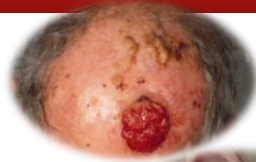




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Most frequent occupational disease: Dermatitis



Irritant contact dermatitis

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Chronic irritant contact dermatitis

shampoo wet work soap fruit juice dry freezing weather

cumulative irritation

eczema threshold
subclinical

MALTEN KE (1981) Thoughts on irritant contact dermatitis. Contact Derm 7: 238-247

Most frequent occupational disease: Dermatitis

chronical irritant contact dermatitis

acute

atopic palmar eczema

allergic contact dermatitis

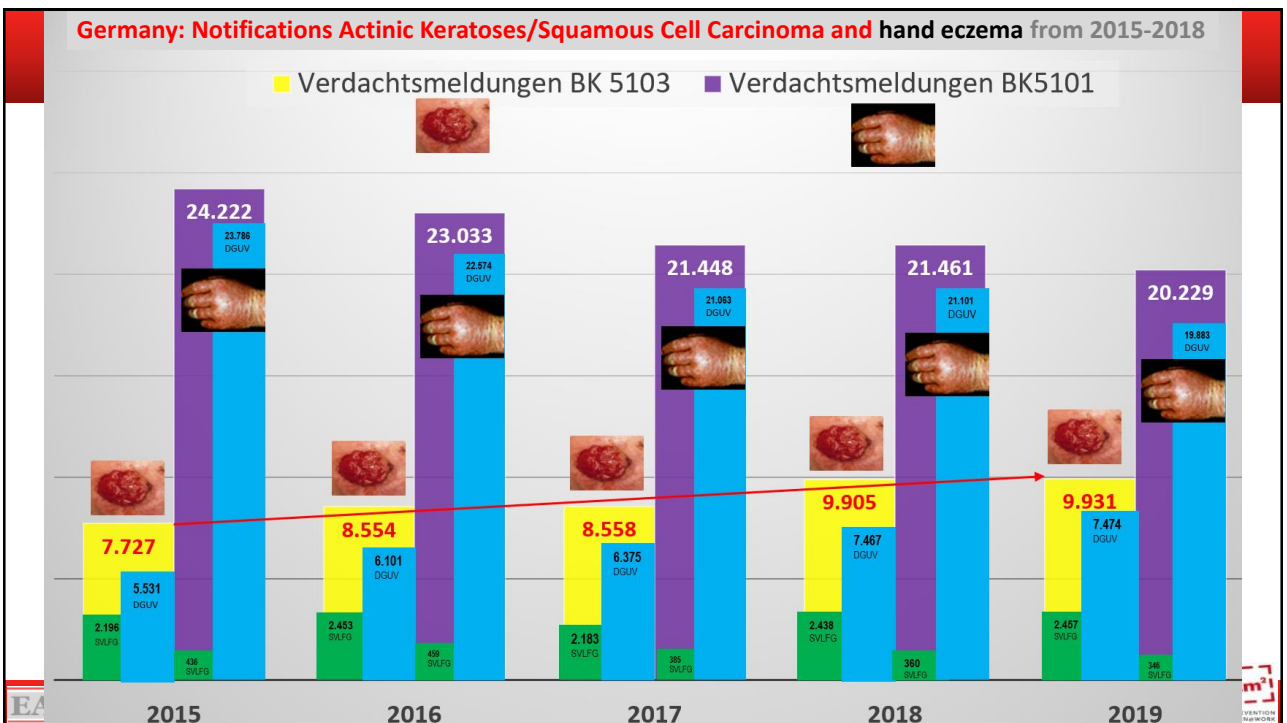
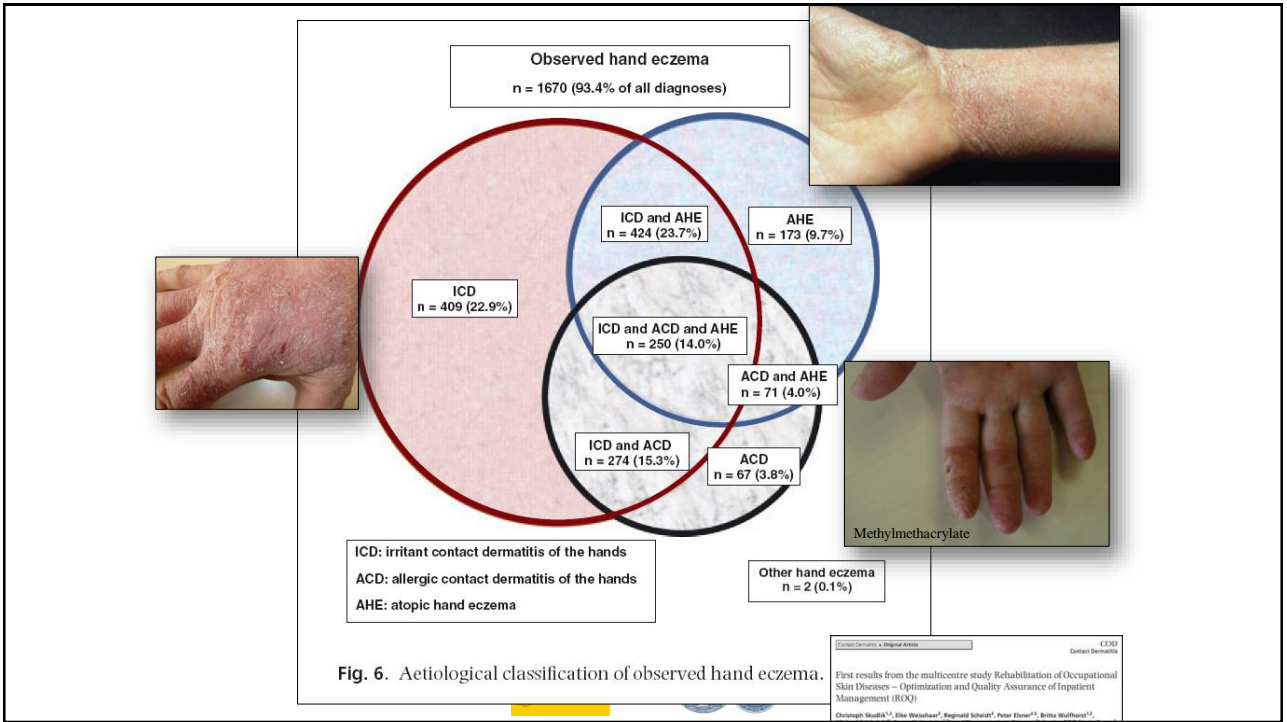
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Gewerbliche Berufsgenossenschaften und UV-Träger der öffentlichen Hand

BK-Nr.	Kurzbezeichnung	BK-Verdachts- anzeigen	Anerkannte Fälle		Confirmed cases	Anteil an allen bestätigten Fällen in %
			Insgesamt	darunter: neue BK-Renten		
5101	Skin diseases	21.101	505	119	18.375	48,3%
2301	Lärmschwerhörigkeit	13.497	6.714	212	6.714	17,7%
5103	Skin cancer, natural UV radiation	7.467	4.255	583	4.255	11,2%
4103	Asbestose, Asbest	3.505	1.713	479	1.713	4,5%
3101	Infektionskrankheiten	1.982	1.123	40	1.123	3,0%
4105	Mesotheliom, Asbest	1.262	882	778	882	2,3%
4104	Lungen-/ Kehlkopf-/ Eierstockkrebs, Asbest	4.938	767	690	767	2,0%
4101	Silikose, Quarz	1.116	497	252	497	1,3%
2108	Lendenwirbelsäule, Heben und Tragen	5.073	359	229	458	1,2%
4301	Atemwegserkrankung, allergisch	1.418	289	98	424	1,1%
Summe		61.359	17.104	3.480	35.208	92,6%

