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SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN THIS VERSION:
1. Updated dates of publications under Article 1.5 Applicable Publications.
2. Deleted Spec Writer Note #5 on coversheet of spec section.
3. Added Article paragraph on Bio-Based Material under Part 2 Products
SECTION 06 20 00
FINISH CARPENTRY

SPEC WRITER NOTES:
1. Delete between //_______// if not applicable to project. Also delete any other item or paragraph not applicable in the section and renumber the paragraphs.
2. Use terminology as listed and coordinate drawings to use the same term.
3. This section includes custom fabricated architectural woodwork or millwork.
4. List additional items required by the project.

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION
A. This section specifies exterior and interior millwork.
B. Items specified.
   - //Seats and benches//
   - //Communication Center Counter//
   - //Folding Shelf: Dressing (Make-Up)//
   - //Counter Shelf//
   - //Interview Booth//
   - //Counter or Work Tops//
   - //Wall Paneling//
   - //Pegboard (Perforated Hardboard)//
   - //Mounting Strips, Shelves, and Rods//

   SPEC WRITER NOTE: The following items do not occur frequently and require specification paragraphs developed for project conditions.

   - //Chair Rail//
   - //Moldings and Staff Beads//
   - //Base//
   - //Wood Bumpers//

1.2 RELATED WORK
A. Fabricated Metal brackets, bench supports and countertop legs: Section 05 50 00, METAL FABRICATIONS.
B. Framing, furring and blocking: Section 06 10 00, ROUGH CARPENTRY.
C. Wood doors: Section 08 14 00, WOOD DOORS.
D. Color and texture of finish: Section 09 06 00, SCHEDULE FOR FINISHES.
E. Stock Casework: Section 12 32 00, MANUFACTURED WOOD CASEWORK.
F. Other Countertops: Division 11, EQUIPMENT and Division 12, FURNISHINGS.
G. Electrical light fixtures and duplex outlets: Division 26, ELECTRICAL.
1.3 SUBMITTALS
A. Submit in accordance with Section 01 33 23, SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA, AND SAMPLES.
B. Shop Drawings:
   1. Millwork items – Half full size scale for sections and details 1:50 (1/4-inch) for elevations and plans.
   2. Show construction and installation.
C. Samples:
   Plastic laminate finished plywood or particleboard, 150 mm by 300 mm (six by twelve inches).
D. Certificates:
   1. Indicating // preservative treatment // fire retardant treatment // of materials meet the requirements specified.
   2. Indicating moisture content of materials meet the requirements specified.
E. List of acceptable sealers for fire retardant and preservative treated materials.
F. Manufacturer's literature and data:
   1. Finish hardware
   2. Sinks with fittings
   3. Electrical components

1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
A. Protect lumber and millwork from dampness, maintaining moisture content specified both during and after delivery at site.
B. Store finishing lumber and millwork in weathertight well ventilated structures or in space in existing buildings designated by Resident Engineer. Store at a minimum temperature of 21°C (70°F) for not less than 10 days before installation.
C. Pile lumber in stacks in such manner as to provide air circulation around surfaces of each piece.

1.5 APPLICABLE PUBLICATIONS
A. The publications listed below form a part of this specification to the extent referenced. The publications are referenced in the text by the basic designation only.
B. American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM):
   A36/A36M-08 .......... Structural Steel
   A53-12 ................. Pipe, Steel, Black and Hot-Dipped Zinc Coated, Welded and Seamless
   A167-99 (R2009) ........ Stainless and Heat-Resisting Chromium-Nickel Steel Plate, Sheet, and Strip
   B26/B26M-09 .......... Aluminum-Alloy Sand Castings
B221-08 ................ Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Bars, Rods, Wire, Profiles, and Tubes
E84-10 ................ Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials

C. American Hardboard Association (AHA):
   A135.4-04 ............ Basic Hardboard

D. Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association (BHMA):
   A156.9-03 ............ Cabinet Hardware
   A156.11-10 ............ Cabinet Locks
   A156.16-08 ............ Auxiliary Hardware

E. Hardwood Plywood and Veneer Association (HPVA):
   HP1-09 ............... Hardwood and Decorative Plywood

F. National Particleboard Association (NPA):
   A208.1-09 ............ Wood Particleboard

G. American Wood-Preservers’ Association (AWPA):
   AWPA C1-03 .......... All Timber Products – Preservative Treatment by Pressure Processes

