



Wheaton Franciscan Healthcare

**Respirator Medical Evaluation Questionnaire**

Can you read?  Yes  No

*Would you like assistance in completing this questionnaire?*  Yes  No

Your employer must allow you to answer this questionnaire during normal working hours, or at a time and place that is convenient to you. To maintain your confidentiality, your employer or supervisor must not look at or review your answers and your employer must tell you how to deliver or send this questionnaire to the health care professional who will review it.

Part A. Section 1. (Mandatory) The following information must be provided by every associate who has been selected to use any type of respirator (please print).

1. Today's date:	2. Your name:
3. Your age (to nearest year):	4. Sex (select one): <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
5. Your height: ___ Feet ___ inches	6. Your weight: ___ lbs.
7. Do you have a full facial beard? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
8. Your department and job title:	
9. A phone number where you can be reached by the health care professional who reviews this questionnaire (include the area code):	
10. The best time to phone you at this number:	
11. Has your employer told you how to contact the health care professional who will review this questionnaire? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
12. Check the type of respirator you will use. (You may check more than one category.)	
a. <input type="checkbox"/> N (Non-Oil), <input type="checkbox"/> R (Oil Resistant), or <input type="checkbox"/> P (Oil Proof) disposable respirator (i.e., filter-mask/N95, non-cartridge type only.)	
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other type (i.e., half or full-face piece type, powered-air purifying, supplied-air, self contained breathing apparatus.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Powered Air Purifying Respirator (PAPR)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Half Face Piece	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
13. Have you worn a respirator? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
If "yes", what type(s): _____	
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Part A. Section 2. (Mandatory) Questions 1 through 9 below must be answered by every associate who has been selected to use any type of respirator (please indicate “yes” or “no”).

Yes	No
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1. Do you **currently** smoke tobacco, or have you smoked tobacco in the last month? If yes:
- At what age did you start smoking? \_\_\_\_\_
- How long ago did you quit smoking? \_\_\_\_\_
- How many packs per day did or do you smoke? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Have you **ever had** any of the following conditions?
- a. Seizures (fits) Type \_\_\_\_\_ Date of last seizure \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Diabetes (sugar disease)  
Have you ever lost consciousness or had a change in level of consciousness?  
If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Allergic reactions that interfere with your breathing?  
If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, describe \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Claustrophobia (fear of closed-in places)
  - e. Trouble smelling odor

3. Have you **ever had** any of the following pulmonary or lung problems?
- a. Asbestosis
  - b. Asthma
  - c. Chronic bronchitis
  - d. Emphysema
  - e. Pneumonia
  - f. Tuberculosis
  - g. Silicosis
  - h. Pneumothorax
  - i. Lung cancer
  - j. Broken rib
  - k. Any chest injuries or surgeries
  - l. Any other lung problem that you’ve been told about?

If yes to any of the above, please describe, including when: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Do you **currently have** any of the following symptoms of pulmonary or lung illness?
- a. Shortness of breath
  - b. Shortness of breath when walking fast on level ground or up a slight hill or incline
  - c. Shortness of breath when walking with others at an ordinary pace on ground level
  - d. Have to stop for breath when walking at your own pace on level ground
  - e. Shortness of breath when washing or dressing yourself

Yes	No
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- f. Shortness of breath that interferes with your job
- g. Coughing that produces phlegm (thick sputum)
- h. Coughing that wakes you early in the morning
- i. Coughing that occurs mostly when you are lying down
- j. Coughing up blood in the last month
- k. Wheezing
- l. Wheezing that interferes with your job
- m. Chest pain when you breathe deeply
- n. Any other symptoms that you think may be related to lung problems

If yes to any of the above, please describe \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Have you **ever had** any of the following cardiovascular or heart problems?

- a. Heart attack
- b. Stroke
- c. Angina
- d. Heart failure
- e. Swelling in your legs or feet (not caused by walking)
- f. Heart arrhythmia (heart beating irregularly)
- g. High blood pressure
- If yes, is it under control?
- h. Any other heart problem that you've been told about

If yes to any of the above, please describe, including when: \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Have you **ever had** any of the following cardiovascular or heart problems?

- a. Frequent pain or tightness in your chest
- b. Pain or tightness in your chest during physical activity
- c. Pain or tightness in your chest that interferes with your job
- d. In the past two years, have you noticed your heart skipping or missing a beat
- e. Heartburn or indigestion that is not related to eating
- f. Any other symptoms that you think may be related to heart or circulation problems

If yes to any of the above, please describe, including when: \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. Do you **currently** take medication for any of the following problems?

- a. Breathing or lung problems

Yes	No
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- b. Heart trouble
- c. Blood pressure
- d. Seizures (fits)

8. If you've used a respirator, have you **ever had** any of the following problems during respirator use? *[If you have never used a respirator, check the following box and go to question 9]*

- a. Eye irritation
- b. Skin allergies or rashes
- c. Anxiety
- d. General weakness or fatigue
- e. Any other problem that interferes with your use of a respirator

If yes, please describe \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. Are you **currently** taking any medications? If yes, please list here:

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10. Would you like to talk to the health care professional that reviews this questionnaire about your answers to this questionnaire?

**For any "Yes" answers in section 2 (questions 1-9 above), does this condition interfere with your ability to wear a respirator?**

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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 ASSOCIATE SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
 DATE

**Associate Health & Wellness Department Use Only**

- Approved
- Approved with restrictions
- Pulmonary function test and follow-up medical evaluation indicated
- Denied
- More Information needed

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE**