

Respiratory Protection Checklist

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Are respirators in use selected on the basis of the hazard?			
Have all respirator users been medically certified as capable of wearing a respirator?			
Are disposable respirators being properly (straps broken and put in trash container) disposed of?			
Are reusable respirators being thoroughly cleaned and disinfected after each use?			
Have employees been trained on use, limitations, and care of respirators?			
Is a written respirator program available?			
Do written procedures cover all types of respirators in use?			
Are respirators stored in sanitary containers in clean and dry locations?			
Are employees with beards, facial hair, and pertinent factors that may interfere with facial fits prohibited from wearing respirators?			
Are only NIOSH or MSHA approved respirators in use?			
Are employees aware of operations and areas requiring the use of a respirator?			
Is there an attendant available at the sight where the person is working with a respirator?			
Are the standby employees adequately trained to help in an emergency situation?			

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