WAC 296-800-28010 Make sure all electrical equipment is used for its approved or listed purpose.

Definitions:

- Electrical outlets are places on an electric circuit where power is supplied to equipment through receptacles, sockets and outlets for attachment plues
- Receptacles are outlets that accept a plug to supply electric power to equipment through a cord or cable.
- (1) You must make sure electrical outlets have an ampere rating that is not less than the electrical load to be served.
- (2) You must make sure the proper mating configuration exists when connecting the attachment plug to a receptacle.
- (3) You must make sure electrical outlets, cord connectors, attachment plugs and receptacles will not accept an attachment plug with a different voltage or current rating than that for which the device is intended.

Note: A 20-ampere T-slot receptacle or cord connector may accept a 15-ampere attachment plug of the same voltage rating.

SOME COMMON ELECTRICAL OUTLET (RECEPTACLE) CONFIGURATIONS				
	15 Ampere	20 Ampere	30 Ampere	50 Ampere
Two Pole 3 - Wire Grounding 125 Volt				
Three Pole 3 - Wire 125/250 Volt				

Note: A 20-ampere "T-solt" outlet or cord connector may accept a 15-ampere attachment plug of the same voltage rating.

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