

**Behind-The-Scenes Tour Rules**  
**USS *Monitor* Conservation Lab**  
**The Mariners' Museum**

1. Please do not touch anything in the lab. This includes artifacts, treatment tanks, equipment, etc.
2. No children under 10 years old are permitted in the lab.
3. Photography is permitted for personal/educational use only.
4. Tours limited to maximum of 15 people per tour. Any larger groups will be split up and a rotation schedule will be instituted.
5. Wear comfortable clothing and **closed-toe shoes. No sandals, flip-flops, Crocs, or heels are allowed in the lab.**
6. Tours include significant walking.
7. Tour accessibility is limited by narrow passageways and stairs. Please notify us at the time of booking of any special requirements and we will endeavor to accommodate you.
8. Photography is encouraged for personal and educational use only.
9. Elements of the Behind the Scenes Tour and exhibits at The Mariners' Museum are subject to change without prior notice.

A behind-the-scenes tour is a privilege and unique opportunity to see artifacts from the Civil War ironclad USS *Monitor* undergoing sensitive conservation treatments. Visitors who violate these rules will be escorted out of the laboratory.