

managing risk with responsibility

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SUBJECT: Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Assessment

Portable 67C, 1347 and 1348 and FISH 402 and 501

On June 10, 2005 the IAQ Assessment Team conducted an assessment of Portable 67C, 1347 and 1348 and FISH 402 and 501 at **Village Elementary School**. The evaluation consisted of a walkthrough of the identified areas to assess the current condition of the location with regard to indoor air quality. This assessment included observations of the carpet, floor tile, ceiling tile, interior walls, false ceiling plenum, and accessible ventilation equipment.

Attached are the findings of this assessment along with recommendations for further assessment, remediation, or corrective actions, if needed.

Generally, the IAQ Assessment did not identify any existing conditions significantly impacting IAQ and thereby presenting immediate health and safety concerns to building occupants. However, due to individual sensitivities and predisposing health factors, it is possible that some building occupants may elicit a health response to agents and / or conditions identified during the evaluation. Therefore, to further improve IAQ, prevent development of future IAQ-related problems, and to reduce the potential for IAQ-related complaints by building occupants, the IAQ Assessment Team recommends appropriate follow up of each item identified and listed in the attached evaluation.

Should any questions arise, or if the current concerns continue after the attached recommendations have been addressed, please feel free to contact me at 754-321-1638.

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	Village	e Elementary	School		Evaluat	ion Requested	June	9, 2005
Time of Day	2:30 pm				I	Evaluation Date	June 1	0, 2005
Outdoor Condition	ns Tempe	erature 8	33.4	Relative Humidit	y 90.6	Ambien	t CO2	442
Fish Tem	perature Ra	nge Rela	tive Humidity	Range	CO2	Rang	1e #	Occupants
P-67C		- 78	74.3	30% - 60%	424	Max 700 >	•	
Noticeable Odor	Yes		/isible water nage / staining	Visible mic growth		Amount of mate	erial	
Ceiling Type	2x4 Lay In		No	No]	ı	None	
Wall Type	Drywall		Yes	Yes]	42 sq	uare feet	
Flooring	Carpet		No	No]		None	
	Clean I	Minor Dust / Debris	Needs Cleaning		Corre	ctive Action Rec	quired	
Ceiling	Yes	No	No					
Walls	Yes	No	No					
Flooring	Yes	No	No					
HVAC Supply Gri	lls No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disir	nfectant	
HVAC Return Gril	Is No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disir	nfectant	
Ceiling at Supply Grills	Yes	No	No					
Surfaces in Room	No	Yes	Yes		Cle	an as appropria	te	

Observations

Findings:

- Visible microbial growth on walls (South and Northwest) and tall cabinet
- Roof leak identified in Northwest corner
- Dust and debris on HVAC supply and return grills
- Walls under windows (South, West and East) have 30% moisture content and visible staining
- Humidity level is elevated
- Dust and debris on environmental surfaces throughout the portable

Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean HVAC supply and return grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Clean/dust environmental surfaces throughout the portable
- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

- Evaluate roof leak and repair as appropriate
- Evaluate walls for water intrusion and repair/replace walls as appropriate
- Seal exterior walls and caulk windows
- Evaluate and repair HVAC system to lower humidity level

	V	illage Elemen	tary School		Evaluat	ion Requested	June 9, 2005
Time of Day	1:20 pm				1	Evaluation Date	June 10, 2005
Outdoor Condition	ons Te	emperature	83.4	Relative Hun	nidity 90.6	S Ambiei	nt CO2 442
Fish Te	mperature	Range F	Relative Humidity	Range	CO2	Ran	ge # Occupants
P-1347	65.5	72 - 78	58.2	30% - 60%	441	Max 700	> Ambient 2
Noticeable Odo	r No]	Visible water damage / staining		microbial owth?	Amount of mat affected	
Ceiling Type	2x4 La	y In	Yes		⁄es_	12 St	ained Tiles
Wall Type	Wood Pa	neling	Yes		No	Under Windows and at Doors	
Flooring	Carpe	et	Yes		No	Ent	ire Carpet
	Clean	Minor Du / Debris			Corre	ctive Action Re	quired
Ceiling	No	Yes	Yes			Replace Tiles	
Walls	Yes	No	No				
Flooring	No	Yes	Yes		ı	Replace carpet	
HVAC Supply G	rills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disi	nfectant
HVAC Return G	rills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disi	nfectant
Ceiling at Suppl Grills	y No	Yes	Yes			Replace Tiles	
Surfaces in Roo	m No	Yes	Yes		Cle	an as appropria	ate

