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HEALTH AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES BUILDING (Optometry)

Houston, Texas, June 13, 2011 – Major progress is being made on the Health and Biomedical Sciences Building. The next major step in the process is a concrete pour of a slab and associated work that will connect the new and old buildings. Therefore, it will be necessary for the contractors to temporarily close the area on the Calhoun side of the building, which is now being used to access the front door entry to the University Eye Institute lobby.

Effective Saturday, June 25th, 2011, the entry to Optometry will be through:

- Existing fire door which is in the staircase in the Family Practice Service and which opens onto Calhoun. A new sidewalk will be built to allow students, faculty and staff to use this door when entering and exiting the building.
- Double glass doors located near the maintenance trailer.
- Sliding glass door near the Optometry building elevators.

Please see the attached update of the Contractor’s Site Logistic Plan. The entry path to the Optometry building is highlighted in red.

Please contact Frederick Maddox, Senior Project Manager FPC, if you have questions related to this project at fmaddox@central.uh.edu or by phone at 713-743-1245.

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