



Checklist for Implementing a Respiratory Protection Program

- Assign a qualified Program Administrator.
- Develop and document written procedures.
- Conduct a hazard assessment to identify respiratory hazards.
- Evaluate exposure levels to determine the need for respiratory protection.
- Select proper, NIOSH-approved respirators.
- Ensure respirators fit well and are comfortable.
- Provide medical evaluations for employees.
- Conduct and document fit tests for each employee.
- Train employees on proper respirator use, maintenance, and limitations.
- Offer regular refresher training sessions.
- Monitor and enforce proper respirator use.
- Develop procedures for respirator maintenance and care.
- Conduct regular inspections of respirators.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of the RPP regularly.
- Update the program as necessary based on evaluations and workplace changes.

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