



Paperwork required for construction waste at Metro transfer stations!



To protect the health and safety of our employees and customers, Metro's transfer stations screen all loads of remodeling, construction and demolition waste for materials that may contain asbestos. Proper paperwork for loads with suspect materials is required from all customers. Documentation varies for commercial haulers with drop-box loads and contractors in the building and construction trades. Learn more at

oregonmetro.gov/asbestosrules

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SOME COMMON PRODUCTS THAT CONTAIN ASBESTOS (not a complete list):

- **Flooring:** vinyl tiles, vinyl sheet, mastic
- **Walls:** plaster, decorative plaster
- **Siding:** cement siding shingles (e.g., "Transite")
- **Ceilings:** acoustical tiles, "popcorn" and spray-on texture
- **Insulation:** spray-applied, blown-in, vermiculite, pipe, HVAC and lagging
- **Electrical:** wire insulation, panel partitions
- **Other:** fire doors, fire brick, fire proofing

LEARN MORE ABOUT WHERE ASBESTOS MAY BE FOUND AT

epa.gov/asbestos/learn-about-asbestos#asbestos



BEFORE YOU START A REMODELING, DEMOLITION OR CONSTRUCTION PROJECT, TAKE THESE STEPS:

1. Use an accredited asbestos inspector to survey your project for materials that may contain asbestos.
2. Have any suspect materials tested.
3. Bring survey or test results with your load to show it contains no asbestos.

Any load without paperwork will be turned away.



Resources and options to protect yourself and your employees' health and safety

FIND A LIST OF LICENSED ASBESTOS CONTRACTORS AND ANALYTICAL LABS AT

deq.state.or.us/aq/asbestos or call 503-229-5982.

DISPOSAL OPTIONS FOR WASTE WITH MATERIALS THAT CONTAIN ASBESTOS

In the Portland area, Hillsboro Landfill is permitted to accept asbestos waste. For hours of operation and details, call **503-640-9427**

QUESTIONS?

Ask Metro about requirements, materials accepted and fees at Metro transfer stations. Call before you haul at **503-234-3000** or email [**mri@oregonmetro.gov**](mailto:mri@oregonmetro.gov)