ABOUT US



VDA, incorporated December 30, 1980, as vda, Inc., is the nation's leading elevator/escalator consulting and inspection firm. In 2023, we partnered with Allsafe Elevator Inspections, and their sister companies, Dominion Elevator Inspections and High Sierra Elevator Inspections, to expand our national inspection services offering. Together, we provide a comprehensive suite of services for elevators, escalators, and other conveyance systems in new and existing properties.

Our professional services provide clients with leading-edge solutions that save them time and money. With offices nationwide, decades of industry expertise, and more than 43,000 projects in the US and across the globe, VDA Leads The Way in elevator/escalator consulting and inspection services.

Services We Offer

CONSULTING SERVICES

EQUIPMENT EVALUATIONS | MAINTENANCE MANAGEMENT | MODERNIZATION DESIGN |

NEW CONSTRUCTION DESIGN | CONSTRUCTION SERVICES

INSPECTION SERVICES
THIRD-PARTY INSPECTIONS | CERTIFICATE COMPLIANCE MANAGEMENT

Equipment Evaluations

VDA's offers Equipment Evaluations that provide information about the quality of maintenance as it relates to contract fulfillment and potential equipment upgrades and/or modernization. Our proprietary Data Collection App (DCA) ensures a thorough and detailed evaluation of vertical transportation equipment while delivering intelligent reporting to our clients. Click here to learn more.

Maintenance Management

Maintenance Management encompasses a wide range of VDA services to help you manage your equipment's condition and life cycle. Maintenance management services include performance reviews, unplanned repair management, invoice review, custom Maintenance Agreements, issuing RFPs for new maintenance providers, analyzing bids and capital planning. VDA's CARE™ Program takes on these tedious tasks so you can deal with more pressing issues. Click here to learn more.

Inspection Services

VDA provides third-party inspection services and/or "witness" testing of mandated periodic and annual inspections, as state/local law requires. Our services include inspections of all types of vertical transportation and ADA equipment, including elevators, escalators, dumbwaiters, and even specialty lifts found in theatres on stages and in wind turbines. Click here to learn more.

Modernization Design & Management

VDA's consultants are experts in vertical transportation equipment modernization and can help you efficiently navigate the entire modernization process. Modernization services can include feasibility studies, design development, specification, RFP prep, issuance and bid analysis, shop drawing review and approvals to final deployment. VDA's consultants can work with you to ensure your new equipment is state-of-the-art while meeting your short- and long-term financial goals. Click here to learn more.

New Construction Design & Services

Vertical transportation systems are just one of the critical pieces of the puzzle when constructing a building from the ground up. However, vertical transportation systems can become costly if poorly designed and problematic by inconveniencing tenants. VDA's New Construction Design Team has a wealth of experience designing vertical transportation systems and implementing the right design. From conceptual design to schematic design, construction documents/specifications/drawings to proposal issuance, bid review/analysis/recommendations, progress site visits, punch-out and follow-up reviews, VDA's experts can help you get a cost-effective vertical transportation system that exceeds the demands of your building. Click here to learn more.



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