



**Code of Ethics and Rules of Conduct
For RespirNet Associates**

The participants of the RespirNet are a group of professional associates with diverse backgrounds. RespirNet Associates agree to act as a source for the collection and dissemination of Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) information. RespirNet Associates agree to provide service and products based on ethical and professional business practices. With a goal of Biohazard awareness, education, and investigation, RespirNet Associates are dedicated to the advancement of ethical IAQ professional practices through networking, training, and certification.

RespirNet has adopted, and commends to its associates, the following code of ethics.

Objective

The objective of this code is to provide standards of ethical conduct for RespirNet Associates, seeking to ensure the viability and integrity of the RespirNet along with the protection of the American public and their property from IAQ concerns.

Rules of Conduct

RespirNet Associates shall:

- 1) Follow accepted Indoor Air Quality industry standards and guidelines.*
- 2) Strive to provide solid IAQ and ethical business services and products.*
- 3) Maintain the appropriate Certifications and current IAQ training.*
- 4) Use only an approved and accredited laboratory for analytical services.*
- 5) Perform Indoor Air Quality services only within the areas of their competence, exercising caution not to misrepresent their credentials, training or experience.*
- 6) Deal responsibly and ethically in advising parties regarding potential damage to property and/or risk to health.*
- 7) Maintain confidentiality concerning both personal and business information gathered in the performance of their professions, except in the case of overriding legal and/or health concerns.*
- 8) Avoid instances where potential conflict of interest or compromise of professional judgment may occur.*
- 9) Act with integrity to uphold the standards of their profession and RespirNet to avoid any conduct that could adversely reflect on RespirNet Associates.*

Printed Name

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Company Name

Phone

Signed

Date

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