



Clark County Department of Building & Fire Prevention

Building Division – Inspection Services

Field Inspection Guideline

SUBJECT:	Master and Journeyman Clark County Licensing Requirements	FIG-P-020	
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Interpretation:

All permitted work within the jurisdiction of Clark County in which plumbing and/or electrical systems are being installed shall have a master or journeyman plumber and/or a master or journeyman electrician on the job site in a lead or supervisory role. Such master or journeyman is required to be currently licensed as a master or journeyman with Clark County in one or more categories of the trade:

- 1) Master Plumber - All aspects of plumbing work;
- 2) Journeyman Plumber - All aspects of plumbing work;
- 3) Journeyman Plumbing Specialty - Residential swimming pool, spas, and fountains;
- 4) Master Electricians - All aspects of electrical work;
- 5) Journeyman Electricians - All aspects of electrical work;
- 6) Journeyman Residential Electrician - Electrical systems in and associated with one and two-family dwellings, including swimming pools;
- 7) Journeyman Sign Electrician - Electrical-discharge lighting, neon tubing, neon skeleton tubing and signs;
- 8) Technician - Commercial sound, radio, television, and low voltage control systems;

Exception:

Requirements shall not apply to homeowner permits complying with the provisions of Clark County Code 22.02.265.

Housing developments of five or more homes are required a minimum of one journeyman plumber and/or journeyman electrician onsite in a lead or supervisory role. The working ratio is to be one development to one journeyman or master. There is not a required ratio of journeyman to subordinates employees.

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Field Application:

Inspections of permitted work resulting in disapproval due to failure to comply with the minimum standards outlined in the adopted codes of Clark County shall authorize the field inspector to require the Southern Nevada licensed master or journeyman plumber or electrician to be available on the job site to respond to questions concerning the installation. The inspector shall verify the issued license with picture I.D. plumbing. The required license shall be carried at all times during normal working hours.

Exception:

Specialty swimming pool individuals making connections to residential potable water and/or gas systems for pool equipment only installations shall carry at all times a restricted Southern Nevada Board of Plumbing Examiners Specialty Plumbing license. This required license shall bear the picture I.D. of the installer as being competent to install these systems according to the current edition of the Southern Nevada Pool Amendments and the current edition of the Uniform Plumbing Code.