Departmental Health Surveillance for the use of Natural Rubber Latex (NRL) gloves Annual Health Assessment Questionnaire

NRL gloves have been known to cause allergic reactions including skin conditions and in some cases respiratory conditions including asthma. Following risk assessment under Regulation 6 of the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (COSH H), it is necessary to carry out initial and periodic health surveillance as part of the management health record for all persons who use NLR gloves.

If appropriate a referral to the Occupational Health Service will be arranged.

DepartmentVeterinary Medicine	Post title
Name	Phone number
Email	N.I. number

Since your last questionnaire have you

- 1. Consulted your doctor about a chest condition?
- 2. Consulted your doctor about a skin condition?
- 3. Have you suffered from any chest condition, wheezing, breathlessness, tightness, persistent cough, recurring sore or itchy eyes or recurring blocked nose after or while wearing latex glove?
- 4. Have you suffered from any itching, swelling or raw skin on your hands attributed to the wearing of latex gloves?

Yes/No Yes/No

Yes/No

Yes/No

If you have answered 'yes' to any of the above questions an appointment will be arranged with an Occupational Health Adviser.

Should any of the symptoms appear before your next surveillance

questionnaire you should refer yourself to the Occupational Health Service. To be completed by a designated Responsible Person within the Department (see notes).

If the employee answers 'yes' to any of the questions you should make them an appointment with the Occupational Health Service.

a) No further action required until next questionnaire, unless symptoms develop.

b) Refer to the University Occupational Health Service

Yes/No Yes/No

(Please return completed form to Betty Rayner's pigeonhole) 2011 HSD042C University of Cambridge

Date of next health surveillance One year Signature of Responsible Person Name (Block Letters)Betty Rayner..... Date

NB: The relevance of any symptoms can only be assessed by a health professional.

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One copy of the completed questionnaire is to be retained in the department to

form part of the COSHH health records and another returned to the individual.

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