

July 14, 2025

Subject: Voluntary Rescission of Four Kimberly-Clark Corporation NIOSH Respirator Approvals – No Impact to O&M Halyard Respirators

Dear Valued Customer,

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has honored a request by Kimberly-Clark Corporation to rescind four of their NIOSH respirator approvals. We want to reassure you that this action **does** <u>not</u> **affect any HALYARD* branded respirators sold by O&M Halyard.**

Halyard Health, Inc. was formed and spun off by Kimberly-Clark in 2014. In 2018, Owens & Minor acquired the Surgical & Infection Prevention business of Halyard Health, including the HALYARD* brand. Since then, HALYARD* respirators have been independently owned, manufactured, and sold by O&M Halyard, Inc., with NIOSH approvals unique to our portfolio.

While some Kimberly-Clark products may have used similar model numbers, **NIOSH Approval Numbers** are the definitive way to confirm certification.

All O&M Halyard respirators listed below remain fully NIOSH-approved and available for use:

Approval Number	Model	A	Approval Number	Model
TC-84A-7518	46827		TC-84A-7522	46728
TC-84A-7519	46828		TC-84A-7523	46767
TC-84A-7520	46867		TC-84A-7524	62355
TC-84A-7521	46727		TC-84A-7525	62126

You can verify these on the official NIOSH Certified Equipment List:

NIOSH-CEL.

O&M Halyard will continue to be a leader in facial protection, offering trusted, high-quality respirators through our comprehensive HALYARD* portfolio. If you have any questions, please contact your local Owens & Minor representative.

Best regards,

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