Observations

Findings:

- Visible staining and microbial growth on ceiling tiles throughout the portable numerous roof leaks
- Visible microbial growth on ceiling in bathroom at exhaust fan
- Dust and debris and microbial growth on HVAC supply and return grills
- Stains and dirt on carpet throughout the portable
- Walls under windows have 20% moisture content and visible staining
- Termite wings on window sills throughout the portable
- Temperature is too cold
- Dust and debris on environmental surfaces throughout the portable

Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean HVAC supply and return grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Clean ceiling in bathroom with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Adjust thermostat to increase temperature
- Clean/dust environmental surfaces throughout the portable
- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

- Evaluate for roof leaks and repair/replace as appropriate and replace ceiling tiles
- Remove and replace carpet throughout entire portable
- Evaluate walls for water intrusion and repair/replace walls as appropriate
- Treat entire portable for termites
- Seal exterior walls and caulk windows

	Vill	age Elementary	/ School		Evaluatio	n Requested	June	9, 2005
Time of Day	2:00 pm]			Ev	aluation Date	June	10, 2005
Outdoor Condit	ions Ten	mperature 8	83.4	Relative Humidity	90.6	Ambien	nt CO2	442
Fish T	emperature	Range Rela	ative Humidity	Range	CO2	Rang	ge i	# Occupants
P-1348	67	72 - 78	64.9	30% - 60%	421	Max 700 >	> Ambier	nt 2
Noticeable Ode	or No		Visible water nage / staining	Visible micro g? growth?	bial	Amount of mate affected	erial	_
Ceiling Type	2x4 Lay	In	Yes	Yes		8 Sta	ined Tiles	3
Wall Type [Wood Pane	əling	Yes	No		Under Windo	ws and a	t Doors
Flooring	12 x 12 Vii	nyl	No	No			None	
	Clean	Minor Dust / Debris	Needs Cleaning		Correcti	ive Action Rec	quired	
Ceiling	No	Yes	Yes		R	eplace Tiles		
Walls	Yes	No	No					
Flooring	Yes	No	No					
HVAC Supply (Grills No	Yes	Yes	CI	lean with	Wexcide disir	nfectant	
HVAC Return C	Grills No	Yes	Yes	CI	lean with	Wexcide disir	nfectant	
Ceiling at Supp Grills	oly No	Yes	Yes		R	eplace Tiles		
Surfaces in Ro	om No	Yes	Yes		Clear	n as appropria	te	

Observations

Findings:

- Visible staining and microbial growth on ceiling tiles throughout the portable numerous roof leaks
- Dust and debris and microbial growth on HVAC supply and return grills
- 2 missing HVAC supply grills and other supply grills are rusted
- Walls under windows have 50% moisture content and visible staining
- Termite wings on window sills throughout the portable
- Temperature is too cold and humidity level is elevated
- Dust and debris on environmental surfaces throughout the portable

Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean HVAC return grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Clean/dust environmental surfaces throughout the portable
- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

- Evaluate for roof leaks and repair/replace as appropriate and replace ceiling tiles
- Install new HVAC supply grills
- Evaluate walls for water intrusion and repair/replace walls as appropriate
- Treat entire portable for termites
- Seal exterior walls and caulk windows
- Evaluate and repair HVAC system to raise temperature and lower humidity level

