Australasian Health Facility Guidelines

Room Data Sheet





Laundry - Mental Health

| Room Code | LAUN-MH |
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| Briefed Area | 6.00 m² |
| Ceiling Height | 2.7 m |
| Occupancy | 1 patient; 1 staff |
| Hours of Operation | 8am to 6pm, daily (may vary depending on operational models) |

Description

The Laundry - Mental Health provides the space and facilities for consumers to wash and dry clothing while staying in the Mental Health unit. Consumer access to this room and level of staff supervision is to be confirmed at project level to suit service requirements.

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| Electrical | PROTECTION: body protected PROTECTION: cardiac protected LIGHTING: general | 4 | HVAC | AIRCONDITIONING: general AIRCONDITIONING: HEPA filtered AIRCONDITIONING: positive pressure | |
| Lighting | LIGHTING: general LIGHTING: colour corrected LIGHTING: dimmable LIGHTING: indirect | | | AIRCONDITIONING: negative pressure VENTILATION: exhaust VENTILATION: supply VENTILATION: natural | |
| Nurse Call and Duress | NURSE CALL SYSTEM: buttons / handset NURSE CALL SYSTEM: annunciator DURESS: fixed DURESS: wireless coverage | | Medical Gas | MEDICAL GAS: general anaesthesia MEDICAL GAS: special care MEDICAL GAS: special care, neonatal ventilation MEDICAL GAS: birthing | |
| Security | ACCESS CONTROL: to door ACCESS CONTROL: to item / joinery INTERCOM: service communications INTERCOM: security and access control CCTV: camera coverage within room | | Hydraulic | WATER: drinking WATER: specialty DRAINAGE: sanitary DRAINAGE: specialty | |
| | INTRUSION DETECTION: door monitoring INTRUSION DETECTION: spatial monitoring | | Fire | DETECTION: smoke DETECTION: heat | |
| ICT and Audio Visual | AUDIO VISUAL: patient entertainment system AUDIO VISUAL: visitor experience system | | Shielding | SHIELDING: ionising radiation SHIELDING: magentic and radio frequency | |
| | AUDIO VISUAL: virtual collaboration system AUDIO VISUAL: clinical support system AUDIO VISUAL: digital operating room system | | Acoustics | SPEECH PRIVACY: not private ·······moderate ·······private ······ confidential NOISE SENSITIVITY: | |
| Accessibility | AUDIO: hearing augmentation VISUAL: luminance contrast SIGNAGE: accessible, statuatory | □ ✓ | | not sensitivemedium sensitivesensitive NOISE GENERATION: lowmoderatehighvery high | |

Additional Considerations

• Requirements for the selection of suitable finishes, hardware, fixtures and fittings of a type manufactured and marketed as anti-ligature (including any weight limits for load release for certain fixtures) must be confirmed at project level based on service requirements, patient safety policies, local design guidance, risk assessments and confirmation of operational models. This includes the door, door hardware, joinery surfaces, joinery hardware, engineering services outlets and any ceiling mounted fixtures and services. All tamper proof and anti-ligature items must be installed in accordance with their manufacturer's instructions. Anti-ligature fittings may require a performance solution to be provided for the room to meet accessibility requirements. This must be considered and addressed at project level to meet applicable legislation and standards (to be confirmed with the project accessibility and building code consultants).

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- •All glazing is to be Grade A safety glass to comply with AS/NZS 2208 and AS 1288. Toughened and laminated glass with a structural interlayer is recommended. Additional requirements for glazing are to be confirmed at project level to suit the specific mental health environment (i.e. non-acute, acute, intensive care).
- A second door may be required for safety and security; provision will be dependent on service requirements and local Work Health and Safety (WHS) policies. The location of the second door will be dependent on the overall floor plan and availability of an appropriate area to egress.
- This Standard Component shows a bench, laundry sink, and a domestic washing machine and dryer. Ironing facilities are not included, and provision will be based on operational models. The use and storage of clothes airers/drying racks may be considered, and inclusion would be based on a risk assessment and operational models.
- The selection of finishes in rooms for mental health units is to support provision of a welcoming, warm and therapeutic atmosphere and should aim to eliminate and institutional feel.
- The number of washing machines and dryers required will vary depending on the size of the unit and the operational models for handling patient laundry. Additional space will be required to accommodate any increase in the number of machines.
- While domestic washing machines and dryers are typically selected, the increased frequency of use compared to residential applications must be considered to ensure robustness and longevity of the selected items.
- Air conditioning and exhaust requirements are to be confirmed to suit the number of machines and anticipated frequency of use.
- A residual current device (RCD) has been shown within this room. Requirement for restricted access to RCDs as per AS/NZS 3003 is to be confirmed at project level. Where access needs to be restricted, RCDs may be consolidated in a staff area (e.g. at the staff station)
- Anti-pick caulking is recommended for finishing between surfaces.



