Stylin’ Safely

Brought to you by the Healthy Hair Initiative Team at Black Women for Wellness
Safe work practices can help avoid eye irritation and other serious eye problems:

- Wash your hands before and after working on clients, and after handling or transferring products
- Wear goggles and the appropriate type of disposable gloves when handling and transferring products
- Do not continue to use a product if there are visible signs of eye irritation immediately after exposure
- Keeping doors and windows open while working on clients can increase ventilation and help minimize fumes indoors

A recent survey done by Black Women for Wellness found that 9% of hair professionals interviewed reported having eye irritation. Over 90% of survey takers said they did not wear any eye protection.

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