

OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY
University Policies and Procedures

3222 - ASBESTOS CONTAINMENT AND ABATEMENT PROCEDURES

Statement: The Department of Facilities Management, in association with the Office of Environmental Health and Safety, is responsible for identifying all university facilities wherein asbestos is present, as well as the degree of hazard existent. Once identified, routine monitoring will be performed in those areas wherein the airborne concentration falls within EPA standards, so as to maintain awareness of its status and to recognize changing situations calling for its removal. Areas identified as containing asbestos will be recorded by the Office of Environmental Health and Safety, with the information being provided to the Department of Facilities Management and the Office of Architectural Services.

Where deterioration may cause concentrations to approach levels beyond EPA standards, the Director of Risk Management and Environmental Safety and the Director of Facilities Management will bring such to the President's attention for remedial action, making recommendations for repair or removal.

The development of the University's biennial budget request and capital projects request will include requests for funding and removal of asbestos in campus buildings, as appropriate.

The Safety Officer is responsible for the University's adherence to Federal and State statutes and regulations relative to the maintenance of, and removal of, asbestos-bearing materials.

Responsibility: Vice President for Administration and Finance

Authorization: Joseph M. Marchello, President

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