# INTERIOR SIGNAGE STANDARDS & ADA INSTALLATION GUIDELINES

- 1) 1/4" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue PMS 295
- 2 Tactile Color: White Font: Helvetica Medium
- (3) Grade 2 Braille
- 4 Double Faced Tape

### **Types of Restroom Signage**



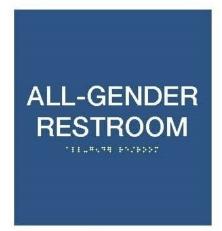
**WHC-RR** 



### **Types of All Gender Restroom Signage**



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**AG-RR** 







**AGCT-RR** 



Size: 8" x 8.75"

### **Types of Bathroom Signage**



W-BR

Size: 6" x 8"

\*\*add Handicap symbol to signs when applicable

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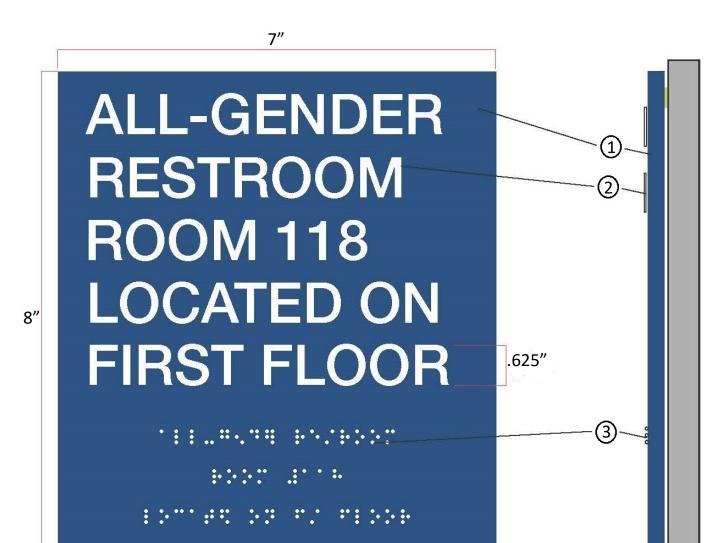


Size: 8" x 10.25"

### **Lactation Room Sign**

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- (3) Grade 2 Braille
- 4 Double Faced Tape

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RR4

Size: 7" x 8"

- 1/4" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue PMS 295
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### **RR4- Location Indicator Sign**

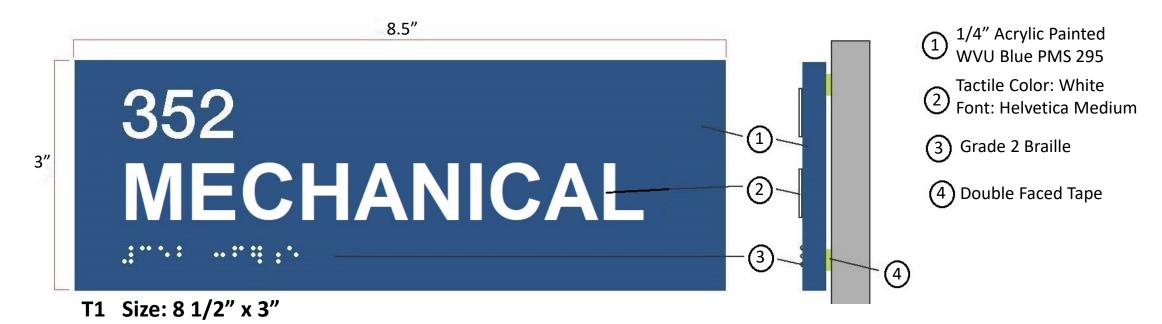
LACTATION
ROOM
LOCATED ON
THE ???
FLOOR

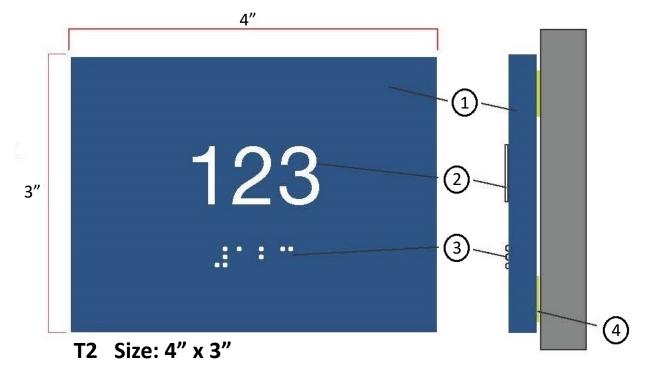
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ALL GENDER
RESTROOM
LOCATED ON ???
FLOOR
LACTATION ROOM
LOCATED ON ???
FLOOR

