

PFAS Special Forum

Thursday, September 12th | 6:30 PM - 8 PM | Pittsburgh Airport Marriott

To further educate local residents, [PublicSource](#) and [Environmental Health News](#) are hosting a special forum on PFAS contamination in the Pittsburgh region.

PFAS chemicals have contaminated groundwater at area military bases and potentially the airport through firefighting foam. PFAS, linked to cancer, thyroid disease and other health issues, could threaten the drinking water supply. PFAS chemicals are in many products that repel oil and water (clothing, cookware, fast food wrapping).

Speakers

[Carla Ng](#) PFAS researcher at the University of Pittsburgh

[Caitlin Berretta](#) Manager of business development at Evoqua

[Melanie Benesh](#) Legislative attorney for the Environmental Working Group

[Hope Grosse and Joanne Stanton](#) Residents in Eastern Pennsylvania

[Lisa Daniels](#) Department of Environmental Protection's director of the Bureau of Safe Drinking Water

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[Kristina Marusic](#) Environmental Health News
[Oliver Morrison](#) PublicSource

There will be time for a Q&A with the audience.

 Environmental Health News

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