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ABOUT THIS PUBLICATION

This publication is the 1989 update of the list of Federal indoor air quality activities that was originally issued in March 1988.

Title IV of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986 requires EPA to establish a committee comprised of the Federal agencies concerned with various aspects of indoor air quality (IAQ) and to coordinate Federal IAQ activities. The Interagency Committee on Indoor Air Quality (CIAQ) functions as the primary Federal coordination mechanism.

Through the CIAQ, each Federal agency was asked to supply a list of its current and ongoing research, policy, and program development activities in the field of indoor air quality. The responses to that request make up the content of this publication. The primary purpose for compiling this information is to provide individuals in the Federal community with a useful tool for coordinating their activities at the project level. This publication has proven to be useful to many individuals and organizations outside the Federal government as well.

For each agency, the major indoor air activities are identified, along with a brief description of the activity, its current status and/or projected completion date, the agency/office responsible, and a contact name and phone number. In addition, this update also includes a section listing the indoor air related publications for the public that are available from Federal agencies. Due to inevitable changes in the status of many of these activities, this publication will be updated annually.

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PLEASE NOTE:

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS PUBLICATION WAS CURRENT AS OF MAY 1989. HOWEVER, ALL INFORMATION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. FOR THE MOST CURRENT INFORMATION, INDIVIDUALS LISTED FOR EACH PROJECT SHOULD BE CONTACTED DIRECTLY.

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GLOSSARY OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY/OFFICE NAMES AND ACRONYMS

| CIAQ | Interagency Committee on Indoor Air Quality | DOE | U.S. Department of Energy |
|-----------------------|--|--------------------------|---|
| CIAQ Co-C | hair Agencies: | OBCS CE | Office of Buildings and Community Systems Conservation and Renewable Energy |
| EPA OA | U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Administrator | OEA ER OHER | Office of Environmental Analysis Energy Research Office of Health and Environmental Research |
| OAR OAIAP ORP | Office of Air and Radiation Office of Atmospheric and Indoor Air Programs Office of Radiation Programs | ORAW LBL NE | Office of Remedial Action and Waste Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory Nuclear Energy |
| ORD AEERL AREAL | Office of Research and Development Air and Energy Engineering Research Laboratory Atmospheric Research and Exposure Assessment | EH DHHS CDC | Environmental, Safety, and Health U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control |
| ECAO EETD | Laboratory Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office Environmental Engineering and Technology Demonstration | NIOSH CEHIC CCDPHP | National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Center for Environmental Health and Injury Control Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health |
| HERL HHAG | Health Effects Research Laboratory Human Health Assessment Group | NCHS | Promotion National Center for Health Statistics |
| OMMSQA | Office of Modelling, Monitoring Systems and Quality Assurance | NIH NIEHS | National Institute of Health National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences |
| OTTRS | Office of Technology Transfer and Regulatory Support | NIAID NCI | National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases National Cancer Institute |
| OPTS OTS OPP | Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances Office of Toxic Substances Office of Pesticides Programs | NHLBI NIDR HRSA | National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute National Institute of Dental Research Health Resources and Services Administration |
| OW ODW | Office of Water Office of Drinking Water | DFOBHS ATSDR | Division of Federal Occupational and Beneficiary Health Services Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registries |
| OPPE RID | Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation Regulatory Integration Division | | |

CPSC

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

GLOSSARY OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY/OFFICE NAMES AND ACRONYMS (continued)

Other Federal Agencies:

BPA Bonneville Power Administration

DOC U.S. Department of Commerce

NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology

(formerly the National Bureau of Standards)

DOD U.S. Department of Defense
DOA Department of the Army
DON Department of the Navy

USAF U.S. Air Force

OEHL Occupational and Environmental Health Laboratory

DOI U.S. Department of the Interior

NPS National Park Service
USGS U.S. Geological Survey

DOL U.S. Department of Labor

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Adminstration

DOS U.S. Department of State

DOT U.S. Department of Transportation
OST Office of the Secretary of Transportation

GSA General Services Administration

NCR National Capital Region

HUD U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

PD&R Office of Policy Development and Research

LOC Library of Congress

CRS Congressional Research Service

NASA National Aeronautics and Space Administration

TVA Tennessee Valley Authority

OTHER ACRONYMS/ABBREVIATIONS

ASTM American Society of Testing and Materials

CO Carbon Monoxide

CEC Commission of European Communities

ETS Environmental Tobacco Smoke

HVAC Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning

IAP Indoor Air Pollution

IAQ Indoor Air Quality

Indoor Air Quality and Infiltration/Ventilation

MCLs Maximum Contaminant Levels

MOU Memorandum of Understanding

NESHAPs National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants

NHANES III Third National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey

NO₂ Nitrogen Dioxide

PAHs Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons

SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986

pCi/I Picocuries per liter

SBS Sick Building Syndrome

SVOCs Semivolatile Organic Chemicals

TEAM Total Exposure Assessment Methodology

UL Underwriters' Laboratory

VOCs Volatile Organic Chemicals

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
|---|--|--|------------------------|--|
| CONSOLIDATED INDOOR AIR A | CTIVITIES | | | |
| Overview and Coordination | | | | |
| CIAQ Co-chair | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Eileen Claussen (202) 382-7404 (FTS) 382-7404 |
| Report to Congress (Title IV Section 403(e) of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986) | Describe activities carried out under SARA Title IV and related activities by other Federal agencies. Make appropriate recommendations. | Submitted to Congress: 8/89. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Lisa Adams (202) 475–8470 (FTS) 475–8470 |
| Policy Development | | | | |
| Credentialling Study | Identify and assess issues involved in providing private and/or public sector oversight of firms that provide diagnostic and remedial indoor air quality services. | Draft first issue paper and hold preliminary discussion: 10/89. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | David Mudarri (202) 475–8592 (FTS) 475–8592 |
| Technical Program Strategy Document | Develop a framework for identifying and evaluating appropriate parameters of acceptable indoor air quality. | Anticipated completion of draft paper: Winter 1989 - 1990. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Pauline Johnston (202) 382-2871 (FTS) 382-2871 |
| Training Needs Analysis | Develop long range training plan. | Draff strategy: Fall 1989: | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Camille Lee (202) 245–4100 (FTS) 245–4100 |
| Buildings Program | | | | |
| Commercial Building Design Guide (for New or Remodeled Public and Commercial Buildings) | Provide guidance on preventing IAQ problems in commercial and public buildings. | Draft manual: Fall 1989 Anticipated date for final manual: Spring 1990 | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Jim Repace (202) 475–8593 (FTS) 475–8593 |

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| Study of LOC and EPA Headquarters Buildings (LOC study w/DOE, NIOSH; also see | Use occupant surveys and indoor air monitoring to identify indoor air quality problems in selected | Occupant surveys and indoor air monitoring completion date: Spring 1989. Preliminary report: | EPA/OARM/OHRM | David Weitzman (202) 382-3640 (FTS) 382-3640 |
| EPA/ORD entry) | buildings. Make appropriate recommendations for improving indoor air quality. | Fall 1989. | EPA/ORD/OTTRS | Kevin Teichman (202) 382-7669 (FTS) 382-7669 |
| | | | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Bob Axelrad (202) 475-7174 (FTS) 475-7174 |
| Private Sector Survey | Identify and characterize private sector firms providing IAQ diagnostic and mitigation services. | Final report: Summer 1989. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | David Mudarri (202) 475-8592 (FTS) 475-8592 |
| Manual for Prevention of IAQ Problems in New Home Construction | Provide guidance to homebuilders, architects, and home owners on techniques to prevent IAQ problems in the construction of new homes. | Draft document: Fall 1989; anticipated completion of final document: Winter 1989–90. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Betsy Agle (202) 382-7753 (FTS) 382-7753 |
| Model School District Indoor Air Quality Management Plan | Develop model school IAQ management plan for school districts: | Anticipated completion date for model management plan: 12/89. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | David Mudam (202) 475-8592 (FTS) 475-8592 |
| Pollutant/Source Program | Prepare an EPA risk assessment for | | | |
| Environmental Tobacco Smoke Lung Cancer Risk Assessment | environmental tobacco smoke. | In preparation. Draft anticipated: Winter 1989–1990. | EPA/ORD/HHAG | Steve Bayard (202) 382-5722 (FTS) 382-5722 |
| | | | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Bob Axetrad (202) 475-7174 (FTS) 475-7174 |
| Environmental Tobacco Smoke Manual (w/DHHS) | Provide technical and policy guidance for mitigating risks from environmental tobacco smoke. | Completion: Winter 1989-1990. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Jim Repace (202) 475-8593 (FTS) 475-8593 |

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
|---|---|--|------------------------|--|
| Chiordane/Radon Mitigation Project | Coordinate research into effectivenesss of radon mitigation methods to reduce chlordane | Draft final report: 12/89. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Betsy Agle (202) 382-7753 (FTS) 382-7753 |
| | levels. | | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Ron Mosley (919) 541-7865 (FTS) 629-7865 |
| Intergovernmental Program | | | | |
| Introductory IAQ Course Module (w/Public Health Service and National Environmental Health Association) | Provide introductory training manual to State and local officials on IAQ issues. | Anticipated completion date: Winter 1989. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | David Mudarri (202) 475–8592 (FTS) 475–8592 |
| Pilot project with EPA Region X (in Seattle) | Provide model regional public information program. | In progress. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Betsy Agle (202) 382-7753 (202) 382-7753 |
| List of Federal Indoor Air Quality Activities | Describe Federal IAQ activities. | Published in 1988 and 1989. To be updated annually. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Betsy Agle (202) 382-7753 (FTS) 382-7753 |
| NATO-CCMS Pilot Study | Inventory research risk management strategies of member countries. | NATO-CCMS meeting scheduled for Washington DC: 10/89. | EPA/OAR/OAÍAP | Elissa Feldman (202) 475–8470 (FTS) 475–8470 |
| Public Information Program | | | | |
| Publication and Distribution of IAQ Materials | Develop appropriate written materials that describe indoor air quality problems and mitigation/prevention actions for the general public. | See publications section. | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | Betsy Agle (202) 382-7753 (FTS) 382-7753 |
| Evaluate Indoor Air Booklet | Evaluate effectiveness of booklet "The Inside Story: A Guilde to Indoor Air Quality" | Initiated: 5/89 | EPA/OPPE/OAR | Ann Fisher (202) 382-5500 (FTS) 382-5500 |

| SSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| AQ RESEARCH ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Program Management | | | | |
| Matrix Manager: ORD IAQ Research Program | Identify and coordinate research needed to fill existing information gaps. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Michael Berry (919) 541-4172 (FTS) 629-4172 |
| Headquarters Coordinator, EPA Indoor Air Research Program | Headquarters coordination of EPA Indoor Air Research Program | Ongoing, | EPA/ORD/OTTRS | Kevin Teichman (202) 382-7669 (FTS) 382-7669 |
| Research Coordinator for the Committee on Indoor Air Quality (CIAQ) | Coordinate Federal government research efforts related to IAQ. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/OTTRS | Kevin Teichman (202) 382-7669 (FTS) 382-7669 |
| ORD Indoor Air Research Budget | Coordinate Federal government research efforts related to IAQ. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Norman Childs (919) 541-2229 (FTS) 629-2229 |
| Program Manager: Health Effects Research Laboratory's IAQ Research Program | Coordinate the health effects research studies of the indoor air program. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/HERL | lla Cote (919) 541-4922 (FTS) 629-4922 |
| Program Manager: Air and Energy Engineering Research Laboratory's IAQ Research Program | Coordinate the emissions testing, modeling, chamber studies, and test-home studies of the indoor air program. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Gene Tucker (919) 541-2746 (FTS) 629-2746 |
| Program Manager: Atmospheric Research and Exposure Assessment Laboratory's IAQ Research Program | Coordinate monitoring studies of the indoor air program. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Ross Highsmith (919) 541~7828 (FTS) 629~7828 |
| Indoor Air Reference Data Base | Maintain an extensive bibliography of reference materials on indoor air pollution | Publication of data base containing over 3400 citations: 7/89. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Norman Childs (919) 541-2229 (FTS) 629-2229 |
| ORD IAQ Research Activities Listing | Develop and maintain list of ORD IAQ activities. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Norman Childs (919) 541–2229 (FTS) 629–2229 |

