

OSHA Respirator Medical Evaluation Questionnaire

Can you read? (circle one) YES NO

Your employer must allow you to answer this questionnaire during normal working hours, or at a time and place that is convenient to you.

To maintain your confidentiality, your employer or supervisor must not look at or review your answers, and your employer must tell you how to deliver or send this questionnaire to the health care professional who will review it.

Part A. Section I. (Mandatory)

1. Today's date:
2. Your name:
3. Your age (to nearest year):
4. Sex (circle one): Male/Female
5. Your height:
6. Your weight:
7. Your job title:
8. A phone number where you can be reached by the health care professional who reviews this questionnaire (include the Area Code):
9. The best time to phone you at this number:
10. Has your employer told you how to contact the health care professional who will review this questionnaire (circle one): Yes/No
11. Check the type of respirator you will use (you can check more than one category):
 - a. ___ N, R, or P disposable respirator (filter-mask, non-cartridge type only).
 - b. ___ Other type (for example, half- or full-facepiece type, powered-air purifying, supplied-air, self-contained breathing apparatus).

Part A. Section II. (Mandatory)

Questions 1 through 9 **must be answered by every employee who has been selected to use any type of respirator.** (Please circle "YES" or "NO" or check the appropriate box):

1. Do you *currently* smoke tobacco, or have you smoked tobacco in the last month: **YES** **NO**
2. Have you *ever had* any of the following conditions?

| Condition | Had in past | Have at Present | Never had |
|---|-------------|-----------------|-----------|
| Seizures (fits) | | | |
| Diabetes (sugar disease) | | | |
| Allergic reactions that interfere with your breathing | | | |
| Claustrophobia (fear of closed-in Places) | | | |
| Trouble smelling odors | | | |

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

| Condition | Had in past | Have at Present | Never had |
|---|-------------|-----------------|-----------|
| Asbestosis | | | |
| Asthma | | | |
| Chronic bronchitis | | | |
| Emphysema. | | | |
| Pneumonia | | | |
| Tuberculosis | | | |
| Silicosis | | | |
| Pneumothorax (collapsed lung) | | | |
| Lung cancer | | | |
| Broken ribs | | | |
| Any chest injuries or surgeries | | | |
| Any other lung problems that you've been told about Explain: | | | |

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

| Condition | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| Shortness of breath | | |
| Shortness of breath when walking fast on level ground or walking up a slight hill or incline | | |
| Shortness of breath when walking with other people at an ordinary pace on level ground | | |
| Have to stop for breath when walking at your own pace on level ground | | |
| Shortness of breath when walking or dressing yourself | | |
| Shortness of breath that interferes with your job | | |
| Coughing that produces phlegm (thick sputum) | | |

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|---|--|--|
| Coughing that wakes you early in the morning | | |
| Coughing that occurs mostly when you are lying down | | |
| Coughing up blood in the last month | | |
| Wheezing | | |
| Wheezing that interferes with your job | | |
| Chest pain when you breathe deeply | | |
| Any other symptoms that you think may be related to lung problems? Explain: | | |

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

| Condition | Had in past | Have at Present | Never had |
|---|-------------|-----------------|-----------|
| Heart Attack | | | |
| Stroke | | | |
| Angina | | | |
| Heart Failure | | | |
| Swelling in your legs or feet (not caused by walking) | | | |
| Heart arrhythmia (heart beating irregularly) | | | |
| High blood pressure | | | |
| Any other heart problem that you've been told about? Explain: | | | |

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

| Condition | Had in past | Have at Present | Never had |
|---|-------------|-----------------|-----------|
| Frequent pain or tightness in your chest | | | |
| Pain or tightness in your chest during physical activity | | | |
| Pain or tightness in your chest that interferes with your job | | | |
| In the past two years, have you noticed your heart skipping or missing a beat | | | |
| Heartburn or indigestion that is not related to eating | | | |

Any other symptoms that you think may be related to heart or circulation problems? Explain:

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

| Condition | Yes | No |
|---------------------------|-----|----|
| Breathing or lung problem | | |
| Heart trouble | | |
| Blood pressure | | |
| Seizures (fits) | | |

8. If you've used a respirator, have you *ever had* any of the following problems?
 (If you've never used a respirator go to question 9):

| Condition | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| Eye irritation | | |
| Skin allergies or rashes | | |
| Anxiety | | |
| General weakness or fatigue | | |
| Any other problem that interferes with your use of a respirator? Explain: | | |

9. Would you like to talk to the health care professional who will review this questionnaire about your answers to this questionnaire: **YES** **NO**

10. Have you *ever lost* vision in either eye (temporarily or permanently) **YES** **NO**
 If yes, was vision loss permanent? **YES** **NO**

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

| Condition | Yes | No |
|---------------------|-----|----|
| Wear contact lenses | | |
| Wear glasses | | |
| Color blind | | |

Any other eye or vision problem Explain:

12. Have you *ever had* an injury to your ears, including a broken eardrum? **YES** **NO**

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

| Condition | Yes | No |
|---|------------|-----------|
| Difficulty Hearing | | |
| Wear a hearing aid | | |
| Any other hearing or ear problems? Explain: | | |

14. Have you *ever had* a back injury? **YES** **NO**

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

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

On ____/____/____, I do hereby attest that upon reviewing medical questionnaire and based on my best
(Date)
medical judgment, _____ is (initial all that apply):
(Name)

_____ Approved to wear the following respirators:

_____ Filtering Face Piece (N-95 dust mask) Escape Only Respirator

_____ Half Mask Respirator

_____ Full Mask Respirator

_____ SCBA

_____ Are approved with the following conditions _____

_____ Not approved for respirator use

Signature of PLHCP Representative

Date

On ____/____/____, _____ passed a respiratory fit test for a _____
respirator(s) and received training in compliance with OSHA standard 29 CFR 1910.134.

Signature of Safety Representative