* inkl. DDR-BK-Nummern, ohne Fälle nach § 9 Abs. 2 SGB VII

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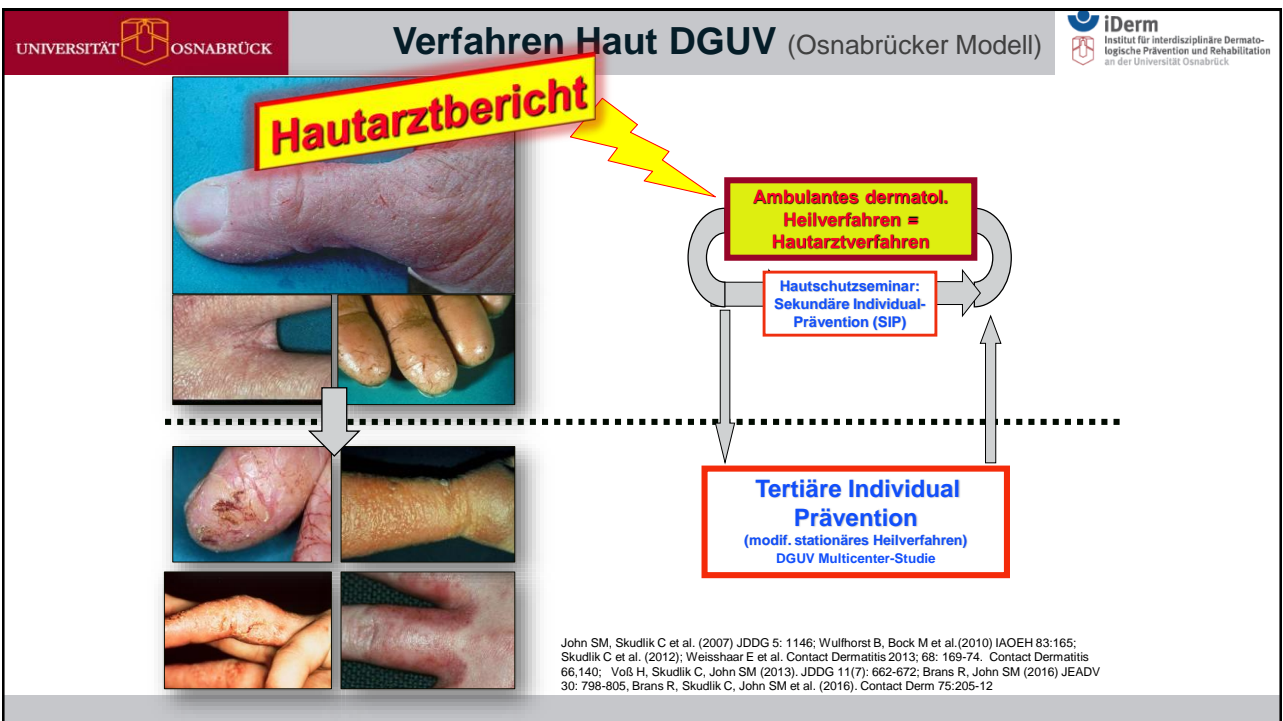
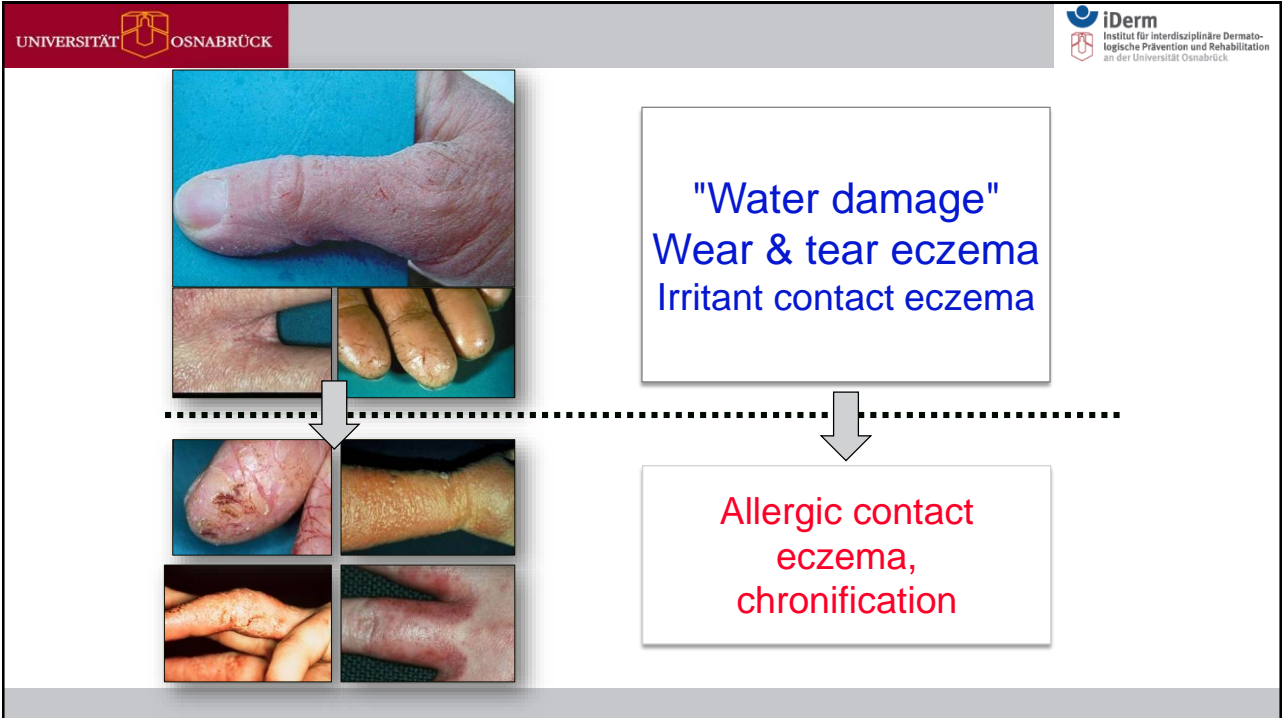
60% of all confirmed OD cases: SKIN

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"Water damage"
Wear & tear eczema
Irritant contact eczema

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Verfahren Haut DGUV (Osnabrücker Modell)

iDerm
 Institut für interdisziplinäre Dermatologische Prävention und Rehabilitation an der Universität Osnabrück

- Keine Kosten für Beschäftigte
- Keine Überweisung erforderlich
- Keine Rezeptgebühren
- Auch Basistherapie (anders als GKV)
- Fahrtkostenerstattung
- Zugriff auf alle Beratungsangebote
- Stat. HV (TIP): keine Zuzahlung (anders als bei RentenVers, GKV)
- Keine Kosten für Arbeitgeber (keine Lohnfortzahlung, erfolgt durch BG)
- Arbeitgeber erfüllt seine Verpflichtungen gem. §167, Abs. 2; SGB IX (Betriebliches Eingliederungsmanagement)

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Betriebsärztlicher Gefährdungsbericht Haut: F 6060-5101 (30 € netto), seit 2013

Greatest risk in risk-professions: Lack of information



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„Crime scene“: work place



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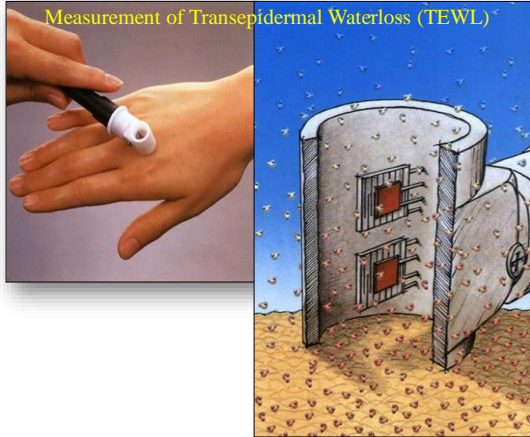
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Less skin irritation from alcohol-based disinfectant than from detergent used for hand disinfection

L.K. Pedersen, E. Held, J.D. Johansen and T. Agner*

National Allergy Research Centre for Consumer Products, Gentofte Hospital, University of Copenhagen, DK-Denmark

