

NIOSH Docket Office Robert A. Taft Laboratories Mail Stop C 34, 4678 Columbia Parkway Cincinnati, Ohio 45226

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Dear Sir:

In regard to the proposed rule on respiratory protection devices (42 CFR Part 84 Fed. Register Vol. 59, No. 99 pp. 26850-26893) in the health care setting, we feel that the 95% filter efficiency should be acceptable for most health care workers.

We would like to be able to use a mask that will be cost effective, have few user problems and be comfortable to the health care worker promoting their use.

Sincerely,

Linda Halford R.N.

President APIC Southwest Missouri

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