Note: For All Gender restroom or Lactation room in the building





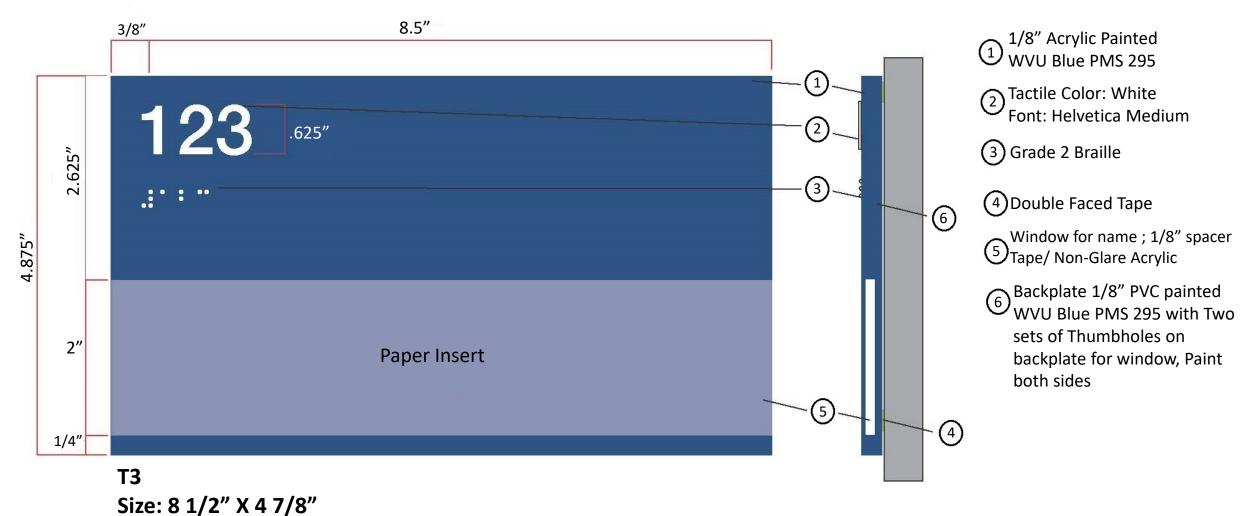


### T1 and T2 - Room Signs

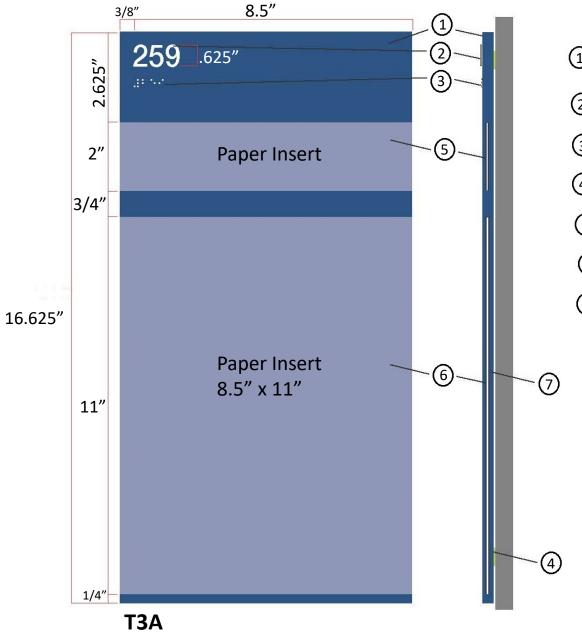
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### T3- Room ID with Name





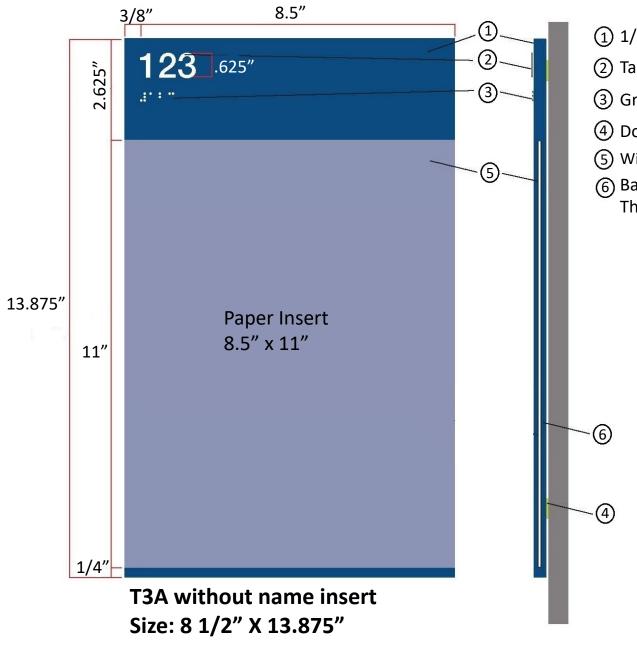


- 1/8" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue PMS 295
- (2) Tactile Color: White; Font: Helvetica Medium
- (3) Grade 2 Braille
- (4) Double Faced Tape
- (5) Window for name (8.5"x11"); 1/8" spacer Tape/ Non-Glare Acrylic
- Window for schedule/ office hours (8.5"x11") 1/8" spacer Tape/ Non-Glare Acrylic
- 7 Backplate 1/8" PVC painted WVU Blue PMS 295 with Two sets of Thumbholes on backplate for both window, Paint both sides

T3A – Room ID with name and paper insert

Size: 8 1/2" X 16.625"



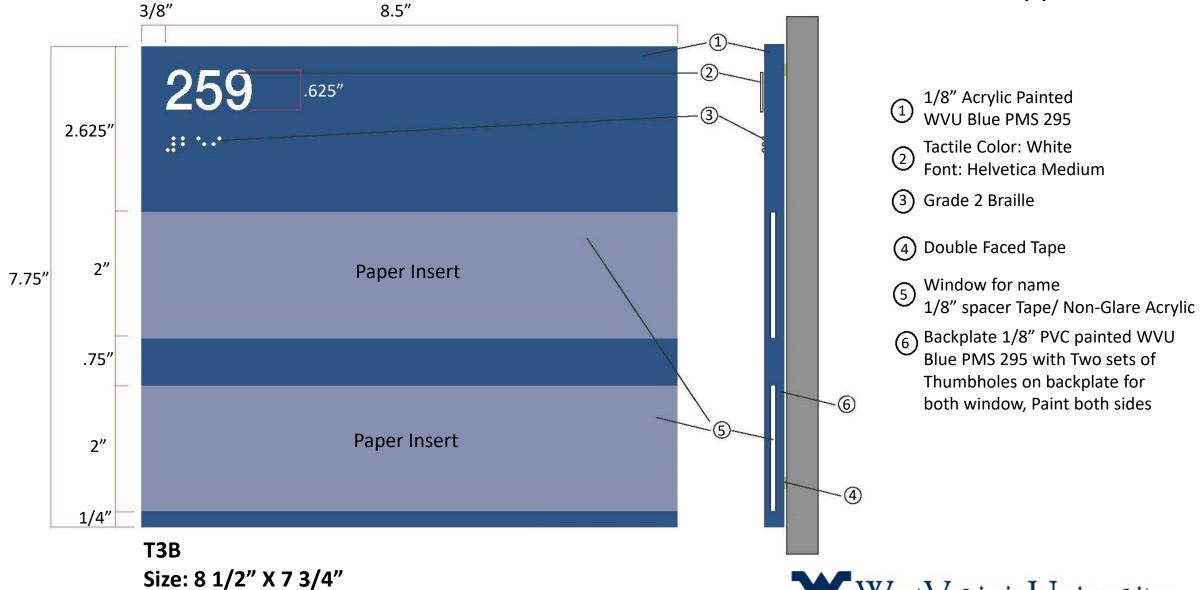


- 1/8" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue PMS 295
- (2) Tactile Color: White; Font: Helvetica Medium
- ③ Grade 2 Braille
- 4 Double Faced Tape
- (5) Window for name/schedule (8.5"x11"); 1/8" spacer Tape/ Non-Glare Acrylic
- (6) Backplate 1/8" PVC painted WVU Blue PMS 295 with Two sets of Thumbholes on backplate for window, Paint both sides