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| Monitoring | | | | |
| Low Cost Personal Monitoring Devices for Indoor Air | Develop and evaluate low cost, comfortable personal monitoring and sampling devices that can be worn during normal activities. | NO ₂ device complete; journal articles: 2/89, 6/89; laboratory evaluation of devices for VOCs and formaldehyde in progress; papers presented: 10/88, 11/88, 5/89; 2nd generation prototype real-time NO ₂ personal exposure monitor constructed; delivered to EPA: 9/88; final version of the real-time NO ₂ personal exposure monitor to be delivered: 9/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Jim Mulik (919) 541-3067 (FTS) 629-3067 |
| LOC and EPA Building Studies (LOC Study w/DOE, NIOSH; also see EPA/OAR entry) | Use occupant surveys and indoor air monitoring to identify indoor air problems in selected buildings. Make appropriate recommendations for improving indoor air quality. | Survey questionnaire developed: 1/89; survey administered: 2/89; monitoring completed: 3/89; analysis to be completed: 6/89; field report: 8/89; exposure assessment: 12/89 | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Ross Highsmith (919) 541-7828 (FTS) 629-7828 |
| Portable Humidifiers Study | Evaluate the relationship between water quality used in humidifiers and the impact on indoor particle levels. | Journal article: 9/88; analysis complete: 3/89; second journal article: 9/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Ross Highsmith (919) 541–7828 (FTS) 629–7828 |
| Sampling Methods for VOCs in Indoor Air | Design, develop, and evaluate an air sampler for semivolatile organic compounds that is suitable in microenvironments. | Prototype samplers complete; field evaluation in progress; reports: 6/88, 7/88, 10/88; papers presented: 5/89, 9/89; journal articles: 4/89, 6/89, 9/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Nancy Wilson (919) 541–4723 (FTS) 629–4723 |
| Methods for Chemical Characterization of Polar VOCs in Indoor Air | Develop, evaluate, and improve methodology for the characterization of semivolatile polar organic compounds. | Characterization of polar compounds ongoing; report: 3/88; papers presented: 4/88, 5/88, 10/88, 5/89; journal articles: 2/88, 9/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Nancy Wilson (919) 541-4723 (FTS) 629-4723 |

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| Field Study: VOCs in Indoor Exposures from Personal Activities | Identify personal activities which increase exposure to VOCs and other pollutants. | Final report: 10/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Ross Highsmith (919) 541-7828 (FTS) 629-7828 |
| Demonstration Study of Microenvironmental Measurement Methods | Evaluate available sampling equipment and develop sampling protocols. | Analyses completed: 4/89; final report: 9/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Ross Highsmith (919) 541-7828 (FTS) 629-7828 |
| IAQ Risk Study Assessment | Determine information needed for a source category risk assessment; develop means to obtain this information. | Design of model study: 5/89; field study to be completed: 8/89; final report: 10/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | David Holland (919) 541-3128 (FTS) 629-3128 |
| Indoor Dispersion/ Ventilation Model | Validate the NBS general indoor air quality model to ensure diagnostic capabilities for sick buildings. | Validate NBS model: 7/88; final report: 9/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | John Irwin (919) 541-1323 (FTS) 629-1323 |
| Methodology for Measuring Temporal Variability of VOCs in Indoor Air | Evaluate peak exposures to indoor pollutants from household products, combustion sources, and water off-gassing. | Final report: 2/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Joachim Pleil (919) 541-4680 (FTS) 629-4680 |
| Compendium of Indoor Air Quality Measurement Methods | Compile most commonly used IAQ measurement methods for technical guidance documents. | First draft: 8/88; first revision: 8/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Ross Highsmith (919) 541-7828 (FTS) 629-7828 |
| Methods for Sampling VOCs in Breath | Develop and improve methods for sampling VOCs in breath. Use canister for sampling very volatile VOCs and for single-breath samplings. | Report on method: 6/89. Pilot field study: 12/89. | EPA/ORD/AREAL | Bill Nelson (919) 541-3184 (FTS) 629-3184 |
| TEAM Study: Indoor Air Study of 4 Public Buildings | Qualitatively identify VOCs occurring in buildings and quantitatively determine concentrations of 20 target VOCs. Examine new office buildings to monitor changes in VOC levels and measure emissions from common building materials. | Final report: 9/88. | EPA/ORD/OMMSQA | Lance Wallace (202) 382-5792 (FTS) 382-5792 |

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| TEAM Study: Indoor Air Study of 6 Public Buildings | Continuation of previous TEAM Studies. | Final report: 9/88. | EPA/ORD/OMMSQA | Lance Wallace (202) 382-5792 (FTS) 382-5792 |
| TEAM Study: VOCS in Los Angeles, Battlimore and New Jersey | Determine personal exposures to 25 VOCs. Examine spatial variations in VOC concentrations inside homes. Determine source strengths (e.g. smoking, wearing dry cleaned clothes). | Final report, 9/89 | EPA/ORD/OMMSQA | Lance Wallace (202) 382-5792 (FTS) 382-5792 |
| TEAM Study: Particle Study | Examine indoor particle concentrations. | Monitoring instrument developed and tested. Small scale pilot study to be completed: 3/89. | EPA/ORD/OMMSQA | Lance Wallace (202) 382–5792 (FTS) 382–5792 |
| Methods to Calculate Total VOCs from GC/MS Samples | Develop methods to calculate total VOC loadings from GC/MS samples: Apply to previous TEAM studies | Final report on 3000 samples: 6/89. | EPA/ORD/OMMSQA | Lance Wallace (202) 382-5792 (FTS) 382-5792 |
| Health Effects Research | | | | |
| Biological Markers for ETS Exposure Assessment in Children in Homes | Evaluate and identify chemical and biological markers specific to ETS exposure to provide data on the relationship between dose and response. | Papers presented: 8/87; journal anticles: 12/88, 9/89. | EPA/ORD/HERL | Joellen Lewtas (919) 541-3849 (FTS) 629-3849 |
| Cotinine as a Biomarker of ETS Exposure in Children and Adults | Determine if urine cotinine levels in children can be used to indicate exposure to ETS: improve cotinine detection methods. | Papers presented: 8/87, 9/87. Relationship between personal exposure to nicotine and cotinine levels established: 3/90. | EPA/ORD/HERL | Joellen Lewtas (919) 541-3849 (FTS) 629-3849 |
| Mutagenicity and Exposure Assessment of Unvented Kerosene Heaters in Mobile Homes | Evaluate human exposure to mutagens, PM10, gas-phase organic compounds, acid aerosols, and criteria pollutants from indoor unvented combustion sources. | Planning stage. Field study to be initiated: 2/89. | EPA/ORD/HERL | Judy Mumford (919) 541-3095 (FTS) 629-3095 |

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| Neurobehavioral and Sensory Inflant Effects of Complex VOC Mixtures in Humans | Corroborate and extend Danish studies of human exposures to complex gas-phase organic compound mixtures which result in SBS. | Initiate replication of Danish study: 5/88; complete data collection: 5/89; report: 3/90. | EPA/ORD/HERL | David Otto (919) 966-6229 (no FTS) |
| HERL Quality Assurance Support for the Indoor Air Program | Provide uniform quality assurance of all indoor air research projects to insure high quality results. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/HERL | Ferris Benson (919) 541-7673 (FTS) 629-7673 |
| Mutagenicity of Individual Indoor Air Mixtures | Provide insight into the possible carcinogenicity of indoor air pollutants and pollutant mixtures commonly encountered in real-life situations. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/HERL | Larry Claxton (919) 541–2329 (FTS) 629–2329 |
| Exposure and Risk Assessment | | | | |
| Risk Characterization Methodology | Develop methodology to assess human health risks from specific categories of Indoor air pollutants. Use the framework to compare the results of existing risk characterization studies. | Draft report of first phase complete: 1988. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Michael Berry (919) 541-4172 (FTS) 629-4172 |
| Assessment of Biological Contaminants in Indoor Environments | Prepare an information assessment of biological contaminants in indoor environments, including sources, monitoring methods, health effects, and mitigation techniques. | Study to be completed: 9/89. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Harriet Ammann (919) 541-4930 (FTS) 629-4930 |
| Population Exposure Studies | Determine concentrations of indoor air pollutants and activity patterns to estimate the population exposure to various indoor pollutants. | Workshop on indoor air exposure/risk assessment held: 11/30/87. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Harriet Ammann (919) 541–4930 (FTS) 629–4930 |
| Indoor Air Pollution Information Assessment | Update and revise information assessment to provide current information on indoor pollutants. | Ongoing review of current literature to obtain a clear understanding of the hazards posed. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Harriet Ammann (919) 541-4930 (FTS) 629-4930 |

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| Data Analysis | Graphically represent indoor air pollution exposure data, compare indoor and outdoor pollution levels, and evaluate health effects data at various exposure levels. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/ECAO | Michael Berry (919) 541-4172 (FTS) 629-4172 |
| Source Characterization and IAQ | Control | | | |
| Chamber Studies of Organic Emissions from Material Sources | Develop methods for determining emissions from indoor materials/products; evaluate the effects of environmental variables on emission rate; evaluate indoor "sink" materials and describe their adsorption and re-emission characteristics; evaluate source modifications as IAQ control techniques. | Ongoing. Second draft of ASTM Standard Guide on small chamber testing: 11/88; interlaboratory comparison with Univ. of Aarhus: ongoing; 15 technical papers and presentations completed: 1/89. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Bruce Tichenor (919) 541–2991 (FTS) 629–2991 |
| Chamber Studies of Emissions from Univented Combustion | Develop emission factors for organic pollutants from unvented combustion sources: develop emission models; rank the health significance of sources | Kerosene study initiated: 11/86, further characterization of acid aerosols from kerosene heaters: 2/89, reports completed: 10/89 | EPA/ORD/AEERL | James White (919) 541-1189 (FTS) 629-1189 |
| Leakage from Vented Gas-fired Appliances | Evaluate leaks of flue gas from vented gas appliances in homes. | Phase I development of method initiated: 11/87; phase II evaluation of 200 homes to begin: 11/89. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | James White (919) 541-1189 (FTS) 629-1189 |
| Evaluation of Indoor "Sinks" | Determine the behavior of indoor materials that act as sinks for organic compounds; develop data that describe the rate at which organics are adsorbed by and re-emitted from indoor sinks. | Ongoing, | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Bruce Tichenor (919) 541-2991 (FTS) 629-2991 |

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| Test House Studies of Indoor Sources | Develop emissions testing procedures for organic compounds; generate emission factors and models; compare these to chamber measurements. | Ongoing. Unvented kerosene heaters paper: 8/87; moth-cake emissions paper: 5/88; perchloroethylene emissions report: 10/88. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Merrill Jackson (919) 541-2559 (FTS) 629-2559 |
| Acid Aerosols from Portable Kerosene Space Heaters | Develop data for exposure assessment and model validation on acid aerosol emissions from kerosene space heaters used in mobile homes. | Pilot field study initiated: 2/89. (See also Health Effects Research.) | EPA/ORD/AEERL | James White (919) 541-1189 (FTS) 629-1189 |
| Procedures to Determine Air Exchange Rates | Develop accurate, low cost, easy- to-use methods to determine air exchange rates. | Research and monitoring initiated: 7/87. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Leslie Sparks (919) 541-2458 (FTS) 629-2458 |
| IAQ Evaluation of Three Office Buildings | Study IAQ of 3 buildings; one with a reported SBS problem, one constructed to optimize IAQ; and one control. | Initiate study: Spring 1987; complete sampling: Fall 1987. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Gene Tucker (919) 541-2746 (FTS) 629-2746 |
| Data Base of Indoor Air Pollutant Sources (DIAPS) | Maintain an up-to-date data base of indoor air source emissions. | Ongoing. Version 2.0 released: 8/89. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | James White (919) 541-1189 (FTS) 629-1189 |
| IAQ Data Base for Organic Compounds | Compile data on measured concentrations of vapor-phase organic compounds in buildings into Lotus 1-2-3 data base. | Ongoing. Draft report: 10/88. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Max Samfield (919) 541-1506 (FTS) 629-1506 |
| Evaluation of IAQ Control Alternatives | Evaluate relative merits (cost and effectiveness) of methods for improving IAQ. Methods to be evaluated include low-emitting products, ventilation, and air cleaners. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Leslie Sparks (919) 541-2458 (FTS) 629-2458 |

