

## FACT SHEET: RESPIRATOR FIT TESTING

- Respirator training and fit testing is mandatory for staff who are required to wear a respirator to conduct their job.
- Employers are required to provide the appropriate respirator equipment, maintain and store it properly, and ensure that it is properly fitted to individual staff members.
- A respirator fit test checks whether a respirator properly fits the face of someone who wears it and provides the intended protection.
- Staff must also be trained in the care and use of the respirator.
- Public Services Health and Safety Association (PSHSA) provides train-the-trainer programs, including virtual training. This can assist homes in putting in-house fit testing capacity in place. Trained staff will need a fit testing kit to conduct training and fit others.
- N95 supply to support fit testing can be requested through the [Ontario Health Digital Health Services COVID-19 PPE, Swab Kit and Rapid Test request form](#). When selecting the item type requested, please select N95 / Respirator Fit Testing Support. Note that there may be delays in securing these services as demand is expected to increase significantly over the near term given the recent changes to Directive #5.
- Please note that the cost of fit testing is a responsibility of the employer and is an eligible expense under Prevention & Containment funding.

### Fit testing providers in Ontario\*

Fit Test Service Providers Organization	Phone Number	Email if Applicable
1 Contact Safety Training & Consulting	416-822-5925	info@1contactsafety.ca
Act First Safety	416-283-7233	safety@actfirstsafety.ca
Active Training Solutions	905-767-8447	
ACUTE Environmental	519-747-5075	info@acuteservices.com
AEC Safety	519-746-3518	
Algonquin Safety Training	705-223-0120	Admin@algsafety.ca
Barantas Inc.	1-855-FUL-SAFE	info@barantas.ca
Bullivant and Associates	289-779-6760	
Canadian Safety Group	905-321-9901 or 905-401-0088	info@canadiansafetygroup.com
Hamisco	519-652-9800	sales@hamisco.com
Hazmasters	877-747-7117	connect@hazmasters.com
HeartZap	1-866-764-8488	
Help Safety Services	905-821-8928	help@helpsafetyservices.com
Industrial Education Cooperative	519-383-1222	
Industrial Safety Trainers	1-800-219-8660	
KMC Safety Solutions	519-521-2744	info@kmcsafetytolutions.ca
Levitt Safety	1-888-453-8488	
Major McGuire	519-944-9999	<a href="mailto:info@majorsmcguire.com">info@majorsmcguire.com</a>

Northern Safety Solutions -	705-524-8189	info@nss4.com
Occupational Health & Safety Consultants	519-758-0146	admin@ohsconsultants.ca
Restoration Safety	416-799-9614	
Rubicon Safety	London: 519-551-9383 Burlington: 416-999-9304	
Safety Guys Ottawa	613-549-6941	
Spark Safety Solutions	844-267-8600	office@sparksafety.ca
STS Group Inc.	416-635-7800	info@stscanada.com
TGH Safety Consultant	519-383-7655	ccooper@tghsafety.com
Workplace Law Consulting	416-930-6180	wpl@workplacelawconsulting.com
Workplace Safety & Prevention Association	905-614-1400	customercare@wsps.ca
Worksite Safety Compliance Centre Inc	866-756-5552	

\* This list is not necessarily comprehensive.