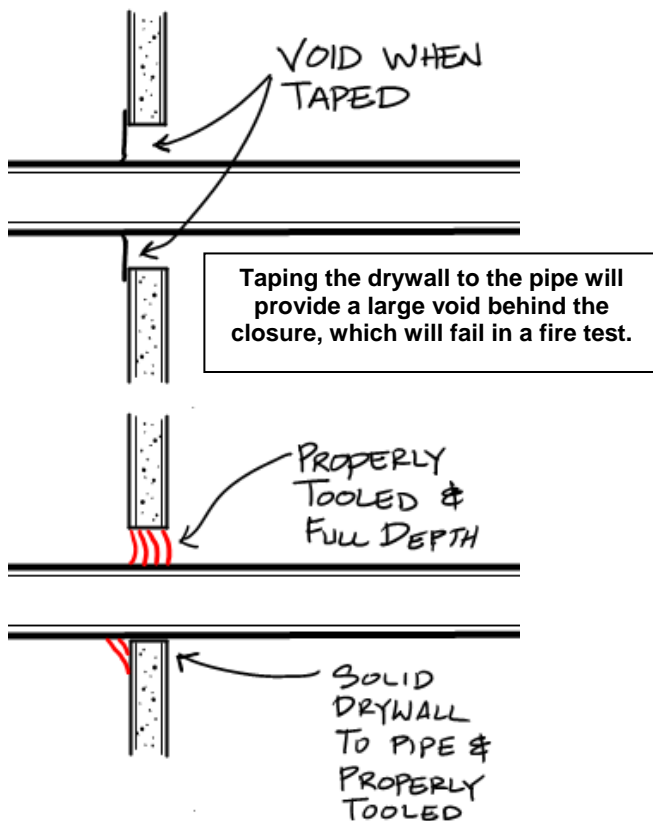


When we have a rated partition, we should not be taping the drywall to the penetrating item, such as electrical, water, insulated pipes.
This is not an acceptable UL Assembly for the penetration:



ALWAYS PERFORM A REVIEW OF THE FIRE STOPPING INSTALL



GOOD INSTALL WITH ZERO GAP AND WITH FIRESTOPPING FILLING THE GAP WHEN ONE IS PROVIDED

Obtain your UL Assemblies for each penetration from each trade as soon as possible, preferably, prior to the start of installation of the drywall so that your drywall contractor could build around the pipes to the UL Assembly the first time with tested design distance.