



OSHA Respirator Medical Evaluation**CFR 29 1910:134**

To the Employee

Can you read: Yes No

1. Today's date: _____

2. Your name: _____

3. Your age (to nearest year) _____

4. Sex: Male Female

5. Your height: _____ ft. _____ in.

6. Your weight _____ lbs.

7. Your job title: _____

8. A phone number where you can be reached by the health care professional who reviews this questionnaire:

9. The best time to call you at this number: _____

10. Has the employer told you how to contact the health care professional who will review this questionnaire (including area code)

11. Which type of respirator will you be using while on the job?

_____ N, R, or P disposable respirator (filter mask, non-cartridge type only)

Other style please note:

Half face

Powered-air purifying

Full face

Supplied air

SCBA – Self-contained Breathing Apparatus

12. Have you ever worn or used a respirator?

Yes

No

If yes what type? _____



Part A Section 2 (Mandatory) Questions 1 through 9 below must be answered by every employee who has been selected to use any type respirator.

1. **Do you currently smoke tobacco or have you smoked tobacco in the last month?**

- Yes
- No

2. **Have you suffered from the following conditions?**

- Seizures (Fits) Yes No
- Diabetes (Blood or urine sugar) Yes No
- Allergic reaction that interferes with your breathing Yes No
- Claustrophobia (fear of crowded or closed in spaces) Yes No
- Trouble smelling odors Yes No

3. **Have you ever suffered from any of the following pulmonary or lung problems?**

- Asbestosis Yes No
- Asthma Yes No
- Chronic Bronchitis Yes No
- Emphysema Yes No
- Pneumonia Yes No
- Tuberculosis Yes No
- Silicosis Yes No
- Pneumothorax (Collapsed Lung) Yes No
- Lung Cancer Yes No
- Broken ribs Yes No
- Any chest injuries or surgeries Yes No
- Any other lung problem that you've been told about Yes No

4. **Do you currently have any of the following symptoms of pulmonary or lung illness?**

- Shortness of breath Yes No
- Shortness of breath when walking fast on level ground or walking up a slight hill or incline Yes No
- Shortness of breath when walking with other people at an ordinary pace on level ground Yes No
- Have to stop for a breath when walking at your own pace on level ground Yes No
- Shortness of breath when washing or dressing yourself Yes No
- Shortness of breath that interferes with your job Yes No
- Coughing that produces phlegm (thick Sputum) Yes No
- Coughing that wakes you early in the morning Yes No
- Coughing that occurs mostly when you are laying down Yes No
- Coughing up blood in the last month Yes No
- Wheezing Yes No
- Wheezing that interferes with your job Yes No
- Chest pains when you breathe deeply Yes No
- Any other symptoms that you think may be related to a lung problem Yes No

5. **Have you ever had any of the following cardiovascular or heart problems?**

- Heart attack Yes No
- Stroke Yes No
- Angina Yes No
- Heart failure Yes No
- Swelling in your legs or feet (not caused by walking)? Yes No
- Heart Arrhythmia (heart beating irregular) Yes No
- High blood pressure Yes No
- Any other heart problem that you've been told about Yes No



6. **Have you ever had any of the following cardiovascular or heart symptoms?**

- Frequent pain in your chest Yes No
- Pain or tightness in your chest during physical activity Yes No
- Pain or tightness in your chest that interferes with your job Yes No
- In the past two years have you noticed your heart skipping or missing a beat Yes No
- Heartburn or indigestion that is not related to eating Yes No
- Any other symptoms that you think may be related to heart or circulation problems Yes No

7. **Do you currently take medication for any of the following problems?**

- Breathing or lung problems Yes No
- Heart trouble Yes No
- Blood pressure Yes No
- Seizures (fits) Yes No

8. **If you've used a respirator, have you ever had any of the following problems?**

- Eye irritation Yes No
- Skin allergies or rashes Yes No
- Anxiety Yes No
- General weakness or fatigue Yes No
- Any problems that interfere with your use of a respirator Yes No

9. **Would you like to talk to the health care professional who will review this questionnaire about your answers to the questions?**

- Yes
- No

Questions 10-15 on the next page must be answered by every employee who has been selected to use either full-face respirator or a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). For employees who are selected to use other types of respirators, answering these questions is voluntary

10. **Have you ever lost vision in either eye (temporary or permanently)?**

- Yes
- No

11. **Do you currently have any of the following vision problems?**

- Wear contact lenses Yes No
- Wear glasses Yes No
- Color blind Yes No
- Any other eye or vision problem Yes No

12. **Have you ever had injury to your ears including a broken ear drum?**

- Yes
- No

13. **Do you currently have any of the following hearing problems?**

- Difficulty hearing Yes No
- Wear a hearing aid Yes No
- Any other hearing or ear problems Yes No



14. **Have you ever had a back injury?**

- Yes
- No

15. **Do you currently have any of the following musculoskeletal problems?**

- Weakness in any of your arms, hands, legs, or feet Yes No
- Back pain Yes No
- Difficulty fully moving your arms and legs Yes No
- Pain or stiffness when you lean forward or backward at the waist Yes No
- Difficulty fully moving your head up and down Yes No
- Difficulty moving your head from side to side Yes No
- Difficulty bending at your knees Yes No
- Difficulty squatting to the ground Yes No
- Climbing a flight of stairs or a ladder carrying more than 25 pounds Yes No
- Any other muscle or skeletal problem that interferes with using a respirator Yes No

Part B.

