

Community Information Session on Ethylene Oxide (EtO)

Professional Contract Sterilization, Inc., located at 40 Myles Standish Blvd. in Taunton, Massachusetts, has been identified as a commercial sterilizer where EtO emissions may pose elevated lifetime cancer risk in portions of Taunton and Norton, Massachusetts.

EPA is committed to reducing this risk in Taunton, Norton, and other impacted communities nationwide. EPA would like to talk to you more about these risks and the actions we are taking to reduce these risks. Please visit our website to register for this virtual event on EtO commercial sterilizers.

September 13, 2022 • 7pm • Community Information Session for Taunton and Norton, MA

Background Information

EtO emissions from commercial sterilizers can contribute to elevated cancer risk in some American communities. EPA's analysis indicates that the air near the facility does not exceed short-term health benchmarks. However, our concern is that a lifetime of exposure to EtO emissions could lead to long-term health impacts if some of these facilities continue to emit at the current levels. To learn more about EtO and where you can register for these virtual meetings please visit:

Register: <https://bit.ly/3JVEFDA> General info: www.epa.gov/EtO

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