Donning Procedures

1. Open the respirator, left hand hold strap, right hand hold buckle, allowing nose clip forward;
2. Press the respirator against your face with the nose clip on the bridge of your nose;
3. Move bands over your head, the strap around your ears, and the buckle hooks another strap,;
4. Adjust the straps; let the upon and lower straps keep same tension;
5. Place your two fingertips from both hands at the top of the metal nosepiece. Using two hands mold the nose area to the shape of your nose by pushing inward while moving your fingertips down both sides of the nosepiece.

**Warning:** Pinching the nosepiece using one hand may result in improper fit and less effective respirator performance. Use two hands.

6. Fit-check the face-seal as follows:

- *Place both hands over the respirator without disturbing its position.*
- *Inhale sharply, a negative pressure should be felt inside the respirator;*
- *If you detect air-leaks, readjust the nosepiece and/or head straps position;*

**WARNING:** If you cannot achieve satisfactory fit, do NOT enter the contaminated area. See your Supervisor.