



Keeping Our Campus Safe: Building Entry and Exit Protocols (B.E.E.P.)

In 2018, nearly 3 million people attended events, shows, or conventions at McCormick Place, and ensuring the safety and security of our guests and employees is one of our highest priorities. In today's world, maintain security for a campus as large and busy as McCormick Place is a responsibility that must be shared beyond the public safety team – we need the help and support from everyone who works on campus.

One of the most important things to ensuring security for everyone is to manage where employees and contractors enter and exit the buildings. Since May 1, 2018, MPEA has been implementing Building Entry and Exit Procedures (B.E.E.P.). B.E.E.P. will require applicable individuals to enter and exit MPEA properties through designated entrances using valid credentials. Personnel will not be allowed to enter through any other entrance and will proceed to their work location from the B.E.E.P. entrance.

B.E.E.P. supports campus security in a number of ways, including ensuring that every employee or contractor has appropriate credentials as well as allows us to better monitor entrances to prevent inappropriate entries. Mandatory B.E.E.P. will be implemented in the coming months and we'd like your help and support in educating your members about this important initiative. Represented laborers, local EAC contractors, service desk employees, personnel, management or official contractors may enter the facility through one of the three 24-hour accessible entrances:

- Gate 25 Entrance
- S1 Entrance
- West Building Entrance

To smoothly and efficiently transition to B.E.E.P., the Authority is developing tools and guidelines to make this change as simple as possible. Some of the items under development include:

- On-campus signage
- Wallet size guideline card
- Do's and Don'ts
- Quick start guide for registering employees
- Working at McCormick Place guide for employees
- Template content for use in emails, schedule notices, etc.
- Frequently asked questions

Please let us know of any additional needs to make this transition as smooth as possible, we will do our best to accommodate any requests.



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