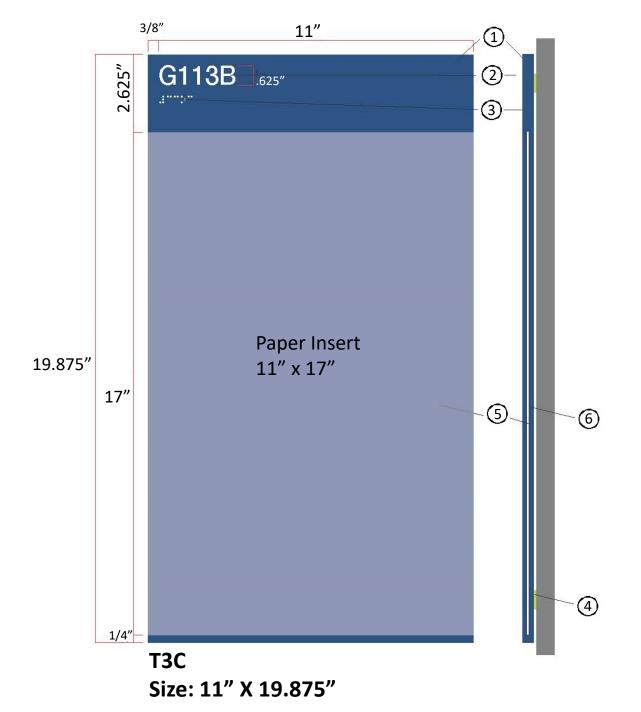
T3A - Room ID without name insert



### T3B – Room ID with Name Insert (2) Slot



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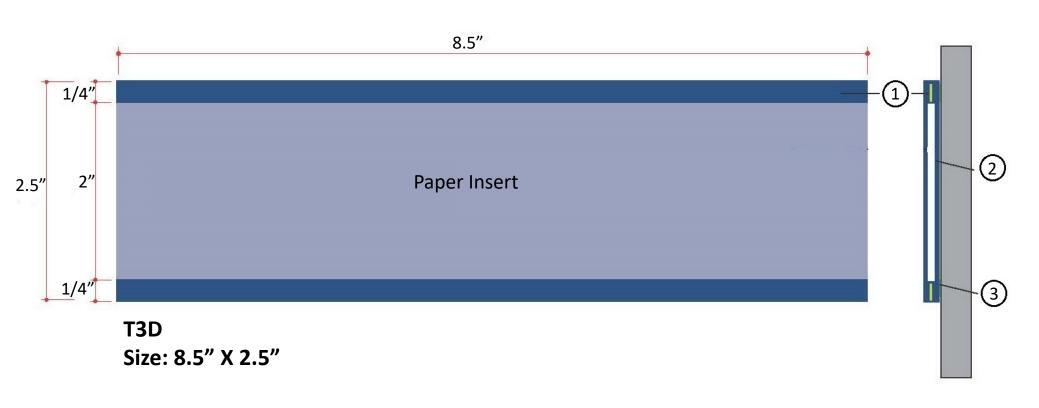


- 1/8" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue PMS 295
- (2) Tactile Color: White Font: Helvetica Medium
- 3) Grade 2 Braille
- (4) Double Faced Tape
- Window for suite name/ list of names in suite (11"x17") 1/8" Spacer Tape/Non-Glare Acrylic
- 6 Backplate 1/8" PVC painted WVU Blue PMS 295 with Two sets of Thumbholes on backplate for window, Paint both sides

T3C - Room ID with 11"x17" Insert Slot



T3D - Name ID Add On



- 1/8" Clear Acrylic
  Faceplate Top/ Bottom
  border painted WVU Blue
  PMS 295
- Backplate 1/8" Acrylic painted
  WVU Blue PMS 295
  with Thumbholes on
  Back Painted both sides
- (3) Double Faced Tape





Dibond Print Direct, Brushed
Silver Horizontal Grain Rounded
Corners white spot

(2) Red and Black Lettering

3 Double Faced Tape

Size: 8" X 6"

**T4** – Maximum Occupancy Sign







1 %" Acrylic painted
WVU Blue PMS 295

Tactile Color: White Font: Helvetica Medium

(3) Grade 2 Braille

(4) Double Faced Tape

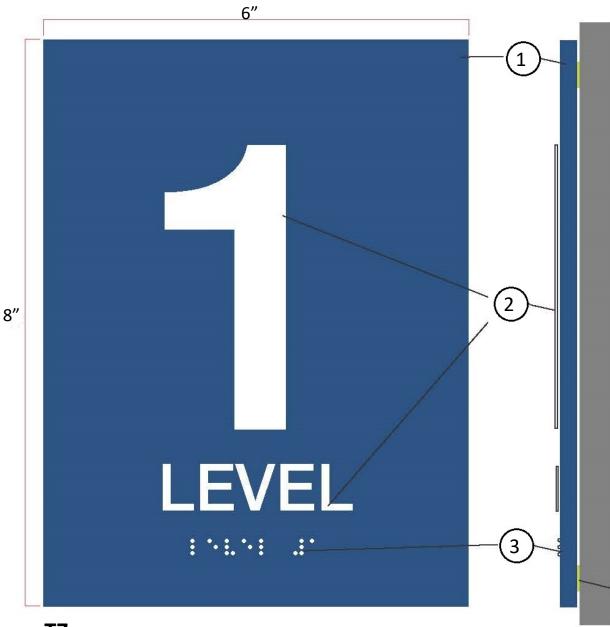
T6 - Sign Example next to Elevator – option 1

