

**EXPRESS TERMS  
FOR  
PROPOSED BUILDING STANDARDS  
OF THE  
OFFICE OF STATEWIDE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT  
REGARDING PROPOSED CHANGES TO  
CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE  
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 24, PART 2**

**LEGEND FOR EXPRESS TERMS**

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**EXPRESS TERMS**

**CHAPTER 12  
INTERIOR ENVIRONMENT**

**~~1226.7 PRIMARY CARE CLINICS PROVIDING ABORTION SERVICES.~~** *Primary care clinics providing abortion services shall comply with the minimum requirements for primary care clinics in Section 1226.6 in addition to the following provisions:*

**~~1226.7.1 Treatment room.~~** *When provided, shall have a minimum area of 120 square foot (11.15 m<sup>2</sup>), the least dimension of which shall be 10 feet (3048 mm), excluding such spaces as vestibules and work counters.*

**~~Exception:~~** *Treatment rooms used for aspiration and/or medical abortion may be, as a minimum, sized as examination rooms.*

**~~1226.7.2 Post-abortion recovery area.~~** *Shall have a minimum area of 60 square foot (5.57 m<sup>2</sup>) per recovery bed, with cubicle curtains for patient privacy and comply with the following requirements:*

**~~1226.7.2.1 Clearances.~~**

- ~~1.~~ *The design shall provide a minimum clear dimension of 4 foot (1.22 meters) between the sides of adjacent lounge chairs and between the foot of the lounge chairs and the nearest obstruction.*
- ~~2.~~ *When permanent partitions (full or partial height or width) are used to partially define the patient care station (rather than cubicle curtains), a minimum clear dimension of 3 foot (914 mm) shall be provided on the sides of the lounge chair.*

**~~1226.7.3 Patient storage.~~** *Space for the storage of patient clothing and personal items.*

**~~1226.7.4 Counseling.~~** *A room or private area of at least 60 square foot (5.57 m<sup>2</sup>) for pre-abortion and post-abortion counseling.*

Notation

Authority: Health & Safety Code, Section 18944.18

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