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Broken Pipe at GMHA Contained

(Tuesday, April 30, 2024; Tamuning, Guam) Earlier today, a chilled water supply line for the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority's (GMHA) Emergency Department broke, causing flooding in the first floor elevator lobby. The break has since been contained and clean up is in progress. As a result, visitation has been temporarily restricted to a case by case basis.

Currently, Elevator 3 is in operation. It will be a few more hours before Elevators 1 and 2 are operational. Elevator 4 was already down for scheduled maintenance.

Facilities Maintenance and Safety are still conducting their assessments at this time and additional information will be forthcoming.

GMHA would like to extend our gratitude to our Facilities Maintenance, Security and Safety, Materials Management, and Environmental Services teams for their quick response to the situation. We also thank our dietary, nursing, and other teams who ensured there was no disruption in care or lunch service to our patients.

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