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**T6** 

Size: 9" X 9"



- 1 %" Acrylic painted WVU Blue PMS 295
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- 4 Double Faced Tape

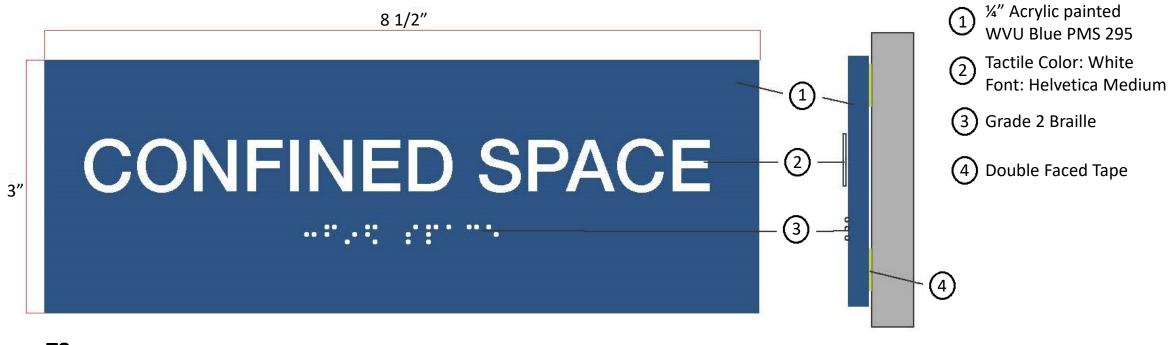
THIS SIGN CAN BE USED FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN A STAIRWELL BUT NOT THE ONLY SIGN. SW4 HAS TO BE POSTED.

**T7** - Level or Floor Sign

T7
Size: 6" X 8"



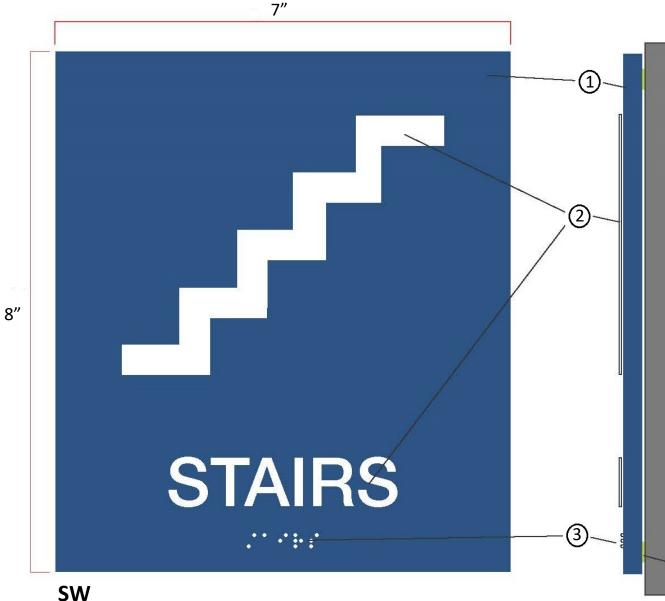
### **T8 - Confined Space Sign**



**T8** 

Size: 8 1/2" X 3"





- 1/4" Acrylic painted WVU Blue PMS 295
- Tactile Color: White Font: Helvetica Medium
- (3) Grade 2 Braille

4

4 Double Faced Tape

ON THIS SIGN, STAIR NUMBER AND LEVEL COULD BE ADDED TO THIS SIGN POSTED ON THE FLOOR SIDE.

**SW** - Stair Signage

Size: 7" X 8"



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14" Acrylic painted
WVU Blue PMS 295

2 Tactile Color: White Font: Helvetica Medium

(3) Grade 2 Braille

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(4) Double Faced Tape

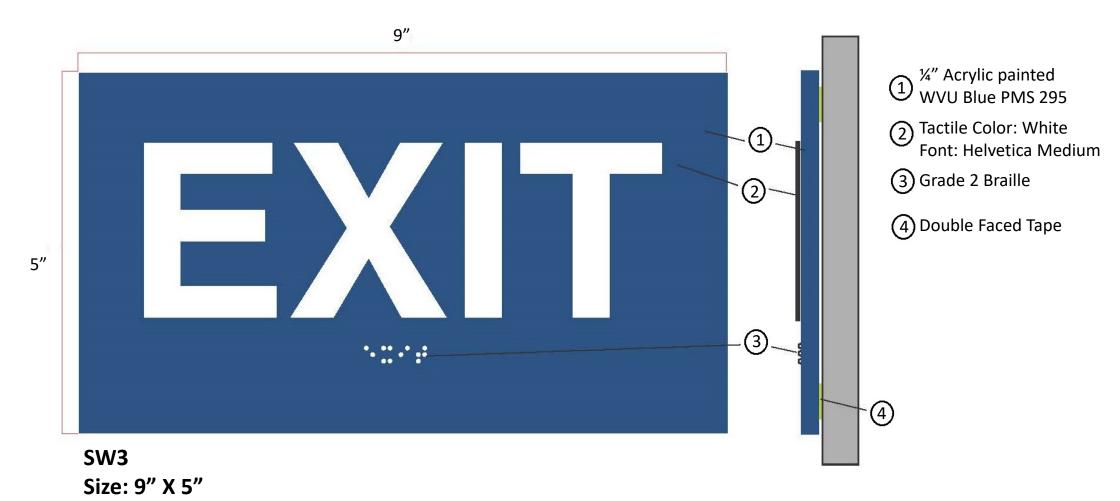
SW2 - Sign Example next to Elevator – option 2

SW<sub>2</sub>

Size: 1'-1 1/2" X 10 1/4"



