

FACE COVERINGS VS RESPIRATORY PROTECTION DEVICES -

Basics of RPE and differences between RPDs and face coverings

15th April 2021

TODAYS WEBINAR



1. Opening Comments

- Professor David Crouch (Section Chair)
- 2. Respiratory Protection and Community Face Coverings -
 - Nick Baxter (HSE, UK) and Mike Clayton (3M)
- 3. Evaluating the effectiveness of face shields using a cough simulator
 - Dr Brian Crook and Dr Catherine Makison-Booth (HSE, UK)

4. ISRP New Member Introduction -

- Chris Dobbing Cambridge Mask Company
- 5. Q&A Session Ask the Expert
- 6. Future Events

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR RESPIRATORY PROTECTION



- ISRP, is a non-profit organization whose charter is to provide an educational and informational service to all individuals involved in respiratory protection.
- 6 Sections Europe, Americas, Australasia, Japan, Korea and GC
- The objectives of the Society are to:
- **Enhance** the **Health and Safety** of persons that use respiratory protection devices.
- Encourage the development of <u>Society Standards</u> and <u>Best Practices</u> applicable to the development, implementation, and administration of respiratory protection programs.
- Promote the research and evaluation of respiratory protection.
- Encourage the <u>Exchange of Information</u> amongst Government, Industry, Organized Labour, Education, Manufacturers and other Professional Organizations.

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RESPIRATORY PROTECTION AND COMMUNITY FACE COVERINGS

Masks are masks are masks – aren't they?

Mike Clayton – 3M Senior Respiratory Protection Research & Application Specialist

Nick Baxter – Health & Safety Executive - Breathing Apparatus Specialist and Chair BSI PH/004 Committee

SPEAKER BIO

NICK BAXTER

- Respiratory Protective Equipment (RPE) technical lead
- Chair Respiratory Protection PH/4
- Various working groups & committees in RPE and fit testing
- ISO RPE Working Groups



HSE

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- Senior Respiratory Protection Research & Application Specialist
- PPE Technical lead
- Chair of the Respiratory Product group
- Past President
- Assessor Technical Committee Accredited Fit tester
- Respiratory Protection PH/4





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EVALUATING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF FACE SHIELDS USING A COUGH SIMULATOR

Breathing Manikin and Fluorescence Visualization

Dr Catherine Makison-Booth-Health & Safety Executive

Dr Brian Crook - Health & Safety Executive - Principal Microbiologist

SPEAKER BIO

DR CATHERINE MAKISON-BOOTH



Higher Scientist

- HSE
- PPE Technical Assessment Unit
- Effectiveness and suitability of decontamination systems
- Management of Viral Haemorrhagic Fevers and other Diseases of High Consequence
- Laboratory Biosafety Manual' (LBM, 4th Edition).





HSE

DR BRIAN CROOK

Principal Microbiologist



- PPE Technical Assessment Unit
- investigate occupational infection, occupational allergy and toxicosis,
- Evaluation RPE and surgical masks in • pandemic influenza circumstances
- high consequence infectious disease including viral haemorrhagic fever



ISRP – NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION

Cambridge Mask Company

Chris Dobbing -





QUESTION AND ANSWERS

"ASK THE EXPERT"

FUTURE WEBINARS



- National Fit Testing Programmes (Poland) 18th May 2021
- Basics of RPE Standards "Comparison of Int' RPE Standards" 24th June
- Particulate Pollution The PM2.5 Crisis 18th August
- Confined Space The Hidden Hazard 7th October

Radiological Hazards – 9th December



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