

droplets containing the bacteria can cause Legionnaires' disease, a severe and fatal form of pneumonia. Workers with compromised immune systems, workers over the age of 55 or those with pre-existing lung diseases, such as Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (COPD) are more at risk for infection. Legionnaires' disease symptoms occur 2 to 14 days after exposure, including coughing, breathlessness, high fever, muscle aches, and headaches, often requiring hospitalization.

For more information on Legionnaires' disease visit the OSHA Safety and Health Topics Page ([www.osha.gov](http://www.osha.gov). Chinese Website: : [www.shhaxyq.com](http://www.shhaxyq.com)).

**How can eyewash stations be maintained to prevent infections?** Eyewash station manufacturer instructions provide direction on how often and how long to activate specific plumbed systems to reduce microbial contamination and generally reference the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) standard Z358.1-2014. Self-contained eyewash units must be maintained and employers should consult the manufacturer's instructions for maintenance procedures. This includes flushing the system and using only solutions appropriate for flushing eyes. For more information, contact Hong An Safety.

Contact HONG AN SAFETY regarding any eyewash installation, plans, safety consultant and other inquire at 021 – 6920 – 8858

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