**Section 845.295 Re-occupation of the Lead Work Area**

a) Before a work area may be released for re-occupancy, the work area must meet the following requirements:

1) The work area shall pass the visual inspection outlined in Section 845.225; and

2) Lead dust levels on floors and other horizontal surfaces shall be below the levels established in Section 845.205(c).

b) Upon passing the visual inspection and achieving acceptable final clearance evaluation results, the licensed lead abatement contractor shall obtain a signed copy of the final clearance evaluation results required by Section 845.225 before being released from the work area.

c) Upon receipt of the signed final clearance evaluation results required by Section 845.225, the licensed lead abatement contractor shall remove the remaining isolation barriers and may release the work area for re-occupancy.

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