

## Layfield Medical Products Receives U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Emergency Use Authorization for Medical Grade Respirators

### FDA Approved Layfield Particulate Respirator MLL-1970EU

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In Richmond, BC, February 19, 2021 - Layfield Medical Products does more than provide great products to our customers. At Layfield we design and deliver customized solutions to protect Our Families, Our Communities, and Our Environment; **We Protect!** As a perennial member of Canada's Best Managed Companies, our priority is to protect the health and safety of frontline workers who serve our communities.

Layfield's Particulate respirator 1970EU is now approved for use by healthcare personnel by the FDA under the Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) for Particulate Respirators (FFRs). The 1970EU-L3 Health Care + Surgical Particulate Respirator is ASTM F2100 Level 3 qualified and has a Bacterial and Particle Filtration Efficiency of greater or equal to 98% (BFE and PFE  $\geq$  98%).

Health care workers and other frontline staff need a steady and reliable source of personal protective equipment. We are determined that every frontline worker should go to work knowing they will have the personal protective equipment they need to do their jobs, with the peace of mind that their protective equipment meets the most rigorous of safety standards. To accomplish this, we have collaborated with Maple Leaf Laboratories, a Canadian PPE Research & Development company. We will produce over 50 million masks per year in our state-of-the-art medical manufacturing facility in Western Canada.

**About Layfield Medical Products:** Layfield Medical Products delivers industry-leading medical product solutions following strict, quality-controlled manufacturing processes certified by Health Canada, ISO 9001 and IFS PACsecure. We take pride in providing personal protection equipment that meets the highest standards in North America. With a secure supply chain, we can fulfill our mission of protecting all health care workers and safety professionals from harmful exposures, making our communities safer for everyone.

Combining Layfield's 40 years of manufacturing experience with the expertise of Maple Leaf Laboratories, we are set to produce the highest quality PPE on the market. For more information, see [Layfield Medical Personal Protection Equipment](#).

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