### **SW3** - Stairwell Door EXIT signage





STAIR 3

FLOOR

FLOOR B THRU 2 FLOOR 1 FOR EXIT **SW4 – Stairwell Signage** 

STAIR 3

2 FLOOR

FLOOR B THRU 2 FLOOR 1 FOR EXIT

SW4

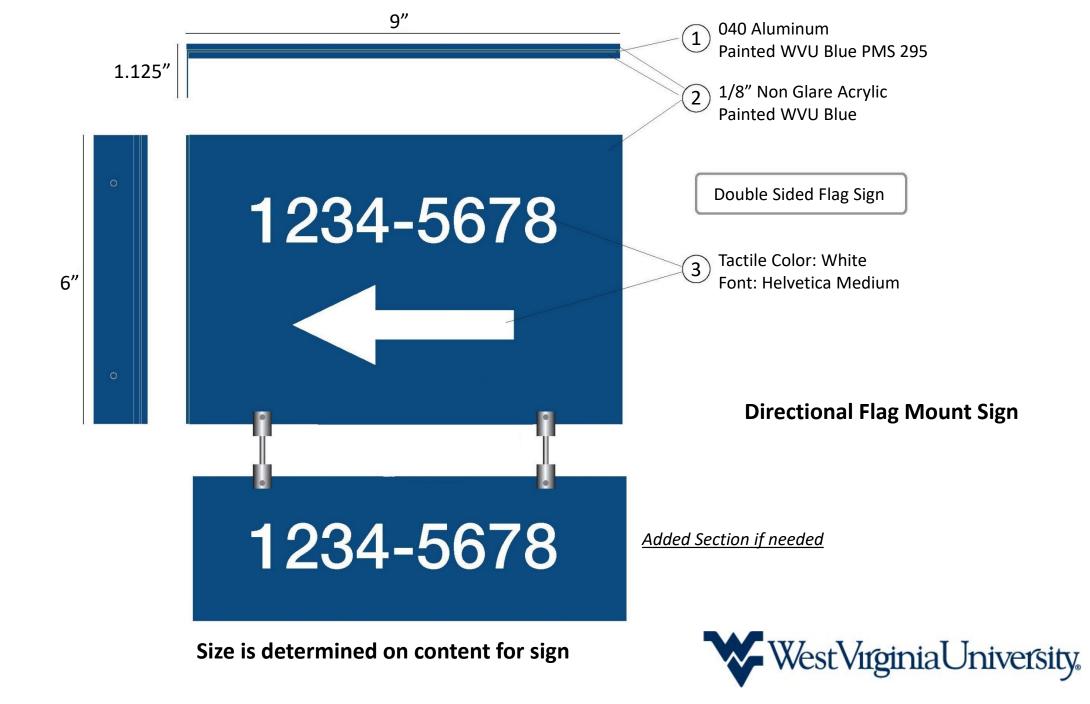
Size: 13" X 15"

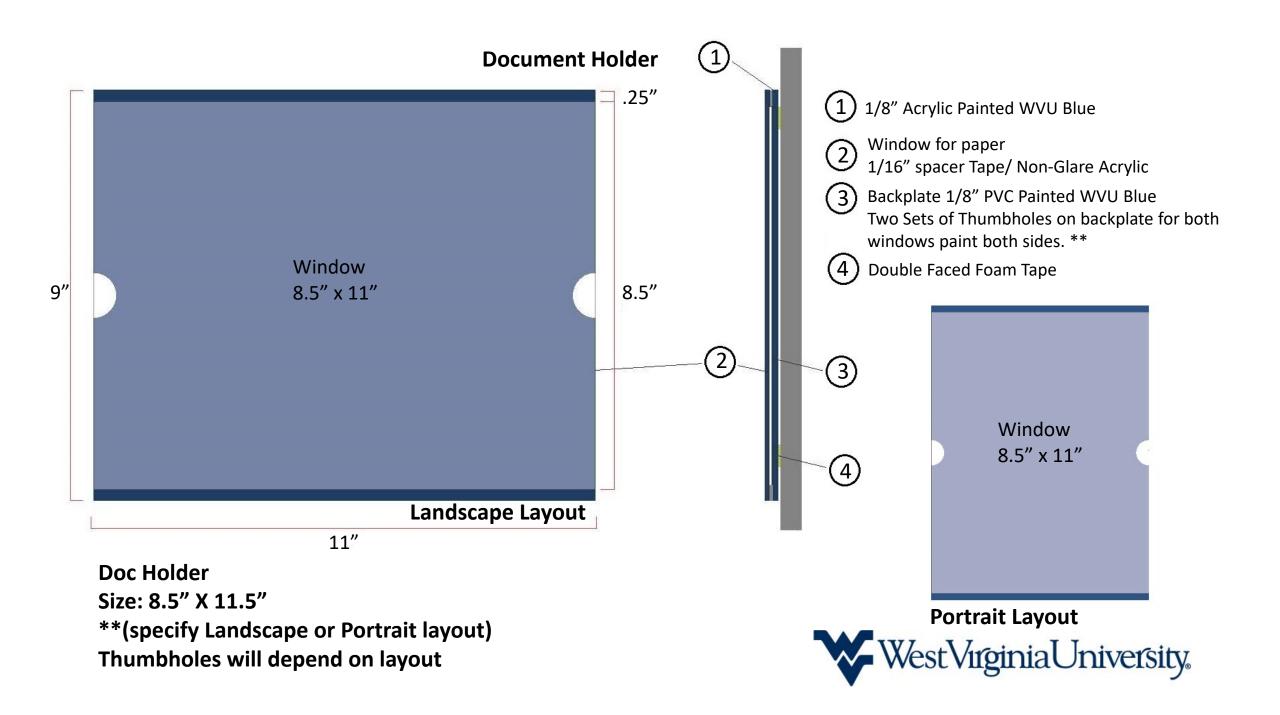
Note if there is Roof Access from the stairwell, add additional note to the sign. 1) ¼" Acrylic painted WVU Blue PMS 295

