

PPE – Respiratory Protection

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<b>Hazards Present:</b>	<b>PPE or Devices Required:</b>	<b>Additional Training Required:</b>
Poisonous gases/Chemicals	Respirators	Care of
Lack of Oxygen		Use of
		Selection of

**Safe Work Procedure:**

- 1) All employees are required to use approved respirators when working in or traveling through a work site that contains airborne contaminants or when handling products that may become airborne contaminants.
- 2) Ensure that respiratory equipment is provided to a worker is:
  - Appropriate for the risk to which the worker is or may be exposed.
  - Selected, used and maintained in accordance with CSA standards.
  - The proper size and makes an effective seal to the facial skin of the worker where a tight fit is essential to proper functioning.
  - Kept in a convenient and sanitary location when not in use.
  - Not shared by workers unless it is cleaned before different workers use it.
- 3) Ensure that a worker using the respiratory equipment is adequately trained by a competent person in the proper fit, testing, maintaining, use and cleaning of the equipment.

***If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, engage the emergency stop and follow the lock out procedure***

**REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS TO YOUR SUPERVISOR**

<p><b>Guidance Documents/Standards:</b></p> <p>MB Workplace Safety &amp; Health Act &amp; Regulations:</p> <p>6.15 Personal Protective Equipment</p> <p>35 Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System</p> <p>CSA Standard Z94.4-02</p> <p>CSA Standard Z180.1-00</p>	<p>This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed any time the task, equipment or materials change and at a minimum of every three years</p>
	<p>Reviewed By WSH Committee:</p> <p>Date:</p>