

TEST QUESTIONS: MERCURY

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The *BSO Plus Safety Topic* is a review designed from the BSO Plus agenda. This safety topic is your way to stay current on the safety information over the 3 years between BSO Plus and BSR.

- 1. The following are characteristics of mercury: (Circle all that apply)**
 - a. Solid at room temperature
 - b. Strong metallic smell
 - c. Heavy and dense metal
 - d. Vaporizes when exposed to heat

- 2. Symptoms of mercury exposure may include:**
 - a. Chest tightness and difficulty breathing
 - b. Coughing and runny nose
 - c. Headache and fever
 - d. All of the above

- 3. Repeated long-term exposure to mercury can result in the following: (Circle all that apply)**
 - a. Kidney damage
 - b. Excessive bleeding
 - c. Tremors
 - d. Hearing loss

- 4. Heating of mercury should be avoided because this will increase the amount of vapours that may be inhaled.**
 - a. True
 - b. False

- 5. Maintenance work such as pipe cutting with a torch can cause exposure to mercury.**
 - a. True
 - b. False