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| IAQ Mödel | Develop an easy-to-use tool for assessing IAQ problems, conducting risk analysis, and evaluating control options. | Ongoing. Version 1.0 published: 8/88: | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Leslie Sparks (919) 541-2458 (FTS) 629-2458 |
| Determination of Air Flows in Buildings | Develop low cost, easy-to-use methods for measuring air flows between rooms and HVAC, between rooms and outdoors, and other important indoor air flows (e.g., to exhaust fans). | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Leslie Sparks (919) 541-2458 (FTS) 629-2458 |
| Technical Support to Program Offices | Provide short-term responses to requests from EPA program offices regarding emissions from indoor materials and products. | Ongoing. Report on perchloroethylene emissions from dry-cleaned fabrics for OAR and OTS: 10/88; assessments of organics emissions from Waterside Mall carpet and office partitions for OA: 8/88; evaluation of materials to be used in new EPA headquarters building for Project 1992; in process. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Bruce Tichenor (919) 541–2991 (FTS) 629–2991 |
| Other Projects | | | | |
| IAQ Questions for NHANES III | Add questions to NHANES study that will permit analysis of contribution of indoor air pollution sources to health problems identified in survey. | Ongoing: | EPA/ORD/OHEA | Sherry Selevan (202) 382-2604 (FTS) 382-2604 |
| Integrated Environmental Management Project | Compare levels of air pollution inside and outside homes. Do statistical analysis of personal exposure, indoor, and outdoor data. | Air quality measurements for 30 compounds in 200 Baltimore homes completed: 1988. Final report due: 3/89. Statistical analysis due: Fall 1989. | EPA/OPPE/RID | Andy Manale (202) 382-6365 (FTS) 382-6365 |

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| Risk Communication for Air Toxics | Use focus groups to develop strategy for communicating significance of monitoring results to volunteers of research projects and to other interested parties. | Advisory group identified Contract awarded Report due: late 1989 | EPA/OPPE/RID | Andy Manale (202) 382-6365 (FTS) 382-6365 |
| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Regulatory Proposal for Radionuclides in Drinking Water | Address measurement of certain radionuclides, and collect and develop water treatment data for removal of radionuclides from drinking water in support of regulation development. | Advance notice of proposed rule-making scheduled: 1988. Anticipated promulgation proposed rule: 1990. | EPA/OW/ODW | Irwin Pomerantz (202) 382–3026 (FTS) 382–3026 |
| Study of Radon Removal Techniques for Water | Determine the effectiveness of systems to remove radon from drinking water. | Ongoing. | EPA/OW/ODW | Kim Fox (513) 569-7820 (FTS) 684-7820 |
| Report on Radon Removal from Drinking Water | Prepare a report based on historical records on the design, operation, and cost associated with the GAC point of entry systems. | New. | EPA/OW/ODW | Kim Fox (513) 569-7820 (FTS) 684-7820 |
| Radon Education and Awareness for Health Workers | Inform health professionals about the risks associated with indoor radon. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Mary Culler (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Building Site Characterization | investigate the methods to characterize the radon potential of building sites. | Ongoing, | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Butte, Montana Radon Report | Report the results of extensive measurements in 68 homes in Butte, Montana. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Mike Boyd (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| Comparison of Geology and Indoor Radon | Develop methodology to identify high radon potential areas. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |

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| Committee on Indoor Air Quality and Radon Workgroup (w/DOE) | Provide updates to the CIAQ on pending federal radon legislation, ongoing programs, and other issues. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Bonnie Chiles (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| EPA 1988 Update and Revision of Training Course: "Reducing Radon in Structures" | Expand and update the EPA training course for radon diagnosticians and mitigators. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Lawrence Pratt (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| House Evaluation Program | Evaluate the cost and effectiveness of mitigation methods and provide hands-on training. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Gene Fisher (202) 475-9605 (FTS)475-9605 |
| Education in Housing Industry on Radon in Homes | Educate the building industry on state-of-the-art radon mitigation and prevention techniques. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Dave Murane (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Land Evaluation Studies—Coastal Plain Characterization | Assist EPA in determining the geological characteristics of a low radon potential area. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| National Equivalent Uranium Map Production (w/DOI) | Reprocess U.S. DOE National Uranium Resource Evaluation (NURE) aerial radiometric data. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Technical Assistance for Indoor Radon | Deliver a national surface radium map and report using National Uranium Resource Evaluation (NURE) summary statistics | Final year. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| Technical Support of EPA Radon Programs (w/ DOI) | Identify high radon risk areas within EPA Regions III and IV. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| Technical Assistance for State Radon Surveys (w/DOI) | Provide geological assessments of statewide radon potential. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Tom Peake (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |

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| National Conference of State Legislatures Cooperative Agreement State Radon Programs | Provide educational material on radon and policy options available to State legislators. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Bonnie Chiles (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| National Assessment of Radon Gas (SARA section 118(k)) Report to Congress | Describe locations in the U.S. where radon is found, and assess levels in these structures. Determine the level of radon gas and radon daughters which poses a health threat, and assess the health threat for structures identified above; determine methods of reducing or eliminating the human health threat of radon gas and radon daughters. Include guidance and public information materials on mitigating radon. | Ongoing, | EPA/OAR/ORP | Jacolyn Dziuban (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| National Database of Indoor Radon Measurements | Prepare a database that will contain radon measurements made by EPA and private vendors. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Mark Dickson (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| National Residential Radon Survey | Estimate the frequency distribution of annual average radon exposures in U.S. homes using year-long measurements and assess correlations between residential radon concentrations and various factors. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Lisa Feldt (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| New House Evaluation Program | Transfer technology for constructing radon resistant buildings to private sector, and provide data for the development of model building codes. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Dave Murane (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |

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| Radon Measurement Proficiency Program (RMP) | Test capabilities of companies measuring indoor radon, and provide the public with a mechanism for identifying qualified testing companies. | Ongoing; | EPA/OAR/ORP | Phil Jalbert (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Radon Measurements in Schools | Collect data on radon and radon progeny concentrations in schools. | Ongoing. Interim report on study in Fairfax County, VA completed. Study will continue during the 1988–1989 school year. Guidance document is also available. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Anita Schmidt (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| Radon Mitigation and Prevention in Schools and Workplaces | Transfer information developed by EPA on radon mitigation and prevention in larger buildings to the States and private sector. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Mike Boyd (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| Revisions to EPA Radon Measurement Protocols | Revise EPA Radon Measurement Protocols to include new methods for measuring indoor radon and radon decay products. | Final year. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Mike Boyd (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |
| State/EPA Indoor Radon Survey | Help States identify areas where elevated radon levels (hot spots) may occur, and estimate the Statewide and regional frequency distribution of screening measurement results. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Jacolyn Dziuban (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| State Mitigation Contractor Survey | Collect information on the size and nature of the radon mitigation and prevention industry, obtain information on the effectiveness of specific radon mitigation and prevention techniques and on the effectiveness of private sector efforts to reduce radon levels. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | John Hoornbeek Dave Murane (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |

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| Superfund Cooperative Project | Apply existing mitigation techniques to Superfund sites with high levels of radon to reduce human health risks. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Gene Fisher (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Teacher Training Workshop for EPA Radon Diagnostician and Mitigation Training Course | Train instructors for the EPA "Reducing Radon in Structures" course. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Lawrence Pratt (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Workplace Protocol Development and Survey | Develop national protocols for measuring radon in workplaces. Conduct a national survey of radon in workplaces. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Mike Boyd (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| New House Evaluation Protocol Project | Develop protocols for evaluating the effectiveness of specific construction techniques preventing radon entry into new homes. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Dave Murane (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Radon Contractor Proficiency Program (RCPP) | Establish a voluntary proficiency program to evaluate the effectiveness of mitigation contractors. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Lee Salmon (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| HQ Coordinator, EPA Radon Research Programs | Headquarters manager and contact for EPA radon research program. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/OEETD | Marshall Dick (202) 382-2583 (FTS) 382-2583 |
| Research into Expert System for Radon Reduction | Continue to improve basic modules in the radon reduction expert system. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Ron Mosley (919) 541-7865 (FTS) 629-7865 |
| Radon Mitigation in Existing Homes Florida | Develop designs for radon mitigation in slab-on-grade houses representative of the housing stock located in Central Florida. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | David Sanchez (919) 541-2979 (FTS) 629-2979 |

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| Radon Mitigation in Existing Homes — New Jersey | Extend understanding of tundamental processes of radon entry, transport, and distribution in houses. Provide diagnostic procedures that can be used in specifying appropriate and effective mitigation measures, and provide field evaluation and refinement of interim diagnostic analysis protocols | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | David Sanchez (919) 541: 2979 (FTS) 629-2979 |
| Radon Mitigation in Existing Homes Maryland | Pursue low cost mitigation techniques for houses with relatively low to moderate initial radon concentrations. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Bruce Henschel (919) 541-4112 (FTS) 629-4112 |
| Radon Mitigation in New Construction Maryland/ Virginia | Study fifteen homes, and evaluate the effectiveness of radon resistant construction features | Ongoling. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Michael Osborne (919) 541-4113 (FTS) 629-4113 |
| Radon Mitigation in Existing Homes Tennessee | Provide an in-depth look at techniques which can be used to mitigate houses with crawl spaces, and focus on the most effective crawl space mitigation techniques. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Michael Osborne (919) 541-4113 (FTS) 629-4113 |
| Radon Mitigation in New Construction — New Jersey | Develop and demonstrate radon prevention techniques that can be used by builders of houses | Ongoing, | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Michael Osborne (919) 541-4113 (FTS) 629-4113 |
| Radon Mitigation in New Construction New York | In first phase, demonstrate radon reduction techniques in houses representing 6 structure types. Evaluate systems in houses mitigated previously. Use radon resistent construction techniques during construction of block basement homes in second phase. | First phase completed. Monitoring in progress by Fall of 1989 in houses included in second phase. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Michael Osbome (919) 541-4113 (FTS) 629-4113 |

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| Radon Mitigation in Existing Homes — Ohio | Adapt mitigation techniques which have proven effective in other locations to the geologic and construction conditions of OH, and develop and demonstrate approaches (e.g., sealing) for reducing radon levels in basement houses with slightly elevated levels. | Ongaing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Bruce Herischiel (919) 541-4112 (FTS) 629-4112 |
| Radon Mitigation in Existing Homes Tennessee/Alabama (w/TVA) | Mitigate houses in Tennessee and Alabama focusing on crawl space ventilation, decoupling of the crawl space, and house pressure control. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Ron Mosley (919) 541-7865 (FTS) 629-7865 |
| "Radon Reduction Methods: A Homeowner's Guide" Brochure | Gather research information from various field projects to incorporate into this brochure. | Ongoing: | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Kelly Leovic (919) 541–7717 (FTS) 629–7717 |
| School Mitigation Demonstration Program | Design and install radon mitigation techniques in schools, and establish a relationship between physical characteristics of a building and the influence on radon levels. | New. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | A.B. Craig (919) 541-2821 (FTS)629-2821 |
| Study of Sealants and Coatings | Use laboratory data to characterize radon entry routes, study several potential surface sealants and coatings, monitor air flow rates induced through concrete block walls, and test coatings for effectiveness in reducing flow rates. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | John Ruppersberger (919) 541-2432 (FTS) 629-2432 |
| Radon Public Information Activities | es | | | |
| Radon Measurement Videotape | Demonstrate different measurement devices and measurement types (e.g., screening and follow-up) according to EPA protocols. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Jed Harrison (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |

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| Regional Radon Training Centers | Develop information and provide training to Federal and State officials, private firms, and the public regarding health risks posed by radon. Demonstrate and teach methods of radon measurement and mitigation, and provide training and administer examinations as part of the Radon Contractor Proficiency Program. | New. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Jed Harrison (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| "Reducing Radon in Structures" Training Course | Present the "Reducing Radon in Structures" training course for radon diagnostics and mitigation. | Ongoing. | EPA/OAR/ORP | Jed Harrison (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| New York State Radon Risk Communication Study | Examine ways of presenting radon risk information to homeowners who have had their home tested. | Ongoing, Interim report completed: 7/87 Final data collection to be completed: Spring 1989: Analysis is underway | EPA/OPPE | Reed Johnson (202) 382–4392 (FTS) 382–4392 |
| Region III/Maryland Radon Risk Communication Study | Examine ways of communicating about radon risk so that homeowners will have their homes tested. | Complete reports available: EPA (11/88) and contractor (10/88). | EPA/OPPE | Nancy Zahedi (202) 382-5355 (FTS) 382-5355 |
| Comparison of Reaction to Radon Risk in Three Communities | Examine community reaction to radon risk in communities (Boyertown, PA; Clinton, NJ; and Vernon, NJ) known to have elevated radon levels. | Complete, Final report: 8/88. | EPA/OPPE | Ann Fisher (202) 382-5500 (FTS) 382-5500 |
| Integrated Radon Risk Communication Strategy Study | Examine effectiveness of intensive information campaigns in getting people to test their homes for radon and take mitigating action. | Ongoing. Draft report: Spring 1989. | EPA/OPPE | Alan Carlin (202) 382-5499 (FTS) 382-5499 |

