



Integrating Environment and Human Health 7th National Conference on Science, Policy and the Environment

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Washington, DC

Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center

The 7th National Conference for Science, Policy and the Environment: *Integrating Environment and Human Health*

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Over 850 scientists, educators, policymakers, health professionals, and civil society representatives participated in NCSE's 7th National Conference on Science, Policy and the Environment: *Integrating Environment and Human Health*, in Washington, DC on February 1-2, 2007. Over 120 experts spoke in [plenary sessions](#), [symposia](#), and topical [breakout sessions](#). The conference addressed the many essential roles the environment plays on our well-being today, as well as the multi-dimensional relationships between human health and environmental components, which may have far-reaching consequences for society.

We invite you to join us as we continue the conference in cyberspace. The updated conference website includes [Conference Videos](#), [Lecture Transcripts](#), [PowerPoint Presentations](#) and [Biographies of Key Speakers](#). Posted conference highlights include:

- **Opening Keynote Address**, delivered by **Howard Frumkin**, Director, National Center for Environmental Health, CDC
- **7th Chafee Memorial Lecture**, delivered by **Larry Brilliant**, Director, Google.org Foundation, who presented the John H. Chafee Memorial Lecture on Science and the Environment
- **Friday morning Keynote Address**, delivered by **Mirta Roses Periago**, Director, Pan American Health Organization
- [Plenary panels](#) on
 - **Strong Connections** among environmental quality, wildlife health and human health including examples of Avian Flu, Arsenic, Cholera and Climate change.
 - **Systems Thinking** about root causes, threats, drivers for unhealthy outcomes, stressors and topical issues
 - **One World, One Health, One Science, One Education** – forming a new approach to science and education
 - **Healthy People, Healthy Planet: From Evidence to Action** – moving from science to policy.
- **Lifetime Achievement Awards presented to**
 - [Theo Colborn](#), President, The Endocrine Disruption Exchange
 - [Herbert Needleman](#), Professor of Child Psychiatry and Pediatrics, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
- [Symposia](#) about:
 - Decisionmaking in the Real World
 - Guiding Research
 - Expanding Understanding
 - Avian Influenza
 - New Orleans and Katrina

You have the opportunity to view the [Draft Breakout Session Recommendations](#) from 25 **interactive breakout sessions**. These recommendations collectively constitute an **Agenda for Environment and Health Science and Solutions**. You can comment on the agenda and other issues on the new **NCSE Environment and Health blog (coming soon!)**.

The website also includes a list of [Upcoming Environment-Health Events](#), an online [Photo Gallery](#), a [List of Participants](#), and [abstracts](#) from the conference poster session, featuring current research and initiatives at the intersection of the environmental and health science.

Visit the conference website at www.ncseonline.org/2007conference to view these features and participate in the blog.

We invite you to join us in person at NCSE's 8th National Conference on Science, Policy and the Environment: ***Climate Change: Science and Solutions*** in Washington, DC on January 17 and 18, 2008. See www.ncseonline.org/2008conference to keep up with program developments and to suggest speakers and topics to cover.

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