*Department of Dermatology, Gentofte Hospital, University of Copenhagen, Denmark



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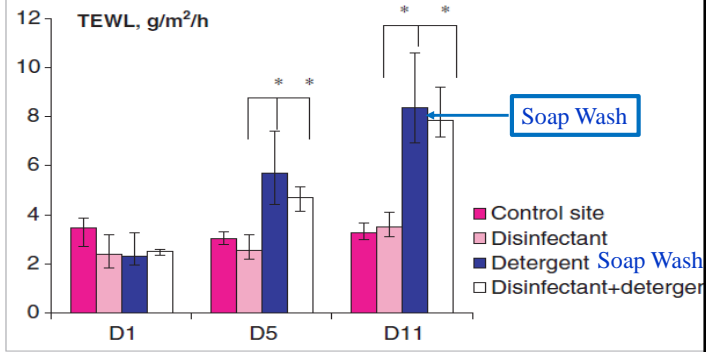


Fig 1. Comparison of evaporimetric responses between control site, disinfectant, detergent and alternate applications of disinfectant and detergent on days 1, 5 and 11 (median values and quartiles); *P < 0.05. (TEWL measurements taken at volar forearm)

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Frequency of wet work activities per healthcare sector

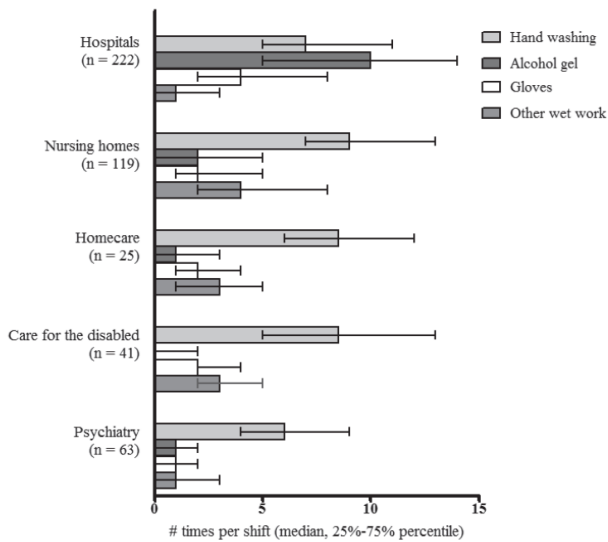


Fig. 3. Frequency of wet work (median and interquartile limits) reported by 383 apprentice nurses during 470 traineeships, stratified by healthcare sector. 'n' refers to the number of participants who worked in the healthcare sector concerned; the sum of n exceeds 383 because a number of apprentices participated in more than one traineeship.



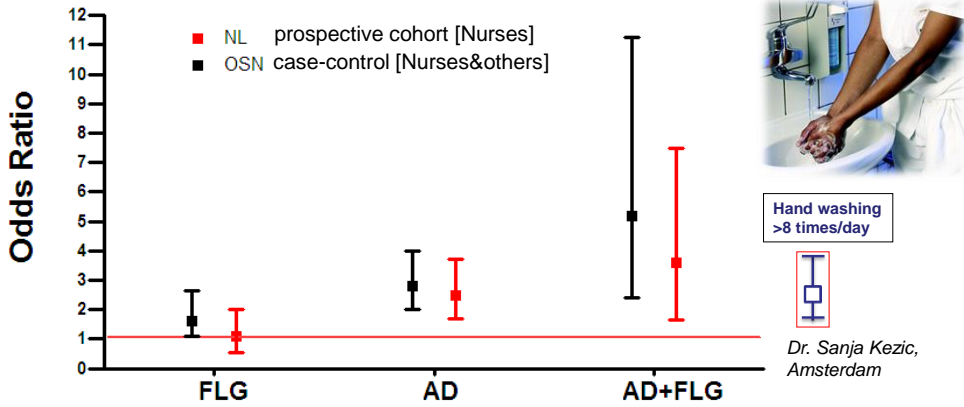
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(Visser et al, *Contact Dermatitis* 2013)

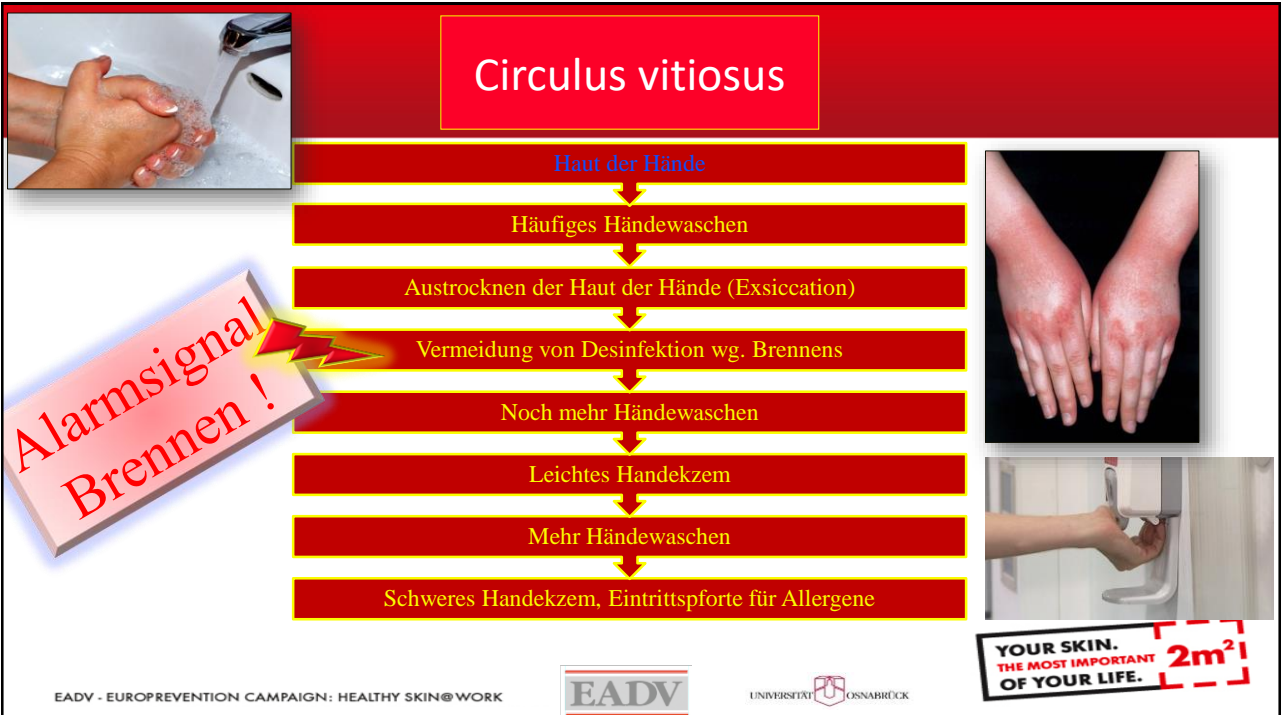
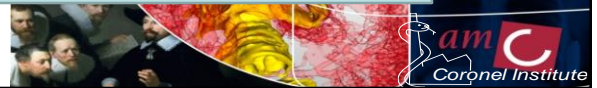


Apprentices in risk professions

OR for occupational irritant contact dermatitis



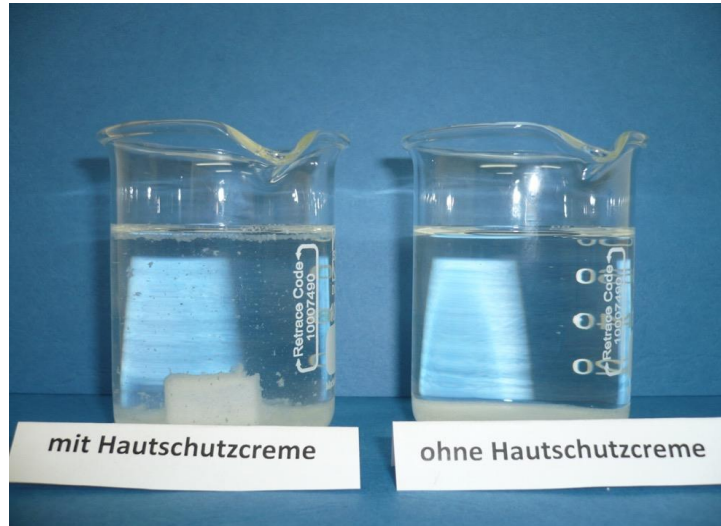
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Würfelzucker in Wasser

