Is poultry dust making you ill?

This pocket card is for workers in the poultry farming industry. It gives simple advice on what employees should do to protect their breathing.

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The air inside poultry houses contains harmful dusts and micro-organisms.
Poultry workers often have breathing problems caused by work (cough, shortness of breath, wheezing).
Follow good working practices set up by your employer.
Wear the correct respirator (eg dust mask) for the job.

Check the fit of the respirator before each use.
Wear the respirator all the time when working inside the poultry house.
Report symptoms of ill health to your boss and your doctor.

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