

Hazard Assessment For Scioto County Public Library

The Scioto County Public Library has developed the following Written Hazard Assessment to comply with the Public Employment Risk Reduction Program and 29CFR 1910 Subpart I-Personal Protection Equipment.

The Scioto County Public Library has conducted a Hazard Assessment by reviewing equipment, work processes, work tasks and locations, to determine what specific Personal Protection Equipment is required to protect employees while performing the following tasks:

- Bodily fluids clean-up
- Cleaning with compressed air
- Cutting and installing drywall
- Cutting, drilling, or grinding of masonry block or concrete
- Drain and sewer cleaning/repairing
- General use of power drills, saws, and sanders
- Hammer and hand saw use
- Herbicide application
- Hedge trimming
- Janitorial duties
- Lighting boilers
- Mowing and weed eating
- Painting
- Pesticide application
- Poison ivy removal
- Power washing
- Trash/Litter pick-up
- General chainsaw operation (including power pruners)
- Working with acids, caustics and degreasers

Employees must properly use all required personal protection equipment and demonstrate an understanding, through training, of when PPE is necessary, how to put it on, adjust, wear and take off PPE.

Training will be reviewed annually, when there are changes in the workplace, when new equipment is introduced, when there are changes in PPE, when new employees are hired, or when there is a loss of skill or understanding in PPE requirements.

The Scioto County Public Library has made personal protective equipment selections based on the hazard assessment. Employees must follow personal protective equipment selection as outlined in the assessment. Failure to properly wear personal protective equipment may constitute disciplinary action.