

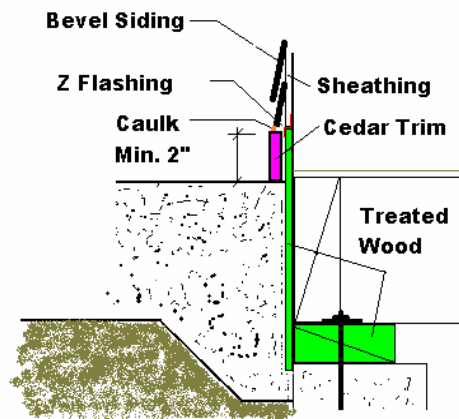
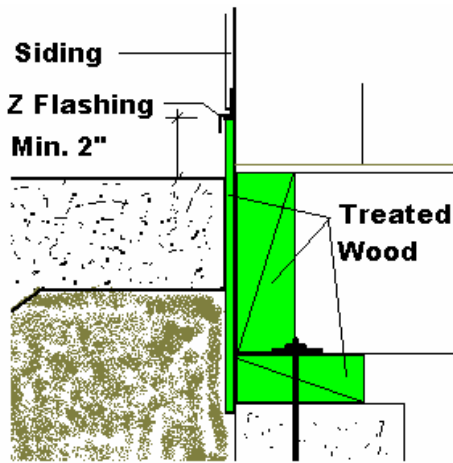


Concrete Porches

Bulletin # 9

Department of Planning and Land Services, June 2007
Division of Building Safety and Inspection for 2006 I Codes

Requirements for the protection of wood products from contact with earth or concrete are twofold. The general rule is that all untreated wood products must be a minimum of 6" above grade (earth) and 2" above a concrete patio, walk or drive. For wood products to be in contact with earth or concrete they must be pressure-treated for that type of exposure. The following are typical details that afford protection.



Vinyl membrane and galvanized flashing should extend from a point 3" above the concrete porch surface to a minimum of 3" below the top of the foundation wall

