

Lawson Health Research Institute

Guideline: N95 Respirator Fit Testing Procedure

If you work with or are in contact with patients and/or animals or use lenti virus, you are required to complete the N95 Respirator Fit Testing. Below are contact details if you require the N95 Respirator Fit Testing.

UWO Employees: Occupational Health & Safety and [Tammy Johnston](#)

UWO Graduate Teaching Assistants (GTA), UWO Graduate Research Assistants (GRA): Occupational Health & Safety and [Tammy Johnston](#)

UWO Students (including UWO Undergraduates): Student Health Services
(Call (519) 661-3030, follow the prompts, request a Mask Fit Testing)

PEL Students & Unpaid Research Volunteers (non-students/adult volunteers):
Exempt from the N95 Respirator Fit Testing (due to restrictions on animal handling and patient contact)

Please note that the N95 Respirator Fit Tests must be renewed every two years.

***** It is the supervisors' responsibility to ensure that their personnel/affiliates have the appropriate protective equipment, which may include an N95 respirator. If an N95 respirator is required it is the supervisors' responsibility to ensure that their personnel/affiliates have attended an N95 fitness training session through the appropriate governing institution.**