Although precise measurements of exposure are the ideal method of exposure assessment in occupational settings, this type of data is often not available. In such instances, other methods of exposure assessment, including self reported exposure are utilized to assess exposure. Self reported asbestos exposure proved to be a reliable exposure measurement in a study completed at the Long Beach Naval Shipyard. In general, reliability of self reported exposure seems to vary widely by agent, but may be consistent for specific agents.

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