

SAFETY TOPIC - Mould Safety

TEST QUESTIONS: Mould Safety

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- 1. All Canadian federal and provincial occupational health and safety associations, and public health agencies, consider mould growth inside buildings to be a risk factor for health problems.
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 2. The key factor is moisture because moulds and fungi need it to grow. In buildings, moisture is present as the result of: (Circle all that apply)
 - a) Flooding
 - b) Leaks in the roof or plumbing
 - c) Sealed buildings that do not allow excess moisture to escape
 - d) Sources such as cooking facilities or showers
 - e) Excess humidity
- 3. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states that all moulds should be treated the same in terms of health risk and removal.
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 4. All the following are common health effects due to mould exposure: (Circle all that apply)
 - a) Eye, nose and throat irritation
 - b) Muscle cramping
 - c) Coughing and mucous build-up
 - d) Wheezing and shortness of breath
 - e) Worsening of asthma symptoms
- 5. It is important to remember that once the mould clean-up is done, the underlying cause must be fixed to prevent more mould from growing again.
 - a) True
 - b) False