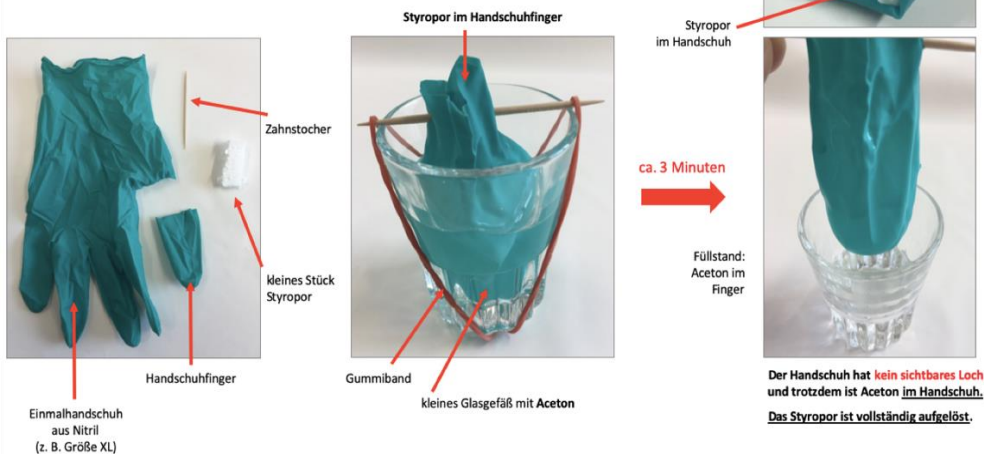


Experiment zur Wirkung von Hautschutzcremes bei Feuchtarbeit

Kurzzeit-Experiment

Ziel: „Die unsichtbare Gefahren sichtbar machen“, d. h. das Durchwandern von Chemikalien (z. B. Epoxidharze, Lösemittel) auf molekularer Ebene durch flüssigkeitsdichte Handschuhe (Permeation)

Konsequenz für Hautschutz am Arbeitsplatz: Flüssigkeitsdichte „Chemikalienschutzhandschuhe“ müssen konsequent und rechtzeitig gewechselt werden.





How to remove gloves?

43 hairdressers and apprentices

First round: all (100%) had contamination of skin

Range between 0.02 and 101.37 cm²



Second round: 55.8% had contamination of skin

Range between 0.00 and 3.08 cm²

Handschuhe ausziehen: Kontamination durch die Außenseite des Handschuhs unter Schwarzlicht.

A: Die Handschuhe werden vollständig mit fluoreszierender Creme eingecremt;

B: Es erfolgt eine Kontrolle, ob die Handschuhe vollständig eingecremt wurden;

C: Die Handschuhe werden ausgezogen;

D: Es erfolgt die Kontrolle unter Schwarzlicht, ob und an welchen Stellen es zum Kontakt mit der Außenseite des Handschuhs gekommen ist (Stellen fluoreszieren weiß-bläulich)



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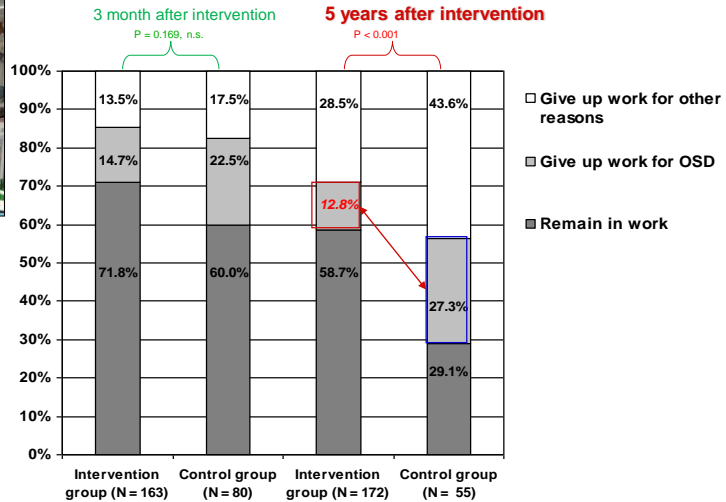
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Prof Jeanne Duus-Johansen, Copenhagen

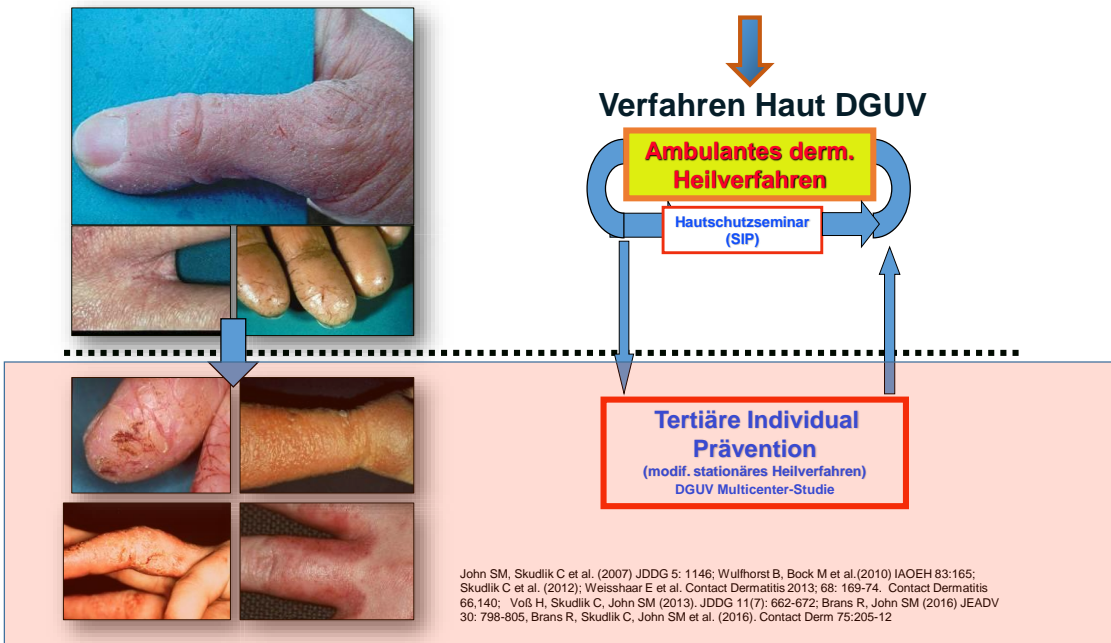
Health education: Frequency of job loss in hairdressers 5 year follow-up

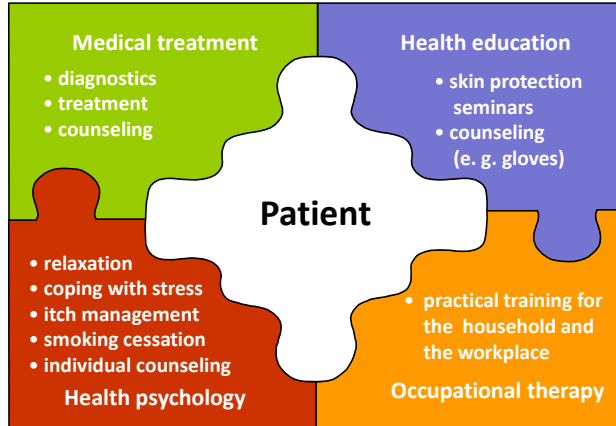


Wulfhorst B, Skudlik C, John SM et al (2010) Sustainability of an Interdisciplinary Secondary Prevention Program in Hairdressers. *Int Arch Occup Environ Health* 83:165-171



Osnabrücker Modell





DGUV Studie "Optimierung und Qualitätssicherung des Heilverfahrens (ROQ)



Contact Dermatitis - Original Article COD Contact Dermatitis

First results from the multicentre study Rehabilitation of Occupational Skin Diseases – Optimization and Quality Assurance of Inpatient Management (ROQ)

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Stationäre Phase

- (Berufs-) Dermatologie
- Gesundheitspädagogik
- Gesundheitspsychologie
- Ergotherapie mit Hautschutztraining am Arbeitsplatzsimulationsmodell
- Berufshelfer



3 Wochen

Ambulantes Heilverfahren I

- niedergelassener Dermatologe
- 3 Wochen nachstationäre Arbeitskarenz (Barriere-Regenerat.)