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| Radon Risks: Attitudes Perceptions and Actions | Critique radon risk communications studies. | Ongoing. Draft completed 3/89. | EPA/OPPE | Arm Fisher (202) 382-5500 (FTS) 382-5500 |
| Evaluating Ways of Expressing Risk Information | Comparison of 7 formats for presenting radon risk information (and asbestos risk information). | Ongoing. Progress report: 11/88. | EPA/OPPE | Ann Fisher (202) 382-5500 (FTS) 382-5500 |
| TOXIC CHEMICALS/HOUSEHOL | D PRODUCTS ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Asbestos Activities | | | | |
| NESHAPs Regulations (Section 112 of the Clean Air Act) | Protect public health from exposure to asbestos in ambient air. | Enforcement of several regulations including ones prohibiting manufacture of sprayon asbestos insulation and molded pipe insulation and requiring appropriate procedures for demolitions and renovations involving asbestos ongoing Revisions to regulations under development. | EPA/OAR/OAQPS | Simms Roy (919) 541-5263 (FTS) 629-5263 |
| Asbestos School Loan and Grant Program | Conduct \$45 million program to assist schools with greatest hazard and largest need to abate damaged or deteriorating asbestos. | Funded about 2,200 school abatement projects involving more than \$200 million in awards since 1985. Ongoing. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Gina Bushong (202) 382-3949 (FTS) 382-3949 |
| Worker Protection Rule | Protect health of workers not covered by OSHA regulations. | Ongoing enforcement of rule developed in 1986 and revised in 1987 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Tim Knutson (202) 382-7768 (FTS) 382-7768 |
| Ban and Phase Down Rule | Regulate uses of asbestos to protect public health. | Proposed rule: 1986. Development of final rule in progress. Final rule publication expected: Summer 1989. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | John Rigby (202) 382-3862 (FTS) 382-3862 |
| Asbestos-Containing Materials n Schools Rule | Protect public health. | Enforcement of rule promulgated in 1987. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | David Kling (202) 382-3949 (FTS) 382-3949 |

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| Report to Congress on Asbestos in Public and Commercial Buildings | Assess magnitude of problem and make recommendations. | Report available. EPA is addressing report recommendations. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | David Kling (202) 382–3949 (FTS) 382–3949 |
| Other Chemicals/Sources | | | | |
| Formaldehyde/Pressed Wood Products | Assess risk. Identify and implement mitigation measures, if appropriate. | Completed risk assessment: 1987. EPA considering options paper on risk management strategies. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | George Semeniuk (202) 382–2134 (FTS) 382–2134 |
| Carpet Workgroup (w/CPSC) | Coordinate interagency assessment of the risk of chemicals emitted from carpets. | Strategy document being developed. Reviewing industry studies on 4-phenological phenological and other sources of information. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Vasant Malshet (202): 475-6712 (FTS): 475-6712 |
| Integrated Solvents Workgroup | Coordinate interagency assessment of key policy issues regarding uses of 4 major solvents. Identify regulatory and non-regulatory options to reduce exposure. Risk management options selection on drycleaning (perchloroethylene) completed: 1987. Follow-up work on identifying potential opportunities for reducing risks to consumers from dry cleaning in process. Metal cleaning work (not an IAQ problem) completed: 1988. | Risk management options selection on aerosols (methylene chloride, trichlorethylene, perchloroethylene) and paint stripping (methylene chloride) scheduled: 1989. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Paul Campanella (202) 382-3946 (FTS) 382-3946 |
| Exposure Assessment Activities | | | | |
| Consumer Exposure Methodology and Guidelines for Collection of Data Pertaining to Inhalation Exposures in Residential Settings | Present methods for assessing consumer exposure including models to estimate indoor air concentrations. Describe different approaches that may be used to assess exposure to toxic chemicals in indoor air in homes. | Report on methodology available. Draft guidelines on approaches for collecting data related to in-house inhalation exposure under review. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Pat Kennedy (202) 382-3916 (FTS) 382-3916 |

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| Computerized Consumer Exposure Model (CCEM) | Design computer software to generate estimates of inhalation and dermal exposure to persons using consumer products. | Computer code is undergoing testing. Model performance being evaluated. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Pat Kennedy (202) 382-3916 (FTS) 382-3916 |
| PFT (perfluorocarbon tracer) Database | Improve methods for modeling exposure to contaminants in indoor air in homes. | Extensive data set of air exchange rates and interzonal air flows in homes. Database undergoing review within EPA. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Pat Kennedy (202) 382–3916 (FTS) 382–3916 |
| Methodology Development for Analysis of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) in Blood | Identify new methods for measuring VOCs taken into human body. | Protocol completed: 1987. No current work | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Janet Remmers (202) 382-3583 (FTS) 382-3583 |
| Household Products Composition and Usage Surveys | Compile data base on use and compositions of household products and activities. Six solvents identified: methylene chloride, trichloroethylene, carbon tetrachloride, perchloroethylene, and 1,1,2 trichlorotrifluoroethane. | Surveys completed. Reports on exposure while using products during cleaning tasks and during painting and painting–related activities completed: 1987. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Mary Frankenberry (202) 382-3590 (FTS) 382-3590 |
| Human Adipose Tissue Survey | Identify levels of selected pollutants in human tissues. | Collected data 1970–1988. Reports and journal articles available. Funded through FY 89. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Janet Remmers (202) 382-3583 (FTS) 382-3583 |
| Toxic Substances/Household Pro | oducts Public Information Activities | | | |
| Toxic Substances Publications | Provide public with information about the uses and hazards of aspestos: | See publications section for list of publications. | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Michael Stahl (202) 382-3949 (FTS) 382-3949 |
| Toxic Substances Hotline | Provide hotline service to answer questions from the public. | Ongoing. (Phone number: 202-554-1404) | EPA/OPTS/OTS | Wanda Woodbum (202) 382–3795 (FTS) 382–3795 |

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| Toxic Substances/Household Pro | oducts Research Activities | | | |
| Asbestos in Residences | Determine the amount of asbestos in residences. | Small screening study completed. | EPA/ORD/AREEL | Leslie Sparks (919) 541–2458 (FTS) 629–2458 |
| Household Products Concentrations Levels: IAQ Test House | Assess the indoor air concentrations of chemicals from use of household products in a nome under controlled conditions. Compare levels found with chamber studies and indoor air quality modeling. | Ongoing. | EPA/ORD/AEERL | Merrill Jackson (919) 541-2559 (FTS) 541-2559 |
| PESTICIDE ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Termiticides | | | | |
| Chlordane | Protect public from exposure to termiticides containing cyclodienes. | Halted sale of chlordane and heptachlor to pest control operators under 1987 MOU with Velsicol (sole manufacturer) unless certain conditions are met. Manufacturers have withdrawn aldrin and dieldrin from market. | EPA/OPTS/OPP | Michael Firestone (202) 557-0459 (FTS) 557-0459 |
| Other Pesticide Activities | | | | |
| Non-Occupational Pesticide Exposure Survey | Measure levels of over 20 pesticides in homes. | Data collected from homes in Jacksonville FL and Springfield MA. Final report to be completed: 7/89. | EPA/ORD/EMS | Andrew Bond (919) 541-4329 (FTS) 629-4329 |
| Antimicrobials | Determine exposure to antimicrobials from products used in buildings accessible to general public. | Implementation of antimicrobial exposure strategy developed in 1987 ongoing. Collection and evaluation of toxicology and exposure data ongoing. | EPA/OPTS/OPP | Jim Wilson (703) 557–7470 (FTS) 557–7470 |

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| Inert Ingredients in Pesticides | Identify toxic inert ingredients used in pesticides and require actions by manufacturer to reduce risks to public health, as appropriate. | Implementation of 1987 policy requiring actions on both existing and new inerts ongoing. Deadline for manufacturer application to relabel or reformulate existing inerts: 1987. Program of collecting data on new inerts in progress. | EPA/OPTS/OPP | Lynn Bradley (703) 557-0382 (FTS) 557-0382 |
| Pesticide Public Information Acti | vitles | | | |
| Public Information | Answer public inquires on pesticide issues. | Maintain National Pesticide Telecommunications Network hotline, (phone number: 800-858-PEST; in Texas: 806- 743-3091). Brochure about NPTN available. | EPA/OPTS/OPP | Frank Davido (703) 557-0576 (FTS) 557-0576 |
| DRINKING WATER ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Issue Maximum Contaminant Levels (MCLs) | Regulate amount of VOCs in drinking water. | Final MCLs for 8 VOCs (trichlorethylene, carbon tetrachloride, vinyl chloride, 1,2- Dichlorethane, benzene, 1,1- Dichlorethylene, 1,1,1-Trichloro- ethane, para-Dichlorobenzene) issued: 1987. Assessment of 83 contaminants listed in Safe Drinking Water Act (some are VOCs) for possible regulation underway. | EPA/OW/ODW | Af Havinga (202) 382-5555 (FTS) 382-5555 |
| Exposure Assessments for VOCs in Drinking Water | Develop model to estimate human exposure from volatilization of drinking water contaminants from showering and other sources (e.g. dishwashers, clotheswashers). | Workgroup established. Draft report tentatively scheduled: 1989. | EPA/OW/ODW | Ken Bailey (202) 382-5535 (FTS) 382-5535 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

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| CIAQ Co-Chair | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |
| Indoor Air "Guidance Document" for Public | Provide guidance to consumers on how to assess and decrease indoor air pollution exposure in homes from biological pollutants and asbestos. | Contract let: 3/89. Documents to be available: 1/90. | CPSC | Sandra Eberie (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 Lori Saltzman (301) 492-6477 (FTS) 492-6477 |
| IAQ RESEARCH ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Kerosene Heaters | Develop certification test method for kerosene heater emissions of NO ₂ . | Laboratory evaluation underway. Test plan developed. Report for task group review: 9/89. | CPSC | Al Martin (301) 492-6508 (FTS) 492-6508 |
| Biological Pollutants: Kingston/Harriman Field Study | Identify sources and concentrations of biological pollutants present in residential indoor air (coordinated with Harvard 6 City Study). | Data collected from several hundred homes in eastern Tennessee. Paper presented: 1987; report completed: Summer 1988. | CPSC | Pat Rogers (301) 245–1445 (FTS) 245–1445 |
| Monitoring of Biological Pollutants | Obtain monitoring data and analysis of the concentrations of biological pollutants in homes in Portage. WI Steubenville, OH and Topeka, KS (coordinated with Harvard 6 City Study). | Multi-year investigation initiated: Winter 1987: Phase I report completed: 1988: Phase Il report to be completed: Fall 1989: | CPSC | Lori Saltzman (301) 492-6477 (FTS) 492-6477 |
| Home Humidifiers, Vaporizers, and Similiar Appliances | Identify bioaerosols and selected particulate emissions from certain appliances found in homes. | Chamber testing completed. Report on chamber: Spring 1989. Second phase to begin: Summer 1989. | CPSC | Eva Lehman (301) 492–6477 (FTS) 492–6477 |

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| Health Effects of Biological Pollutarits | Attempt to correlate data on housing conditions and respiratory symptoms of children with the biological pollutant monitoring data from their homes (coordinated with Harvard 6 City Study). | Analyzing data from Portage, Wi, and Steubenville, OH and Topeka, KS. Report to be completed: Summer 1989. | CPSC | Lori Saltzman (301) 492-6477 (FTS) 492-6477 |
| IAQ Macromodel for Assessing IAP from Combustion Appliances (w/DOE and EPA) | Develop and validate a macromodel for predicting indoor air pollutant concentrations. | Phase I draft report to be completed: Summer 1989. | CPSC | Warren Porter (301) 492-6477 (FTS) 492-6477 |
| IAQ Model (w/DOE and EPA) | Verify NIST model and extend user friendliness of IAQ models. | Final report expected: 1989. | CPSC | J.L. Mulligan (301) 492-6508 (FTS) 492-6508 |
| NO₂ Health Research | Measures urinary excretion of hydroxyproline, as non-invasive indicator of NO ₂ effects on lung matrix of children. | Final report completed: 1988. | CPSC | Lori Saltzman (301) 492–6477 (FTS) 492–6477 |
| Kerosene Heaters | Monitor both pollutation exposure and respiratory symptoms of childeren in homes where kerosene heaters are used; check for correlations. | Sampling performed: Winter 1986: Report completed: 1988: | CPSC | Pat Rogers (202) 245-1445 (FTS) 245-1445 |
| Exposure Assessment of Asbestos in Homes | Assess potential for exposure to airborne asbestos fibers in homes with deteriorating in-place asbestos materials. | Phase I completed in 45 homes: June 1987. Phase II sampling completed, analysis underway. Report: Summer 1989. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |
| Wood Stove Emissions | Characterize vapor and particulate polynuclear aromatic pollutants in 150 homes in Tennessee. Evaluate health impact of PAHs from wood stoves. | Sampling completed: 1986. Risk exposure and risk asssessment summaries to be completed: Summer 1989. | CPSC | Sandra Eberie (301) 492–6554 (FTS) 492–6554 |

