



NORTH CENTRAL TERRAZZO ASSOCIATION

PROJECT SPOTLIGHT

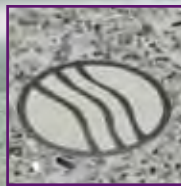
Toledo Children's Hospital





A Glass Act in Terrazzo

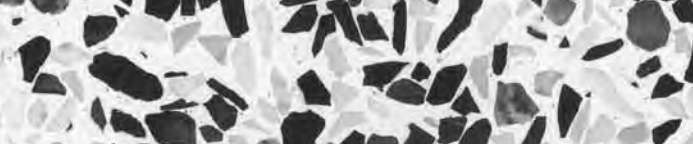
At the Toledo Children's Hospital, cutting-edge floor designs called for ten different terrazzo colors to be used. To achieve that, more than 60 samples were produced to get to the perfect color selections for the project.



close-up of water symbol medallion

All of the terrazzo used was comprised of 100% glass aggregate with epoxy resin. Some colors were made with recycled mirror chips; others had silver coated mirror chips. The medal medallions in the floor were designed to represent Earth, Wind, Fire and Water. Accordingly, the colors of the terrazzo correspond to each medallion theme.





During the installation, contractors quipped that they would be walking and working on a glass floor! So, as a result, extra caution was taken to not damage the glass aggregate in any possible way. A glass act, to be sure. Once again, this project proved to all that terrazzo, the oldest and most enduring of all floor covering is also the most endearing.

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