## Precast Concrete Solutions for **Dormitories**

## Worcester State College Dormitories

Worcester, Massachusetts





Architects: ADD Inc. - Cambridge, MA Engineer: McNamara / Salvia Inc. - Cambridge, MA Construction Manager: Suffolk Construction Co Inc. Boston, MA

Students at Worcester State College now have new dorm rooms to study in. This six story residence hall joins two existing dormitory buildings on the campus, off Chandler street in Worcester, Massachusetts.

The building design utilized a double loaded corridor with Strescore plank spanning to the outside walls. Construction of the dormitory began in May of 2003. Strescon Limited began erecting the 98,000 sq. ft. of 8 inch thick Strescore plank in August and completed their work in November.

The use of precast/prestressed Strescore plank provides the students of this new dorm with a place to call home which is fire resistant and has a low level of sound transfer, allowing them to concentrate on their studies.



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