



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY DENTAL COMMAND**  
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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

MCDS

18 March 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR All U.S. Army Dental Command Personnel

SUBJECT: U.S. Army Dental Command (DENCOM) Policy 04-13, Hazard Communication Program

1. REFERENCES:

- a. U.S. Army Dental Command (DENCOM) Pam 385-1-1.
- b. All references listed in DENCOM Pam 385-1-1.

2. SCOPE: This policy applies to all organizations and personnel (to include active duty, Reserve, Civil Service, contract personnel, and volunteers) assigned to or working in DENCOM facilities.

3. POLICY:

a. Recommendations/guidance from the Office of the Surgeon General (OTSG), the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), and the American Dental Association will be followed in all dental facilities by all dental health care workers (DHCW).

b. Each Army Dental Unit is to have a detailed HAZCOM Program based on guidance from DENCOM Pam 385-1-1 and other professional or regulatory agencies. The programs should be accessible to all personnel and provide:

(1) Site specific guidance in all aspects of HAZCOM and chemical safety for DHCWs.

(2) Hazardous chemical inventory.

(3) Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) files cross-referenced by trade/common/commercial name to the chemical inventory.

(4) Hazard warning labels appropriately used and cross-referenced to the chemical inventory and MSDS.

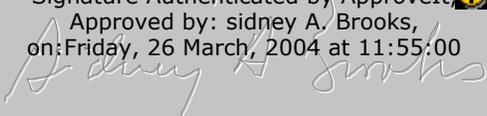
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(5) Training IAW 29 CFR 1910.1200.

(6) Documentation and recordkeeping IAW 29 CFR 1910.1200,  
29 CFR 1904.1-22, 29 CFR 1910.20, and all Army and DOD  
requirements.

(7) A copy of DENCOM Pam 385-1-1.

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