

ST. LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ASBESTOS HAZARD EMERGENCY RESPONSE ACT (AHERA)
2021 NOTIFICATION

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requires that each year, district workers and building occupants receive notification about asbestos activities such as response actions and inspections. The purpose of this correspondence is to meet those requirements and familiarize you with the asbestos related activities that have been conducted in St. Louis Public Schools during the last year.

MANAGEMENT PLANS

St. Louis Public Schools contracted a private company to conduct inspections for asbestos containing material (ACM) within all district owned buildings. These Management Plans are available for review in the administrative office of each building. A copy of each building management plan is also located in the Maintenance and Operations office.

SURVEILLANCE ACTIVITIES

The AHERA regulation requires surveillance of the condition of ACM every six months and Reinspections every three years. The Three-Year Reinspection within each of our buildings was conducted in August of 2020. The next Reinspection will be conducted in August of 2023. The next periodic surveillance will be conducted in February of 2022. All of these surveillance activities will be included as part of the building's Management Plans.

ASBESTOS ABATEMENT

During the past year there were no asbestos abatement projects at any buildings in the district. All documentation regarding past and future asbestos abatement projects are available to be viewed, for access please contact the designated person at the Maintenance and Operations Office. Air tests will be conducted throughout all phases of the future asbestos removal projects at each building. The air samples will be collected and analyzed in accordance with all regulatory agency requirements.