

Five-year sprinkler obstruction inspection services

Inspections now can help ensure future savings

The NFPA requires an internal inspection of water-based sprinklers every five years. Be sure to schedule and perform this important service with the professional team at ADT Commercial. With our decades of experience, you can trust that we know the code and what to look for in your pipes and valves. An inspection has the potential to save you money by discovering small problems before they become serious issues—and inspections can also save lives.

The components of a five-year inspection

In compliance with NFPA requirements, when the ADT Commercial team inspects your sprinkler system, it will include two main parts: piping obstruction investigation and internal valve inspection.

The piping obstruction inspection looks inside your system for possible materials or conditions that could cause pipe or sprinkler blockage.

THE FOLLOWING FOUR POINTS ARE EXAMINED INTERNALLY:

- System valve
- Crossmain
- Riser
- Branchline

If an obstruction is discovered, our team can perform a flushing program to help keep your system's performance in optimal condition.

During the internal valve inspection, we will open and inspect each valve—examining their associated strainers, filters and restriction orifices. This inspection is performed in addition to the yearly operational test of all valves.

The importance of a five-year inspection

NFPA 25 requires this inspection to occur, but that's not the only reason you should have it. Blockage and corrosion can cause leaks and damage that may result in costly repairs or even the replacement of your entire system piping. A blocked pipe or valve can also prevent a system from working, rendering it ineffective and putting lives at risk.

Let's start a conversation.

Reach out to your local ADT Commercial team for required inspections and help ensure your system will be ready if you should ever need it. We make it easy to switch providers, and our onboarding process is predictable, dependable and painless.

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