H. Architectural Woodwork Institute (AWI):
   AWI-09 ............... Architectural Woodwork Quality Standards and Quality Certification Program

I. National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA):
   LD 3-05 .............. High-Pressure Decorative Laminates

J. U.S. Department of Commerce, Product Standard (PS):
   PS20-10 .............. American Softwood Lumber Standard

K. Military Specification (Mil. Spec):
   MIL-L-19140E ........ Lumber and Plywood, Fire-Retardant Treated

L. Federal Specifications (Fed. Spec.):
   A-A-1922A .......... Shield Expansion
   A-A-1936 ............. Contact Adhesive
   FF-N-836D .......... Nut, Square, Hexagon Cap, Slotted, Castle
   FF-S-111D(1) ........ Screw, Wood
   MM-L-736(C) ............ Lumber, Hardwood

PART 2 – PRODUCTS

2.1 BIO-BASED MATERIAL:

Bio-based Materials: For products designated by the USDA’s Bio-Preferred program, provide products that meet or exceed USDA recommendations for bio-based content, so long as products meet all performance requirements in this specification section. For more information regarding the product categories covered by the Bio-Preferred program, visit
http://www.bio-preferred.gov
2.2 LUMBER

A. Grading and Marking:
1. Lumber shall bear the grade mark, stamp, or other identifying marks indicating grades of material.
2. Such identifying marks on a material shall be in accordance with the rule or standard under which the material is produced, including requirements for qualifications and authority of the inspection organization, usage of authorized identification, and information included in the identification.
3. The inspection agency for lumber shall be approved by the Board of Review, American Lumber Standards Committee, to grade species used.

B. Sizes:
1. Lumber Size references, unless otherwise specified, are nominal sizes, and actual sizes shall be within manufacturing tolerances allowed by the standard under which product is produced.
2. Millwork, standing and running trim, and rails: Actual size as shown or specified.

C. Hardwood: MM-L-736, species as specified for each item.

D. Softwood: PS-20, exposed to view appearance grades:
1. Use C select or D select, vertical grain for transparent finish including stain transparent finish.
2. Use Prime for painted or opaque finish.
3. Use edge grain Wood members exposed to weather.

2.3 PLYWOOD

A. Softwood Plywood:
1. Prod. Std.
2. Grading and Marking:
   a. Each sheet of plywood shall bear the mark of a recognized association or independent inspection agency that maintains continuing control over the quality of the plywood.
   b. The mark shall identify the plywood by species group or identification index, and shall show glue type, grade, and compliance with PS1.
3. Plywood, 13 mm (1/2 inch) and thicker; not less than five ply construction, except 32 mm (1-1/4 inch) thick plywood not less than seven ply.
4. Plastic Laminate Plywood Cores:
   a. Exterior Type, and species group.
   b. Veneer Grade: A-C.
5. Shelving Plywood:
   a. Interior Type, any species group.
b. Veneer Grade: A-B or B-C.
6. Other: As specified for item.
B. Hardwood Plywood:
1. HPVA: HP.1
2. Species of face veneer shall be as shown or as specified in connection with each particular item.
3. Inside of Building:
   a. Use Type II (interior) A grade veneer for transparent finish.
   b. Use Type II (interior) Sound Grade veneer for paint finish.
4. On Outside of Building:
   a. Use Type I, (exterior) A Grade veneer for natural or stained and varnish finish.
   b. Use Type I, (exterior) Sound Grade veneer for paint finish.
5. Use plain sliced red oak // rotary cut white birch // unless specified otherwise.

2.4 PARTICLEBOARD
A. NPA A208.1
B. Plastic Laminate Particleboard Cores:
   1. Use Type 1, Grade 1-M-3, or Type 2, Grade 2-M-2, unless otherwise specified.
   2. Use Type 2, Grade 2-M-2, exterior bond, for tops with sinks.
C. General Use: Type 1, Grade 1-M-3 or Type 2, Grade 2-M-2.

2.5 PLASTIC LAMINATE
A. NEMA LD-3.
B. Exposed decorative surfaces including countertops, both sides of cabinet doors, and for items having plastic laminate finish. General Purpose, Type HGL.
C. Cabinet Interiors including Shelving: Both of following options to comply with NEMA, CLS as a minimum.
   1. Plastic laminate clad plywood or particle board.
   2. Resin impregnated decorative paper thermally fused to particle board.
D. Backing sheet on bottom of plastic laminate covered wood tops: Backer, Type HGP.
E. Post Forming Fabrication, Decorative Surfaces: Post forming, Type HGP.

