



## **Illinois School for the Deaf**

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*Founded February 23, 1839*

**April 17, 2025**

**Dear Staff and or Family Member,**

In compliance with the Federal requirement that parents and employees be notified of the availability of the school's asbestos management plan, the Illinois School for the Deaf acknowledges that all buildings on campus have been inspected, and recently re-inspected, for asbestos-containing building materials by a licensed inspector. In addition, an Asbestos Management Plan has been prepared by a Licensed Management Planner. The Inspection Reports and Management Plan are on file in the Chief Engineer's office and are available for public review during business hours. Regulations governing the school's management of asbestos include the Illinois Asbestos Abatement Act, Chapter 22, Paragraph 1401 and Rules and Regulations Title 77, Chapter I, Subchapter P Part 855 Asbestos Abatement for Public and Private Schools in Illinois as amended and the USEPA NESHAP Regulations 40 CFR 61.140 dated November 20, 1990.

Over the last few years asbestos abatement projects have been completed to remove asbestos from our school buildings. However, we were unable to completely free the school of asbestos. We are continually monitoring the remaining asbestos in compliance with State and Federal regulations according to the Asbestos Hazardous Emergency Response Act (A.H.E.R.A.)

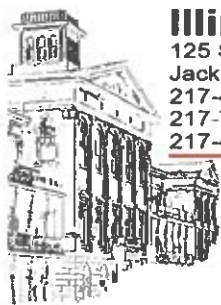
The health, safety and welfare of all children, staff, and visitors to ISD are of primary concern to us. Should you have any questions concerning our asbestos program, please contact the ISD Superintendent's office at 217-479-4201.

Sincerely,

**Julie M. Nist, M.Ed., Ed.S.**  
**ISD Superintendent**

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Estimado personal o familiar:

En cumplimiento del requisito federal de que se notifique a los padres y empleados sobre la disponibilidad del plan de manejo de asbesto de la escuela, la Escuela para Sordos de Illinois reconoce que todos los edificios del campus han sido inspeccionados, y recientemente vueltos a inspeccionar, para detectar materiales de construcción que contengan asbesto. p un inspector autorizado. Además, un planificador de gestión autorizado ha preparado un plan de gestión del amianto. Los informes de inspección y el plan de gestión están archivados en la oficina del ingeniero jefe y están disponibles para revisió pública durante el horario comercial. Las regulaciones que rigen el manejo del asbesto por parte de la escuela incluyen la Le de Reducción de Asbesto de Illinois, Capítulo 22, Párrafo 1401 y las Reglas y Reglamentos Título 77, Capítulo I, Subcapítulo P Parte 855 Reducción de Asbesto para Escuelas Públicas y Privadas en Illinois según enmendada y las Regulaciones 40 de USEPA NESHAP. CFR 61.140 del 20 de noviembre de 1990.

En los últimos años se han completado proyectos de reducción de asbesto para eliminar el asbesto de nuestros edificios escolares. Sin embargo, no pudimos liberar completamente la escuela de amianto. Estamos monitoreando continuamente e asbesto restante de conformidad con las regulaciones estatales y federales de acuerdo con la Ley de Respuesta a Emergenci Peligrosas por Asbesto (A.H.E.R.A.).

La salud, la seguridad y el bienestar de todos los niños, el personal y los visitantes de ISD son nuestra principal preocupación. Si tiene alguna pregunta sobre nuestro programa de asbesto, comuníquese con la oficina del superintendente de ISD al 217-479-4201.

Atentamente,

Julie M. Nist, M.Ed., Ed.S.  
Superintendente de ISD

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