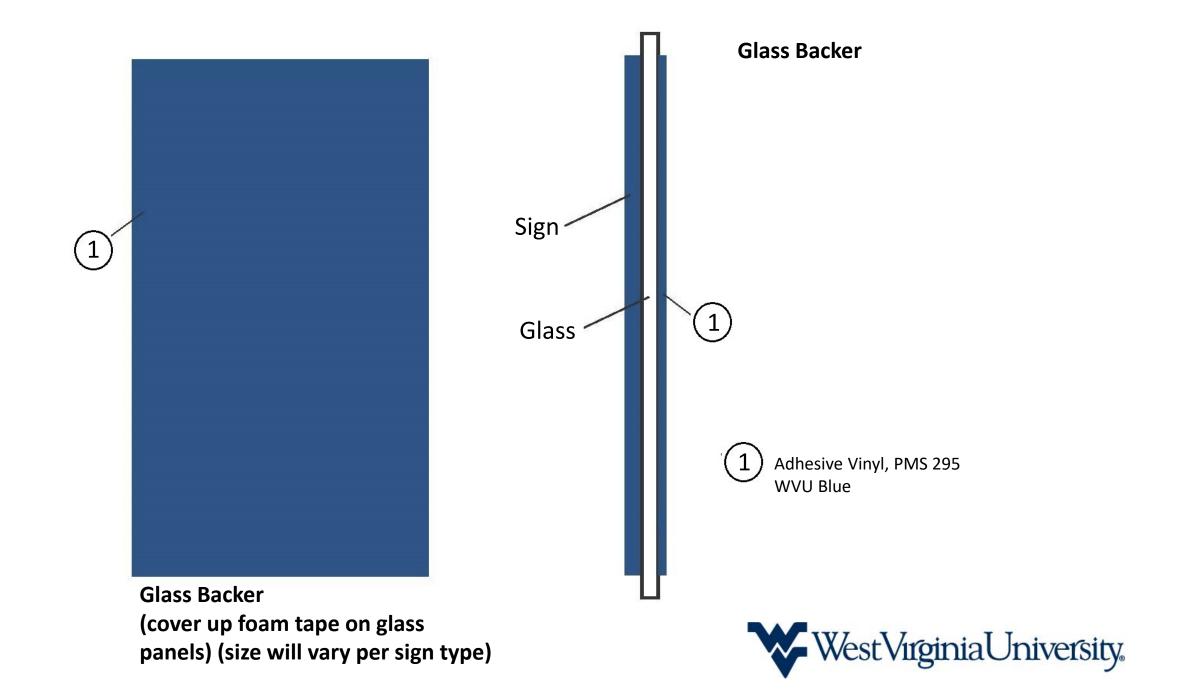
(2) Tactile Color: White; Font: Helvetica Medium

