

MOLD ABATEMENT GUIDE

What is Mold?

Molds are fungi that can be found both indoors and outdoors and number in species as much as 100,000. Some people are sensitive to molds and exposure to molds can cause symptoms such as nasal stuffiness, eye irritation, wheezing, or skin irritation. Others who have serious allergies to molds may have more severe reactions such as fever and shortness of breath. Mold should be treated as a health hazard and removed from your environment.

Where is Mold Found?

Molds grow best in warm, damp and humid conditions, spreading and reproducing by making spores. These spores can survive in harsh environmental conditions, such as dry conditions, that do not support normal mold growth. Molds are found in virtually every environment and can be detected, both indoors and outdoors, year-round. Outdoors they can be found in shady, damp areas or places where leaves or other vegetation decompose. Indoors mold can be found where humidity levels are high, such as basements or showers.

What if You Find Mold?

If you find mold in your property, do not disturb it. This will reduce the spread of spores and the chance of contamination in other areas of the structure. Risk Removal will coordinate with a professional mold inspector to identify the types of mold present and the severity of the problem.

Removing Mold

Mold should always be remediated by a trained professional using proper work methods to prevent further spread of spores. It can be remediated by demolishing or removing the material on which it grows or can be decontaminated in place, depending on the severity of the condition. It is important to eliminate the source of the moisture or high humidity so mold does return after remediation.

Working with Risk Removal
Risk Removal, LLC., has provided
environmental services in the Rocky
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The company was organized in 1989 and
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Projects are delivered on a turnkey basis and may include project estimation, certified project design, remediation and abatement, final clearances and disposal. Risk Removal knows that completing a project to the client's satisfaction requires having the best team. The company employs a team of fully trained and certified project designers, project managers, supervisors and technicians. The team uses state-of-the-art equipment and industry best practices to complete projects safely and in compliance with all regulations.











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