U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

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| Air Filtration Appliances | Assess ability of certain types of air filter appliances on market to remove NO ₂ and certain organic gases from indoor air. | Report on the testing of four devices completed: 1988. | CPSC | Bharat Bhooshan (301) 492-6994 (FTS) 492-6994 | | | |
| Air Filters (w/NIST) | Develop standard test method for evaluating the ability of the air filters to remove gaseous contaminants. | Test protocol under development. Contract completion: 9/90. | CPSC | J.L. Mulligan (301) 492-6508 (FTS) 492-6508 | | | |
| Carpets | Evaluate emissions from carpet samples and adhesives. Evaluate consumer complaints. | Development of protocol and pilot testing in progress. Report to be completed: Spring 1990. | CPSC | Susan Womble (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 | | | |
| KEY TOXIC CHEMICAL/HOUSEH | KEY TOXIC CHEMICAL/HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS ACTIVITIES | | | | | | |
| Formaldehyde | Develop voluntary standard for formaldehyde emissions from pressed wood through national consensus organization. | Task group established: Fall 1987. Comments on formaldehyde emissions levels from pressed wood to ASTM: Spring 1989. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 | | | |
| Asbestos Security of the secu | Reduce consumer exposure to asbestos from products: | Enforcement of labeling policy effective: 12/86. Enforcement of compliance program effective: 1988. | CPSC | Charles Jacobson (301) 492-6400 (FTS) 492-6400 | | | |
| Methylene Chloride | Reduce consumer exposure to methylene chloride through improved labeling of products. | Policy statement on cancer hazard and labeling requirement issued: 11/87. | CPSC | Charles Jacobson (301) 492–6400 (FTS) 492–6400 | | | |
| Methylene Chloride Petition | Address petition to ban methylene chloride in consumer products. | Petition denied. | CPSC | Sandra Eberte (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 | | | |
| Review of Methylene Chloride Actions | Evaluate impact of commission activities and reformulation on consumer exposure. | To be completed: 1991. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492–6554 (FTS) 492–6554 | | | |

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| Integrated Chlorinated Solvents Workgroup (w/EPA, OSHA, and FDA) | Participate in an interagency assessment of key policy issues regarding solvent uses. Identify regulatory and non-regulatory options for further analysis. | Risk management options selection on drycleaning (perchlorethylene) completed: 1987. Follow-up work on reducing risks to consumers from drycleaning in process. Metal cleaning work (not an IAO problem), completed 1988. Risk management options selection on aerosols (methylene chloride, trichloroethylene; perchloroethylene; perchloroethylene), and paint stripping (methylene chloride) scheduled: 1989. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |
| Kerosene Heaters | Develop voluntary standard to limit emissions of NO2/CO from kerosene heaters. | Test method and predictive model to be presented to U.L. task group: 9/89. | CPSC | Susan Womble (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |
| Unvented Gas Space Heaters | Develop voluntary standard to limit emissions of CO and NO2 from unvented gas space heaters. | Workgroup established by ANSI (Z21.11.2) to investigate revision of voluntary standard to include emission rates for CO and NO ₂ . | CPSC | Susan Womble (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |
| Wood Stoves | Identify regulatory and non-regulatory options addressing emissions from wood stoves. | Report: Summer 1989. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |
| Paradichlorobenzene | Evaluate hazard to consumers from exposure to paradichlorobenzene in consumer products used indoors and develop remedial options. | Status report: Fall 1989. | CPSC | Sandra Eberle (301) 492-6554 (FTS) 492-6554 |

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| CIAQ Co-chair | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Millhone (202) 586-1510 (FTS) 896-1510 |
| IAQ RESEARCH ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Indoor Air Quality Control Techniques | Develop, test, and evaluate energy efficient and cost-effective techniques to maintain IAQ. Conduct comprehensive and critical review of current technologies. | Research ongoing. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| IAQ Problem Assessment | Develop a macromodel to estimate residential indoor pollutant concentration distributions in the U.S. | Final report available for combustion pollutants. Macromodeling of other pollutants is contemplated. | DOE/EH/OEA | David Moses (202) 586-2061 (FTS) 896-2061 |
| Organic Pollutants | Determine relationships between concentrations of airborne organic pollutant compounds in large buildings and energy conservation measures. | Ongoing research. FY 89 work will address temporal and spatial variations of VOCs in a large building. | DOE/CE/OBSC | John Talbott (202) 586–9455 (FTS) 896–9455 |
| Air Infiltration Research | Develop methods to model and measure infiltration and interzonal airflows. | Activities for FY 89 include the development of a infiltration model with the international energy community. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| Passive I/V Using Perfluorocarbon Tracer Gas (PFT) Techniques | Develop and test passive techniques to measure air infiltration and ventilation rates in buildings using PFT. | Additional tracers and improved instrumentation are being developed in FY 89. Ongoing research. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| Library of Congress Study (w/EPA and NiOSH) | Develop and test methods to evaluate the movement of air into and within large buildings and measure indoor pollutants levels. (Part of continuing research on IAQIV large buildings.) | Estimated completion of Library of Congress study report: Fall 1989. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |

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| Multi-Family Housing Air Leakage Research | Develop and test air leakage tests and gather air leakage data. | Ongoing. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| IAQIV Measurements | Measure IAQIV in complaint ("sick") and non-complaint buildings. | Ongoing, | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| Ventilation Research | Determine combinations causing ventilation loads and dilution of indoor pollutants, and develop models to quantify ventilation parameters. | Ongoing. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Talbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| Scale Model Ventilation Flows Studies | Determine significance of the factors determining forced convection airflow patterns and their importance. | Ventilation efficiency scale model testing. Full-scale capability to be developed: FY 89. | DOE/CE/OBCS | John Tailbott (202) 586-9455 (FTS) 896-9455 |
| IAQ Macromodel Development | Develop a macromodel to estimate residential indoor combustion pollutant concentration distributions in the U.S. | Final report on model development for CO ₂ , NO ₂ , and RSP to be released: early 1989. Sensitivity analysis to be completed: late 1989. Final report for SO ₂ and combustion generated organics (BaP) due: early 1990. | DOE/EH/OEA | David Moses (202) 586-2061 (FTS) 896-2061 |
| IAQ Macromodel Development | Develop a macromodel to estimate residential indoor radon and organic pollutant concentration distributions in the U.S. | Literature search on factors affecting pollutant concentrations have begun Preliminary draft expected early 1990. | DOE/EH/OEA | David Moses (202) 586–2061 (FTS) 896–2061 |
| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Technical Measurements Center | Aid DOE and its remedial action contractors in making reliable radon and radon-daughter measurements. | Ongoing. | DOE/ORAW | Tony Braziey (202) 353-5438 (FTS) 233-5438 |

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| Energy Conservation Impacts of Indoor Radon | Minimize or eliminate the adverse energy impacts associated with radon mitigation activities. | Ongoing. | DOE/LBL | William Fisk (415) 486-6591 (FTS) 451-6591 |
| Hit-Size Effectiveness Function (HSEF) for Chromosome Aberrations | Obtain hit size effectiveness functions for chromosome aberrations in order to evaluate absolute risk in radiation fields of mixed linear energy transfer (e.g., radon exposure). | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Biological Effectiveness of Radon Alpha Particles | Investigate malignant transformation of mammalian cells exposed to single and successive alpha particles. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Lung Cancer Risk from Inhalation of Radon and Other Pollutants | Produce data in rats that will be helpful in assessing the carcinogenic risk of radon inhaled either alone or combined with pollutants commonly found in the home environment. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Chemical and Physical Processes Associated with Distribution and Effects | Study the thermochemistry and kinetics of radon progeny and their secondary reaction products. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Energy Deposition and Radiation Quality of Radon and Radon Daughters (w/DOC) | Create a quantitative microdosimetric description of the interaction of alpha particles from radon and its daughters with the cells at risk in the lung and adjacent areas. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Molecular Mechanisms of Radiation-Induced Mutations in Human Cells | Study the mechanistic basis for gene mutation induced by ionizing-radiation in normal fibroblasts. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |

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| Dynamics of Radon Progeny Interactions with Indoor Aerosols | Improve understanding of interactions between radon progeny and other indoor aerosols to improve health risk estimates. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Mechanisms of Mutagenesis by Alpha Particles and X-rays in Human Cells | Define in molecular terms the damage to DNA and the kinds of mutations caused by radon exposure in human cells. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Particle Deposition in Human and Canine Tracheobronchial Casts | Measure deposition patterns and efficiencies of aerosol particles in tracheobronchial airway models, considering respiratory mode and rate and particle morphology. | Ongoing, | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Chromosome Damage in the 1 Rad Region: Cytogenetic Detection Following Ultra Low Doses and Dose Rates | Provide quantitative data concerning both the dose-response and repairability of cytogenetic damage to human cells caused by ultra low doses of densely ionizing radiation. | Ongoing | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Mechanisms of Radon Injury | Conduct molecular, cellular, and whole-animal studies on radon-induced carcinogenesis. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Radiation Dose and Injury to Critical Cells of the Respiratory Tract from Inhaled Radon | Investigate the types and locations of cells that are irradiated by inhaled radon progeny to improve dose-response estimates. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Studies of the Molecular Damage in Neoplastic Transformation Caused by Alpha Radiation from Radon Progeny | Investigate the mechanisms of cell neoplastic transformation from alpha particles at the physical, chemical, and molecular levels. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5356 |

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| Indoor Atmospheric Chemistry: Interactions of Radon With Other Gaseous Pollutants | Provide an understanding of the interactions of radon and its progeny with gaseous indoor pollutants. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Investigation of Radon Entry and Effectiveness of Mitigation Measures | Investigate factors that affect radon entry into selected houses in New Jersey and the Tennessee Valley | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Relationships between Aeroradiometric Measurements of Bi-214 and Soil Radioactivity, Ra, and Rn Content(w/DOI) | Evaluate the accuracy and utility of data obtained from the National Uranium Resource Evaluation Program as it relates to radon. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Comparative Hazards of Radon and Thoron in Indoor Air | Increase understanding of anatomic, biokinetic, and dosimetric factors that affect the hazard of thoron (Rn-220) & radon (Rn-222) chains. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Mutagenicity of Radon and Radon Daughters | Investigate the cytotoxic, mutagenic, and molecular lesions induced by exposure of mammalian cells differing in DNA repair capabilities to low dose rates of radon and radon daughters. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Microdosimetry of Radon Daughters | Develop analytical methods to calculate the microdosimetry of aipha particles and secondary electron interactions with cell nuclei within the tracheobronchial epithelium from inhalation of radon and radon-daughter products. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| An Investigation of the Geology and Geochemistry of Radon in Shear Zones (w/DOI) | Study the geological and chemical factors which affect the presence of radon in shear zones. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |

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| Fundamental Studies of Radon Release From Soil Constituents | Examine the origin, mobility, and chemical behavior of radon precursors in soil. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Measurement and Apportionment of Radon Source Terms for Modeling Indoor Environments | Quantitate mechanisms for radon entry into homes, and model the alpha dose to human and animal tracheobronchial trees from inhaled radon daughters. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Atmospheric Chemistry of Po-218 | Investigate chemical and physical behavior of the radon decay product, Po=218. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Determination System for Ultrafine Activity Particle Size Distribution and Working Levels | Develop monitoring system to provide information on the size and charge distributions of ultrafine particles. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Dynamic Behavior of Radon Daughters in the Environment | Study the dynamic behavior, including interaction rates, of radon and its daughters. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Radon-Induced Aneuploidy in Progenitor Cells of the Respiratory Tract | Investigate the significance of alterations in DNA content of critical cells in the respiratory tract after radon exposure. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Activation of Oncogenes by Radon Progeny and X-rays | Study the carcinogenic effect of X-rays and alpha particles that simulate radon progeny | Ongoing: | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Indoor Radon, Thoron, and Related Aerosols | Study the metrology of indoor radon, thoron, their progeny, and related aerosols. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Aerosol Microphysics of Indoor Radon | Study the physics of formation, interaction, and electrical charging of indoor aerosols associated with radon progeny. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |

