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PROJECT PROFILE

ORANGE COUNTY FIRE AUTHORITY  
{ IRVINE, CALIFORNIA }



### SPECS

240K sq. ft. of facilities

Multiple sites relocated to one location

250+ workstations, conference rooms, classrooms, warehouse, fleet maintenance and repair facility, and fire fighter training center

### PROCESS

Analyzed needs, including user setups and electrical and data locations

Chose materials and fabrics

Mocked up workstations for review

Specified task chair for range of body types

### FUNCTIONAL DETAILS

Uniform and equipment storage

Custom bookshelves in personal towers

Desktop cable and power access for chargers

Darker, dirt-resistant finishes in warehouse and fleet maintenance and repair facility

Windows in frame-and-tile system walls distribute natural light

Mobile chairs, tables, and white boards facilitate teaming

### GAINS

Transition from private offices to open plan

A comfortable, ergonomic environment; a refined, durable aesthetic

LEED credits for systems furniture

### ALLSTEEL PRODUCTS

Terrace® 3.4 frame-and-tile system, Get Set™ tables and chairs, Marbles® tables and mobile Scribble Boards™, Persona™ storage, Extensions™ work tools, and #19®, Tolleson Side, Trooper®, and Virage® seating

The Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA) delivers a range of fire and life-safety related programs to the communities it serves. OCFA relocated its public service and support functions from multiple sites to a single campus in Irvine, CA. This allowed them to unify their culture, streamline operations, and optimize group adjacencies.

The 20-acre OCFA campus includes administrative offices, public service areas, repair and maintenance facilities, and a training center. The many public areas required a bright, open, professional, and inviting environment. Other goals included transitioning from private offices to an open plan. Areas for service and support functions required more durable and darker fabrics and colors. The training center, classrooms, and meeting rooms needed furniture that could be quickly and easily reconfigured. Get Set and Marbles tables provided this flexibility.

The procurement team had clear criteria, including a Southern California distributor and GSA pricing. Staff evaluated products from several vendors, considering functionality, durability, ergonomics, cost effectiveness, and compatibility with the facility's architecture. Allsteel's Terrace 3.4 frame-and-tile system and Persona storage were chosen for use throughout the facility. Effective coordination between the Allsteel team and dealer and OCFA's procurement and implementation team ensured on-time, on-budget delivery and a problem-free relocation.

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