Health Care Questions

1. Would it be permissible to run PVC in a slab to feed receptacles in a patient care area?

2. Do switches for general lighting need to have “redundant grounding” if they are in a patient care area?

3. Would lights in the patient care area require “redundant grounding”?

4. Would the NEC permit ½” flex to be ran between device boxes for receptacles in a patient care area?

5. Are the requirements of Article 517 applicable to veterinarian clinics?

6. Who is responsible for the determination of the level of patient care in a health care facility?

7. Do all receptacles at a patient bed location in a general care area need to be fed from the normal and emergency sources?

8. Is it necessary for all receptacles in a health care facility to have the “redundant grounding” required by 517.13?

9. Are receptacles located in an exam room of a patient care area required to be of the “hospital grade” type?

10. Is it permissible to use “health care cable” for an isolated-ground circuit feeding receptacles in a patient care area?