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| Cell and Mucous Distribution in Airways of the Lung for Modeling Injury Due to Inhaled Radon and Radon Daughters | Provide data necessary for determining target regions of the lung for inhaled radon and radon progeny, and determine the sensitivity of cell types in these region(s). | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Mutations in Shuttle Plasmids | Provide data on the mechanism of mutation induction by ionizing radiations. Investigate the effectiveness of X-rays & alpha particles in mutagenesis. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Initiation-Promotion-Initiation Experiments | Study the interaction of radon and cigarette smoke in causing lung tumors in rats using an initiation–promotion–initiation (IPI) experiment. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Characterization of Airborne Radon Concentrations | Characterize sources and concentrations of indoor radon. | Ongoing: | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Radon Generation and Transport in Porous Media | Develop unified theory of radon emanation and transport, and implement it in a computer code for application in field studies and research programs. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Radon Transport Modeling in Soils | Construct and apply a comprehensive computer-based model of radon transport within and from soils into the atmosphere and structures. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Basic Studies of Radon and Related Po and Pb Radioisotopes | Provide detailed information about the transport pathways of Rn-222, Pb-214, Bi-214, Po-214, Pb-210, and Po-210. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |

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| Dosimetry and Cell Killing | Provide an alpha particle exposure facility and the related dosimetry. Conduct studies of mechanisms of cell killing by alpha particles. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Cellular Morphometry of Human and Dog Lungs | Describe and quantitate the cell populations in epithelial lining and submucosal glands of human and dog lung bronchi. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Generation and Mobility of Radon in Soil | Investigate the generation and transport of radon in soils. Determine the extent of leaching and mobility of uranium, radium, and other uranium progeny in eastern U.S. soil. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Health Effects of Radon Daughter Exposure in Uranium Miners of New Mexico | Describe the exposure-response relationship of radon progeny with lung cancer through the use of a cohort of uranium miners. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Physical Processes of Airborne Radioactivity in Enclosed Environments | Investigate the processes influencing release of radon isotopes from porous media and the physical properties of radon isotopes, their progeny, and ions and aerosols in enclosed environments. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Analysis of DNA Damage and Mutation Induced by Radon Daughter Products | Examine DNA damage and mutations induced in human and Chinese hamster cells exposed to radon daughter products. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Cellular Mechanisms of Radon-Induced Lung Tissue Injury I <u>n Vitro</u> | Elucidate cellular mechanisms of lung tissue injury from radon/radon-daughter exposure. Establish in vitro dose-response relationships for responses in major pulmonary cell targets. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |

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| Experimental and Theoretical Investigations of Radon Availability, Migration and Entry | Investigate radon availability and migration through soils and entry into houses. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Radon Permeability in Soil | Develop and verify a method of estimating radon permeability in soil. | Ongoing: | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Radon Dynamics Indoors | Investigate the movement of radon gas and radon progeny within a house and the attachment of progeny to indoor aerosols. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Lung Cancer Risks from Radon Daughters in Domestic Environments | Ascertain whether radon daughters in the domestic environment increase risks of lung cancer for the general population and specifically, for females, | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Regional Aerosol Deposition in Human Upper Airways | Elucidate factors which influence overall and local deposition of aerosols in the human airways above the trachea. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Gas Transport in Soils and its Relation to Radon Availability (w/DOI) | Provide quantitative information about the range and variability of diffusive and advective-convective transport of radon and its controlling factors. | Ongoing. | DOE and USGS | Allan Tanner (703) 648-6997 (FTS) 648-699 |
| Carcinogenic Effects of Alpha-Particle Radiation on Tracheal Cells | Evaluate the alpha-particle induced carcinogenic effects on respiratory tissue, considering dose-response relationships and oncogene activation. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Investigation of Radon Release and Mobility in the Subsurface Environment | Characterize effects of environmental factors on radon mobility. Analyze effects of engineered structures on mobility. Evaluate mitigation measures | Ongoing, | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |

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| Radon-Induced DNA Damage and Cell Transformation in Respiratory Cells | Determine the direct effects of radon progeny and other high-LET radiation on respiratory epithelial cells. Investigate the mechanism of radiation carcinogenesis. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Assessment of Indoor Thoron and Progeny | Determine if indoor levels of thoron Rn-220 make a contribution to the environmental radiation dose received by man. | Ongoing: | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Determination of Rn-222 Flux from Soils Based on Pb-210 and Ra-226 Disequilibrium | Identify a simple parameter that can be used to estimate the potential hazards of radon at any site by measuring the long-term radon flux from soils to the air. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Mechanisms of Radiation Damage to DNA From Radon Daughters | Understand early physical and chemical changes produced in tissue by energetic alpha particles, and elucidate mechanisms of damage to molecules, such as DNA. Compare mechanisms of alpha-particle damage with damage from other types of radiation, and provide the fundamental physical basis for dosimetry and microdosimetry of alpha-particle tracks. | Ongoing: | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353–5355 (FTS) 233–5355 |
| Damage in Mammalian DNA by Radiation Associated with Radon Decay | Determine the types of damage produced in DNA of mammalian cells by alpha particles from radon progeny. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Effects of Vegetation on Radon Transport Processes in Soll | Examine the effects of plants and their functions on radon dynamics in soil. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |

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| Laser Measurements of Pb-210 | Correlate Pb-210:Pb-208 ratios in human tissue to radon exposure. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Repair of Alpha Particle-Induced Cytogenetic Damage | Study how mechanisms involved in low dose X-ray-induced repair mechanism affect alpha particle-induced cytogenetic damage, and determine if the lesions induced by low doses of densely ionizing alpha particles can also induce the repair mechanism | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| Deposition of Radon and Radon Progeny in the Respiratory Tract | Determine the deposition sites of inhaled radon progeny in the respiratory tract in humans, and quantify fractional deposition at these sites. | Ongoing. | DOE/ER/OHER | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 233-5355 |
| K-65 Silo Interim Stabilization and Remediation | Improve the structural stability of the two silos containing K-65 pitchblende residues domes, and achieve alteration of radon emanation. | Ongoing. | DOE/ODP | A.F. Kluk (301) 353–4971 (FTS) 233–4971 |
| New Brunswick Laboratory Site Decommissioning Project | Remove pitchblende contaminated soil from a site in New Brunswick, NJ to permit return of the site to the public domain. | Ongoing. | DOE/ODP | A.F. Kluk (301) 353-4971 (FTS) 233-4971 |
| Grand Junction Project Office Remedial Action Project | Remove uranium contaminated soil, and permit unrestricted use of site from radiobiological standpoint. | Ongoing. | DOE/ODP | A.F. Kluk (301) 353-4971 (FTS) 233-4971 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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| CIAQ Co-chair | Coordinate Federal research and policy on indoor air quality issues. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Philip Bierbaum (513) 841-4321 (FTS) 684-4321 |
| General Assistance Hotline | Answer inquiries on indoor air quality information or any occupational safety and health issue | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | (800) 356-4674 |
| Indoor Air Quality Investigations | To provide site investigations or technical advice to solve indoor air quality problems. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Robert Rinsky (513) 841-4382 (FTS) 684-4382 |
| Analytical Techniques for Indoor Air Contaminants | Research and information on existing methods. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Peter Eller Alex Teass (513) 841–4321 (FTS) 684–4321 |
| Ventilation Parameters of Indoor Air Quality Investigations | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Robert Hughes Rick Gorman (513) 841-4266 (FTS) 684-4266 |
| Clinical Parameters of Indoor Air Quality Investigations | Research. | Ongoing, | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Mitch Singal (513) 841-4386 (FTS) 684-4386 |
| Psychosocial Parameters of Indoor Air Quality Investigations | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Steve Sauter (513) 533-8293 (FTS) 684-8293 |
| Physical and Chemical Agent Exposures Related to Indoor Air Quality | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Rick Gorman (513) 841-4382 (FTS) 684-4382 |
| Biological Agent Exposures Related to Indoor Air Quality | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Lee Petsonk (304) 291-4223 (FTS) 923-4223 |
| Towards Smoke Free Workplace in Rhode Island | Cooperate with state of RI in study of biochemical markers of tobacco smoke in a work setting. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Ruth Etzel (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |

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| New York City Smoking Evaluation Project | Survey attitudes and practices towards smoking and evaluate saliva as biological marker of cigarette smoke among employees in NY City Dept. of Health. | Report in preparation. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Ruth Etzel (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |
| Measurement of Biochemical Indicators of Tobacco Exposure | Develop reliable tests for cotinine and other analytes which reflect use of tobacco smoke to examine effects of tobacco smoke exposure. | Ongoing | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Ruth Etzel (404) 488–4682 (FTS) 236–4682 |
| State Services and Public Information Services on Indoor Air Pollution | Provide information resource for state health departments and members of the public requesting information on the health effects of air pollutants. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Ruth Etzel (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |
| Urine Elimination of Cotinine in Children | Study elimination of cotinine in young children exposed to controlled amounts of sidestream smoke. | Report in preparation | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Ruth Etzel (404) 488–4682 (FTS) 236–4682 |
| Tobacco Smoke | To prevent death, disease and disability caused by tobacco smoke. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CCDPHP | John Bagrosky (301) 443–1575 (FTS) 443–1575 |
| Health Statistics | To collect, analyze and disseminate health data from national surveys. | Ongoing: | DHHS/CDC/NCHS | Diane Wagener (301) 436-7032 (FTS) 436-7032 |
| Health Effects from Exposure to Selected Indoor/Outdoor Pollutants (24 Cities Study) | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | James Fouts (919) 541-3506 (FTS) 629-3506 |
| Indoor Radon Pollution and Cigarette Smoke in Etiology of Lung Cancer | Research. | Ongoing, | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | James Fouts (919) 541-3506 (FTS) 629-3506 |
| Inhalation Toxicity Studies | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | James Fouts (919) 541-3506 (FTS) 629-3506 |

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| Pulmonary Pathobiology Studies | Résearch | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | James Fouts (919) 541-3506 (FTS) 629-3506 |
| Respiratory Disease and Aerosol Physiology | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | James Fouts (919) 541-3506 (FTS) 629-3506 |
| Health Effects of Passive Exposure to Cigarette Smoke | Research. | Ongoing: | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | James Fouts (919) 541-3506 (FTS) 629-3506 |
| Allergenicity of Airborne Particulates | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| ndentification of Basidiospore Allergens in Mold Asthma | Research, | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| Most Defense Mechanisms in Legionella Pneumonia | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| Role of Dust Mite, Cockroach and Cat Allergens in Houses/Asthma | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496–6752 (FTS) 496–6752 |
| mmunochemical Assay of Aeroallergens | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| mmunotherapy in Allergic Astrimatics | Research. | Ongoing. | DHH\$/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| mmunotherapy in Mite Sensitive Asthmatics | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| Legionella Induced Cytokine Formation | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496–6752 (FTS) 496–6752 |

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| Role of Cockroach Allergens in Atopic Asthma | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| Genetic Approaches to Pathogenesis | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIAID | Patricia Gallahan (301) 496-6752 (FTS) 496-6752 |
| Epidemiology of Lung Cancer in Non-Smoking Women | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301) 496–6927 (FTS) 496–6927 |
| Biochemical Validation of Smoke Absorption by Infants | Research. | Ongoing; | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301) 496-6927 (FTS) 496-6927 |
| Lung Cancer in Non-Smoking Women | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301) 496–6927 (FTS) 496–6927 |
| Smoking Cessation Intervention Trial for Pregnant Women | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301): 496-6927 (FTS): 496-6927 |
| Transplacental Carcinogenicity of NNK | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301) 496–6927 (FTS) 496–6927 |
| Study of Thyroid Cancer in High Radiation Areas in China | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301): 496-6927 (FTS): 496-6927 |
| Chronic Disease of Airways: Prospective Evaluation of Airways Reactivity | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NHLBI | Carol Vriem (301) 496-7208 (FTS) 496-7208 |
| Chronic Disease of the Airways: Pediatric Airway Obstructive Disease | Flesearch | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NHLBI | Carol Vriem (301) 496-7208 (FTS) 496-7208 |

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| espiratory Disorders of eonates and Children | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NHLBI | Carol Vriem (301) 496-7208 (FTS) 496-7208 |
| eproductive Disorders socialed with Occupational posure to Nitrous Oxide | Research | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NIDR | Kenneth:Lynn (301) 496-7220 (FTS) 496-7220 |
| echnical Assistance for Federal gencies | To provide site investigations or technical advice on indoor air quality problems to Federal agencies. | Ongoing. | DHHS/HRSA/DFOBHS | James Felsen (301) 443-2257 (FTS) 443-2257 |
| ontamination Related to azardous Wastes | To provide assistance and advice on indoor air contaminants exposures related to hazardous wastes sites. | Ongoing: | DHHS/ASTDR | Frank Mitchell (404) 488-4853 (FTS) 236-4853 |
| ADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| onsultations with States and ther Organizations | Respond to inquiries on health aspects of radon exposure. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Christie Eheman (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |
| adioactive Waste Sites Under uperfund Study | Evaluate the radiation dose and the subsequent health risk from industrial and residential sites contaminated with radioactive material. Assess the effectiveness of remedial action at these sites. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Christie Eheman (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |
| ational Park Service Indoor adon Program (w/DOI) | Assist in the design and implementation of the National Park Service indoor radon sampling program. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Dan Hoffman (404) 488-4772 (FTS) 236-4772 |
| adon Exposure Assessment of orkers Who Work in Caves r/DOI) | Assess past and current radon exposure of employees who work in caves. | Ongoing. | DHHS/CDC/CEHIC | Christie Eheman (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |
| adon Progeny and Lung Cancer | Investigate the relationship between indoor radon exposure and lung cancer. | New. | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | Gwen Collman (919) 541-4980 (FTS) 629-4980 |

