

**ERRATA SHEET FOR ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum a to  
ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE STANDARD 170-2017  
Ventilation of Health Care Facilities**

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The corrections listed in this errata sheet apply to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum a to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017. The first printing of Addendum a is identified on the outside back cover as “9/20”. Shaded items have been added since the previously published errata sheet dated September 16, 2020 was distributed.

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- 4**      **Table 7.1 Design Parameters – Inpatient Spaces (*Continued*).** For Behavioral and Mental Health Facilities change the Minimum Filter Efficiency for the two spaces listed in Table 7.1 from MERV-14 to MERV-8 as shown in the attached. These spaces were added by Addendum m to 170-2017.  
*(Note: Additions are shown in underline and deletions are shown in ~~strikethrough~~.)*

- 10**      **Normative Note v to Table 8.1 Design Parameter for Outpatient-Specific Spaces.** In Normative Note v to Table 8.1 change “See also Section 8.4.1(c).” to “See also Section 8.3.1(c).”. Section 8.4.1 was renumbered Section 8.3.1 by Addendum n to 170-2017.

**Table 7.1 Design Parameters—Inpatient Spaces (Continued)**

Function of Space (f)	Pressure Relationship to Adjacent Areas (n)	Minimum Outdoor ach	Minimum Total ach	All Room Air Exhausted Directly to Outdoors (j)	Air Recirculated by Means of Room Units (a)	Unoccupied Turndown	Minimum Filter Efficiencies (cc)	Design Relative Humidity (k), %	Design Temperature (l), °F/°C
BEHAVIORAL AND MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES (k)									
Patient bedroom, resident room (2.5–2.2.2)	NR	2	2	NR	NR	Yes	MERV-8 MERV-14	NR	NR
Seclusion room (2.5–2.24.3)	NR	4	2	NR	NR	Yes	MERV-8 MERV-14	NR	NR