WAC 296-155-17627 Signs—General. (1) You must post the following warning signs in each work area where an employee's exposure to lead is above the PEL.

**DANGER LEAD WORK AREA**

**MAY DAMAGE FERTILITY OR THE UNBORNE CHILD**

**CAUSES DAMAGE TO THE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM**

**DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE IN THIS AREA**

(2) You must ensure that no statement appears on or near any sign required by this section which contradicts or detracts from the meaning of the required sign.

(3) You must ensure that signs required by this section are illuminated and cleaned as necessary so that the legend is readily visible.

(4) You may use signs required by other statutes, regulations or ordinances in addition to, or in combination with, signs required by this section.

(5) Prior to June 1, 2016, you may use the following legend in lieu of that specified in subsection (1) of this section:

**WARNING**

**LEAD WORK AREA**

**POISON**

**NO SMOKING OR EATING**