A health study for oil spill clean-up workers and volunteers
Heart Rate Results
Name: $\qquad$
Date: $\qquad$

## Results:

| 1 $^{\text {st }}$ Reading: $\quad$ BPM |
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| (BPM $=$ beats per minute $)$ | $2^{\text {nd }}$ Reading: ___ BPM $\quad 3^{\text {rd }}$ Reading: $\quad \ldots \quad$ BPM

## Average Heart Rate $=$

$\qquad$ beats per minute
(average of $2^{\text {nd }}$ and $3^{\text {rd }}$ readings)

## What does your resting heart rate indicate?

Resting heart rate is a measure of how fast your heart is beating. The heart usually beats between 60 and 100 times a minute in an adult at rest.

## Interpretation and Advice:

| $\checkmark$ | Your result is | This is considered | You are advised to |
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|  | HR greater than 120 BPM | Very High | Your resting heart rate is very high. You should see a health care provider as soon as possible. A very high heart rate can be a sign of a heart problem or other medical conditions. |
|  | HR between <br> 101 and 120 BPM | High | Your resting heart rate is high. A high heart rate may be due to a medical problem or other causes. You should see a health care provider within the next month. |
|  | HR between 60 and 100 BPM | Normal | Your resting heart rate is normal. |
|  | HR between 40 and 59 BPM | Low | Your resting heart rate is low. A low heart rate may be normal for some individuals. In others, it may be due to a medical problem. You should see a health care provider within the next month. |
|  | HR less than 40 BPM | Very Low | Your resting heart rate is very low. You should see a health care provider as soon as possible. A very low heart can be a sign of a heart problem or other medical conditions. |