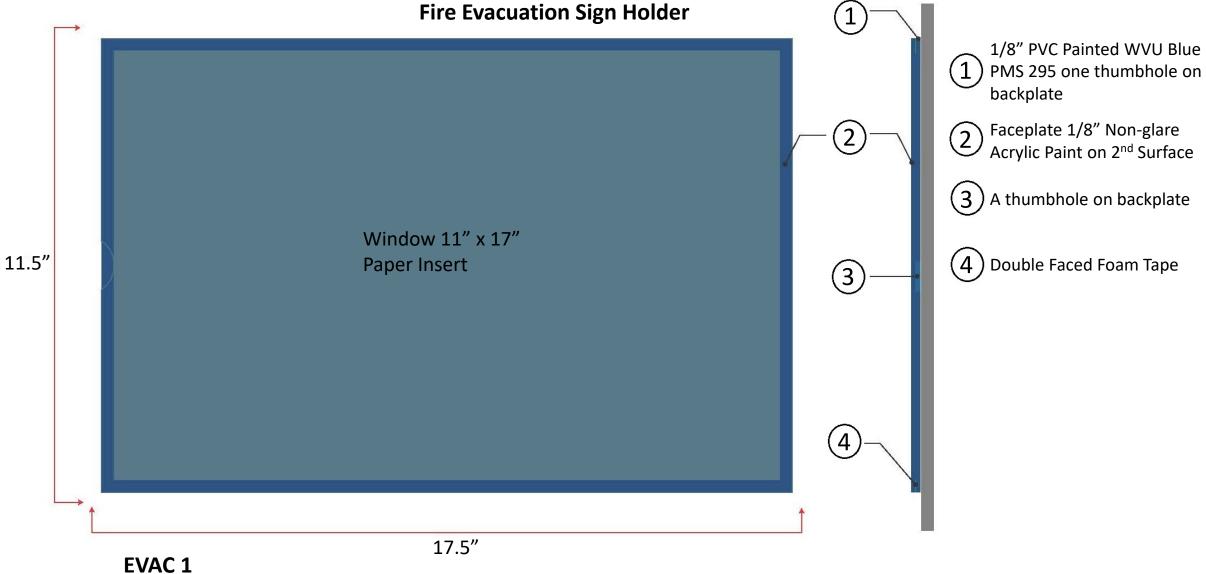
(3) Double Faced Tape





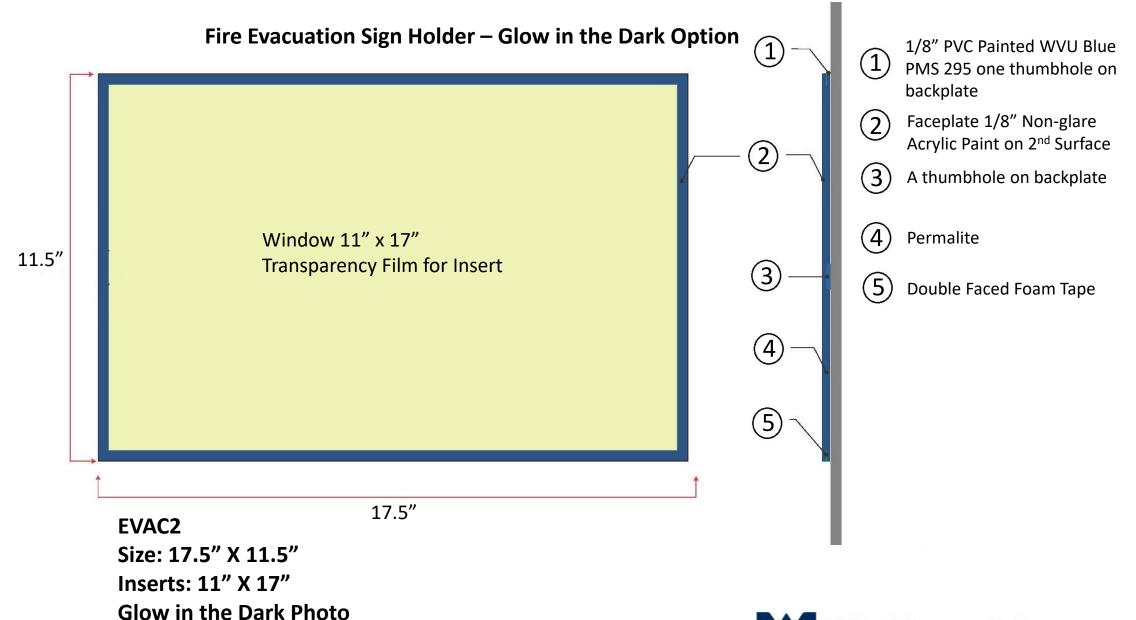






Size: 17.5" x 11.5" Inserts: 11" x 17"





**Luminescent Backer (special insert)** 



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### BUILDING DIRECTORIES & DEPARTMENT ENTRANCE SIGNS

### 11" EVANSDALE 1.25" (1) 6" **LIBRARY** 2 3 4 (5) Directory 18" 17" 7 Insert 1 6 11" (8)6" 1 Panel Size: 11"x30"

### **Building Directory – D1 and D2**

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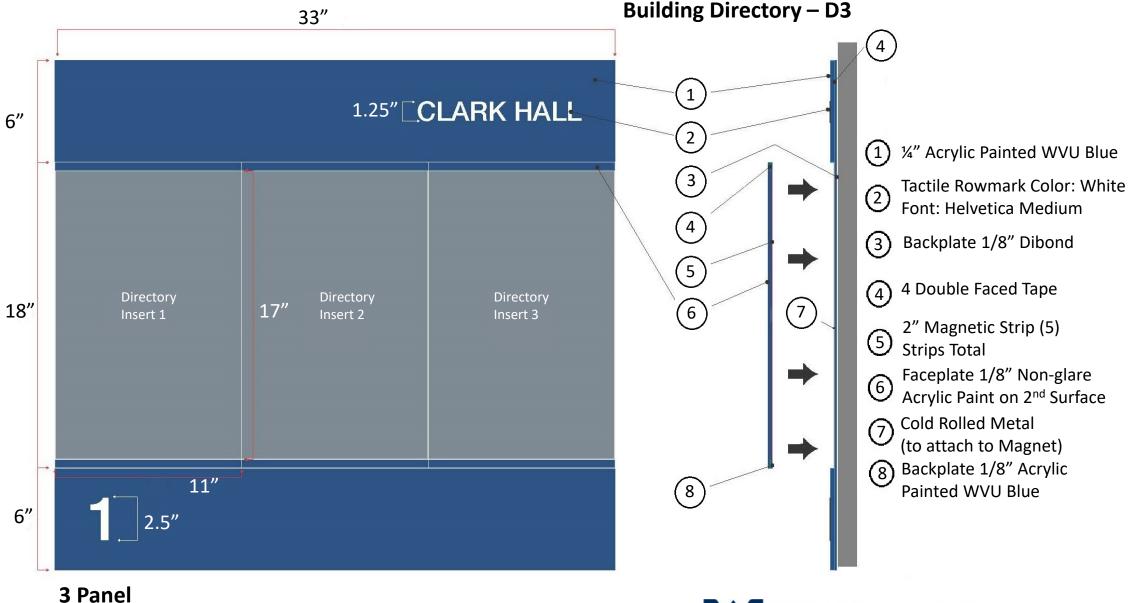
- 1) ¼" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue
- Tactile Rowmark Color: White Font: Helvetica Medium
- 3 Backplate 1/8" Dibond
- 4 A Double Faced Tape
- (5) 2" Magnetic Strip (5) Strips Total
- 6 Faceplate 1/8" Non-glare Acrylic Paint on 2<sup>nd</sup> Surface
- Cold Rolled Metal
  (to attach to Magnet)
- 8 Backplate 1/8" Acrylic Painted WVU Blue



2 Panel

Size: 22"x30"

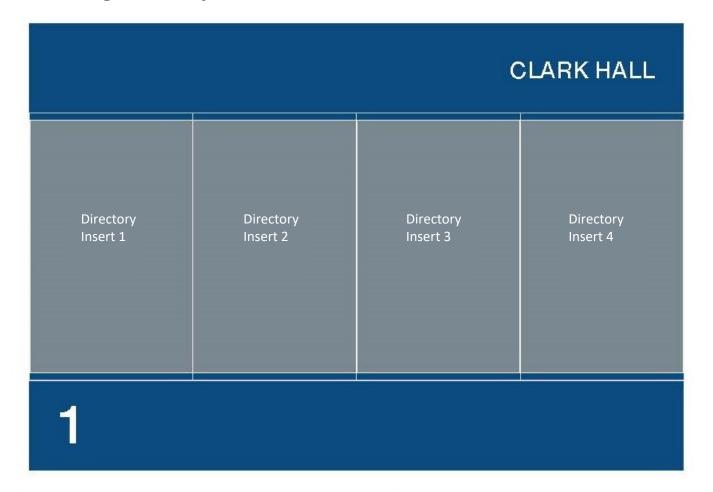




Size: 33"x30"



