

#### Instructions

- 1. Read the IAQ Backgrounder and the Background Information for this checklist.
- 2. Keep the Background Information and make a copy of the checklist for future reference.
- 3. Complete the Checklist.
  - Check the "yes," "no," or "not applicable" box beside each item. (A "no" response requires further attention.)
  - Make comments in the "Notes" section as necessary.
- 4. Return the checklist portion of this document to the

# **Renovation and Repairs Checklist**

Name:

School:

Signature: \_

Room or Area: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Ves No N/A

# 1. GENERAL ACTIVITIES

#### **PRE-RENOVATION**

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1a.	Notified staff, students, and parents of impending renovations and repairs $\Box$	
1b.	Consulted school's asbestos (AHERA) survey, if available	
1c.	Tested original paint for lead before removing it $\Box$	
1d.	Consulted an asbestos professional before starting projects that may	
	disturb asbestos	
1e.	Planned isolation strategy (from pollutants generated during renovations and repairs) for:	
	• Students and staff	
	• Non-work areas of building	
	• Ventilation system	
1f.	Arranged for increased housekeeping during renovations and repairs	
1g.	Selected products and materials with minimal off-gassing	
1h.	Included IAQ-related specifications in construction contracts	
1i.	Evaluated work area for signs of mold before starting renovations	
	or repairs	
1j.	Scheduled pollutant-producing activities during unoccupied periods $\Box$	
RE	NOVATION	
1k.	Updated school occupants and parents on progress of longer projects $\Box$	
11.	Avoided exposure to mold and bacteria (for example, with protective	
	clothing or close-out procedures) $\Box$	
1m.	Determined that housekeeping activities are sufficient to control dirt	
1n	Verified that work met contract specifications	
	OSF-OUT	_
10	Allowed time for off-gassing before space is occupied	
10. 1n	Cleaned surfaces with wet-wining and vacuuming (high efficiency	
ıp.	vacuuming for fine or potentially toxic dusts such as lead asbestos	
	or mold)	
1g.	Cleaned building system components as needed	
1r.	Changed ventilation system filters	
1s.	Balanced and tested HVAC system (if the HVAC systems or	
	rooms served by it were modified)	
1t.	Followed EPA National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants	
	rules for disposal of materials that contained asbestos	

## 2. PAINTING

PRI	E-RENOVATION	Yes	No	N/A
2a.	Confirmed that the painted surface is lead-free	. 🗖		
2b.	Selected a low-VOC emitting paint that is free of lead, mercury, and			
	formaldehyde	. 🗖		
2c.	Scheduled painting during unoccupied periods	. 🗖		
RENOVATION				
2d.	Minimized occupant exposure to odors and contaminants	. 🗖		
2e.	Used exhaust and supply ventilation to sweep fumes out of building	. 🗖		
2f.	Blocked ventilation return openings	. 🗖		
2g.	Used proper storage and disposal practices for paints, solvents,			
	and supplies	. 🗖		
CLOSE-OUT				
2h.	Allowed paint odors to dissipate before occupants returned	. 🗖		
2i.	Used supply and exhaust fans to sweep fumes out of the building	. 🗖		
2j.	Used appropriate storage and disposal practices for paints, solvents,			
	and clean-up materials	. 🗖		
2k.	Disposed of old paints containing lead or mercury appropriately	. 🗖		

## 3. FLOORING

#### **PRE-RENOVATION**

3a.	Ensured that flooring is free of asbestos fibers $\Box$		
3b.	Selected low-emitting adhesives and flooring materials		
3c.	Obtained information about product constituents and emissions $\Box$		
3d.	Avoided installing carpet near water sources		
3e.	Scheduled installation during unoccupied periods $\Box$		
3f.	Aired out (off-gassed) new products before installation		
RE	NOVATION		
3g.	Followed manufacturers' recommendations for ventilating the work area $\dots$		
3h.	Avoided recirculating air from the installation area $\Box$		
3i.	Sealed return air grilles, opened doorways, and used exhaust fans to		
	remove airborne contaminants		
3j.	Vacuumed old carpet (before removal)		
3k.	Vacuumed subfloor surfaces (after carpet removal) $\Box$		
31.	Sealed joints of hard surfaces and/or entire surface of porous flooring		
	installed near water sources		
CL	OSE-OUT		
3m.	Vacuumed new flooring after installation $\Box$		
3n.	Followed manufacturers' recommendations for ventilating the work area		
	space (typical recommendation: allow maximum outdoor air into work	_	_
	area for 72 hours after installation)		

### 4. ROOFING

#### **PRE-RENOVATION**

4a.	Scheduled pollutant-producing activities during unoccupied periods		
RENOVATION			
4b.	Placed "hot pots" of tar away from outdoor air intakes $\Box$		
4c.	Modified ventilation to avoid introducing odors and contaminants into		
	building (for example, closed rooftop ventilation units in vicinity of work		
	area and instructed staff and students to keep doors and windows closed) $\Box$		





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