Any of the following questions and other questions not listed may be added to the questionnaire at the discretion of the health care professional who will review the questionnaire.

1. **In your present job are you working at high altitudes (over 5,000 feet) or in a place that has lower than normal amounts of oxygen?**

- Yes
- No

If yes do you have feelings of dizziness, shortness of breath, pounding in your chest or other symptoms when you are working under these conditions?

- Yes
- No

2. **At home have you ever been exposed to hazardous solvents, hazardous airborne chemicals (gasses, fumes, dust) or have you come into skin contact with hazardous chemicals?**

- Yes
- No

3. **Have you ever worked with any of the materials or under any of the conditions listed below?**

- Asbestos Yes No
- Silica (found in sandblasting) Yes No
- Tungsten Cobalt/ cobalt (found in grinding or welding material) Yes No
- Beryllium Yes No
- Aluminum Yes No
- Coal (for example mining) Yes No
- Iron Yes No
- Tin Yes No
- Dusty Environments Yes No
- Any other hazardous exposures Yes No

If yes please describe the exposures: _____



4. **List any second jobs or side businesses you have:** _____

5. **List your previous occupations:** _____

6. **List your current and previous hobbies:** _____

7. **Have you been in the military service?**

- Yes
- No

8. **Have you ever worked on a HAZMAT team?**

- Yes
- No

9. **Other than medications for breathing or lung problems, heart trouble, blood pressure, and seizures mentioned earlier in this questionnaire, are you taking any other medications for any other reason (including over-the-counter medications)?**

- Yes
- No

If yes name the medications: _____

10. **Will you be using any of the following items with your respirator?**

- HEPA Filters Yes No
- Canisters (for example gas masks) Yes No
- Cartridges Yes No

11. **How often are you expected to use the respirator?**

- Escape only (no rescue) Yes No
- Emergency rescue only Yes No
- Less than 5 hours a week Yes No
- Less than 2 hours per day Yes No
- 2 to 4 times a day Yes No
- Over 4 hours a day Yes No



12. **During the period you are using the respirator(s) is your work effort:**

Light (less than 200kcal per hour) Yes No

If yes how long does this period last during an average shift: _____ hour's _____ mins.

Examples of a light work effort are sitting while writing, typing, drafting, or performing light assembly work; or standing while operating a drill press (1-3 pounds) or controlling machines

Moderate (above 350kcal per hour) Yes No

If yes how long does this period last during an average shift: _____ hours _____ mins

Examples of a moderate work effort are sitting while nailing or filing; driving a truck or bus in urban traffic; standing while drilling, nailing, performing assembly work, or transferring a moderate load (about 35 pounds) at waist level; walking on a level surface about 2 mph or down a 5 degree grade about 3 mph; or pushing a wheelbarrow with a heavy load (about 100 pounds) on a level surface.

Heavy (above 350 Kcal per hour) Yes No

If yes how long does this period last during an average shift: _____ hours _____ mins

Examples of heavy work are lifting a heavy load (about 50 pounds) from the floor to your waist or shoulder; working on a loading dock; shoveling; standing while brick laying or chipping castings; walking up an 8 degree grade about 2 mph; climbing stairs with a heavy load (about 50 pounds).

13. **Will you be wearing protective clothing and/or equipment (other than respirator) when using your respirator?**

Yes
 No

14. **Will you be working under "hot" conditions (ambient temperature that exceeds 77 degree F)?**

Yes
 No

15. **Will you be working under humid conditions?**

Yes
 No

16. **Describe the work that you will required to complete while wearing respirator:** _____

17. **Describe any special or hazardous conditions you might encounter when you are using you respirator (examples: gases, confined spaces):**



18. **Provide the following information (if you know it) for each of the toxic substances that you will be exposed to while using your respirator:**

- (1) Name of toxic substance: _____
 Estimated maximum exposure level per shift: _____
 Duration of exposure per shift: _____
- (2) Name of toxic substance: _____
 Estimated maximum exposure level per shift: _____
 Duration of exposure per shift: _____
- (3) Name of toxic substance: _____
 Estimated maximum exposure level per shift: _____
 Duration of exposure per shift: _____
- (4) Name of toxic substance: _____
 Estimated maximum exposure level per shift: _____
 Duration of exposure per shift: _____

19. **Describe any special responsibilities you will have while using your respirator that may affect the safety and well-being of others:**

To the best of my knowledge the information I have provided is true and accurate.

(Employee Name)

(Date)

(Employee Signature)