3 Wochen

Ambulantes Heilverfahren II

- niedergelassener Dermatologe
- Beratung und Therapie nach Wiederaufnahme der beruflichen Tätigkeit
- Dauer des ambulanten Heilverfahrens (§ 3 BKV): Individuell in Abhängigkeit des Verlaufes der Hauterkrankung

**1 Jahr
3 Jahre
5 Jahre**

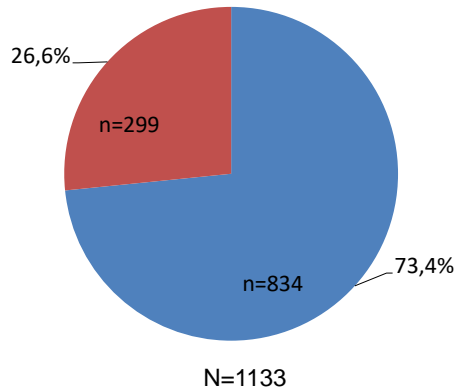
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zu 2 für die Nahrungsmittelzubereitung		
zu 3 für Reinigungsarbeiten		
zu 4 als Hitzeschutzhandschuh		



Starterpaket



**Biggest long-term follow-up study of severe occupational HE:
Only unattended hand eczema stays incurable !
(until 5 yrs after discharge from TIP; 73.4 % returned to work)**



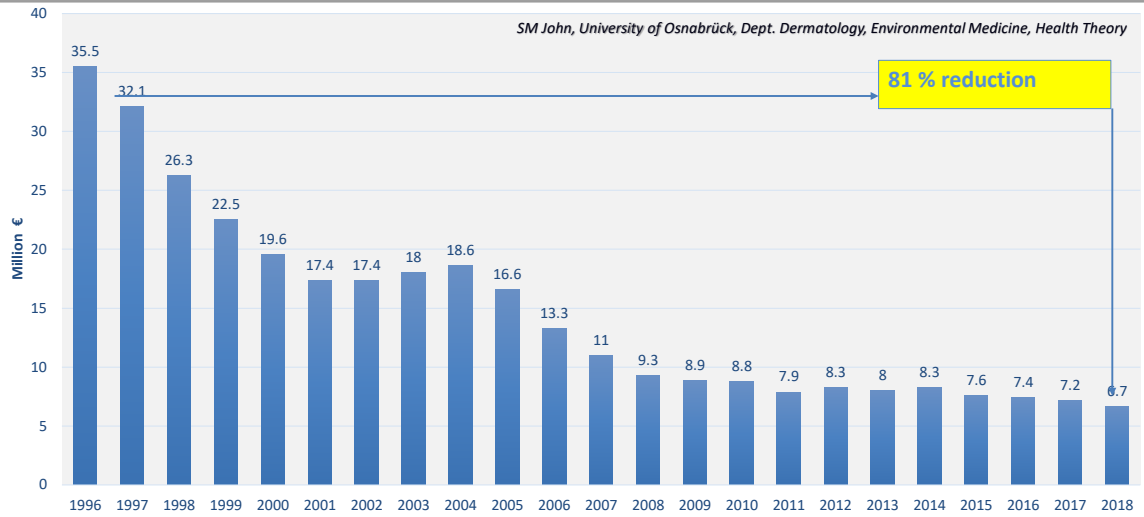
■ Did not give up profession
■ Gave up profession

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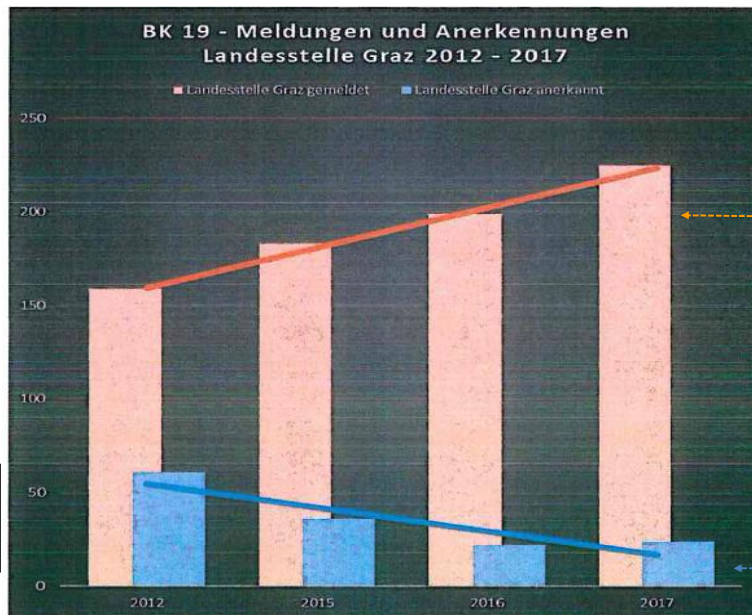
Cost reduction for retraining for Occup. Contact Dermatitis in the German Hairdressing and Health Service by preventive measures: > 80 %



Source: German Accident Insurance for the Health and Welfare Services (BGW), Dr Lindemann, Prof. Brandenburg 2019



Occup. contact dermatitis prevention with out-patient and in-patient care in Steiermark, AUSTRIA since 2015



Notified cases in preventive care

Job loss

Source: Dr R. Hosemann, AUVA, Graz, Austria

Skin slackening by solar UVA

69 y,
delivery truck driver for 28y
from Chicago. 25 y history of
actinic damage by UVA
through (closed) lateral car
window. Solar elastosis.

Gordon JRS, Brieva JC (2012)
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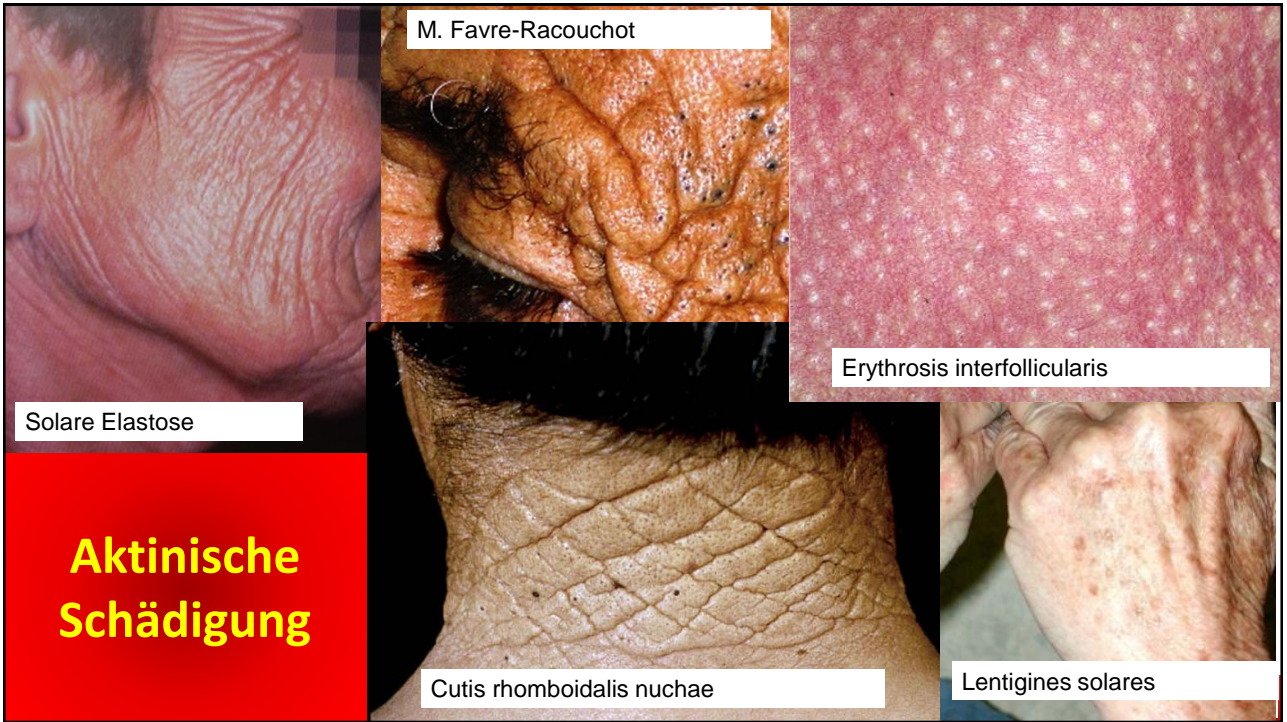
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Aktinische Schädigung