2.6 BUILDING BOARD (HARDBOARD)
A. ANSI/AHA A135.4, 6 mm (1/4 inch) thick unless specified otherwise.
B. Perforated hardboard (Pegboard): Type 1, Tempered perforated 6 mm (1/4 inch) diameter holes, on 25 mm (1 inch) centers each way, smooth surface one side.
C. Wall paneling at gas chain rack: Type 1, tempered, Fire Retardant treated, smooth surface on side.

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2.7 ADHESIVE
B. For Interior Millwork: Unextended urea resin, unextended melamine resin, phenol resin, or resorcinol resin.
C. For Exterior Millwork: Unextended melamine resin, phenol resin, or resorcinol resin.

2.8 STAINLESS STEEL
ASTM A167, Type 302 or 304.

2.9 ALUMINUM CAST
ASTM B26

2.10 ALUMINUM EXTRUDED
ASTM B221

2.11 HARDWARE
A. Rough Hardware:
1. Furnish rough hardware with a standard plating, applied after punching, forming and assembly of parts; galvanized, cadmium plated, or zinc-coated by electric-galvanizing process. Galvanized where specified.
2. Use galvanized coating on ferrous metal for exterior work unless non-ferrous metals or stainless is used.
3. Fasteners:

SPEC WRITER NOTE: Add additional finish hardware when required from ANSI A156.9 and A156.16.

B. Finish Hardware
   b. Drawer Slides: B05051 for drawers over 150 mm (6 inches) deep, B05052 for drawers 75 mm to 150 mm (3 to 6 inches) deep, and B05053 for drawers less than 75 mm (3 inches) deep.
   c. Sliding Door Tracks: B07063.
   d. Adjustable Shelf Standards: B4061 with shelf rest B04083.
   e. Concealed Hinges: B1601, minimum 110 degree opening.
   f. Butt Hinges: B01361, for flush doors, B01381 for inset lipped doors, and B01521 for overlay doors.
   g. Cabinet Door Catch: B0371 or B03172.
   h. Vertical Slotted Shelf Standard: B04103 with shelf brackets B04113, sized for shelf depth.
2. Cabinet Locks: ANSI A156.11.
   a. Drawers and Hinged Door: E07262.
   b. Sliding Door: E07162.
3. Auxiliary Hardware: ANSI A156.16.
   a. Shelf Bracket: B04041, japanned or enameled finish.
   b. Combination Garment rod and Shelf Support: B04051 japanned or enamel finish.
   c. Closet Bar: L03131 chrome finish of required length.
   d. Handrail Brackets: L03081 or L03101.
      1) Cast Aluminum, satin polished finish.
      2) Cast Malleable Iron, japanned or enamel finish.
4. Steel Channel Frame and Leg supports for Counter top. Fabricated under Section 05 50 00, METAL FABRICATIONS.
5. Pipe Bench Supports:
6. Fabricated Wall Bench Supports:
   a. Steel Angles: ASTM A36 steel with chrome finish, or ASTM A167, stainless steel with countersunk wood screws, holes at 64 mm (2-1/2 inches) on center on horizontal member.
   b. Use 38 mm by 38 mm by 5 mm (1-1/2 by 1-1/2 by 3/16 inch) angle thick drilled for screw and bolt holes unless shown otherwise. Drill 6 mm (1/4 inch) holes for anchors on vertical member, not more than 200 mm (8 inches) on center between ends or corners.
   c. Stainless steel bars brackets: ASTM A167, fabricated to shapes shown, Number 4 finish. Use 50 mm by 5 mm (2 inch by 3/16 inch) bars unless shown otherwise. Drill for anchors and screws. Drill countersunk wood screw holes at 64 mm (2-1/2 inches) on center on horizontal members and not less than two 13 mm (1/4 inch) hole for anchors on vertical member.
7. Thru-Wall Counter Brackets:
   a. Steel angles drilled for fasteners on 100 mm (4 inches) centers.
   b. Baked enamel prime coat finish.
8. Folding Shelf Bracket:
   a. Steel Shelf bracket, approximately 400 mm by 400 mm (16 by 16 inches), folding type with baked gray enamel finish or chrome plated finish.
   b. Bracket legs shall be approximately 28 mm (1-1/8 inches) wide.
   c. Distance from center line of hinge pin to back of vertical leg shall be 44 mm (1-3/4 inches) or provide for wood spacer if hinge line is at joint of vertical and horizontal leg.
d. Distance from face to face of bracket when closed shall be 50 mm (2 inches).
e. Brackets shall automatically lock when counter is raised parallel to floor and shall unlock manually.
f. Each bracket shall support not less than 68 Kg (150 pounds) evenly distributed.

