Corning considered its responsibility to test the fiberglass before they marketed it to determine if there was any health hazard?

A We started that early, yes, sure.

Q Is that right?

A Yes.

Q In the 1940s you conducted a number of tests of the products to determine whether or not it would hurt people when they breathed the fiberglass?

A They didn't breathe it. They couldn't breathe it. You can't breathe it.

Q In any event, you did some tests to determine if there was any harmful effects of the product.

A Because we were trying to get rid of the itch. We were making finer fiber and things that didn't stick in you. The reason it itches is because the damn fiber would stick in you.

Q But you determined that that was simply a nuisance and it would not really hurt something?

A No, we didn't feel it was a danger