### **Building Directory – D4**

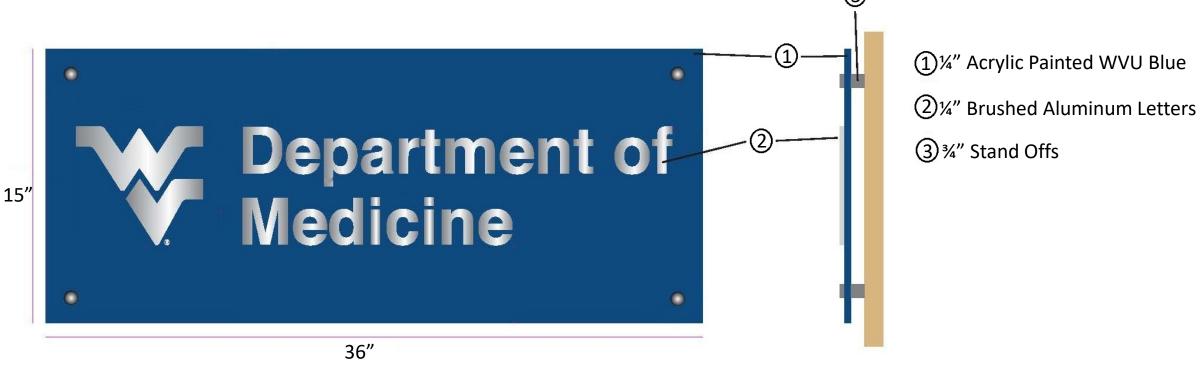


4 Panel

Size: 44"x30"



### **Department Name Sign**



**DNS- Department Name Sign** 

Size: may vary depending on location



## ADA SIGN INSTALLATIONS & GUIDELINES

### **FAQ and Tips**

The ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) helps remove barriers for people with disabilities. More than 2.5 million Americans suffer from visual impairment-not just blindness. High contrast ADA compliant signs help ensure accessibility for seniors, the visually impaired and blind. An ADA compliant sign is required for every permanent room or space in a building. This document is designed to help you understand how ADA compliant signs should be installed. Always defer to your local building authority for regulations and code updates You can review the guidelines enforceable as of March 15, 2016 at www. ada.gov. Chapter 7, section 703 of the ADA code relates to signs.

### **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

**Q:** Do all signs need to be ADA compliant and have Braille and tactile letters?

**A:** No, there are a number of signs that are not required to be ADA compliant. Building addresses, directories, parking signs and temporary signs don't need to be ADA compliant. Temporary signs are those used for 7 days or less.

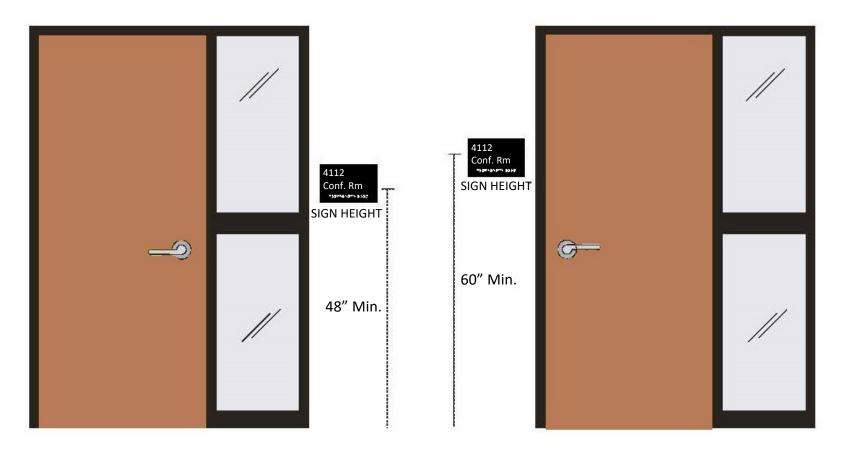
**Q:** Do I need ADA compliant signs in the stairwells of my building? **A:** You are required to have tactile sign next to each door inside the stairwell. These signs should identify the floor level, stair level and exit level. Some local fire codes have size requirements for those signs. You should check with your local code authority.

### **INSTALLATION TIPS**

- Although signs can be installed at varying heights, we suggest installing all your signs at 54" from floor to the center of the sign.
- Install signs with double sided tape by removing the tape backing.
   Then place the sign on a level and press it firmly in place against the wall.
- Clear silicone should be added to the back of heavy or oversized signs.



### **Mounting Heights**



- The baseline of the tactile copy can be mounted between 48" at the lowest point to 60" at the highest point. This allows signs of different sizes to be mounted on the same visual plane.
- Elevator cars are excluded from this rule.

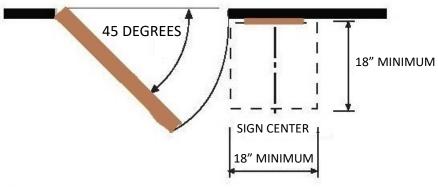


### **Mounting Options**

Signs should be mounted to the wall on the latch side of the door. If there is no room on that wall, the sign may be mounted on the nearest adjacent wall.



In the case of outward swinging doors, the sign must be mounted to the wall outside of the arc of the door swing. The sign should be located within an 18"x18" square of clear floor space (18" away from the door and 18" away from the wall). See Diagram.





Double Door: (one active leaf): Sign shall be located on inactive leaf.



Inward swinging doors: Sign may be mounted on door if three criteria are met: !) the door closes automatically, 2) the sign is mounted on the push side of the door, 3) the door does not have a hold-open device. (Common examples of doors that meet these criteria are kitchen doors, restroom doors, etc.).



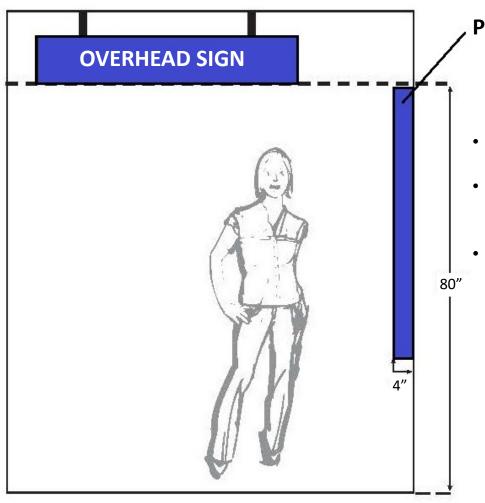
Single Door: sign shall be mounted next to door on the latch side.



Double Door: (two active leaves): Sign shall be located to the right of right handed door.



### **Overhead Signs and Projection Signs**



### **PROJECTING SIGN**

- The bottom of overhead signage must be 80" above the floor.
- Projecting wall mounted signs must be a minimum of 27" off the floor and have a maximum protrusion of 4" into a pathway.
- Signs should not interfere with or block any door function, emergency equipment or sprinklers.