9. Edge Strips Moldings:
a. Driven type "T" shape with serrated retaining stem; vinyl plastic to match plastic laminate color, stainless steel, or 3 mm (1/8 inch) thick extruded aluminum.
b. Stainless steel or extruded aluminum channels.
c. Stainless steel, number 4 finish; aluminum, mechanical applied medium satin finish, clear anodized 0.1 mm (0.4 mils) thick.

10. Rubber or Vinyl molding
a. Rubber or vinyl standard stock and in longest lengths practicable.
b. Design for closures at joints with walls and adhesive anchorage.
c. Adhesive as recommended by molding manufacturer.

11. Primers: Manufacturer's standard primer for steel providing baked enamel finish.

2.12 MOISTURE CONTENT

A. Moisture content of lumber and millwork at time of delivery to site.
1. Interior finish lumber, trim, and millwork 32 mm (1-1/4 inches) or less in nominal thickness: 12 percent on 85 percent of the pieces and 15 percent on the remainder.
2. Exterior treated or untreated finish lumber and trim 100 mm (4 inches) or less in nominal thickness: 15 percent.
3. Moisture content of other materials shall be in accordance with the standards under which the products are produced.

SPEC WRITER NOTE: Clearly identify in the text items or parts to receive fire retardant treatment. Verify species specified is possible to be treated; many can not.

2.13 FIRE RETARDANT TREATMENT

A. Where wood members and plywood are specified to be fire retardant treated, the treatment shall be in accordance with Mil. Spec. MIL-L19140.

B. Treatment and performance inspection shall be by an independent and qualified testing agency that establishes performance ratings.

C. Each piece of treated material shall bear identification of the testing agency and shall indicate performance in accordance with such rating of flame spread and smoke developed.
D. Treat wood for maximum flame spread of 25 and smoke developed of 25.

E. Fire Resistant Softwood Plywood:
   2. Meet the following requirements when tested in accordance with ASTM E84.
      a. Flame spread: 0 to 25.
      b. Smoke developed: 100 maximum

F. Fire Resistant Hardwood Plywood:
   1. Core: Fire retardant treated softwood plywood.
   2. Hardwood face and back veneers untreated,
   3. Factory seal panel edges, to prevent loss of fire retardant salts.

2.14 PRESERVATIVE TREATMENT

Wood members and plywood exposed to weather or in contact with plaster, masonry or concrete, including wood members used for rough framing of millwork items except heart-wood Redwood and Western Red Cedar shall be preservative treated in accordance with AWPA Standards.

B. Use Grade A, exterior plywood for treatment.

2.15 ACOUSTICAL PANEL

A. Performance criteria:
   1. NRC 19 mm (3/4 inch) adhesive mounting direct to substrate.
   2. Composite flame spread: ASTM E84, 25 or less.
   3. Smoke developed: ASTM E84, 140 or less.

B. Glass fiber panel covered with fabric.
   1. Glass fiber panel one inch thick minimum, self supporting of density required for minimum NRC.
   2. Fabric covering treated to resist stains and soil, bonded directly to the glass fiber panel face, flat bonded directly to the glass fiber panel face, flat wrinkle-free surface.

C. Adhesive: As recommended by panel manufacturers.

SPEC WRITER NOTE: Insure millwork items are detailed to show size, shape, and design, including standard stock moldings. See AWI publication "WOOD MOLDING, a guide for Interior Architectural Design." Detail moldings.

2.16 FABRICATION

A. General:
   1. Except as otherwise specified, use AWI Custom Grade for architectural woodwork and interior millwork.
   2. Finish woodwork shall be free from pitch pockets.
   3. Except where special profiles are shown, trim shall be standard stock molding and members of the same species.
4. Plywood shall be not less than 13 mm (1/2 inch), unless otherwise shown or specified.

