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The Albright Health Center at Northern Kentucky University is dried out and will reopen today after a broken water main closed it since Thursday.

Offices, locker rooms and portions of the weight room at the campus recreation center were flooded.

No damage estimate has been set.

ADVERTISEMENT "Without the fast reaction of our physical plant (staff) it would have been higher," said Steve Tribble, director of campus recreation, said of the cost. Staff was present when the main broke.

Tribble said being able to address it quickly prevented the water from reaching the basketball courts on the first floor.

"If water had reached the (basketball) courts, any expense we have now would have been much higher," Tribble said.

The NKU Physical Plant staff and Apex, a restoration company, were able to complete the cleanup Tuesday so the building could reopen at 6:30 a.m. today.

The center, built in 1984, is located just west of Regent's Hall.

The building contains classrooms, laboratories and recreation facilities.

Departments located in the building include Human Services & Social Work, Allied Health, Nursing, Physical Education and Radiological Technology.

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