

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Lead in Construction

1926.62

This document presents a brief overview and summary of the official written program. The official program is a comprehensive guide to assist District staff in complying with the requirements of the OSHA standard.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVE:

The objective of the Saint Paul School District Lead in Construction program is to set forth policies, procedures, equipment, personal protective equipment (PPE), and work practices that are capable of protecting contractors when working on SPPS property.

PROCEDURES:

Determination of Lead Presence

- ESG will perform a determination of lead presence for each employee or workplace that may reasonably fall under this written plan.
- Determination of lead presence must be done by a competent person.

Interim Protection

- If lead presence is at or above the action level or employee operations may produce lead exposure, ESG will use engineered or administrative controls to reduce or eliminate lead exposure.
- If engineered or administrative controls are not effective or practical, ESG will issue the appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and provide interim protection.

Housekeeping

- Use wet sweeping and HEPA vacuuming for floors and other surfaces.
- Dry sweeping is only to be used when wet sweeping or HEPA vacuuming are proved impossible
- Compressed air shall not be used to remove lead from any surface unless the compressed air is used in conjunction with a ventilation system design to capture the airborne dust created by the compressed air
- No food or beverage are allowed in areas that are at or above the action level.

Hazard Communication

- ESG shall ensure each employee covered under the Lead in Construction written plan has access to it.
- ESG shall ensure each employee has access to label on containers of lead and safety data sheet.

RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS:

Records:

- Maintained by ESG and available upon request.
- Contact Information: Environmental Services Group | 651-744-1800
- Web Site: <https://www.spps.org/Page/3470> | Email: ESG@spps.org