

Project Profile: Allstate Printing & Distribution Center

Concrete protection was the key to preventing contamination at this mega-print and distribution center.

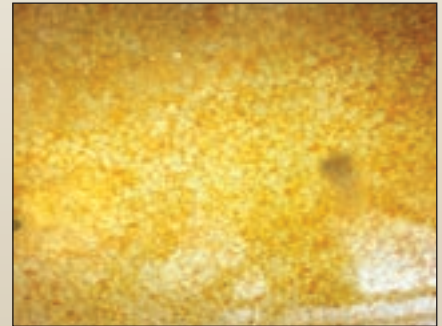
Allstate Insurance has more than 500,000 sq.ft. of space dedicated to printing and distributing literature for their vast field operations offices. They print forms, promotional materials, contracts, rate schedules and other documents in a facility where forklift traffic, dust, and chemicals are facts of life. To guard against these contaminants and ward off poor print quality before it affected operations, Allstate turned to Concare, Inc. for help.

Concare team members investigated and realized that the company faced a variety of challenges unique to the printing industry. Airborne particulates were a concern, as they could potentially spoil print quality and eventually affect the facility's output. Concare management knew that a floor coating would create a barrier against dust and enhance the surface cleanability at the same time.

Concare's Sales Specialists also understood the need for a brightened work space to make process quality checks simpler, which a coating's added light reflection would provide. Finally, inks and chemicals, another constant threat in the printing industry, threatened to leach into Allstate's concrete and damage their important capital asset. With each of these challenges in mind, Concare management recommended a solution.

Thanks to seven-day-a-week operations and no chance for a facility shutdown, Concare crew members had to arrange special scheduling on off-hours to ensure that employees would be minimally impacted. With immovable equipment in place, Concare crews used a dry mechanical prep method to eliminate water, odor and mess.

When it was finished, the new Concare flooring system met the demanding challenges of Allstate's print and distribution center head on, satisfying their management and their employees. Even better, those floors are still in service today. With an initial installation cost of \$.40 per square foot, Allstate's lifecycle cost for their Concare flooring works out to just a couple of pennies per square foot per year!



Before Concare, Allstate's print and distribution center was dull, dusty and dirty.



Inks and chemicals threatened to leach into the bare concrete.



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