

## EMPLOYEE TRAINING RECORD

**TRAINING TITLE**      Use of Compressed Air or Gases

### KEY TEACHING POINTS

- Compressed air or other gases in excess of 10 psi shall not be used to blow dirt, chips, or dust from the skin or clothing while it is being worn.
- Compressed air or gases shall not be used to empty containers of liquids.
- The use of compressed air shall be so controlled, and proper personal protective equipment or safeguards utilized, as to protect against the possibility of eye and body injury to the operator or other individuals present.
- Abrasive blast cleaning nozzles on the sandblaster will be equipped with an operating valve which must be held open manually. A support shall be used on which the nozzle is to be mounted when it is not in use.
- Compressed gases shall not be used to elevate or otherwise transfer any hazardous substance from one container to another unless the containers are designed to withstand four times the maximum possible pressure that may be applied.
- Compressed oxygen shall never be used:
  - To purge pipe lines, tanks, or any confined area.
  - To supply head pressure in a tank.
  - In pneumatic tools.
  - In oil preheating burners.
  - To start internal combustion engines.
  - For ventilation.
  - For "dusting" the skin or clothing.
  - In anyway as a substitute for compressed air.

### TEST

QUESTION	ANSWERS	
	TRUE	FALSE
1. Never use compressed gases for "dusting" the skin or clothing.		
2. Do not use compressed gases to empty containers of liquids.		
3. Use compressed gases to purge pipe lines, tanks and confined spaces.		
4. Wear personal protective equipment to protect yourself from injury when using compressed air and gases.		
5. Use compressed air to maintain head pressure in tanks.		
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INSTRUCTOR'S NAME	INSTRUCTOR'S SIGNATURE	DATE

1. True 2. True 3. False 4. True 5. False