

Model Document

"Respirator Inspection Form"

Employee Name: _____ Model No.: _____
I.D. # _____ - _____ - _____ Inspector: _____
Manufacturer: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Use the following checklist as a guide for inspecting your respirator.

Caution: Each respirator is designed for a particular purpose. Not all items may apply nor should your inspection be limited to this list.

Disposable Respirators

- _____ Is the respirator free of holes or tears?
- _____ Strap has retained its elasticity?
- _____ Does the metal nose clip allow a proper fit?

Air-Purifying Respirators

- _____ Does the face piece have its original form allowing a proper fit?
- _____ Is the face piece free of cracks or tears?
- _____ Is the face piece clean?
- _____ Are the head straps elastic, free of tears and broken buckles?
- _____ Is the exhalation valve clean?
- _____ Are the exhalation and inhalation parts free of cracks, tears or distortion?
- _____ Is the proper filter being used ?

Atmosphere Supplying Respirators

- _____ Does the face piece have its original form allowing a proper fit?
- _____ Is the face piece free of cracks or tears?
- _____ Is the face piece clean?
- _____ Are the head straps elastic, free of tears and broken buckles?
- _____ Is the exhalation valve clean?
- _____ Are the exhalation and inhalation parts free of cracks, tears or distortion?
- _____ If a hood or helmet is used, is the suspension adjusted for the wearer?
- _____ Is the face shield free of cracks or breaks on hoods or helmets?
- _____ Is the air quality provided by the compressor or other device breathable?
- _____ Are all connections tight?
- _____ Are regulators set according to the manufacturers' specifications?
- _____ Are hoses free of kinks, tears, or cracks?

List any defects found below: *Identify the part or parts as well as the defect i.e. Facepiece, Valves, Headbands, Filter, Harness/Hose Assembly, Speaking Diaphragm, Gaskets, Connections, etc.*