093013 CERAMIC TILING

- 1. Ceramic floor tile shall meet the standards of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) "Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and Facilities" (ADAAG). Static coefficient of friction shall be minimum 0.6 for level floors and 0.8 for ramped surfaces as determined by testing identical products per ASTM C1028.
- 2. Preferred ceramic tile sizes are 4" by 4" or larger for floors, and 4-1/4" by 4-1/4" for walls.
- 3. For toilet room and other wet area applications with floor drains, provide impervious waterproofing under floor.
- 4. Do not specify ceramic tile for shower stall floors or shower stall walls.
- 5. A crack inhibiting underlayment shall be used when placing ceramic tile on concrete slabs.
- 6. Contractor shall provide the University with extra stock equal to 4 percent of each type of tile installed or a minimum of 15 sf, whichever is greater.