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”.

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

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