
Quality, Health, Safety, Environmental & Energy Manual:

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Health Surveillance

To detail Toyota Material Handling UK Ltd's (TMHUK) arrangements made for recognising and implementing any need for a Health Surveillance Programme.

General

- 1.0 TMHUK are constantly looking to improve the health, safety and welfare of team members. Job roles within the organisation have been assessed to confirm where health surveillance will be beneficial to the team member as well as help TMHUK comply with its legal and moral obligations.
- 1.1 Health surveillance is a system of ongoing health checks. These health checks may be required for team members who are exposed to excessive noise, vibration, solvents, fumes, dusts, and other substances hazardous to health.
- 1.2 Job roles which have been identified as ones which may expose the team member to one or more of the above hazards are:
 - Welders
 - Painter/Sprayers
 - Truck Preparation
- 1.3 The types of health surveillance which will be conducted are:
 - **Spirometry** - Spirometry is a standard test used to measure how well your lungs are functioning.
 - **Audiometry** - An audiometry exam tests how well your hearing functions.
 - **Hand Arm Vibration Syndrome (HAVS)** - Initial testing is by way of a short questionnaire known as Tier 1. If there is any suspicion of HAVS following this questionnaire additional testing is carried out.
 - **Isocyanate testing** - This test is carried out by taking a urine sample at the end of a spraying task and having the sample analysed.
 - **Occupational Contact Dermatitis** – Lower level health surveillance required, an annual questionnaire, completed by the trained 'responsible person'. If there is any suspicion of dermatitis following this questionnaire additional testing is carried out.

For Further information on the above, contact the QHSE Team.

Records

- 2.0 All information obtained during these health checks will be held confidentially and in line with company procedures and the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR).
- 2.1 Safety Auditing will verify the compliance and effectiveness of this policy.