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## **GMHA Temporarily Suspends Visitation Amid Smoke Report**

**(Saturday, December 20, 2025; Tamuning, Guam)** Earlier today, staff observed smoke coming from one of the telemetry rooms on the third floor of our hospital. Out of an abundance of caution, our teams responded immediately by securing the area, relocating nearby patients and staff, and contacting the Guam Fire Department, which arrived promptly to assist. The Guam Power Authority is also on site supporting the assessment.

There is no confirmed fire at this time. The investigation into the source of the smoke remains ongoing, and our facilities team is working closely with GFD and GPA to determine the exact cause.

For the safety of our patients, visitors, and staff, visitation hours are temporarily suspended until further notice. We understand how important visitation is for families, and we will resume it as soon as it is safe to do so.

We will continue to share updates as more information becomes available.

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