WELCOME TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY DEPARTMENT

MISSION STATEMENT

The Department of Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) at Florida A & M University in support of FAMU's Environmental Health and Safety Policy, administers numerous programs to provide a safe campus environment for work and study, and to establish and maintain compliance with federal, state and local environmental laws, rules and regulations.

The Environmental Health and Safety department manages disaster preparedness, Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) compliance, Hazard Communication, Right-to-Know compliance, Building Code Administration, Fire Safety, the Respiratory Protection Program and FAMU's Recycling Initiative. EHS also handles Risk Management & Insurance and administers other employee related safety issues such as the monitoring and mitigation of buried and above ground fuel tanks, in addition to asbestos, PCB, and other lead-based paint management.

The major areas of emphasis in the EHS Program are:

BUILDING CODE ADMINISTRATION
FIRE SAFETY
HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT
LABORATORY SAFETY
RADIATION AND LASER SAFETY
RISK MANAGEMENT
RECYCLING

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