

## Marshall Space Flight Center Safety, Health, & Environmental (SHE) Program

Safety, Health, & Environmental (SHE)
Program Visitor Awareness Training
(SHE 101V)



#### **Emergency Phone Numbers**

- Emergencies: Call 911
  - (Ambulance, Fire, Security, and Chemical Spills)
  - On a cell phone, identify immediately that you are on MSFC property
    - This is required to be transferred to MSFC 911 emergency personnel avoiding critical delays
- If there is an injury to personnel or damage to MSFC property, material, or equipment, the following shall be notified:
  - Safety Hotline, 544-HELP (Option 2)
  - Your sponsor



### Non-Emergencies or Concerns

- Industrial Safety Branch (ISB) 544-0046
- Occupational Health (EEOH) 544-2390
- Environmental Engineering (EEOH) 544-4246
- MSFC Medical Center, Bldg 4249 544-2390
- Chemical Management 544-6007
- Hazardous Waste Disposal 544-9578
- Security 544-HELP (4357) Option 1



# Safety, Health, & Environmental (SHE) Program Objective

- To establish and implement an industrial safety, occupational health, and environmental program that:
  - Prevents employee injuries, illnesses, and fatalities
  - Protects the environment through the ongoing planning, implementation, integration and management control of these programs
  - Reduces the number of incidents
- MSFC, as a governmental contracting agency, has a responsibility to assure work performed on MSFC meets our safety, health, and environmental standards



### MSFC and OSHA Requirements

- MSFC is responsible for providing employees and visitors with a safe and healthful working environment free from recognized hazardous conditions in accordance with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) of 1970 and Public Law 91-596
- MSFC developed Marshall Program Requirements (MPRs) and Marshall Work Instructions (MWIs) to define how work is performed at MSFC
  - Your sponsor can assist you in obtaining these copies or other documents applicable to the work you will perform



### Organization Safety, Health and Environmental (SHE) Representative

- Each MSFC organization designates an employee to serve as their SHE organization Point of Contact (POC)
- Building Manager and SHE Points of Contact labels are posted in various locations in buildings and is available on the SHE Webpage under the "Who to Call" pull down tab
  - Label identifies representatives from all SHE organizations that are responsible for the building
- You will be made aware of your role and responsibility in the MSFC SHE Program while working at the Center



### Training

- Your sponsor will instruct you in the recognition and avoidance of unsafe and hazardous conditions
- The regulations applicable to the work environment
- How to control or eliminate any hazards or exposure to illness or injury



## MSFC Has Many Places That May Contain Asbestos

- Asbestos can cause cancer and lung disease and should not be disturbed unless proper precautions are followed
- Asbestos may be present in the following building materials at MSFC:
  - Spray applied insulation
  - Heating, ventilation, air conditioning and thermal system insulation
  - Floor tiles/adhesive, interior wallboard/exterior siding
  - Pipe insulation and gasket materials
- Avoid cutting, drilling, grinding, or otherwise damaging these materials or other building materials containing asbestos that can cause dust or fiber release and potential asbestos exposure
- Call EEOH at 544—HELP (4357) or 544-2390 if you have any questions



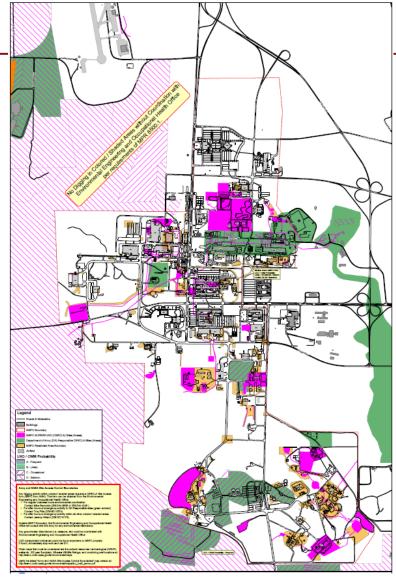
#### MSFC is a CERCLA Site

- What is a CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act or Superfund) site?
  - Locations where releases of hazardous substances had occurred or might occur, and pose a serious threat to human health, welfare, or the environment
- What is the source of MSFC's CERCLA sites?
  - Due to historical engine development activities at MSFC, some chemicals were released to the environment (soils and groundwater)
- What should you be aware of?
  - Visitors should be aware of this fact and observe appropriate safety signs



## Where are the CERCLA Sites

#### Located?





## If Chemicals or Hazardous Materials are Involved With Your Work

- Coordination with EEOH, 544-6007, when procuring or bringing hazardous materials onsite
- Your sponsor will provide information and training when working with chemicals or hazardous materials and inform you of the hazards involved when working with them



## Hazardous and Controlled Waste Management & Disposal

- If your work generates hazardous waste, it must be properly disposed of
- Do not pour any chemicals or other hazardous materials down sinks, drains, or into the environment
- Contact Environmental Engineering at 544-9578 if you have any questions or to obtain the following:
  - To obtain waste collection containers
  - Turn in waste containers
  - Turn in empty product containers
  - Turn in unwanted or unclaimed chemicals



### Recycling

- Single Stream Recycling:
  - Single stream recycling is a process in which materials are collected and mingled together with no sorting required by participating employees
  - Cans and bottles can be recycled together with newspaper, cardboard, etc.
  - Single stream recycling has been implemented to reduce the Center's solid waste disposal cost and to meet the solid waste reduction goals of the Executive Order 13514.





