

National Public Health Week

# Environmental Health Toolkit

HELP US SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND ITS DEDICATED  
WORK FORCE DURING **NATIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK**, APRIL 2 – 8, 2018.



**E**nvironmental health is the branch of public health that focuses on the interrelationships between people and their environment, promotes human health and well-being, and fosters safe and healthy communities. As a fundamental component of a comprehensive public health system, environmental health works to advance policies and programs to reduce chemical and other environmental exposures in air, water, soil and food to protect residents and provide communities with healthier environments. This toolkit is designed to serve as a guide on suggested messaging to your members and partners, and as a set of environmental health resources.

## PROMOTE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ON SOCIAL MEDIA —

### USE THE FOLLOWING HASHTAG TO PROMOTE EH ACTIVITIES AND NEWS: #EH4ALL

- What does environmental health mean? And why do we celebrate it during #NPHW? <http://ow.ly/Yudsm>
- Everyone deserves an opportunity for good health; a healthy environment fosters that. #NPHW

## SHARE THESE INFOGRAPHICS VIA TWITTER, FACEBOOK OR INSTAGRAM:

- [Impact of Climate Change on Human Health Infographic](#)
- [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention – Environmental Health Infographics](#)
- [CDC – Safe Well Water through Stronger Public Health Infographic](#)

## TWITTER:

- The hashtag for NPHW is: #NPHW
- Participate in the [NPHW Twitter chat](#) on **Wednesday, April 4, 2 pm EDT.**
  - Use #NPHWchat for the Twitter chat
- Tweet a picture of EH professionals at work and include #NPHW and #EH4ALL
- Share environmental health stories on twitter with a picture using #EH4ALL

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## HAVE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH RELATED QUESTIONS? TWEET THE EXPERTS — THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH COALITION MEMBERS.

- Alliance of Nurses for Healthy Environments  
[@enviRN](#)
- American Public Health Association  
[@EH\\_4\\_ALL](#)  
[@PublicHealth](#)
- Association of Public Health Laboratories  
[@APHL](#)
- Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health  
[@ASPPHtweets](#)
- Association of State and Territorial Health Officials  
[@ASTHO](#)
- CDC's National Center for Environmental Health  
[@CDCEnvironment](#)
- Children's Environmental Health Network  
[@CEHN](#)
- Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists  
[@CSTEnews](#)
- Environmental Protection Agency  
[@EPAresearch](#)
- National Association for the Advancement of Colored People  
[@NAACP](#)
- National Association of County and City Health Officials  
[@NACCHOalerts](#)
- National Center for Healthy Housing  
[@NCHH](#)
- National Conference of State Legislatures  
[@NCSLorg](#)
- National Environmental Educational Foundation  
[@NEEFusa](#)
- National Environmental Health Association  
[@nehaorg](#)
- WE ACT for Environmental Justice  
[@weact4ej](#)

## RESOURCES BY PARTNER ORGANIZATION

### Alliance of Nurses for Healthy Environments:

- [Climate Change, Health, and Nursing](#)
- [Water and Health: Opportunities for Nursing Action](#)

### American Public Health Association:

- [Partnering with Metropolitan Planning Organizations to Advance Healthy Communities](#)
- [Year of Climate Change and Health](#)

### Association of Environmental Health Academic Programs:

- [JRCOSTEP/NEPHIP = Internship and External Opportunities for EHAC Accredited Students](#)
- [SRC Scholarship and NSF Internship](#)
- [What is Accreditation?](#)

### Association of Public Health Laboratories:

- [A Freshwater Algal Toxin Guidance Document for Public Health Laboratories](#)

### Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health:

- [Academic Program Finder](#)
- [This is Public Health](#)
- [Viewbook](#)

