

**MODERNIZATION PROGRAM  
OFFICE**

**SPECIAL POINTS  
OF INTEREST**

**Q:** What is Gyp Board?

**A:** Gyp board is simply Drywall

**Q:** Where can I find the MSDS on the paint and materials being used during this weeks activities?

**A:** The Modernization Program Office has a complete set of MSDS information and information is also available on line.

**Q:** What is a "chase"?

**A:** The chase is the vertical opening at columns where utilities pass from floor to floor. When a chase is closed it is insulated and fire retardant foam is placed so fire does not easily spread through.

**Q:** What is the "raceway"?

**A:** No, it's not NASCAR, but it is a track where electrical and telecom outlets will be installed in the modernized space

**Q:** What is SMACNA?

**A:** SMACNA is the Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractor's National Association. Their guidelines are what NIOSH has asked us to comply with. GSA is conducting daily check list to ensure their contractor meets these guidelines.

**GSA's CONTRACTOR'S  
COMPLIANCE WITH  
THE SMACNA  
GUIDELINES.**

**RESULTS AS OF:  
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# Behind the Barricade

## Plan of the Week

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### Modernization Activities Wing 4

#### 1st Floor

- Building containment for asbestos containing material removal
- Asbestos containing material removal (only done on weekends and off hours)
- Install Insulation
- Mechanical/ Electrical and Plumbing Rough-ins

#### 2nd Floor

- Install Gyp Board
- Continue Mechanical/Electrical & Plumbing Rough-ins

#### 3rd Floor

- Continue Mechanical/ Electrical and Plumbing Rough-ins
- Install Metal Stud framing and Gyp Board

#### 4th Floor

- Close in chases with insulation and drywall
- Install sash to refurbish windows
- Install stair framing for new stairwell

#### 5th Floor

- Close in chases with insulation and drywall
- Hang and finish gyp board

#### M-Level

- Continue Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing Rough-ins
- Install concrete curbs & pads

#### 6th Floor

- Hang and finish Gyp Board
- Preparation for painting
- Prime and paint walls and ceilings

#### 7th Floor

- Install raceway-East
- Prime and paint walls and ceilings
- Install toilets & Ceramic Tile

#### Penthouse

- Pre-Asbestos containing materials demolition

#### Elevators

- Refurbish Cab Interior
- Continue work on #24

#### Gymnasium

- Continue work on Skylights
- Install Roofing
- Prep interior walls/ceilings for painting

#### Basement

- Build demolition containment (East)
- Remove Asbestos containing materials