



Question

What does CBRN mean?

Answer

CBRN stands for chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear. The National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has developed a test protocol that encompasses tests to emulate the most credible CBRN threats. This means it has been tested to the NIOSH protocol including live agent tests using Sarin and Mustard Gas.

Question

Is the M120 CBRN facepiece the same as the M98 facepiece?

Answer

While the M120 CBRN facepiece looks very similar to the M98, there are some material changes. The M120 CBRN facepiece is used to designate the version of the facepiece that has received CBRN approval.

Question

Can I upgrade my M98 facepiece to the M120 CBRN facepiece?

Answer

At this time NIOSH does not have a protocol to allow customers to upgrade existing product to CBRN approved product. Your Scott sales representative can help with the transition to CBRN products.

Question

If using the M98 facepiece already, are we required to fit test on the M120 CBRN facepiece?

Answer

No, The M98 facepiece and the M120 CBRN facepiece are the same design and same material - the sealing surfaces are identical. As long as you pass a fit test for one facepiece, you are qualified for the other.

Question

Are spectacle kits available with the M120 CBRN facepiece?

Answer

Yes, there are several versions available for the M120 facepiece.

Question

What sizes are available?

Answer

Two sizes are available: small and medium/large.



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Question

Can I switch the canister to the other side?

Answer

Yes, the canister can be mounted on either side of the facepiece to enable weapon sighting from either shoulder.

Question

If I use my M120 CBRN facepiece with another canister, is it still CBRN approved?

Answer

CBRN approval is for a respirator system which consists of a facepiece and CBRN canister that has been tested together. To maintain CBRN approval, the M120 must be used with the Scott CBRN canister.

Question

What is the shelf-life of the CBRN canister?

Answer

The CBRN canister has a shelf life of seven years from the date of manufacture as long as it remains sealed in its original packaging.

Question

Can I re-use the CBRN canister?

Answer

The CBRN canister is a one-time use only canister and should be discarded after use according to departmental procedures and local regulations.

Question

Can I use other cartridges or canisters in my M120 CBRN facepiece and still have NIOSH approval?

Answer

Yes. The M120 carries 42CFR approval when used with Scott's range of 40mm cartridges - including the P100 and the Enforcement cartridge.
