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AOHP/OSHA Alliance Releases N95 Fit Testing Card

Pittsburgh – October 26, 2009 The Association of Occupational Health Professionals in Healthcare (AOHP) and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Alliance, in conjunction with the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health's National Personal Protective Technology Lab (NPPTL), have developed and released a generic N95 fit testing card. The card will allow healthcare workers to easily recall the type of N95 respirator for which they have been trained and fitted. The front of the card details the N95 respirator information, and the back of the card offers safety tips for donning and doffing personal protective equipment (PPE) in the healthcare setting. The template for the card is available on AOHP's Web site at www.aohp.org under Tools for Your Work/Free Publications.

AOHP is a national association with more than 1,000 members who serve as leaders in championing the vital role of occupational health professionals in healthcare today. Through their active involvement at local, state and national levels, AOHP has become the defining resource and leading advocate for occupational health and safety in healthcare, representing tens of thousands of healthcare workers throughout the nation.

AOHP promotes health and safety for healthcare workers through: advocacy; occupational health education and networking opportunities; health and safety advancement through best practice and research; and partnering with other invested stakeholders.

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