### Recycling (con't)

- Toner Cartridges
  - Recycle toner cartridges in their boxes by placing them in the appropriately labeled recycling containers generally located in building hallways
  - To obtain a recycling container call 544-6094
- Cardboard
  - Place corrugated cardboard near normal trash collection locations within the building and designate as "trash"
  - To obtain a recycling container call 544-0608



#### EMS Awareness

- NASA-MSFC has an Environmental Management System (EMS) which allows the Center to systematically manage its environmental responsibilities
- NASA-MSFC EMS (MPR 8500.2, "MSFC Environmental Management System")
  - Continually evaluates environmental performance
  - Involves all members of the organization, as appropriate
  - Actively involves Senior Management
- Environmental Policy: Enable Marshall's mission by providing environmental compliance and stewardship and a safe and healthful work place
- Proper management of chemicals, air emissions, wastewater/storm water, and land are integral parts of the NASA-MSFC EMS



#### **MSFC** Permits

- Some work requires MSFC Permits
- Contact ISB at 544-0046 for Hot Work Permits for:
  - Activities that produce an open flame such as oxy-fuel torches, portable furnaces, blow torches, gas or electric welding operations, flammable or combustible fuel heaters, etc.
  - Tar kettles and torch-applied roofing systems
- Contact 544-6759 or the Facilities Management Office (FMO) inspector for Digging Permit
- Contact EEOH at 544-2390 for Confined Space Permits
- Your sponsor will know if other permits are needed



## General SHE Rules for ALL Employees

- Every employee has the authority to stop any operation if an unsafe act or condition exits; or if an activity has the potential to harm the environment. [29 CFR 1926.20 and MPR 8715.1]
- Report all safety and health problems, close calls, and mishaps to your sponsor
- Imminent Danger Secure the area and call 911
- Identify with hazard warning sign(s) to prevent injury to others or damage to property
- Hazardous conditions shall be corrected before work is allowed to continue
- Become familiar with emergency procedures and follow them when necessary
- Wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) when the work requires it to be worn
  - Worksite shall be posted with signage stating the correct PPE required to be worn while in the worksite area



#### Traffic Rules

- To be granted access to drive a vehicle on MSFC, a valid state driver's license and proof of vehicle insurance is required
- Seat belts are required to be worn at all times while the vehicle is moving
- Cell phone use is prohibited on RSA/MSFC while operating a vehicle unless you use a hands-free device or speaker phone option
- Pedestrians have the right-of-way in "designated pedestrian crosswalks" except those that are not located at a roadway intersection. These crosswalks are identified by signs stating "Pedestrians Yield to Motorists" or similar signage to alert the pedestrian to yield to on-coming traffic



#### Traffic Rules

- When entering Redstone Arsenal gates during darkness, parking lights should be used
- Vehicles parked in unauthorized areas, or areas not designated for parking are subject to citation
- Slow moving vehicles shall not use Rideout or Martin Road during rush-hours
  - When a slow moving vehicle is on a MSFC road it shall:
    - Display a slow-moving vehicle emblem on the rear
    - Have red or amber flashing lights or beacon
    - Be escorted



### Workplace Violence

- MSFC has zero tolerance for workplace violence
- Workplace violence and threatening behavior will not be tolerated
- Threatening behavior is a statement or "course of conduct" which could cause, or which actually causes, a person to believe that they are under threat of bodily injury or death
- Immediately report all acts of violence and any threatening behavior to Protective Services at
- 544–HELP (4357) Option 1
- All work performed on MSFC is subject to MPR 1600.1, "MSFC Security Procedural Requirements"



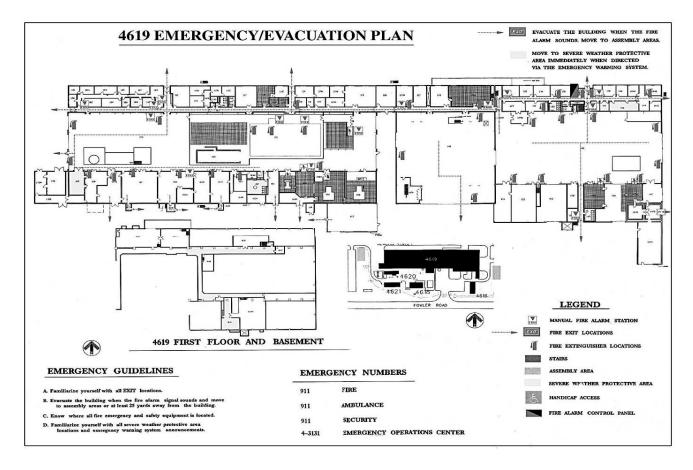
#### Severe Weather

- Threats of severe weather (lightning, thunderstorm watches/warning, tornado watches/warnings/sightings) at MSFC are announced over the MSFC Emergency Warning System (EWS)
- When emergency announcements are made over the EWS, all personnel shall follow instructions
- If directed to go to protective areas, go to the nearest building
  - An emergency/evacuation plan is posted in the building lobby showing the location of the protective areas within the building
- Your sponsor can assist in locating protective areas adjacent to your work site
- Your sponsor shall ensure that you are aware of what action to take in the event of severe weather or other emergencies



### Emergency/Evacuation Plans

The Emergency/Evacuation plans are posted in MSFC building lobbies





# MSFC Standardized Lockout/Tagout Locks and Tags

#### Do Not Tamper with any Lock or Tag

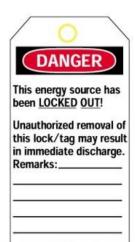












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