	Villa	ge Elementary	School		Evaluat	ion Requested	June	9, 2005
Time of Day	3:00 pm				ı	Evaluation Date	June 1	10, 2005
Outdoor Conditio	ns Tem _l	perature 8	3.4	Relative Humidity	y 90.6	Ambien	t CO2	442
Fish Ten	nperature R	ange Rela	tive Humidity	Range	CO2	Rang	je #	Occupants
402	72.6 72	2 - 78	80.3	30% - 60%	543	Max 700 >		2
Noticeable Odor	Yes	-	'isible water age / staining	Visible micr growth		Amount of mate affected	erial	
Ceiling Type	2x4 Lay Ir	١	Yes	No		2 Tiles	(removed)
Wall Type	Drywall & Tack	board	No	No		<u> </u>	None	
Flooring	12 x 12 Viny	/l	No	No			None	
	Clean	Minor Dust / Debris	Needs Cleaning		Corre	ctive Action Rec	quired	
Ceiling	No	Yes	Yes		Clean/r	eplace as appro	priate	
Walls	No	Yes	Yes		Cle	an as appropria	te	
Flooring	Yes	No	No					
HVAC Supply Gri	ills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disir	nfectant	
HVAC Return Gri	lls No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disir	nfectant	
Ceiling at Supply Grills	No	Yes	Yes		Clean/re	eplace as appro	priate	
Surfaces in Room	n Yes	No	No					

Observations

Findings:

- Roof drain above ceiling appears to be leaking onto ceiling tiles
- Heavy dust and debris on ceiling tiles throughout the room
- Heavy dust and debris on walls near HVAC supply grills
- Dust and debris on HVAC supply and return grills
- Incorrect filters installed in HVAC unit allowing air by-pass
- Humidity level is elevated

Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean/replace ceiling tiles as appropriate
- Clean walls with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- · Clean HVAC supply and return grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Install proper size filters in HVAC unit
- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

- Evaluate and repair roof drain as appropriate and replace ceiling tiles as necessary
- Evaluate and repair HVAC system to lower humidity level

	VIII	age Elemer	ntary School		Evaluat	ion Requested	June 9, 2005
Time of Day	2:45 pm				I	Evaluation Date	June 10, 2005
Outdoor Condition	ons Ten	nperature	83.4	Relative Hum	idity 90.6	Ambien	nt CO2 442
Fish Te	mperature	Range	Relative Humidity	Range	CO2	Ranç	ge # Occupants
501	72.6	' 2 - 78	80.2	30% - 60%	472	Max 700 >	> Ambient 2
Noticeable Odor	Yes		Visible water damage / staining		microbial owth?	Amount of mate affected	erial
Ceiling Type	2x4 Lay	ln	No	N	lo		None
Wall Type	Drywal		Yes	Y	es	8 sqi	uare feet
Flooring	12 x 12 Vi	nyl	No	N	lo		None
	Clean	Minor Du / Debri		I	Correc	ctive Action Red	quired
Ceiling	Yes	No	No				
Walls	Yes	No	No				
Flooring	Yes	No	No				
HVAC Supply Gr	rills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disir	nfectant
HVAC Return Gr	ills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disir	nfectant
Ceiling at Supply Grills	y Yes	No	No				
Surfaces in Roo	m Yes	No	No				

Observations

Findings:

- Visible microbial growth on wall (North of door)
- Dust and debris on HVAC supply and return grills
- Wall under windows (South) and wall left of door (North) have 20% moisture content and visible staining
- Leaking chiller pipe in North wall
- Humidity level is elevated

Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean walls with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Clean HVAC supply and return grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

- Evaluate cause of water intrusion and repair as appropriate and repair/replace walls as appropriate
- Seal exterior walls and caulk windows
- Evaluate and repair leaking chiller pipe and replace damaged wall under chiller lines (floor to penetration 4' wide minimum)
- Evaluate and repair HVAC system to lower humidity level