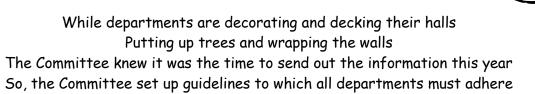


All the departments throughout the hospital Liked the Holiday Season a lot... But the EOC Committee (it seemed) For some reason did not!

The Committee was nervous Realizing the Holiday Season was here, And let's not forget - regulatory agencies are always near.



All artificial decorations, including wreaths and trees must be made out of non-combustible materials And proof of flammability rating we must see

No decorations can be hung or strung from fire sprinklers, ceilings or lights All electrical decorations or string lights are just NOT permitted It is even stated that one cannot be committed



It is even stated that one cannot be committed To decorating a large area or space With wrapping paper used to grace And cover the walls, deck the columns, wrap desks or floors And don't even think of covering the Code Red Barrier Doors



Last but not least all decorations and/or trees Should not be placed in corridors, landings or near these: Oxygen valves, circuit boxes, informational signs, areas of EXIT keep free, From covering as well as the fire extinguishers, blocked they should never be!

> Wait! There is one more thing to hold dear. Our decorations should not interrupt The quality of patient care For that is why we are all here.



The moral of the story is the EOC Committee does like the Season But what they do, they do for a reason Keeping everyone and the building safe Is a duty this Committee must face.

Have a Safe, Healthy and Happy Holiday Season!