5. Edges of members in contact with concrete or masonry shall have a square corner caulking rebate.

6. Fabricate members less than 4 m (14 feet) in length from one piece of lumber, back channeled and molded a shown.

7. Interior trim and items of millwork to be painted may be fabricated from jointed, built-up, or laminated members, unless otherwise shown on drawings or specified.

8. Plastic Laminate Work:
   a. Factory glued to either a plywood or a particle board core, thickness as shown or specified.
   b. Cover exposed edges with plastic laminate, except where aluminum, stainless steel, or plastic molded edge strips are shown or specified. Use plastic molded edge strips on 19 mm (3/4-inch) molded thick or thinner core material.
   c. Provide plastic backing sheet on underside of countertops, vanity tops, thru-wall counter // and sills // including back splashes and end splashes of countertops.
   d. Use backing sheet on concealed large panel surface when decorative face does not occur.

B. Seats and Benches:
   1. Fabricate from 50 mm (2 inch) stock strips of plain-sawed White Oak, or Maple. // Use preservative treated softwood for exterior seats. //
   2. Solid seats securely glued together of spliced, doweled, or double tongued and grooved wood pieces. Where open joints are indicated, work each wood piece from solid stock.
   3. Round top edges and corners where exposed.

C. Mounting Strips, Shelves and Rods:
   1. Cut mounting strips from 25 mm by 100 mm (1 by 4 inches) softwood stock, with exposed edge slightly rounded.
   2. Cut wood shelf from softwood 1 inch stock, of width shown, exposed edge slightly rounded. Option: Use 19 mm (3/4 inch) thick plywood with 19 mm (3/4 inch) softwood edge nosing on exposed edge, slightly rounded.
   3. Plastic laminate covered, 19 mm (3/4 inch) thick plywood or particle board core with edges and ends having plastic molded edge strips. Size, finish and number as shown.
   4. Rod or Closet Bar: L03131. Combination Garment and Shelf Support, intermediate support for closet bar: B04051 for rods over 1800 mm (6 feet) long.
D. Pegboard:
   1. Perforated hardboard sheet size as shown.
   2. Spacing strip: 13 mm by 13 mm (1/2 by 1/2 inch); glued to hardboard sheet.
      a. Locate at perimeter of sheet edge.
      b. Locate material intermediate spacing strips at 800 mm (32 inches) o.c.
   3. Use 19 mm (3/4 inch) one quarter round edge trim to cover exposed edge and finish flush with hardboard surface. Glue to spacing strip and hard board.

E. Communications Center Counter:
   1. Fabricate to AWI premium grade construction in conformance with AWI Section 400, CASEWORK.
   2. Use softwood for structural framing member's standard sizes, space not over 400 mm (16 inches) on center.
   3. Use red oak for exposed hardwood trim and edging.
   4. Use drawer guides on drawers with pulls.
   5. Use pulls and concealed hinges on doors.
   6. Use adjustable shelf standards with shelf rests.
   7. Use decorative plastic laminate on exposed surfaces including interior of cupboard cabinet.
   8. Overlay frame of apron with drawer and door face.

F. Interview Booth:
   1. Fabricate to AWI premium grade construction.
   2. Use softwood for framing, space members not over 600 mm (24 inches) on center. Use softwood for counter concealed members and mounting strip for writing surface.
   3. Use red oak for exposed hardwood trim.
   4. Use red oak veneer plywood for exposed wood finish.
   5. Acoustical panel glued to plywood substrate.
   6. Use decorative plastic laminate writing surface pattern on counter.
   7. Secure writing surfaces to divided panels with screws and to center support with mounting strips screwed to panel and top at underside.

G. Folding Shelves: Dressing (Make-Up) Type B Counter and Counter Shelf Type A.
   1. Use red oak back stop and mounting strips.
   2. Fabricate fold down shelf with plastic laminate finish over core.
   3. Use hardwood mounting strip at wall behind folding shelf bracket in thickness to permit shelf to fold down without interfering with back stop. Secure to back stop.
H. Thru-Wall Counter or Pass Thru Counter.

SPEC WRITER NOTE: Do not use in fire rated walls.

1. Fabricate counter as shown. Return hardwood edge to metal frame at ends. Fabricate to join other counters where shown.

