

Hazardous Substance Communication Program

District personnel shall be encouraged to make less dangerous substitutions for hazardous substances to the extent possible and to minimize the quantities of such substances stored on school property.

The Superintendent shall administer an employee hazardous substance communication program. The program shall include written procedures for identifying chemicals in the workplace with potential physical and/or health hazards; means of notifying employees of hazardous substances such as, but not limited to, warning labels and safety data sheets; and an employee training program that, at a minimum, instructs employees on safety measures and practices, contains procedures for detecting hazardous substance safety breaches, and emergency response procedures. The program shall comply with all local, state, and federal laws and regulations that pertain to the safe and proper storage, transportation, and disposal of hazardous materials.

It is not the intent of the District to expand or modify the district's potential liability exposure through the implementation of this program. The district's voluntary compliance with any statute or regulation to which it is not otherwise subject shall not be construed to create or assume any potential liability under any local, state, or federal law or regulation.