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| Cancer Mortality and Radon-222 Concentration in Groundwater | Compare cancer mortality rates for sites other than the lung in adults living in counties in North Carolina with high and low concentrations of radon in groundwater. | Final year. | DHHS/NIH/NIEHS | Gwen Collman (919) 541-4980 (FTS) 629-4980 |
| Lung Cancer Among Nonsmoking Women with Residential Exposure to Radon Study | Compare estimates of lung cancer risk (per pCi/l) in non-smoking Missouri women to corresponding estimates on miners. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | Michael Alavanja (301) 496–1611 (FTS) 496–1611 |
| Household Radon Exposure Among Women Admitted to Hospitals Study | Obtain measurements of radon exposure for each subject, estimate lung cancer risk per pCi/I of concentration, and compare with corresponding estimates on miners. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | Zdenek Hrubec (301) 496-6600 (FTS) 496-6600 |
| Lung Cancer Among Women in China Exposed to Indoor Radon and Other Pollutants Study | Obtain measurements of radon exposure for each subject, and estimate lung cancer risk per pCi/l of concentration. | Ongoing | DHHS/NIH/NCI | John Boice (301) 496-6600 (FTS) 496-6600 |
| Lung Cancer Among Women in New Jersey Study | Evaluate radon as a potential risk factor by monitoring radon levels in the homes of persons who developed lung cancer and in the homes of others who do not have the disease. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NCI | Zdenek Hrubec (301) 496-6600 (FTS) 496-6600 |
| Epidemiology of Lung Cancer in Chinese Tin Employees | Perform a historical cohort study on tin company workers and an incident case control study of lung cancer among company employees and residents of Gejui City | Ongoing: | DHHS/NCI | Jay Lubin (301) 496-3356 (FTS) 496-3356 |
| Micronuclei in Bronchial Cells of Uranium Miners | Research. | Ongoing. | DHHS/NIH/NCI | David Howell (301) 496–6927 (FTS) 496–6927 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | ВРА | John Elizalde (503) 230-7520 (FTS) 429-7520 |
| Ventilation Testbed Study | Investigate effects of mechanical ventilation systems on air flows inside residential buildings and between the structure and the outside environment. | In design stage. Estimated completion date: 1992. | BPA | Phil Thor (503) 230-3098 (FTS) 429-3098 |
| Northwest Residential Infiltration Study (NORIS) | Determine infiltration rates in homes constructed according to current building practices and in homes built according to Model Conservation Standards (MCS). Investigate relationship between fan pressurization and perfluorocarbon tracer (PFT) measurements. | Project completed. Draft report available. | ВРА | Phil Thor (503) 230-3007 (FTS) 429-3307 |
| Multifamily Air Exchange Study | Measure the amount of air exchange in multifamily housing which meets the Model Conservation Standards (MCS) and develop a method of predicting the amount of air exchange based on a number of factors. | Phase I completed (includes collection of data on 140 current practice homes). Data analysis underway. Phase II (includes data collection on MCS homes) began: 2/89. Sampling design, recruitment plan and first year test protocols available. | BPA | Phil Thor (503) 230–3098 (FTS) 429–3098 |

BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| Dissemination of Technical Reports | Increase understanding of indoor air quality-related topics. | Distribute completed technical reports: | ВРА | Chantina Johnson (503) 230–5488 |
| | | Regional Weatherization Study | | (FTS) 429–5488 |
| | | New Energy Efficient Home IAQ Study | | |
| | | Commercial Building IAQ Study | | |
| | | Radon and Remedial Action in Spokane River Valley Homes | | |
| | | <u>Carbon Dioxide Based</u> <u>Ventilation Control System</u> <u>Demonstration</u> | | |
| | | IAQ-Exhaust Fan Mitigation | | |
| | | IAQ-Exhaust Air Heat Pump Project | | |
| | | Effects of Airtight Wood Heaters on Residential IAQ | | |
| | | Radon Monitoring in Energy Efficient Homes | | |
| | | Formaldehyde Monitoring in Energy Efficient Homes | | |
| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Residential Weatherization Program | Address the environmental impacts of regional conservation programs that offer incentives to home-owners who install energy conservation measures. | Ongoing. | BPA | Charles Eastwood (503) 230-4992 (FTS) 429-4992 |
| Radon Mitigation Demonstration | Provide training for Pacific Northwest contractors in proven radon miligation techniques. | New. | BPA | Charles Eastwood (503) 230–4992 (FTS) 429–4992 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | GSA | James Hensley (202) 566-1464 (FTS) 566-1464 |
| Indoor Air Quality Policy and Guidelines for GSA-Owned and Controlled Buildings | Maintaining acceptable IAQ throughout GSA space | Implemented: Fall 1988 | GSA | Wing To Chan (202) 566-1464 (FTS) 566-1464 |
| Thermal and Environmental Evaluation of Advanced Technology Office Buildings | Validate the use of diagnostic techniques for evaluating building design and performance features including IAQ. | Ongoing. | GSA | Dave Eakin (202) 566-1464 (FTS) 566-1464 |
| Development of Protocol to Determine Friability of Sprayed-on-Asbestos-Containing Surfacing Materials (w/National Bureau of Standards) | Develop mechanical techique or device which will provide a consistent measure of the triable nature of existing sprayed-on- asbestos-fireproofing. | Completed. | GSA | Wing To Chan (202) 566-1464 (FTS) 566-1464 |
| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Radon in Public Buildings Study | Provide information to develop guidelines for acceptable radon levels in public buildings, and provide data on potential health problems associated with radon exposure in public buildings. | New: | GSA/NCR | Marian Nuckolls (202) 453-5236 (FTS) 453-5236 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | NASA | Bill Wolverton (601) 688-3155 (FTS) 494-3155 |
| Study on House Plants and Air Quality | remove formaldehyde, carbon | Ongoing. | | Bill Wolverton (601) 688-3155 (FTS) 494-3155 |
| Offgassing of Materials for Spacecraft Applications | Determine acceptability of materials for spacecraft use. | | NASA/Marshall Space Craft Flight Center | C.F. Key (205) 544-2487 (FTS) 544-2487 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | TVA | Robert Rainey (205) 382-2314 (No FTS) |
| Chattanooga Indoor VOC and NO ₂ Study | Examine short term concentrations of VOCs and NO ₂ in 7 residences and 3 public buildings. | Study complete. Report available. | TVA | William Parkhurst (205) 386-2793 (No FTS) |
| NO ₂ Concentrations in 5 Chattanooga, TN Public Housing Developments | Examine relationships between NO ₂ and various appliance types and weatherization measures in 200 homes. | Study complete. Report available. | TVA | William Parkhurst (205) 386-2793 (No FTS) |
| NO ₂ intervention Study in Public Housing Developments | Examine influence of gas appliance inspection and maintenance program on NO ₂ concentrations in 30 public housing residences. | Study complete, Report available. | TVA | William Parkhurst (205) 386-2793 (No FTS) |
| Public Outreach | Develop and distribute IAQ materials to public, provide toll free Citizen Action Line, provide speakers for meetings. | Ongoing. | TVA | Robert Rainey (205) 382–2314 (No FTS) Barry Barnard |
| | | | | (205) 386-2792 (No FTS) |
| Industrial Hygiene Studies | Monitor and assess IAQ in buildings and structures occupied by TVA: | TVA Occupational Hygiene Department leads project. Work in progress. | TVA | Robert Rainey (205) 382-2314 (No FTS) |
| | | | | John McFeters (205) 386–2312 (No FTS) |
| RADON ACTIVITIES | s samanin muurus aras sa s | o visto zi konduluza od dologo za odnog zi dologo za odnog | 10x.,t., yaza.ig. yazagaa | |
| Implementation of Indoor Radon Abatement Act. | Conduct Radon measurements within TVA buildings. | In progress | TVA | Ron Maxwell (205) 386-2767 (No FTS) |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY)

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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | DOC/NIST | James Hill (301) 975–5851 (FTS) 879–5851 |
| Standards for Volatile Organic Compounds | Develop accurate gas standards for multicomponent VOC's in the low ppb range. | Numerous VOC standards have been developed for EPA and state programs. An SRM containing 18 VOC's is currently under development at the 5 ppb level to be available 6/89. | DOC/NIST | Walt Zielinski (301) 975-3918 (FTS) 879-3918 |
| Standards for Pollutant Gases | Develop accurate, stable gas standards for hydrocarbon and oxides of nitrogen and sulfur in the low ppm range. | Such standards have been developed for CO, NO, SO ₂ , and propane. The need for specific standards for indoor air measurements remains to be defined. | DOC/NIST | Walt Zielinski (301) 975–3918 (FTS) 879–3918 |
| Indoor Air Pollution Concentration Model | Develop a generalized simulation program that accounts for building infiltration and pollution generation, dilution, reaction, removal, and exfiltration. | Phase III report: 8/88. Source and sink models being developed. Special version of program for professionals being developed. | DOC/NIST | Dick Grot (301) 975–6430 (FTS) 879–6430 |
| Infiltration and Ventilation in Large Buildings | Develop test methods for measuring air movement into and within large commercial buildings and efficiency of ventilation systems. Examine the relationship of contaminants, ventilation systems operation, and occupant satisfaction. | Test methods development completed. Under application to three office buildings and an office–laboratory complex. | DOC/NIST | Andy Persily (301) 975–6418 (FTS) 879–6418 |
| Efficiency of Gaseous Contaminant Removal Devices | Develop a test method for determining the efficiency and capacity of gaseous pollutant removal equipment in HVAC systems. | Test apparatus built and checked out. Report issued Theoretical basis for filter test being developed. | DOC/NIST | Bal Mahajan (301) 975-5856 (FTS) 879-5856 |

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| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Site Classification Scheme (w/HUD) | Develop a site test method for radon risk assessment. | Project initiated: 12/88. Phase I Report completed: 5/89. | DOC/NIST and HUD | Felix Yokel (301) 975-6065 (FTS) 879-6065 |
| NIST Measurement Standards Program | Upgrade the radon measurement system. Provide transfer calibration standards services. | Ongoing. | DOC/NIST | Ron Coll (301) 975-5527 (FTS) 975-5527 |
| Energy Deposition and Radiation Quality of Radon and Radon Daughters(w/DOE) | Create a quantitative micro-dosimetric description of the interaction of alpha particles from radon and its daughters with the cells at risk in the lung and adjacent areas. | New. | DOC/NIST and DOE | Susan Rose (301) 353-5355 (FTS) 353-5355 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | DOD/DON | Daniel Reinhard (202) 692–3287 (No FTS) |
| SBS Complaint Investigations | Provide guidance to field support teams on conducting indoor air quality investigations at AF facilities. | Guidance document completed: 4/87: 15 field investigations completed to date: | DOD/USAF/OEH | Capt. Frank Liebhaber (512) 536–3214 (No FTS) Lt. Col. Jefferson Prather (202) 767–1739 (No FTS) |
| Data Repository of IAQ Investigations | To assess magnitude of IAQ problems at AF facilites. | Biannual reports will be issued. First report due: Fall 1989. | DOD/USAF and Office of the Surgeon General | Lt. Col. Jefferson Prather (202) 767–1739 (No FTS) |
| RADON ACTIVITIES U.S. Army Radon Reduction Program | Assess radon levels in all Army – controlled buildings, and abate where the levels are above 4 pCi/l. | All testing to be completed: 9/91 and all abatement to be completed: 9/97. | DOD/DOA | Emery Lazar (202) 693–5032 (No FTS) |
| Navy Radon Assessment and Mitigation Program | Screen Navy and Marine Corps installations for structures with elevated radon levels and reduce elevated levels, where found, to below 4 pCi/l. | New: Initial screening phase began: 1/89. | DOD/DON | Karl Mendenhall (202) 692-5604/5608 (No FTS) |
| U.S. Air Force Radon Assessment and Mitigation Program | Identify, evaluate and mitigate potential sources of radon which could pose unacceptable risks to the Air Force populace worldwide. | Ongoing. Initial screening phase was completed: 3/88. Detailed assessment is ongoing with some mitigation underway. | DOD/USAF | Col. David Case (202) 767–1739 (No FTS) |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | HUD | James Stimpson (202) 755-6230 (FTS) 755-6230 |
| LEAD BASED PAINT ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Memorandum of Understanding between HUD and EPA | Define the responsibilities of HUD and EPA on research and demonstration activities responding to new legislative requirements on lead-based paint. | MOU executed: 4/89. | HUD and EPA | Ellis Goldman (202) 755-5528 (FTS) 755-5528 |
| Lead-Based Paint Abatement Demonstration | Demonstrate and determine the cost-effectiveness of various abatement technologies in HUD-owned and Public Housing. Submit report to Congress by December 1989. | Demonstration contractor has been selected. Some 200 HUD-owned units in five cities have been identified as possible demonstration sites; public housing units are being identified. | HUD | Ellis Goldman (202) 755-5528 (FTS) 755-5528 |
| Lead-Based Paint Identification Techniques (w/DOC/NIST) | Identify effective methods for identifying and quantifying lead-based paint. Include report on these identification methods in the abatement demonstration report to Congress. | Under an Interagency Agreement, NIST is carrying out a research program. Report to be completed: 9/89. | HUD | Nelson Carbonell (202) 755–6450 (FTS) 755–6450 |
| National Hazard Estimate and Comprehensive Plan | Develop an estimate of the extent of the national hazard from lead-based paint. Prepare a comprehensive and workable plan for the prompt and cost-effective identification and abatement of lead-based paint in all privately owned housing in the United States. Submit the abatement plan to Congress by September 1990. | Contractor selected; award expected: 9/89. | HUD | Stevenson Weitz (202) 755-4370 (FTS) 755-4370 |

