection to reheat coils. Install union to facilitate removal of reheat coil control valve. | Drawing |
| 850 | 15 | Ductwork | All | Duct Sizing: Round up not down when sizing ducts. | Drawing |

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| 850 | 15 | Ductwork | All | Duct Demolition: Unused ductwork shall be removed back to the main trunk and capped. Hangars shall be removed also. | Drawing |
| 860 | 15 | Ductwork Specialties | All | Fire/Smoke Damper: Include accessory device for remote monitoring of damper position for both "open" and "closed" positions. | Specification |
| 860 | 15 | Ductwork Specialties | All | Remote Controlled Damper Operator: Use only direct coupled shaft or right angle gear drive operators for remote controlled dampers. Cable operated devices are not acceptable. | Specification |
| 902 | 15 | Control Valves and Dampers | All | Terminal Box Actuators: Allowable manufacturer for terminal box actuators is: "Belimo", except where fast acting actuator is required for fume hood exhaust terminal. | Specification |
| 903 | 15 | Controls Instrumentation | All | Pressure Sensors: Label static pressure sensors and their controlled device including the corresponding fan or pump. | Specification |
| 903 | 15 | Controls Instrumentation | All | UPS: Add UPS power to all EMCS floor level controllers including MBC's, MEC's, etc. | Specification |
| 903 | 15 | Controls Instrumentation | All | Thread-o-lets: Coordinate locations with piping contractor for all required pressure and temperature sensors. Provide two thread-o-lets in each location: one for sensor and one for a temperature or pressure gauge for calibration purposes. Strap on type sensors are not acceptable. | Specification |
| 910 | 15 | Control Sequences | All | Lab Air Change Rate Setback: Provisions shall be included to reduce air change rates and temperatures in labs to 3 air changes when unoccupied. | Drawing and specification |
| 910 | 15 | Control Sequences | All | Fire/Smoke Dampers: Provide EMCS connection and programming to remotely indicate fire/smoke damper positions both open and closed. | Specification |
| 930 | 15 | Lab Data Acquisition Systems (LDAS) | All | Ultra Low Freezers: Alarms for ultra low freezers shall not be combined. Each freezer will be alarmed individually. | Specification |
| ELECTRICAL | | | | | |
| 000 | 16 | General Electrical Requirements | All | Training: Consult with facilities Engineering for training requirements for operating engineers. | Specification |
| 000 | 16 | General Electrical Requirements | All | Flush Mounted Electrical Panels: Flush mounted electrical panels shall have at least (3) 3/4-inch empty conduits to accessible space. | Specification |

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| 025 | 16 | Power Distribution Acceptance Tests | All | Completion Schedule: Electrical contractor shall submit a schedule for acceptance testing. Testing shall be complete 30 days prior to occupancy. Where specifications call for independent testing, electrical contractor testing shall not be considered an acceptable substitute. | Specification |
| 025 | 16 | Power Distribution Acceptance Tests | All | Motors: Motors 25 HP and larger shall be tested. Submit test results to Engineer and Owner. | Specification |
| 075 | 16 | Electrical Identification | All | Dedicated Receptacles: Dedicated receptacles shall be identified as "dedicated" on the faceplate. | Specification |
| 120 | 16 | Conductors | All | Ground Wires: Grounds for isolated ground equipment shall be green with a yellow stripe. | Specification |
| 250 | 16 | Automatic Transfer Switch | All | Bypass Isolation Switch: Include accessory bypass isolation switch for "standby" power". | Specification |
| 250 | 16 | Automatic Transfer Switch | All | Manufacturer: Include only ASCO as the allowable manufacturer or negotiate other manufacturer's out of project later to maintain campus standard (ie training/maint.) | Specification |
| 250 | 16 | Automatic Transfer Switch | All | A "transfer presignal to the elevator" feature shall be added to the ATS serving the elevators. Provide a wiring connection from the ATS to the elevator machine room. Commission prior to occupancy. | Drawing and specification |
| 425 | 16 | Switchboards | All | Infrared Testing: Infrared testing of switchboards shall be performed after building is substantially occupied. | Specification |
| 425 | 16 | Switchboards | All | Adjustable Trip Settings: The electrical engineer shall provide calculated trip settings for adjustable trip breakers. | Drawing |
| 440 | 16 | Disconnect Switches | All | Allowable Manufacturer: Square D only. Hinged covers are required. | Specification |
| 440 | 16 | Disconnect Switches | All | Add local disconnect switch for all fire/smoke dampers. | Drawing and Specification |
| 470 | 16 | Panelboards | All exc. G | Spare Spaces: Provide a minimum of 25% spare space in all panelboards. Spares shall include 3 adjacent spare spaces for future addition of a TVSS device. | Drawing and specification |
| 470 | 16 | Panelboards | All | Allowable Manufacturer: Square D only. Hinged covers are required. | Specification |
| 475 | 16 | Distribution Panelboards | All | Allowable Manufacturer: Square D only | Specification |
| 510 | 16 | Lighting Fixtures | G | Patient Bathroom Lighting: Provide some minimum level of standby lighting for patient bathrooms. | Drawing |

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| 510 | 16 | Lighting Fixtures | All | Standby Power for Lighting and Receptacles: Ensure that there are lights and receptacles on standby power for critical locations such as mechanical and electrical rooms, generator room, control room and penthouses. Assure garage gates and doors have standby power. | Drawing |
| 510 | 16 | Lighting Fixtures | All | Exit Lights: All exit lights shall be green L.E.D. | Specification |
| 510 | 16 | Lighting Fixtures | All | Battery backup Lighting: Provide battery backup lighting for generator room and main switchboard room. | Drawing |
| 510 | 16 | Lighting Fixtures | All | Spare Ballasts: Provide one spare ballast where 10 or more fixtures are used. | Specification |
| 594 | 16 | Lighting Control Devices | A,B & C | Ultrasonic Occupancy Sensors: Do not use ultrasonic type occupancy sensors within 100 feet of holding rooms due to adverse effect upon animals. | Drawing |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Remote Annunciator Panel: Provide a remote generator annunciator panel in the EMCS Control Room CD-141. Panel shall indicate when generator operates and shall indicate individual alarms same as at generator panel. | Drawing and specification |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Standby System: Engine generator set shall be based upon standby ratings and not continuous ratings. | Specification |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Battery Charger Alarm: Generator battery charger shall be alarmed at the EMCS. | Specification |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Spare Lugs: Include a spare set of lugs at the genset for both load bank testing and portable generator deployment. | Specification |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Load Bank Testing: Include performance testing of the generator utilizing a load bank test that records voltage and amps over time with both the addition and removal 25, 50, 75 and 100% loads. Engineer to review and approve results. | Specification |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Commissioning: ATS and generator system commissioning shall be completed 30 days prior to occupancy. | Specification |
| 620 | 16 | Standby Electrical Systems | All | Battery Charger Disconnect: Provide a lockable disconnect for the battery charger input. | Specification. |
| 722 | 16 | Multiplexed Fire Alarm Detection System | All | Submittal and Asbuilt Drawings: Contractor's drawings shall include a "Sequence of Operations" matrix. | Specification |
| 722 | 16 | Multiplexed Fire Alarm Detection System | All | Duct Smoke Detectors: Use dispersion type duct detectors in ducts with sealed housing. | Specification |
| 722 | 16 | Multiplexed Fire Alarm Detection System | All | Boiler Operation Alarms: Provide alarm function for automatic boiler operation including individual alarms for low water cutoff, high temperature alarm and flame failure. | Specification |