LIGHTING FIXTURE CLEARANCES IN CLOTHES CLOSETS

**Fixture Types Not Permitted**

- Lamp holder and exposed lamp
- Partially exposed lamp

**Fixture Types Permitted**

1. A surface mounted or recessed incandescent fixture with a totally enclosed lamp.
2. A surface mounted or recessed fluorescent or recessed fluorescent fixture.

**Fixture Types Not Permitted**

Incandescent fixture with open or partially enclosed lamps, pendant fixtures, and lamps holders shall not be permitted.

**Location**

Fixture types as permitted above are allowed to be installed on the wall above the door on the ceiling, provided the minimum required clearances between the fixture and the nearest point of storage space is obtained.

Minimum required clearances from closet storage space:

- 12" or shelf width
- 24" from floor
- 12" from ceiling
- Rod height or 6 feet

This line indicates the nearest point of storage space per figure above.