

Seminar Series

RESPIRABLE CRYSTALLINE SILICA

OUTLINE

This seminar will cover the following topics:

- Occurrence and properties of respirable crystalline silica (RCS)
- Exposure sources of RCS
- Health effects of RCS
- Exposure standards for RCS
- Exposure risk and incidence of disease
- Sampling and analytical methods and limits of detection
- Health surveillance
- Control of exposure to RCS
- The future for RCS – will it go the way of asbestos?

PRESENTERS

GERARD TIERNAN - Gerard is the Health Surveillance Unit Manager with the Department of Mines & Energy in Queensland. He has over 20 years experience in occupational hygiene, principally in the mining industry. He was with Mount Isa Mines in Mount Isa and then with Simtars as a hygiene consultant before taking up his current position last year. Gerard is a Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH) with the American Board of Industrial Hygiene, and a COH and Fellow of the AIOH. He was principal author of the AIOH position paper on respirable crystalline silica.

LINDA APTHORPE - Linda has a background in chemistry and microbiology and has been working in occupational hygiene since 1994. As General Manager at Pickford & Rhyder Consulting in Sydney, she provides consultancy and laboratory services to a wide variety of workplaces. Pickford & Rhyder Consulting is NATA accredited for conducting respirable quartz analysis. Linda is a Full Member and COH of the AIOH and has recently completed her Certificate IV in Training and Assessment.

PARTICIPANTS

This seminar is aimed at occupational hygienists and other Safety, Health and Environment professionals who have an interest in silica exposures. Personnel from the mining industry, quarrying, dredging, foundries, road construction and maintenance and general construction would all benefit from attendance.

COST

AIOH Members	\$ 180.00 incl GST	
AIOH COH	\$ 160.00 incl GST	
Non Members	\$ 250.00 incl GST	
Students	\$ 120.00 incl GST	<i>Student ID must be submitted at time of registration</i>
Late Fee	\$ 30.00 incl GST	<i>Applies to all registrations received within 7 days of the chosen seminar</i>

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Morning, afternoon tea and lunch will be provided
- This seminar will attract 1 COH point
- AIOH reserve the right to cancel a seminar with one weeks notice if there are not sufficient registrants
- Cancellation fees may apply if you are unable to attend at short notice
- **Confirmation of your registration will be sent by email within one week of your registration and a tax invoice/receipt will follow shortly after- if you do not receive a confirmation, contact the administration office.**

DATES & LOCATIONS

Hobart

Tuesday 9th June 2009

8:45 – 16:45

WorkCover Tasmania Conference Room
Gordons Hill Road, Rosny Park

Melbourne

Wednesday 10th June 2009

8:45 – 16:45

AIOH Training Room
Level 1/49 Keilor Park Drive, Keilor Park

Adelaide

Thursday 11th June 2009

8:30 – 16:30

Quality Hotel Tiffins on the Park
176 Greenhill Road, Parkside

Perth

Friday 12th June 2009

9:00 – 17:00

Ambassador Hotel
196 Adelaide Terrace, Perth

Brisbane

Tuesday 11th August 2009

9:00 – 17:00

Virginia Palms International
Cnr Sandgate & Zillmere Roads, Boondall

Sydney

Thursday 13th August 2009

8:30 – 16:30

3M Innovation Centre
25 Bridge Street Pymble

Mackay

Thursday 20th August 2009

8:30 – 16:30

Shamrock Hotel
65 Nebo Road Mackay

Townsville

Friday 21st August 2009

8:30 – 16:30

Comfort Inn Roberts Town
261 Stanley Street Townsville



BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

(close 7 days prior to each seminar)

To register forward attached form to:

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Registration

AIOH Respirable Crystalline Silica Seminar

DELEGATE DETAILS

Full Name(s): Title:

Name for Badge:

Organisation:

Address:

State: Post Code: Country:

Contact Phone: Contact Facsimile:

Contact Email (required for confirmation):

I am a (please circle): **COH** Yes/No **AIOH Member** Yes/No **Student** Yes/No

I am a member of an affiliated organisation (please circle): Yes/No

Give details (organisation and member #):

Special requirements:



LOCATION AND DATE

I would like to attend the following seminar:

TICK (✓)	LOCATION	DATE
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hobart – WorkCover Tasmania, Rosny Park	9th June 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Melbourne – AIOH Training Room, Keilor Park	10th June 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Adelaide – Quality Hotel Tiffins on the Park, Parkside	11th June 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Perth – Ambassador Hotel, Perth	12th June 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Brisbane – Virginia Palms International, Boondall	11th August 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sydney – 3M Innovation Centre, Pymble	13th August 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mackay – Shamrock Hotel, Mackay	20th August 2009
<input type="checkbox"/>	Townsville – Comfort Inn Roberts Town, Townsville	21st August 2009



PAYMENT DETAILS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase Order enclosed | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card^ (see below) |

**to pay by bPay or EFT contact the AIOH Administration Office*

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Expiry Date: Cardholder's Name:

Cardholder's Signature:

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