



RESPIRABLE CRYSTALLINE SILICA Department Information

Competent Person for this Department.

Department:

Name:

Job Title:

Work Phone:

Materials/Jobs - Possible Exposure to Respirable Crystalline Silica

Specific Measures to Protect Employees

Engineering Controls:

Work Practice Controls:

Respirator Use – When Required, Type of Respirators and Filters:

Care and Proper Storage of Respirators

Care of Respirator:

- Inspect thoroughly before each use.
- Check the tightness of all connections & condition of all parts.
- Check for damage in facemask, straps, valves, hoses and filters.
- Make sure the mask is pliable and not deteriorating.
- Report defective parts to your supervisor for replacement.

Storage of Respirator:

- Protect respirator from:
Damage, contamination, dust sunlight, extreme temperatures, moisture and chemicals.
- Store in a bag or container in a clean, dry, cool location.
- Do not store by hanging respirator by the straps or leaving it exposed on the workbench.

Medical Surveillance Program

- No cost to employee and provided at a reasonable time and place.
- Employees who are exposed above the action level for 30 or more days a year.
- Initial (baseline) examination within 30 days of being assigned to duties, unless:
 - Employee received a medical examination within the last three years.
 - Meets the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.1053 (General Industry) or 29 CFR 1926.1153 (Construction).
- Periodic exams every three years, or more frequently, if recommended by the physician or licensed health care professional (PHLCP).
- PLHCP will explain results to employees and provide a written report to employees within 30 days. PLHCP will provide written medical opinion to UNLV Department within 30 days.
- UNLV Department will ensure employees receive a copy of the written medical opinion within 30 days. If PLHCP indicates employees should be examined by a specialist:
 - UNLV Department shall ensure employee is seen by a specialist within 30 days of the opinion.
 - UNLV Department shall provide requested information to specialist.
- Specialist will explain results to employees and provide a written report within 30 days.
- Specialist will provide written medical opinion to UNLV Department within 30 days.



RESPIRABLE CRYSTALLINE SILICA Employee Acknowledgement

I acknowledge receipt of the following information:

- Name and Phone Number – Department Competent Person
- Materials/Jobs – Possible Exposure to Respirable Crystalline Silica
- Specific Measures to Protect Employees
- Care and Proper Storage of Respirators
- Medical Surveillance Program

I have reviewed this information and understand requirements.

Any questions that I had during this review, were answered by department staff.

(Print Name – Employee)

(Signature - Employee)

(Department)

(Date)