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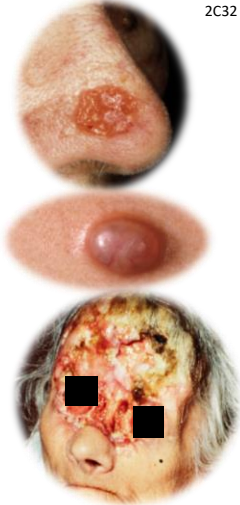
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**Aktinische
Schädigung**

What is non-melanoma skin cancer?

Basal Cell Carcinoma
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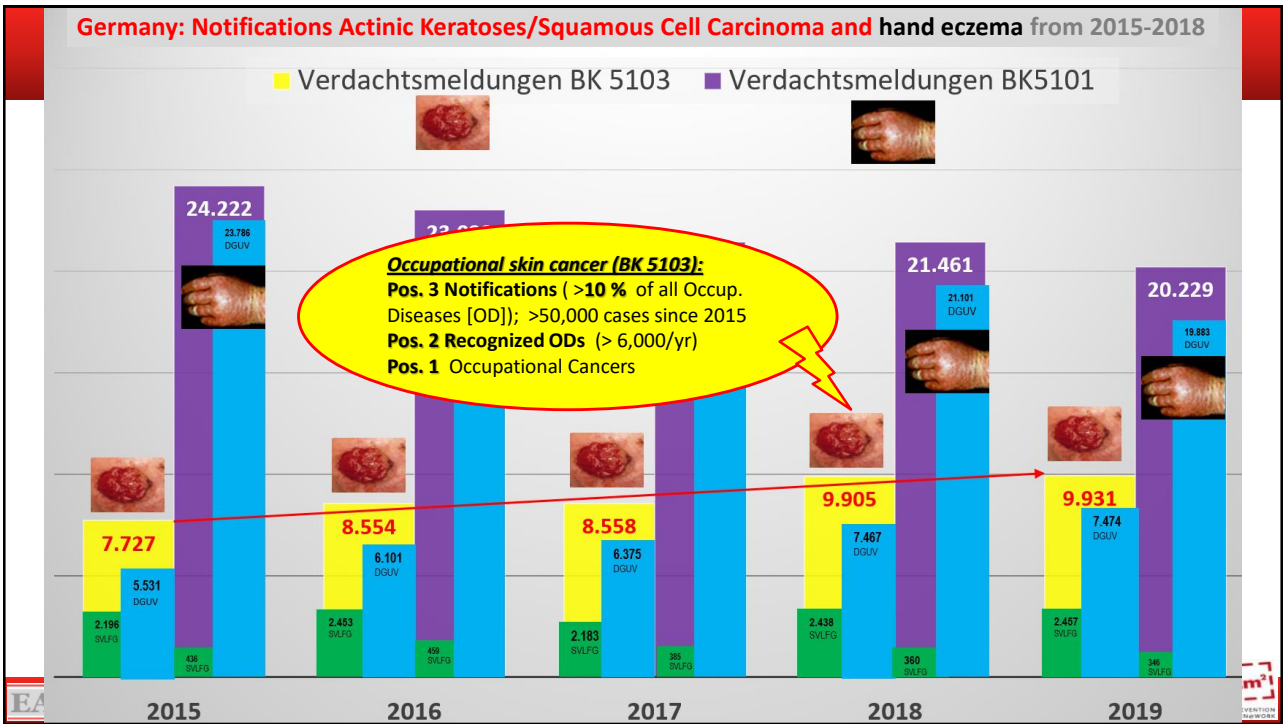


Actinic Keratosis
(IN SITU Squamous Cell Carcinoma, 2E64.01)



Squamous Cell Carcinoma
2C31





Multi-Stakeholder Summit, 26 April 2019, EADO Congress (Paris)

Multi-Stakeholder Summit on Occupational Skin Cancer
at the occasion of the 33rd EADO Congress, 26-27 April 2019, Paris, France

26 April 2019 from 11:00 to 15:00

**Maison de la Chimie
Room 251**

28 Rue Saint-Dominique, 75007 Paris, France
<http://www.maisonchimie.com/room-251/>

Topic	Speakers / moderators of round-tables
11-10-11:45 Bringing occupational skin cancer out of the shadows Eliminating OSC by UV: Vision zero possible? Health economic aspects of occupational skin cancer	<p><i>Prof. Dr. Sören Møller John</i>, Chairman, Department of Dermatology & Environmental Medicine, University of Copenhagen, EADV, ICOH</p> <p><i>Prof. Dr. Jukka Takala</i>, President International Commission on Occupational Health (ICOH)</p> <p><i>Prof. Dr. Matthias Augustin</i>, Director of the Institute of Health Care Research in Dermatology and Nursing, Chair of Health Economics and Quality of Life Research, Hamburg Center for Health Economics</p> <p><i>Rolf Gehring</i>, Political Secretary Safety & Health, European Federation of Building and Woodworkers (EFBBW)</p> <p><i>Feresia Molinsko</i>, Senior Expert and Policy Adviser to the Director in the area of Occupational Safety and Health (OSH), Directorate-General for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion (DG EMPL), European Commission</p>
11-45-12:35 1 st Round-table discussion: The disease burden of non-melanoma skin cancer - the invisible threat by UV radiation to workers	<p>MODERATORS</p> <p><i>Prof. Dr. Lars French</i>, President-Elect, International League of Dermatological Societies (ILDS)</p> <p><i>Dr. Emilie Von Döberner</i>, Team Leader, Radiation Programme, Department of Public Health, Environmental and Social Determinants of Health, World Health Organization (WHO)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction with 1-minute Video of patient with NMSC Statement by <i>Antonella Cardone</i>, Director, European Cancer Prevention Campaign (EPCPC)

Aims regarding UV skin cancer:

- Notifications of cases
- NMSC in Cancer Registries
- EU Directive solar optical radiation (*work protection*)
- EU recommendation of occ. diseases (*recognition and compensation of cases*)

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- Prevention
- Workers' education
- Surveillance
- Compensation

With WHO, ICOH, EADV, EADO, Social Partners, Patient organisations, EU-Commission, MEPs



CURRENT WHO/ILO-efforts towards occup. UV-skin cancer within the UN sustainable development goals (SDG) 2030



