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**Children spend a lot of time playing on the ground.
What environmental hazards does this expose them to?**

A. Asthma triggers. B. Higher levels of pollutants. C. Chemicals in carpets and floors.

D. All of the above. When children play on the ground, they more easily inhale chemicals from carpeting and floors, as well as floor and carpet cleaners. Carpets and hardwood floors can be reservoirs of chemicals, lead dust, dust mites, allergens, and mold. Vacuuming and cleaning floors and toys often can help reduce exposures.

Calendar of Events

October

- 3 Idaho Revised Site-Specific Temperature Water Quality Criterion for Snake River Below Hells Canyon Informational Call.** 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time
To join, dial 202-991-04 and enter conference code 8014105
- 3 Faster Cleanup and Faster Reuse at PCB and RCRA Corrective Action Sites Webinar.** 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time • <https://clu-in.org/conf/tio/RCRAExpert>
- 9 – 12 Tribal Emergency Response: Working Effectively with Response Agencies as First Responders.** White Cloud, KS
http://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_waste
- 10 Stress and Environmental Contamination: Tips and Tools from ATSDR.** Webinar at 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time • <https://clu-in.org/conf/tio/NARPMPresents41/>
- 10 – 11 Tribal Wetland Working Group Training on Drones or Unmanned Aerial Services.** Pendleton, OR • Matthew J. Baerwalde • 425-363-2008 • mattb@snoqualmieltribe.us
- 11 National Fish Conference Call.** 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time
Sharon Frey • 202-566-1480 • frey.sharon@epa.gov
- 15 Idaho Revised Site-Specific Temperature Water Quality Criterion for Snake River Below Hells Canyon Informational Call.** 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time
To join, dial 202-991-0477 and enter conference code 8014105
- 16 Alaska LEO Network Monthly Webinar.** 2:00 p.m. Alaska Time • www.leonetwork.org
- 16 – 18 Tribal Children's Environmental Health Symposium.** Catoosa, OK • itec.cherokee.org
- 18 Region 10 RTOC Conference Call.** 1:00 p.m. Pacific Time
<http://region10rtoc.net/meetings>
- 23 Rural Alaska Road Dust Working Group Quarterly Meeting.** Webinar at 10:30 a.m. Alaska Time. To join, call 206-800-4483, and enter code 3222120.
<https://epawebconferencing.acms.com/alaskadustgroup>
- 23 – 25 EE2018 — E-Enterprise for the Environment National Meeting.** Addison, TX
<https://www.ee2018.net>

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- 24 **Harmful Algae Identification Workshop.** Port Orchard, WA
Contact: Rochelle Labiosa • 206-553-1172 • Labiosa.rochelle@epa.gov
- 30 **Alaska Regional Response Team Meeting.** Anchorage, AK • <https://alaskarrt.org>
- 30 **Peak Flows Rulemaking Virtual Listening Session.** 8:00 a.m. Pacific Time
<https://www.epa.gov/npdes/peak-flows-sewage-treatment-plants>
- 30 **EPA Region 10 GAP Notice of Funding Availability Webinar.** 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time
<https://epawebconferencing.acms.com/r10-igap> • For audio call 1-866-299-3188 and enter conference code 907-271-5083
- 31 **Water Reuse and Reclaimed Water Webinar.** 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time
<https://www.epa.gov/water-research/water-research-program-webinar-series>

November

- 7 – 9 **Indoor Air Quality in Tribal Communities** (for tribes in lower 48). Sioux City, IA
https://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_air
- 15 **Region 10 RTOC Conference Call.** 1:00 p.m. Pacific Time
<http://region10rtoc.net/meetings>
- 20 **Alaska LEO Network Monthly Webinar.** 2:00 p.m. Alaska Time
<http://www.leonetwork.org>
- 27 – 30 **Alaska Tribal Conference on Environmental Management.** Anchorage, AK
<http://www.atcemak.com>
- 27 – 30 **Clean Air Act and Permitting.** Las Vegas, NV
https://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_air

December

- 11 – 14 **Air Quality in Alaska.** Fairbanks, AK
https://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_air
- 18 **Alaska LEO Network Monthly Webinar.** 2:00 p.m. Alaska Time
<http://www.leonetwork.org>

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