### Association of State and Territorial Health Officials:

- [Before the Swarm: Guidelines for the Emergency Management of Vector-Borne Disease Outbreaks](#)
- [Environmental Public Health Tracking: Peer-to-Peer Fellowship Program](#)
- [Extreme Weather and Climate Readiness: Toolkit for State and Territorial Health Departments](#)

### CDC's National Center for Environmental Health:

- [Asthma in Children Vital Signs – Cross-sector efforts to get childhood asthma under control](#)
- [ATSDR's State Impact Factsheets \(APPLETREE Grantees\)](#)
- [National Report on Human Exposure to Environmental Chemicals – Updated](#)
- [Safe Water Program Improvement e-Learning Series \(SWPI\)](#)
- [State Biomonitoring Efforts](#)
  - [Improving the Collection and Management of Human Samples Used for Measuring Environmental Chemicals and Nutrition Indicators Tool](#)

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## Children's Environmental Health Network:

- [Children's Environmental Health Movement](#)
- [For Child Care Professionals and for HealthCare Professionals](#)
- [For Parents, Families and Other Child Health Advocates](#)

## Council for State and Territorial Epidemiologists:

- [Disaster Epidemiology Tool Repository](#)
- [Syndromic Surveillance Climate and Health Guidance Document](#)
- [Heat-Related Illness Syndrome Query: A Guidance Document for Implementing Heat-Related Illness Syndromic Surveillance in Public Health Practice](#)

## Environmental Protection Agency:

- [CompTox Chemistry Dashboard](#)
- [Smoke Sense Study: A Citizen Science Project Using a Mobile App](#)
- [Wildfire Smoke: A Guide for Public Health Officials](#)

## National Association for the Advancement of Colored People:

- [Fumes Across the Fence-Line: The Health Impacts of Air Pollution from Oil & Gas Facilities on African American Communities](#)
- [Just Energy Policies and Practices](#)
- [Lights Out In the Cold](#)

## National Association of County and City Health Officials:

- [Environmental Health for Local Health Departments](#)
- [Preparing for the Health Impacts of Climate Change](#)
- [The Essential Elements of Local Public Health](#)

## National Center for Healthy Housing:

- [Find It, Fix It, Fund It: A Lead Elimination Action Drive](#)
- [State Healthy Housing Fact Sheets](#)

## National Conference of State Legislatures:

- [An Analysis of State Health Impact Assessment Legislation](#)
- [Biomonitoring: Measuring Chemicals in People](#)

## National Environmental Education Foundation:

- [Health and Wellness](#)
- [Healthy Indoor Air Quality in a Changing Climate](#)

## National Environmental Health Association:

- [Environmental Assessments for Foodborne Illness Outbreak Investigation](#)
- [Environmental Assessments Trainings and Tools](#)
- [Informatics Resources for Environmental Health Professionals](#)

## National Environmental Health Partnership Council:

- [Environmental Health Playbook](#)
- [Investing in a Robust Environmental Health System](#)

## WE ACT for Environmental Justice:

- [Policy Campaigns & Initiatives: 2017 Agenda](#)

## MULTIMEDIA

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### Alliance of Nurses for Healthy Environments:

- [Nurses Caring for Climate and Health](#)
- [Nurses for Healthy Environments Podcast](#)

### American Public Health Association:

- [Tobacco: Honoring our Traditions and our Health](#)
- [Understanding Environmental Health](#)

### Association of Public Health Laboratories:

- [Environmental Laboratory Ethics: Then and Now](#)

### Association of Environmental Health Academic Programs:

- [Careers in Environmental Health](#)

### CDC's National Center for Environmental Health:

- [Caring for Children in a Disaster](#)

### National Environmental Health Association:

- [National Environmental Assessment Reporting System \(NEARS\) Success Stories](#)

### WE ACT for Environmental Justice:

- [The WE ACT Story](#)

## UPCOMING ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH EVENTS

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April 9 – 10: [Climate & Health Solutions for Our Future](#)

May 7 – 8: [Certified in Comprehensive Food Safety Training](#)