

Planned Power Shutdown

Notice: Rolling Power Shutdowns, Sunday, December 14, 2014, 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., 300 Pasteur Drive.*

In order to activate electrical services for the new Steam Plant, 15 minute rolling power shutdowns will occur throughout Stanford Hospital (300 Pasteur Dr.) on Sunday, December 14, 2014.*

Electrical Shutdown: Sunday, December 14, 2014*

Fifteen minute rolling shutdowns will occur between 6:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. with normal power returning midday between shutdowns. Normal power is scheduled to resume at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday.

All floors (Ground Level through Fourth Level) will be affected by the shutdown. See the map included for the shutdown area.

All critical equipment should be rotated into red plugs by 6:00 a.m. on Sunday, December 14, 2014.

Date Sunday, December 14, 2014*

Time 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Type Normal power shutdown

Impacted Department Checklist:

- ✓ Critical Equipment: Rotate all critical equipment into red plugs by 6:00 a.m. on Sunday.
- Badge Readers: Iwork4SHC badge readers will be impacted by the shutdown. Use an alternative badge reader or record your time using a computer or C.O.W. in the nursing unit.
- ✓ Lighting: Expect dimmer lighting.
- ✓ Restrooms: Staff or visitors may need to use a flashlight due to dimmer lighting in restrooms.
- ✓ Ice: Ice machines will be down during the shutdown.
- ✓ Televisions: There will be no power to televisions during shutdown.

Emergency Contact for Staff

For immediate assistance during the shutdown, please contact the FSRC at 650-498-4400.

For questions in advance of the shutdown, contact Colton Walter at 650-725-6986 or cwalter@stanfordhealthcare.org.

^{*}Pending Sunday work, a 30 minute shutdown may occur at 7:00 a.m. on Monday, December 15, 2014 on all levels of the D, E and F Patient Units, and the F Pavilion, including clinical labs and operating rooms..



Frequently Asked Questions

Why is the power being shut down?

Stanford Health Care is activating electrical services for its new Steam Plant building which is being constructed near the Emergency Department. Brief, rolling shutdowns will allow crews to connect the Steam Plant to existing power at the hospital.

What is the purpose of the new Steam Plant?

The new Steam Plant will provide heat and hot water for hospital medical equipment sterilization, dining services and other hospital needs at both Stanford Hospital and Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Stanford. The Steam Plant is currently being constructed on the backside of the hospital near the Emergency Department.

How long will it last?

The 15 minute rolling shutdowns will occur between 6:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. with normal power returning midday between shutdowns.

Will it affect my experience at Stanford Hospital?

No. Stanford Hospital has an emergency power system that supports patient care areas in the event of normal power shutdowns, both planned and unplanned.

What if I need to charge something (phone, computer, etc.)?

The temporary shutdowns will occur in 15 minute intervals. Normal power to white plugs will return after the shutdown occurs.

Is this an emergency?

No. This is a planned power shutdown that is scheduled to allow construction crews to to activate the power for the hospitals' new Steam Plant.



