

Brake Workers & Non-Malignant Lung Disease

- Examination of 104 vehicular maintenance workers
- 29% had decreased vital capacity
- 27% had chest x-ray abnormalities
- Both chest x-ray and restrictive lung function tests showed greater abnormalities after 20 years exposure

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