

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
CHILDREN'S HEALTH PROTECTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CHPAC)
May 9–10, 2019
1615 @ Dupont
1615 New Hampshire Ave NW, Third Floor, Washington, DC 20009
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AGENDA

Meeting Objectives

- Receive an update on EPA's commitment to children's health and [Office of Children's Health Protection \(OCHP\)](#) activities.
- Receive an update on and discuss EPA's [Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances \(PFAS\) Action Plan](#), key commitments and time frames for public comment.
- Receive presentations on [risk communication](#) at EPA and discuss ways to enhance EPA risk communication to protect children's health, form workgroup to advise EPA.
- Discuss [Toxic Substances Control Act \(TSCA\)](#) implementation progress with focus on considerations of children's health vulnerabilities.
- Receive an update on EPA Regional children's environmental health priorities and activities.
- Discuss children's health concerns related to [wildfire](#) response and a guide for public health officials on wildfire smoke.
- Receive a presentation on OCHP's Role in Protecting Children's Environmental Health within EPA's Regulatory Process.
- Receive an update on and discuss [Federal Lead Action Plan](#) and [implementation at EPA](#).

Thursday 9 May, 2019

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| 9:00 – 9:30 | Registration |
| 9:30 – 9:50 | Welcome, Introductions and Agenda Review
Barbara Morrissey, CHPAC Chair |
| 9:50 – 10:10 | EPA's Commitment to Children's Health
Paige Hanson, Associate Chief Financial Officer for Policy, EPA |
| 10:10 – 10:30 | Office of Children's Health Protection (OCHP) Update
Michael P. Firestone, Acting Director, EPA OCHP |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Break |

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- 10:45 – 11:45 **EPA PFAS Action Plan, Key Agency Commitments and Time Frames for Public Comment**
Eric Burneson, Director of Standards and Risk Management, EPA Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water
Discussion
- 11:45 – 1:15 **Lunch**
- 1:15 – 3:15 **Risk Communication at EPA – Seeking CHPAC Recommendations for Improving Children’s Environmental Health Messaging**
Corry Schiermeyer, Associate Administrator, EPA Office of Public Affairs (OPA)
Andrea Drinkard, Senior Advisor, EPA OPA
Discussion
Breakout groups to discuss topics including:
- Examples of successful or ineffective risk communications on children’s health and lessons learned,
 - Important audiences to reach, and
 - Identify best practices/principles.
- Report-back to the full group**
- 3:15 – 3:30 **Break**
- 3:30 – 4:30 **Progress Update on TSCA Implementation and Consideration of Children’s Health Vulnerabilities**
Alexandra Dunn, Assistant Administrator, EPA Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention
Jeff Morris, Office Director, EPA Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics
Discussion
- 4:30 – 5:00 **Public Comment**
- 5:00 **Adjourn**

Friday 10 May, 2019

- 8:30 – 9:00 **Registration**
- 9:00 – 9:05 **Welcome**
Michael P. Firestone, Acting Director, EPA OCHP
Barbara Morrissey, CHPAC Chair
- 9:05 – 10:00 **Children’s Environmental Health across EPA Regions and Activities in Region-4**
Beverly Banister, Acting Deputy Regional Administrator, EPA Region 4
Discussion
- 10:00 – 10:30 **OCHP’s Role in Protecting Children’s Environmental Health within EPA’s Regulatory Process**
Rebecca Dzubow, Acting Division Director, Regulatory Support and Science Policy Division (RSSPD), EPA OCHP
Discussion
- 10:30 – 11:15 **Communication Tools to Help Reduce Children’s Wildfire Smoke Exposure**
Susan Lyon Stone, Senior Environmental Health Scientist, Ambient Standards Group, EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards
Discussion
- 11:15 – 11:30 **Break**
- 11:30 – 12:15 **EPA Wildfire Response and Communicating Children’s Health Concerns**
David Yogi, Section Chief, Community Relations, EPA Region 9
Discussion
- 12:15 – 12:45 **Federal Lead Action Plan Update**
Michael P. Firestone, Acting Director, EPA OCHP
Discussion
- 12:45 – 1:00 **Wrap-Up**
Barbara Morrissey, CHPAC Chair
- 1:00 **Adjourn**