

Chapter

1. Asbestos Exposure Assessment, Risk Identification, and Substitutes

Section

B. Asbestos Exposure Assessment and Control in Occupational Settings

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Introduction

Asian context

This regulation provides not only OSHA's regulatory requirements but also detailed work practices which can be a common factor for safe work practices in general industries. However, the provisions in this regulation should be read in the context of local conditions, the scale of operation involved and technical possibilities.

Critical appraisal

OSHA's reference sampling and analytical methods, medical questionnaires, interpretation and classification of chest roentgenograms, work practices and engineering controls for automotive brake and clutch inspection, disassembly, repair and assembly, substance technical information for asbestos, medical surveillance guidelines for asbestos smoking cessation program, and information for asbestos are also provided in the appendix.

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Abstract

Background: This mandatory regulation of the US, OSHA specifies the regulatory requirements and work practices that must be implemented by the employer in general industries.

Objective: Regulatory requirements such as permissible exposure limit, exposure monitoring, respiratory protection, hygiene facilities and practices, communication of hazards to employees, medical surveillance, and recordkeeping are detailed to reduce employees' asbestos exposure below the PEL in general industries.



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References

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