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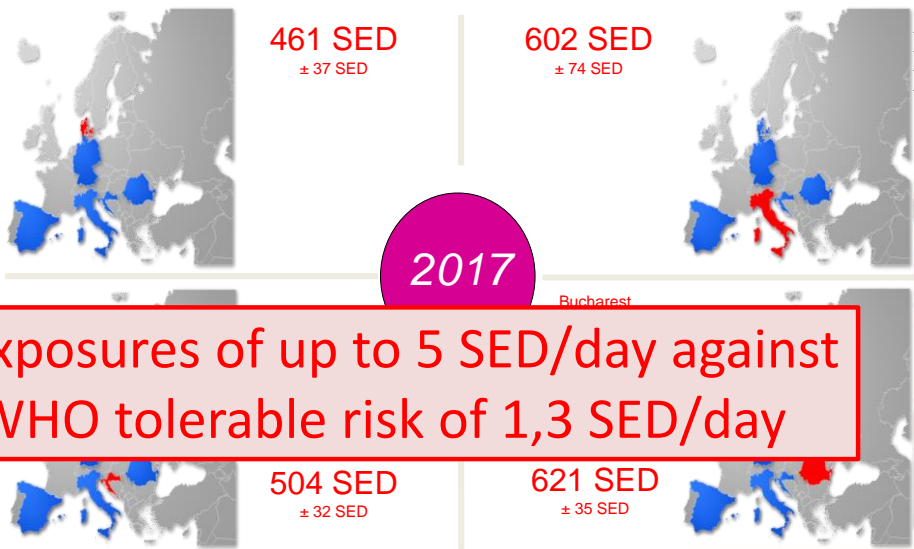
Environ Int 2019; 126: 804-815. doi: 10.1016/j.envint.2018.09.039

WHO/ILO work-related burden of disease and injury: Protocol for systematic reviews of occupational exposure to solar ultraviolet radiation and of the effect of occupational exposure to solar ultraviolet radiation on melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer

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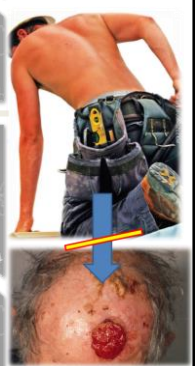


UV-exposure Dosimetry in European Construction Workers



Exposures of up to 5 SED/day against WHO tolerable risk of 1,3 SED/day

Butacu et al. 2020, Kovacic et al. JEADV 2020, Moldovan et al. 2020, Modenese et al. 2020 Wittlich et al. JEADV 2020



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Solar Ultraviolet Radiation Exposure among Outdoor Workers in Three Canadian Provinces

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ABSTRACT
 Solar ultraviolet (UV) radiation is the second most prevalent carcinogenic exposure in Canada and is similarly important in other countries with large Caucasian populations. The objective of this article was to estimate the economic burden associated with newly diagnosed non-melanoma skin cancers (NMSCs) attributable to occupational solar radiation exposure. Key cost categories considered were direct costs (healthcare costs, out-of-pocket costs (OOPCs), and informal caregiver costs); indirect costs (productivity/output costs and home production costs); and intangible costs (monetary value of the loss of health-related quality of life (HRQL)). To generate the burden estimates, we used secondary data from multiple sources applied to computational methods developed from an extensive review of the literature. An estimated 2,846 (5.3%) of the 53,696 newly diagnosed cases of basal cell carcinoma (BCC) and 1,701 (9.2%) of the 18,549 newly diagnosed cases of squamous cell carcinoma (SCC) in 2011 in Canada were attributable to occupational solar radiation exposure. The combined total for direct and indirect costs of occupational NMSC cases is \$28.9 million (\$19.9 million for BCC and \$10.0 million for SCC), and for intangible costs is \$5.7 million (\$0.6 million for BCC and \$5.1 million for SCC). On a per-case basis, the total costs are \$5,670 for BCC and \$10,555 for SCC. The higher per-case cost for SCC is largely a result of a lower survival rate, and hence higher indirect and intangible costs. Our estimates can be used to raise awareness of occupational solar UV exposure as an important causal factor in NMSCs and can highlight the importance of occupational BCC and SCC among other occupational cancers.

KEYWORDS
 Direct costs, economic burden, health-related quality of life, indirect costs, NMSC, occupational cancer

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314 utility & municipality workers
 Nova Scotia, Ontario, BC
 $\emptyset = 6.1$ SED/d [1.3 SED/d recommended]
 86% above recommended level
 10% > 10 x 1.3 SED limit
 \emptyset ambient UVR = 20.9 SED (Ontario > NS, BC)
 [Peters et al. 2019, Ann Work Exp Health]

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 For information from various agencies and non-Canadian associations, consult the following websites:
 • American Cancer Society - Be Safe in the Sun
 • Melanoma Research Foundation

SUN SAFETY AT WORK

Canada:
 1.5 million workers >2 hours outdoors (10% workforce [CAREX])
 4,500 occup. NMSC incidence
 Costs: \$ 28.9 million/y by occup. sun exposure (\$15.9m BCC, 13.0m SCC)
 [Mofidi et al. 2018, J Occup Environ Hyg]

Countries with reported associations between BCC or SCC and occupational exposure to solar UVR

REVIEW ARTICLE
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Global evidence on occupational sun exposure and keratinocyte cancers: a systematic review

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Summary

Individual studies have suggested that the association between occupational exposure to solar ultraviolet radiation (UVR) and the development of keratinocyte cancers (KCs) may only be valid in populations of European ancestry living in certain geographical regions. Comparative global data are scarce and so this review aimed to summarize current evidence on the association between occupational exposure to solar UVR and the development of KCs, with a specific focus on geographical location and skin colour. Ovid MEDLINE, PubMed, Embase and Web of Science were searched for potentially relevant records. Extracted data were summarized by study, country and region. We included one prospective cohort study and 18 case-control studies (n = 15 233) from 12 countries in regions where the majority of the population is white skinned (Americas, Europe and Oceania). Eighteen of the 19 studies reported effect estimates suggesting an increased risk of basal cell carcinoma (BCC) and/or squamous cell carcinoma (SCC) among outdoor workers. Only 11 studies found a significantly increased risk and many had imprecise estimates. There was a significantly increased risk of BCC and SCC in individual studies in North America, Latin America and the Caribbean, Western Europe and Southern Europe, but not across regions or countries. Overall, 95% of studies reported higher risks among outdoor workers, although the increases in risk were statistically significant in just over half of the studies. Well-designed and sufficiently powered occupational case-control and cohort studies with adequate adjustment for confounding factors and other risk factors are required to provide more accurate risk estimates for occupational KC.

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Legend: Countries with reported associations between BCC or SCC and occupational exposure to solar UVR

Europe: NO, GE, CH, IT, GR, ME, RS

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JEDV 2016 (30, suppl 3)
 Wittlich's formula: When is skin cancer occupational?
 (≥40% additional occup. UV-exposure/total lifetime UV-exposure)
 Wittlich M. et al., JEDV 2016 (30, suppl 3: 27-33)

TO THE RESPECTIVE NATIONAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

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Nationality	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Address	

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ICD-11 - Mortality and Morbidity Statistics (2018)

Search: 2C31.Z [Advanced Search]

- ICD-11 - Mortality and Morbidity Statistics
 - 01 Certain infectious or parasitic diseases
 - 02 Neoplasms
 - Neoplasms of brain or central nervous system
 - Neoplasms of haematopoietic or lymphoid tissues
 - Malignant neoplasms, except of lymphoid, haematopoietic, central nervous system or related tissues
 - Malignant neoplasms, stated or presumed to be primary, of specified sites, except of lymphoid, haematopoietic, central nervous system or related tissues
 - Malignant mesenchymal neoplasms
 - Malignant neoplasms of lip, oral cavity or pharynx
 - Malignant neoplasms of digestive organs
 - Malignant neoplasms of middle ear, respiratory or intrathoracic organs
 - Malignant neoplasms of skin
 - 2C30 Melanoma of skin
 - 2C31 Squamous cell carcinoma of skin
 - 2C31.0 Verrucous squamous cell carcinoma of skin
 - 2C31.1 Squamous cell carcinoma of penis
 - 2C31.2 Squamous cell carcinoma of vulva
 - 2C31.Z Cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma**
 - 2C32 Basal cell carcinoma of skin
 - 2C33 Adnexal carcinoma of skin
 - 2C34 Cutaneous neuroendocrine carcinoma
 - 2C35 Cutaneous sarcoma
 - 2C36 Malignant neoplasm of eyelid NOS

