

# Trouves Health Care

TITLE:

HAZARDOUS DRUGS – ENGINEERING CONTROLS
AND MAINTENANCE

**POLICY 12.05** 

#### **PURPOSE:**

Maintenance of equipment used in storage and distribution of hazardous drugs.

# **SCOPE:**

All employees.

#### **POLICY:**

All equipment related to this hazardous drug program will be placed on a routine maintenance program to ensure proper functioning.

#### **PROCEDURE:**

Routine maintenance will be of a type and frequency that at a minimum meets manufacturer recommendations; additional type and frequency may be added at the discretion of the Administrator. All maintenance will be performed following all control procedures outlined on the hazard assessment form.

This facility accepts medications only packaged in single dose packaging eliminating the need for specialized engineering controls. This facility will accept responsibility for assisting with medications with **Moderate or High hazard levels only on a case by case basis.** 

### **EXCEPTIONS:**

No exceptions to this policy may be granted without the prior written approval of the Director.

### **SUPERCEDES:**

None