

National Library of Medicine Databases: *Haz-Map*

<http://hazmap.nlm.nih.gov/>

When you access this website you will see a basic search box at the top of the screen with choices to search by “Agent,” “Disease,” or “Job”. You have to make one of these three choices to use the top search engine. You’ll get very different results depending upon which choice you make; some choices may get no results. You’ll also find a “Text Search” tool there. But you’ll also have these additional search choices further down on the screen:

Hazardous Agents

- By Types of Agents
- By Adverse Effects
- Alphabetically

Occupational Diseases

- By Types of Agents
- By Jobs and Symptoms
- Alphabetically

High Risk Jobs

- By Types of Jobs
- Alphabetically

You’ll also find “More Searches” which allows you to do searches by the additional topics of:

- Non-Occupational Activities
- Industries
- Job Tasks
- Processes (examples: “Foundry,” “Heat or Machine,” “Weld”)
- Symptoms/Findings

And there is also a “Glossary”; “References” which contains links to many additional online sources; and multiple Help files.