2C31.Z Cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma

Parent: 2C31 Squamous cell carcinoma of skin

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Postcoordination

Add detail to **Cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma**

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XX6G	Unspecified laterality

Specific anatomy (use additional code, if desired)

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ICD-11 Coding Tool Mortality and Morbidity Statistics

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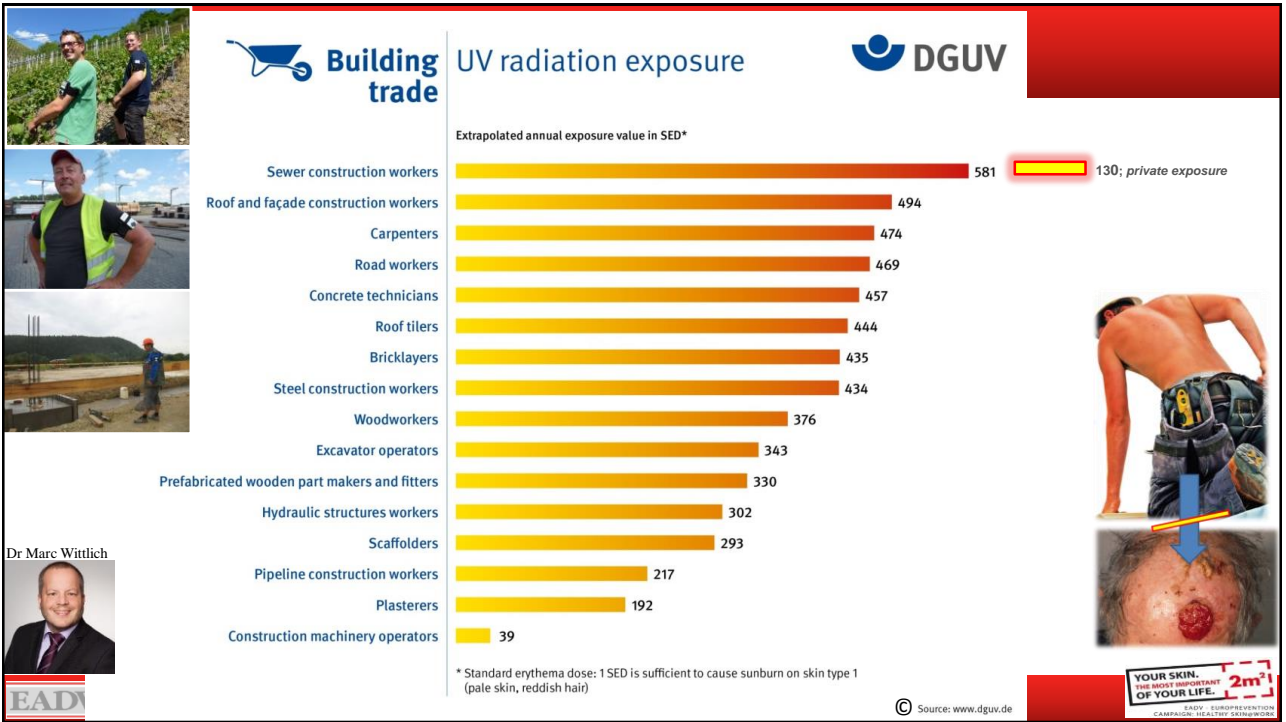
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Wittlich's formula (German Social Accident Insurance)

$$H_{b/a} = \sum \underbrace{f_{WT} \cdot f_{MS} \cdot f_{JZ} \cdot f_b \cdot f_{TZ}}_{\text{Time of exp.}} \cdot \underbrace{f_{Lat} \cdot f_{Höhe} \cdot f_{Reflex}}_{\text{Geographical factors (altitude, albedo...)}} \cdot \underbrace{f_{Körper} \cdot f_{Schutz}}_{\text{Personal factors (angle, body position...)}} \cdot H_{b/a}(\text{ref})$$

Additional work UV exposure: 300 SED / year
 Lifetime UV exposure: 130 SED / year **> 0.4**

- If additional work exposure is > 40 % of lifetime UV exposure:
- Cancer risk is expected to be doubled
 - Occup. exposure is relevant and occupational cancer acknowledged

Definitions of „outdoor work“

EU-OSHA:

“an outdoor worker is someone who spends more than 75% of their working time outdoors”

Federal Law Gazette Volume 2019 Part I No. 27, issued at Bonn on July 17, 2019
Second Ordinance

amending the Ordinance of 12 July 2019 on Occupational Medical Prevention

On the basis of § 18(2), points 4 and 5 and § 19 of the Occupational Safety and Health Act, of which § 18(2) was last amended by Article 227(1) of the Ordinance of 31 October 2006 (...), the Federal Government decrees:

4.2 Activities in Germany

(1) Employers shall offer employees a occupational health provisions under the following conditions, all of which must be fulfilled:

For outdoor work:

- in the period April to September
- between 10 am and 3 pm CET (corresponds to 11 am to 4 pm CEST)
- for a total duration of at least one hour per working day
- for at least 50 working days.

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World Cancer Day 2020: committed to working together for cancer-free workplaces




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In the last 20 years, the [World Cancer Day](#) on 4 February has grown into a powerful movement inspiring organisations, communities and individuals to increase awareness and take action for reducing the global impact of the disease.

Work-related cancer remains the biggest occupational health challenge in Europe. 120,000 cancer cases occur annually because of exposure to carcinogens at work.

Through research and awareness raising activities, EU-OSHA contributes actively to the fight against work-related cancer. We are now in the preparatory phase of a [survey](#) to collect comprehensive data on the **workers' exposure on cancer risk factors in Europe**. The aim of the survey is to better target awareness-raising campaigns and preventive measures, and to contribute to evidence-based policy-making.

Learn more about our project [Workers' exposure survey on cancer risk factors in Europe](#)

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Europe's Beating Cancer Plan – adopted 4 Feb 2021

prediction;

- **Potential instruments:** the intervention could consider the pivotal role of tobacco consumption, in particular to deter youth from smoking and abuse. **strategy** could help ensure that EU citizens have access to affordable **Pollution Strategy** could address air, water and soil pollution. In a frameworks on chemicals and occupational health, interventions could also explore further **legislative and soft measures** to reduce exposure to carcinogenic substances in the workplace, in products and in the environment, and to UV and ionising radiations from natural and artificial sources. Possibilities to help optimise the use of radio-nuclear medical applications through the sharing of best practices could also be explored. It could include innovative approaches involving civil society and in particular the


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LEADY TYPE OF INITIATIVE	Communication and accompanying SWF (Working Document)
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A. Context, Problem definition and Substantivity Check
 Contact from 10 June
 Cancer - a leading cause of death in the EU
 Every year, 3.5 million people in the EU get the devastating news that they have cancer. [Annex 1.3.10000 people](#)

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Early detection and diagnosis.

- **Possible objectives – intervene early:** to reduce the time to diagnosis, to increase the coverage of the target population for breast, cervical and colorectal cancer screening; to provide evidence-based indications to broaden the scope of cancer screening to other cancers (e.g. lung, prostate and gastric).
- **Possible instruments:** measures in the “digital” area including training, artificial intelligence and remote access to high-quality care and increasing use of the European Rare Diseases Network could help meet objectives in terms of reduced time to detection and improved diagnosis, as well as inequality




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POSITION STATEMENT


Improved protection of outdoor workers from solar ultraviolet radiation: position statement

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Abstract
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Keywords: exposure, non-melanoma skin cancer, occupational disease, outdoor workers, prevention, regulations, ultraviolet radiation.
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Conclusion

- Watch for Occup. Skin Cancer:
 - History: outdoor worker (>5yrs; 1hr for 1/3 of worktime)
 - Skin type; medication [immunosuppression, photosensitizers]; syncanerogenicity [eg. tar]
 - Actinic damage in occup. exposed body areas
 - AK/SCC or BCC
 - Save your patients a chronic disease
- Report suspected cases;
use EADV notification forms

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