SECTION 09 26 13 GYPSUM VENEER PLASTER

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 specification sections, apply to work in this section.
- B. Requirements of this section apply to walls, bulkheads, and ceilings.
- C. Section 09 22 14 Metal furring and lathing.
- D. Section 08 31 00 Access Doors and Frames.

1.2 REFERENCES

- A. ASTM C28/C28M Standard Specification for Gypsum Plaster
- B. ASTM C35 Standard Specification for Inorganic Aggregates for use in Gypsum Plaster
- C. ASTM C61/C61M Standard Specification for Gypsum Keene's Cement
- D. ASTM C206 Standard Specification for Finishing Hydrated Lime
- E. ASTM C631 Standard Specification for Bonding Compounds for Interior Gypsum Plastering
- F. ASTM C842 Standard Specification for the Application of Interior Gypsum Plaster
- G. ASTM C844 Standard Specification for the Application of Gypsum Base to Receive Gypsum Veneer Plaster
- H. ASTM C1396/C1396M Standard Specification for Gypsum Board
- I. ASTM E90 Standard Test Method for Laboratory Measurement of Airborne Sound Transmission Loss of Building Partitions and Elements
- J. ASTM E119 Standard Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials
- K. GA -216- Application and Finishing of Gypsum Panel Products
- L. GA-600 Fire Resistance Design Manual
- M. Florida Building Code (FBC)

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Section 01 33 00.
- B. Product Data: Provide data on plaster materials, characteristics, and limitations of products specified.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Perform Work in accordance with GA-216and GA-600.
- B. Maintain one copy of each document on site.

1.5 QUALIFICATIONS

A. Applicator: Company specializing in performing the work of this section with minimum 5-years documented experience.

1.6 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to ANSI/ASTM E119 and applicable code for fire rated assemblies as follows:
 - 1. Fire Rated Partitions: Listed assembly by UL or FM
 - 2. Fire Rated Ceilings, Bulkheads and Interior Soffits: Listed assembly by UL or FM
 - 3. Fire Rated Structural Column Framing: Listed assembly by UL or FM
 - 4. Fire Rated Structural Beam Framing: Listed assembly by UL or FM

1.7 MOCKUP

- A. Provide mockup of interior wall and ceiling system under provisions of Section 01 40 00.
- B. Construct mockup, 6' long by 24" wide, illustrating surface finish and assembly.
- C. Locate where directed by the Architect.

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D. Mockup may not remain as part of the Work.

1.8 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Do not apply plaster when substrate or ambient air temperature is less than 50° F nor more than 80° F.
- B. Maintain minimum ambient temperature of 50° F during and after installation of plaster.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 PLASTER BASE MATERIALS

- A. One coat plaster system: Provide "Uni-Kal 3000" System, ASTM C588, and gypsum type, as manufactured by National Gypsum Company or equal.
- B. Gypsum Backing Board: Provide non-paper covered gypsum board.
- C. Water: Clean, fresh, potable, and free of mineral or organic matter that can affect plaster.
- D. Bonding Agent: Provide product meeting ASTM C631.

2.2 FINISHING PLASTER

- A. Gypsum/Lime Putty Type: ASTM C28/C28M; mixture of gauging plaster and lime.
- B. Keene's Cement/Lime Putty Type: ASTM C61/C61M and C206; mixture of Keene's cement and lime
- C. Sand Float Type: ASTM C28/C28M and C35; prepared mixture of gypsum plaster and sand
- D. Sand Float Type: ASTM C61/C61M and C35; prepared mixture of Keene's cement/lime putty and sand
- E. Provide clean, fresh, potable, and free of mineral and organic matter that can affect plaster.

2.3 GYPSUM LATH

A. Gypsum Lath: ASTM C37, standard or fire rated type; thickness indicated on drawings

2.4 METAL LATH

A. Metal Lath and Accessories: Specified in Section 09 22 14

2.5 ACCESSORIES

- A. Casing Bead: Formed zinc; minimum 26-ga thick; depth governed by plaster thickness; maximum possible lengths; expanded metal flanges, with square edges
- B. Corner Bead: Formed zinc; minimum 26-ga thick; depth governed by plaster thickness; maximum possible lengths; expanded metal flanges, with radius edge
- C. Base Screed: Formed zinc; minimum 26-ga thick; depth governed by plaster thickness; maximum possible lengths; expanded metal flanges, with beveled edge
- D. Corner Mesh: Formed steel, minimum 26-ga thick; expanded flanges shaped to permit complete embedding in plaster; minimum 4" wide; galvanized finish
- E. Fasteners: Nails, staples, or other approved metal supports, of type and size to suit application, galvanized, to rigidly secure lath and associated metal accessories in place
- F. Plaster frames for recessed light fixtures furnished by electrical contractor, installed under this section
- G. The owner will consider vinyl beads and other accessories with documentation indicating the product performs equivalently with the metal system.

