



SERVICE ALLIANCE 2012

In line with Work Health and Safety laws for safely managing asbestos, several amendments and updates regarding asbestos have been made on the WA.gov.au Department of Finance website.

Firstly, the **Asbestos Booklet** has been replaced with the following WA approved Codes of Practice.

[Code of Practice How - How to manage and control asbestos in the workplace](#)

[Code of Practice - How to safely remove asbestos](#)

The Asbestos Booklet has served as an enduring guidance document for Department of Finance contractors, providing instructions for safely managing asbestos still in buildings and implementing secure and safe work practices when handling and removing asbestos.

Recent introduction of Work Health and Safety laws in WA now mandates that contractors conducting asbestos-related tasks in government-owned buildings adhere to these laws, including compliance with these approved Codes of Practice concerning asbestos.

Secondly, WA.gov.au now includes links to information about [asbestos](#). Additionally, the [Regional Contractor Service Delivery Procedure](#) manual has also been updated (Section 3) with the information above and attached for your convenience.

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