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Site Classification Scheme (w/DOC/NIST) | Develop a site test method for radon risk assessment. | Project completed: 5/89. | HUD and DOC/NIST | Conrad Amolts (202) 755-5528 (FTS) 755-5528 |
| Development of Radon Policy for HUD Programs | Determination of how HUD/FHA and Public and Indian Housing are to handle radon issues. | Policy development in progress; policy requirement called for in McKinney Amend. Act. | HUD | Richard Broun (202) 755–7894 (FTS) 755–7894 |
| Development of Memorandum of Understanding with EPA | Provide mechanism for coordinating radon activities. | MOU between HUD and EPA executed: 7/89. | HUD and EPA | James Miller (202) 755-7225 (FTS) 755-7225 |
| Assistance in Development of a National Policy Regarding Radon Exposure | Provide scientific and technical analysis of radiation research, including radon gas, and develop a basis for Federal consensus on environmental radon exposure. | New. | HUD | James Miller (202) 755-7025 (FTS) 755-7025 |
| OTHER ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Moisture Control in Manufactured Housing | Identify the effects of indoor humidity on walls and evaluate ventilation devices for humidity control. | Testing on walls and testing of vertilation devices in six manufactured houses in Madison, Who be completed: Spring 1990. Report to be completed: Fall 1990. | HUD and USDA | William Freeborne (202) 755-5528 (FTS) 755-5528 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| RADON ACTIVITIES Indoor Radon Program (w/DHHS) | Measure radon in all residences and office buildings owned by the National Park Service, and mitigate buildings to "safe" levels. | Ongoing. | DOI/NPS | Alan Kingsbury (202) 343-7090 (FTS) 343-7090 |
| Radon Exposure Assessment of Workers Who Work in Caves (w/DHHS) | Assess past and current radon exposure of employees who work in caves. | Ongoing. | DOI/NPS | Christie Eheman (404) 488-4682 (FTS) 236-4682 |
| Mobility, Transport and Fate of Naturally Occurring Radionuclides in Ground Water | Determine factors controlling radionuclide transport and fate along groundwater flow paths, and define mechanisms that release radionuclides to ground water and characterize spatial variation of radionuclide concentrations. | Ongoing. | DOI/USGS | Otto Zepecza (609) 771-3900 (No FTS) |
| Natural Radioactivity in Ground Water of the Kirkwood-Cohansey Aquifer System | Define occurrence and distribution of radionuclides in ground water, identify relation between radionuclide activities and other chemical constituents, define source of radioactivity in ground water, and evaluate changes in ground water chemistry and radionuclide content along flow paths. | New. | DOI/USGS | Otto Zepecza (609) 771-3900 (No FTS) |
| investigation of the Geology and Geochemistry of Radon in Shear Zones (w/DOE) | Investigate radon in major shear zones along the east coast of the U.S. | New. | DOI/USGS | Linda Gundersen (703) 648-6427 (FTS) 959-6427 |

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| Relationships Between Aeroradiometric Measurements of Bi-214 and Soil Radioactivity, Ra, and Rn Content (w/DOE) | Correlate between aeroradiometric surveys using a radon decay product, the radium concentration in soil, and the radon concentration in soil gas. | Ongoing. | DOI/USGS | Joseph Duval (703) 648–6391 (FTS) 959–6391 |
| National Equivalent Uranium Map Production (w/EPA) | Reprocess U.S. DOE National Uranium Resource Evaluation (NURE) aerial radiometric data. | Ongoing: | DOI/USGS and EPA | Tom Peake (202) 475-9605 (FTS) 475-9605 |
| Technical Assistance for State Radon Surveys (w/EPA) | Provide geological assessments of statewide radon potential. | Ongoing. | DOI/USGS and EPA | Tom Peake (202) 475–9605 (FTS) 475–9605 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR (OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION)

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
|---|---|--|------------------------|--|
| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | DOL/OSHA | Ed Baier (202) 523-7031 (FTS) 523-7031 |
| Occupational Standards for indoor Air Pollutants | Regulate levets of air pollutants in the industrial workplace. | Final fule for ethylene oxide: 4/6/88. Final rule stage for ethylene dibrornide. Proposed rule stage for asbestos. 1,3 Butadiene, cadmium, glyco ethers, methylene chloride, and methylenedianiline. | DOL/OSHA | Charles Adkins (202) 523–7075 (FTS) 523–7075 |
| Toxic Substances in Laboratories | Regulate levels of toxic substances in the laboratory. | Final rule stage. | DOL/OSHA | Charles Adkins (202) 523-7075 (FTS) 523-7075 |
| Permissible Exposure Limit Update | Update occupational standards by adopting ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLVs) and NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs): | Final rule: 1/89; effective 3/89 | DOL/OSHA | Charles Adkins (202) 523-7075 (FTS) 523-7075 |
| Field Health Compliance Inspections | Protect health of American workers by inspecting exposure to hundreds of air contaminents. | Ongoing. | DOL/OSHA | Regional Administrators and Area Directors (throughout U.S.) |
| IAQ Chapter of OSHA Technical Manual | Investigation of IAQ cases by OSHA compliance officers. | Projected completion date: 9/89. | DOL/OSHA | Long Loo (202) 523-7056 (FTS) 523-7056 |
| IAQ Training Course | Assist Federal and State compliance officials in evaluating indoor air quality in non-industrial workplaces. | Ongoing. (May be offered twice a year.) | DOL/OSHA | Zigmas Sadauskas (312) 297–4810 (FTS) 353–2500 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | DOS/Safety Office | Stephen Urman (202) 647-4302 (FTS) 647-4302 |
| State Indoor Air Quality Committee (SIAQ) | Coordinate activities of offices whose activities or operations affect the indoor air quality of DOS facilities | Ongoing. | DOS/Safety Office | Stephen Urman Ken Doolan (202) 647–4302 (FTS) 647–4302 |
| RADON ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| Radon Assessment Advisory Group | Select a course of action for radon control program for overseas buildings and dwellings. | Ongoing. Selection of action to be completed by the end of FY 1988. Conduct requirements study to define technical approach and cost of radon study. To be completed: end of FY89. | DOS/Safety Office | Stephen Urman (202) 647–4302 (FTS) 647–4302 |

INDOOR AIR ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

| ISSUE/MAJOR ACTIVITY | PURPOSE | STATUS | LEAD AGENCY/ OFFICE | CONTACT |
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| CIAQ Member | Coordinate Federal research and policy on IAQ issues. | Ongoing. | DOT/OST/ Environmental Division | Eugene Lehr (202) 366-4860 (FTS) 366-4860 |
| Airliner Cabin Air Quality | Examine air quality in cabins of commercial airlines. | Advisory committee formed to advise on protocol and contract requirements. Contract awarded and study inititated. | DOT/OST/ Aviation Regulations and Coordination Division | Amold Konheim (202) 366-4849 (FTS) 366-4849 |

INDOOR AIR QUALITY PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE FROM FEDERAL AGENCIES

Publications listed below were issued as a public information or technical assistance activity. They are intended to provide guidance to either the general public or some specific segment of the public. Activities that result in the publication of technical reports are listed under the sponsoring Federal agency earlier in this document.

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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

The address of the EPA Public Information Center (PIC) is listed below. Those publications for which PIC is listed as the contact should be ordered from the EPA Publication Information Center. Also, many of the publications listed below are available from the EPA Regional Offices.

EPA Public Information Center (PIC) 401 M Street S.W. (PM-221B) Washington, D.C. 20460 (202) 382-2080 (FTS) 382-2080

| The Inside Story, A Guide to Indoor Air Quality | 1988 | EPA/OAR/OAIAP (w/CPSC) | PIC |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----|
| Directory of State Indoor Air Acts | 1988 | (W/CFSC) EPA/OAR/OAIAP | |
| Fact Sheets: #1: EPA and Indoor Air Quality #2: EPA Indoor Air Quality Implementation Plan #3: Vertilation and Air Quality in Offices #4: Sick Buildings | 1987 1987 1988 1988 | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | |
| Current Federal Indoor Air Activities | 1989 | EPA/OAR/OAIAP | |
| Citizen's Guide to Radon | 1986 | EPA/OAR/ORP | |
| Reduction Methods: A Homeowner's Guide | 1987 | EPA/OAR/ORP | |
| Interim Guidelines for Radon in New Home Construction | 1987 | EPA/OAR/ORP | |
| Radon Removal from Household Water | 1987 | EPA/ORD/EETD | |
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| Radon Measurement Proficiency | 1987 | EPA/OAR/ORP | |
| State Radon Program Summary | 1987 | EPA/OAR/ORP | |
| Radon Reference Manual | 1987 | EPA/OAR/ORP | |
| Asbestos in the Home: A Homeowner's Guide | 1988 | EPA Region 10 | Mary Frances Briggs (202)442-1255 (FTS)399-1255 |
| Asbestos in Homes | 1987 | EPA and CPSC | Toxics Hotline (202)554-1404 (FTS)554-1404 |
| Asbestos in Bulidings: Guidance for Service and Maintenance Personnel (in English and Spanish) | 1985 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| Asbestos in Bulldings: Simplified Sampling Scheme for Friable Surfacing Materials | 1984 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| Measuring Airborne Aspestos Following An Abatement Action | 1985 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| Guidance for Controlling Asbestos-Containing Materials in Buildings | 1985 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| Guidance for Preventing Asbestos Disease Among Mechanics | 1986 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| Airborne Asbestos Health Assessment Update | 1986 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| A Guilde to Respiratory Protection for the Asbestos Abatement Industry | 1986 | EPA and NIOSH | |
| Assessing Asbestos Expasure in Public Buildings | 1988 | EPA/OPTS/OTS | |
| Iermiticides Consumer Information | 1988 | EPA/OPTS/OPP | Jackie Bishop (703)557-4474 (FTS)557-4474 |

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| A Consumer Guide to Safer Pesticide Use | 1987 | EPA/OPTS/OPP | |
| Citizen's Guide to Pesticides | 1987 | EPA/OPTS/OPP | |
| Chlordane Consumer Information | 1987 | EPA/OPTS/OPP | |
| U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION | | | |
| Asbestos in Homes | 1987 | CPSC and EPA | CPSC Hotline (800) 638-CPSC |
| Safety Alert on Humidifiers | 1988 | CPSC | , , |
| U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES | | | |
| Guidance for Indoor Air Quality Investigations | 1987 | DHHS/CDC/NIOSH | Rick Gorman (513) 841–4382 (FTS) 684–4382 |
| The Surgeon General's Report on the Health Consequences of Involuntary Smoking | 1986 | DHHS/CDC/CCDPHP | Technical Information Center, Office of Smoking and Health (301) 443-1690 |
| Reducing the Health Consequences of Smoking: 25 Years of Progress | 1989 | DHHS/CDC/CCDPHP | |
| TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY | | | |
| Indoor Air Quality: How It Affects You | 1988 | TVA | Robert Rainey (205) 382-2314 (No FTS) |