2.6 ACOUSTICAL ACCESSORIES

A. Acoustic Sealant: Non-hardening, non-skinning type, for use in conjunction with gypsum plaster system

2.7 PLASTER MIX

A. Mix and proportion plaster in accordance with ASTM C842 and manufacturer's instructions.

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PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that surfaces and site conditions are ready to receive work.
- B. Masonry:
 - 1. Verify joints are cut flush and surface is ready to receive work of this section.
 - 2. Verify no bituminous or water repellent coatings exist on masonry surface.
- C. Grounds and Blocking: Verify items within walls for other sections of work are installed.
- D. Gypsum Lath and Accessories:
 - 1. Verify substrate is flat and surface is ready to receive work of this section.
 - 2. Verify joint and surface perimeter accessories are in place.
- E. Mechanical and Electrical: Verify services within walls have been tested and approved.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Dampen masonry surfaces to reduce excessive suction.
- B. Clean concrete surfaces of foreign matter.
 - 1. Thoroughly dampen surfaces before using acid solutions, solvent, or detergents to perform cleaning.
 - 2. Wash surface with clean water.
- C. Roughen smooth concrete surfaces and smooth faced masonry.
- D. Apply bonding agent in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

3.3 INSTALLATION - LATH MATERIALS

- A. Install gypsum lath in accordance with GA 216.
- B. Install gypsum lath perpendicular to framing members, with lath face exposed.
 - 1. Stagger end joint of alternate courses.
 - 2. Butt all joints tight.
 - 3. Maximum gap allowed: ½".
- C. Place corner reinforcement diagonally over gypsum lath and across corner immediately above and below openings.
 - 1. Secure to gypsum lath only.
- D. Install metal lath as specified in Section 09 22 14.

3.4 INSTALLATION - ACCESSORIES

- A. Continuously reinforce internal angles with corner mesh, return metal lath 3" from corner to form the angle reinforcement; fasten at perimeter edges only.
- B. Place corner bead at external wall corners; fasten at outer edges of lath only.
- C. Place strip mesh diagonally at corners of lathed openings and secure rigidly in place.
- D. Place 4" wide strips of metal lath centered over junctions of dissimilar backing materials and secure rigidly in place.
- E. Place casing beads at terminations of plaster finish.
 - 1. Butt and align ends.
 - 2. Secure rigidly in place.
- F. Coordinate work with installation of metal access panels. Refer to Section 08 31 00.
- G. Install frames plumb, level in opening and secure rigidly in place.
- H. Position metal access panels to provide convenient access to concealed work requiring access.
- I. Install corner beads at exterior corners of interior work; reinforce internal corners with cornerite.
- J. Install resilient edged casing beads for interior work against exterior wall door and window frames, and at similar locations as indicated.

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3.5 INSTALLATION - ACOUSTICAL ACCESSORIES

- A. Install resilient furring channels at right angles to framing members.
 - 1. Place end joints over framing members.
 - 2. Terminate channels ½" short of doorframes and perimeter construction.
- B. Fit acoustical insulation tight between partition framing members.
 - 1. Pack insulation around mechanical, electrical, or other components in partition.
- C. Place acoustical sealant at gypsum backing board partition perimeter in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
 - 1. Seal penetrations of conduit, pipe, ductwork, rough-in boxes, and other components.

3.6 CONTROL AND EXPANSION JOINTS

- A. Locate control and expansion joints as indicated.
- B. Use double casing bead spaced ¼" apart to form joint.
- C. Coordinate joint placement with other related work.

3.7 PLASTERING

- A. Apply gypsum plaster in accordance with ASTM C842 and manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Apply brown and finish coats over gypsum lath, masonry, and concrete surfaces.
- C. Apply scratch, brown, and finish coats over metal lath surfaces.
- D. Apply special scratch and brown coat base over metal lath surfaces as a base for veneer plaster.
 - 1. Apply in accordance with ASTM C844.
- E. Apply color tinted bond coat to prepared surfaces.
 - 1. Apply in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- F. Apply finish coat to minimum 1/8" thickness.
- G. Work the finish coat flat and smooth, with steel trowel.
- H. Perform work in panels to nearest natural break or between accessories.

3.8 TOLERANCES

A. Maximum Variation from True Flatness: 1/8" in 10'

END OF SECTION