

SAFETY INSPECTION REPORT AND COMPLIANCE INSPECTION

1. LICENSEE/LOCATION INSPECTED

Advanced Cardiology Associates, P.C.
645 Barclay Circle
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

REPORT NUMBER(S) 2017001

2. NRC/REGIONAL OFFICE

Region III
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
2443 Warrenville Road, Suite 210
Lisle, IL 60532-4352

3. DOCKET NUMBER(S)

030-38550

4. LICENSE NUMBER(S)

21-32846-01

5. DATE(S) OF INSPECTION

December 19, 2017

LICENSEE:

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under your license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) rules and regulations and the conditions of your license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector. The inspection findings are as follows:

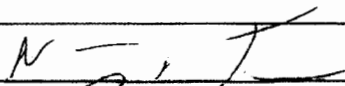
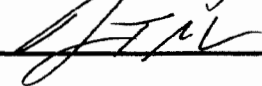
- ☒ 1. Based on the inspection findings, no violations were identified.
- ☐ 2. Previous violation(s) closed.
- ☐ 3. The violation(s), specifically described to you by the inspector as non-cited violations, are not being cited because they were self-identified, non-repetitive, and corrective action was or is being taken, and the remaining criteria in the NRC Enforcement Policy, to exercise discretion, were satisfied.

Non-cited violation(s) were discussed involving the following requirement(s):

4. During this inspection, certain of your activities, as described below and/or attached, were in violation of NRC requirements and are being cited in accordance with NRC Enforcement Policy. This form is a NOTICE OF VIOLATION, which may be subject to posting in accordance with 10 CFR 19.11.
(Violations and Corrective Actions)

Statement of Corrective Actions

I hereby state that, within 30 days, the actions described by me to the Inspector will be taken to correct the violations identified. This statement of corrective actions is made in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201 (corrective steps already taken, corrective steps which will be taken, date when full compliance will be achieved). I understand that no further written response to NRC will be required, unless specifically requested.

TITLE	PRINTED NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
LICENSEE'S REPRESENTATIVE			
NRC INSPECTOR	Navid Tehrani		12/19/17
BRANCH CHIEF	Aaron McCraw		02/28/2018

Docket File Information

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SUPPLEMENTAL INSPECTION INFORMATION

1. PROGRAM CODE(S) 02201	2. PRIORITY 5	3. LICENSEE CONTACT Michelle Kritzman - Consultant	4. TELEPHONE NUMBER (734) 662-3197
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☒ Main Office Inspection Next Inspection Date: 12/19/2022

☐ Field Office Inspection _____

☐ Temporary Job Site Inspection _____

PROGRAM SCOPE

This was an unannounced, routine inspection of a private cardiology practice authorized to use byproduct material for diagnostic medical purposes at clinics in Rochester Hills and Oxford, Michigan. At the time of the inspection, the licensee employed two full-time technologists who performed approximately 70 administrations per month in Rochester Hills (Tuesdays and Thursdays only, starting at 8 am) and 25 per month in Oxford (Mondays and Thursdays only, starting at 9 am). The licensee received unit doses from a local radiopharmacy, and retained the services of a consulting physicist who audited the radiation safety program on a quarterly basis.

PERFORMANCE OBSERVATIONS

This inspection consisted of interviews with licensee personnel, a review of selected records, a tour of the nuclear medicine department in Rochester Hills, and independent measurements. The inspector observed the administration of two unit doses for a cardiac stress test, and discussed with staff the implementation of licensee procedures for dose calibrator quality control, receipt of packages containing radioactive material, and area surveys. The inspector also reviewed documentation of dose administrations, area surveys, personnel dosimetry reports, and quarterly consultant audits.

No violations of NRC regulatory requirements were identified as a result of this inspection.