Doors and Windows

| CODE | DESCRIPTION | COMMENT |
|--------------|--|---|
| DOHI-013.08 | DOOR: hinged, 1 leaf, 900 clear opening, solid, anti-ligature, standard vision panel | requirements for glazing in vision panel to be confirmed to suit the mental health environment |
| AFDPR-006.01 | DOOR PROTECTION: plate, to 900H | to both sides |
| AFDPR-056.01 | DOOR FRAME PROTECTION: full wrap, to 900H | optional; provision dependent on frame material and finish |
| DOHI-013.08 | DOOR: hinged, 1 leaf, 900 clear opening, solid, anti-ligature, standard vision panel | optional; secondary egress; provision dependent on local WHS policies; requirements for glazing in vision panel to be confirmed to suit the mental health environment |
| AFDPR-006.01 | DOOR PROTECTION: plate, to 900H | to both sides |
| AFDPR-056.01 | DOOR FRAME PROTECTION: full wrap, to 900H | optional; provision dependent on frame material and finish |
| WIFX-009.01 | WINDOW: fixed, internal, single glazed, sill at 1200H | requirements for glazing in vision panel to be confirmed to suit the mental health environment |



Finishes

| CODE | DESCRIPTION | COMMENT |
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| FLVY-112 | FLOOR FINISH: vinyl, seamless, non-slip, safety | |
| FLSK-022 | SKIRTING: vinyl, integral with floor vinyl, coved, tamper proof, anti-ligature | |
| WLFI-002 | WALL FINISH: paint, clinical areas | |
| WLFI-011.04 | WALL FINISH: vinyl, to 1500 AFFL | |
| CLFS-013 | CEILING: flush set, suspended, moisture resistant | |
| CLCN-031 | CORNICE: square set | |

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| CODE | DESCRIPTION | GROUP | QTY | COMMENT |
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| JOBE-031 | BENCH: 600D, laminate | 0 | 1 | |
| JOCU-121 | CUPBOARD: wall mounted, double door | 0 | 2 | lockable |
| JOCU-221 | CUPBOARD: under bench, double door | 0 | 1 | lockable |
| JOGE-001 | BULKHEAD: joinery | 0 | 1 | |
| JOSH-105 | SHELF UNIT: wall mounted, pigeonholes | 0 | 1 | |



Fittings, Furniture and Equipment (FF&E)

| CODE | DESCRIPTION | GROUP | QTY | COMMENT |
|----------|---|-------|-----|---|
| FQCL-101 | WASHING MACHINE: laundry, domestic, front loading | 3 | 1 | quantity to suit service requirements |
| FQCL-111 | DRYER: laundry, domestic | 3 | 1 | quantity to suit service requirements |
| FQCL-121 | PLINTH: washing machine, domestic | 3 | 1 | for improved reaching height to machine opening; as required to suit configuration and machines selected; washing machine may alternatively be floor standing |
| FQCL-141 | STACKING KIT: washing machine and dryer, domestic | 3 | 1 | as required to suit configuration and machines selected; dryer may alternatively be on a plinth or floor standing |
| FQWS-051 | BIN: general waste, 20L | 3 | 1 | size, type, quantity and distribution of waste bins will be dependent on service requirements, operational models for waste management and local IPC policies |
| HYBA-411 | SINK: laundry, single bowl | 1 | 1 | location of thermostatic mixing valve to be determined based on ability to share with nearby fixtures |
| HYTP-184 | TAPWARE: sink, tap set, wall mounted, anti-ligature | 0 | 1 | selection of sink and tapware should be coordinated to ensure compatibility |



Engineering Services

| DESCRIPTION | GROUP | QTY | COMMENT |
|--|--|---|--|
| GPO: single, wall mounted | 0 | 2 | 1 to washing machine; 1 to dryer |
| GPO: double, wall mounted | 0 | 1 | |
| RCD: residual current device, wall mounted | 1 | 1 | quantity and type to be confirmed to suit final power provisions |
| SWITCH: light | 0 | 1 | |
| DRAIN: floor waste, round, tamper proof, anti-ligature | 0 | 1 | |
| DIRECT CONNECTION: wastewater, general | 0 | 1 | to sink |
| OUTLET: water, cold | 0 | 1 | to washing machine |
| OUTLET: water, hot | 0 | 1 | to washing machine |
| DIRECT CONNECTION: water, cold | 0 | 1 | to sink |
| DIRECT CONNECTION: water, warm | 0 | 1 | to sink |
| READER: security, access control, proximity card, wall mounted | 0 | 1 | |
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