2. Cut to fit metal frame profile.

//3. Fabricate to receive sliding pass window track when shown; specified in Section 08 56 19, PASS WINDOWS. //

4. Use angle and fabricated shelf bracket supports.

I. Receiving shelf in Agent Cashier:

1. Fabricate shelf as shown over 19 mm (3/4 inch) thick core.

2. Use B04041 shelf bracket.

SPEC WRITER NOTE: Identify other spaces where wall paneling is used, and conditions other than specified.

J. Wall Paneling in Rehabilitation Medicine Corrective Therapy Main Clinic:

1. Fire Retardant Treated

2. Hardwood plywood
   b. Thickness: 19 mm (3/4 inch) unless shown otherwise.
   c. //Unfinished // Prefinished, type of finish is specified in Section 09 06 00, SCHEDULE FOR FINISHES.
   d. Use full height panels where possible without end joints.

3. Solid hardwood.
   a. White oak or red oak, number one common grade.
   b. Tongue and groove, including end matched.
   c. Thickness: Not less than 19 mm (3/4 inch).
   d. Random Lengths not less than 600 mm (24 inches), 57 mm (2-1/4 inches) wide.

4. Trim and base:
   a. Quarter round at ceiling and vertical edge.
   b. Two-member base as shown.

5. Use nominal one by 100 mm (4 inches) softwood furring strips.

SPEC WRITER NOTE: Coordinate with Section 05 50 00, METAL FABRICATIONS, to specify steel top support.

K. Desk in Credit Union:

1. Fabricate to AWI premium grade construction top with compartment as shown.
2. Assemble compartment to counter top with one screw in each compartment.

L. Counter or Work Tops:
1. Fabrication with plastic laminate over 32 mm (1-1/4 inch) thick core unless shown otherwise.
   a. Use decorative laminate for exposed edges of tops 38 mm (1-1/2 inches) wide and on back splash and end splash. Use plastic or metal edges for top edges less than 38 mm (1-1/2 inches) wide.
   b. Assemble back splash and end splash to counter top.
   c. Use one piece counters for straight runs.
   d. Miter corners for field joints with overlapping blocking on underside of joint.
2. Fabricate wood counter for work benches as shown.

M. Wood handrails:
1. Fabricate from Maple or Birch.
2. AWI Premium Grade.
3. Fabricate in one piece and one length when practical.
4. Fabricate curved sections for ends of rails to return to wall and where rails change slope or direction.
5. Joints are permitted only where rail changes direction or slope, or where necessary for field erection or shipping.
6. Scarf or dowel all joints to provide a smooth and rigid connection. Glue all joints.
7. Fit joints, to produce a hair-line crack.
8. Completely shop fabricated in accordance with approved shop drawings.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS
A. Maintain work areas and storage areas to a minimum temperature of 21°C (70°F) for not less than 10 days before and during installation of interior millwork.
B. Do not install finish lumber or millwork in any room or space where wet process systems such as concrete, masonry, or plaster work is not complete and dry.

3.2 INSTALLATION
A. General:
1. Millwork receiving transparent finish shall be primed and back-painted on concealed surfaces. Set no millwork until primed and back-painted.
2. Secure trim with fine finishing nails, screws, or glue as required.
3. Set nails for putty stopping. Use washers under bolt heads where no other bearing plate occurs.
4. Seal cut edges of preservative and fire retardant treated wood materials with a certified acceptable sealer.

5. Coordinate with plumbing and electrical work for installation of fixtures and service connections in millwork items.

6. Plumb and level items unless shown otherwise.

7. Nail finish at each blocking, lookout, or other nailer and intermediate points; toggle or expansion bolt in place where nails are not suitable.

8. Exterior Work: Joints shall be close fitted, metered, tongue and grooved, rebated, or lapped to exclude water and made up in thick white lead paste in oil.

B. Seats and Benches:

1. Use stainless steel countersunk screws to secure wood seats to brackets, angle, or pipe supports.

2. Use stainless steel or chrome plated steel bolts for anchorage to walls. Use 6 mm (1/4 inch) toggle bolts in steel stud walls and hollow masonry. Use 6 mm (1/4 inch) expansion bolts in solid masonry or concrete.

3. Wall Benches: Support within 150 mm (6 inches) near ends and not over 900 mm (3 feet) on centers with stainless steel bar brackets under bench secured to seat and wall.

4. Corner Seats: Support on continuous angles secured to seat and walls.

5. Freestanding Benches: Support within 200 mm (8 inches) of ends and not over 900 mm (3 feet) on centers with pipe bench supports.

