

Asbestos Management Plan

In compliance with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), Odessa School District contracted with Educational Service District #101 of Spokane to conduct the Three-Year Asbestos Re-inspection of all school buildings. During August of 2018, an EPA accredited Asbestos Inspector and Management Planner performed the required inspection, reassessed each category of asbestos containing building materials (ACBM) and noted any significant changes from the 1989, 1992, 1995, 1998, 2001, 2004, 2007, 2010, 2013, 2015, 2018 and 2021 inspections. Re-inspection will assist the school district in the process of safely managing each ACBM within our district.

The AHERA Re-inspection Report and Management Plan is available to the general public and can be reviewed anytime during normal school hours. As required by AHERA, a designated person is available during regular business hours to answer any questions concerning ACBM in our buildings. The designated person can be contacted through the district office.

Maintenance Shop Building: none

Transportation building: none

Vocational Agriculture Shop Building:

- * Cement asbestos board (boiler room, ceiling near restrooms, interior shop walls, soffits and flashing on exterior of building.

- * Floor tile and adhesives (classroom)

- * Pipe lagging, elbows, joints & tees (shop area)

P. C. Jantz Building and Gymnasium:

- * Pipe lagging, elbows, joints and tees (boiler room, basement, gym, boys and girls locker room, laundry room, PE equipment room and weight room)

- * Tank Insulation (boiler room)

- * Floor tile and adhesive (throughout)

- * Acoustical Spray (ceilings in multipurpose room and halls, upper portion of walls in room 11)

- *Cement asbestos board (gym, soffits on exterior of building)

All ACBM listed above were found to be in good condition and are being continually maintained in accordance with Washington State and Federal laws.

Smoking Prohibited

Smoking is prohibited in all District buildings, on all District grounds and in all District vehicles per Odessa School District's Policy #4215

School Nursing Services - School Nurse

Odessa School District contracts with ESD 101 for school health services, for assistance in various areas, including health care services, health standards and preventive health care, development of health education programs, detection and referral of students with physical and/or emotional abnormalities, and controlling the spread of communicable disease by immunization.

Lindsey Sanford, Odessa School District's nurse, will be at Odessa School District on Tuesdays. She asks parents and patrons to feel free to call her at Odessa High School office on other days with any questions or concerns at (509) 988-2111 Ext. 203.

Medication at School

Appropriately trained school personnel are permitted to administer oral medication during school hours only under limited conditions. Non-prescription medication must be sent to school in its original container. Prescription medication must be in a container appropriately labeled by a physician, dentist or pharmacist. All medication, prescription or non-prescription, must be accompanied by written authorization from the parent and by written instructions from a licensed physician or dentist.

Drug Free Schools

Drugs, alcohol and schools do not mix. Schools are required to meet certain guidelines to qualify for federal funds. In striving to meet those guidelines, patrons are hereby notified of the Odessa School District policy and available drug and alcohol assistance. Odessa School District supports abstinence from alcohol and other drugs for all students in order that their development can reach full intellectual, emotional, social and physical potentials.

Pest Control Policy

Odessa School District has Policy #6895 in place outlining Pesticide Notification, Posting and Record Keeping. The District strives to manage pests by the most economical and beneficial means, and with the least possible hazard to people, property, and the environment. Licensed district employees may apply pesticides at playfields, classrooms, AG greenhouse, food service areas and buses during the course of the year. The District will post notices on bulletin boards and/or perimeter fences 48 hours prior to application. Parents/guardians and employees may obtain a record of pesticide usage by contacting Justin Parr at 988-7009.