C. Communication Center Counters and Interview Booths:

1. Secure framing to floor with expansion bolts.

2. Secure counter top to support with wood cleats or metal angles screwed on 150 mm (6 inch) centers.

3. Conceal fasteners on corridor side. Exposed fasteners permitted under counter top and in knee spaces on staff side.

D. Pegboard or Perforated Hardboard:

1. Install board with chromium plated steel round-head toggle bolts or other fasteners capable of supporting board when loaded at 122 kg/m² (25 psf) of board.

2. Install board with spacers to allow hooks and accessories to be inserted and removed.

3. Install 6 mm (1/4 inch) round trim at perimeter to finish flush with face of board and close space between wall and hardboard.

E. Wall Paneling:

1. Solid hardwood boards
a. Install 25 by 75 mm (1 by 3 inch) furring strips on 400 mm (16 inch) centers horizontally between top and bottom strips. Secure to each stud with two screws.
b. Install paneling laid vertically with end joints staggered between adjacent boards.
c. Tightly butt joints and blind nail each board at each furring strip.

2. Install edge trim and base as shown, use solid wood members of same species as wall paneling.

3. Plywood paneling:
   a. Install 25 by 75 mm (1 by 3 inch) furring strips horizontally, under end joints of plywood and 300 mm (16 inches) on center between end strips. Install cross furring strips centered vertically at side joints of plywood paneling less than 13 mm (1/2 inch) thick. Secure to each stud with two screws.
   b. Install panels with long edge vertically and end joints aligned where exposed to view.
   c. Align V-grooves where end joints meet and maintain continuity of pattern.
   d. Apply adhesive to each furring strip so that panel is bonded to furring strip in continuous bead of adhesive in accordance with adhesive manufacturers specifications.
   e. Nailing:
      1) Nail in V-grooves to horizontal furring strips and at panel edges and within 25 mm (1 inch) of ends except within 50 mm (2 inches) of end when panel end abuts other surfaces. Do not space nails in V-grooves over 150 mm (6 inches), on center.
      2) Nail ungrooved panels at 400 mm (16 inches) centers to horizontal furring strips between end or edge nails. Set nails and fill hole with filler to match wood panel for panels thicker than 13 mm (1/2 inch). // Set nails flush with surface of panel thinner than 13 mm (1/2 inch). //
      3) Use colored nails matching panel finish for prefinished panels or panels less than 13 mm (1/2 inch) thick.

F. Shelves:
1. Install mounting strip at back wall and end wall for shelves in closets where shown secured with toggle bolts at each end and not over 600 mm (24 inch) centers between ends.
   a. Nail Shelf to mounting strip at ends and to back wall strip at not over 900 mm (36 inches) on center.
b. Install metal bracket, ANSI A156.16, B04041, not over 1200 mm (4 feet) centers when shelves exceed 1800 mm (6 feet) in length.

c. Install metal bracket, ANSI A156.16, B04051, not over 1200 mm (4 feet) on centers where shelf length exceeds 1800 mm (6 feet) in length with metal rods, clothes hanger bars ANSI A156.16, L03131, of required length, full length of shelf.

2. Install vertical slotted shelf standards, ANSI A156.9, B04103 to studs with toggle bolts through each fastener opening. Double slotted shelf standards may be used where adjacent shelves terminate.
   a. Install brackets ANSI A156.9, B04113, providing supports for shelf not over 900 mm (36 inches) on center and within 13 mm (1/2 inch) of shelf end unless shown otherwise.
   b. Install shelves on brackets so front edge is restrained by bracket.

G. Interview Booths:
   1. Anchor divider panel floor plates to floor with expansion bolts at ends and not over 900 mm (36 inch) centers.
   2. Install both writing surface on mounting strips secured to divider panels and center support with screws if not shop assembled. Field assemble in accordance with shop drawings.

H. Handrails:
   1. Install in one piece and one length when practical.
   2. Where rails change slope or direction, install special curved sections and ends of rails to return to wall, glue all field joints.
   //3. Secure rails with wood screws at 450 mm (18 inches) on centers to metal balustrades top rail. //</br>
   4. Install brackets within 300 mm (12 inches) of ends of handrails and at every spaced intervals between not exceeding 1500 mm (5 feet) on centers at intervals between as shown. Anchor brackets as detailed and rails to brackets with screws.

I. Install with butt joints in straight runs and miter at corners.

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