



Selected Resources for Region I on Asthma

Healthy People 2010 Resources

Healthy People 2010 Information Access Project – Respiratory Diseases

Partners in Information Access for Public Health Professionals

<http://phpartners.org/hp/eh.html>

Makes it easy to search PubMed for scientific journal articles related to achieving selected Healthy People 2010 objectives. A single click retrieves articles geared to air quality (see Outdoor Air Quality and Indoor Air). Also, see links to related resources.

NHLBI Healthy People 2010 Gateway (National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute)

<http://hp2010.nhlbi.nih.net/index.htm>

Provides easy access to respiratory-related Healthy People 2010 objectives plus Institute information and resources to help communities achieve them. Click on the “Respiratory” portal for professional training and information resources, public education materials, meeting notices, guidelines, and programs on asthma. The “Minority Populations” portal contains population-specific resources and reports. Click “Join the Network” to sign on as a partner in NHLBI’s Health Information Network (HIN).

healthfinder® - Healthy People 2010 Topics

www.healthypeople.gov/healthfinder

A Healthy People 2010 interface for the U.S. government gateway to reliable consumer health information and other resources. Searchable Healthfinder® topics are organized by Healthy People 2010 focus area (See “24 – Respiratory Diseases”). Find links, descriptions, and contact information for government agencies, national clearinghouses, non-profit organizations, universities, and others that provide relevant resources.

National Guideline Clearinghouse

www.guideline.gov

Evidence-based clinical practice guidelines and related documents (such as association position statements) that may be useful tools in engaging health care partners and promoting effective clinical practices to achieve 2010 objectives.

Asthma Resources

American Lung Association

www.lungusa.org/asthma

Provides detailed information on asthma (including section on older people/teens and asthma), asthma medicines and attacks, peak flow meters, and home control of allergies and asthma.

Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America (AAFA)

www.aafa.org

Provides individuals with asthma and allergies and their caregivers practical information, community-based services, support and referrals through a national network of chapters and educational support groups.

Asthma Awareness Curriculum for the Elementary Classroom

www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/prof/lung/asthma/school/index.htm

Asthma: A Concern for Minority Populations

www.niaid.nih.gov/factsheets/asthma.htm

Asthma Management Model System

<http://nhlbisupport.com/asthma>

CDC Recommends...Prevention Guideline System

www.phppo.cdc.gov/cdcRecommends/AdvSearchV.asp

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Community-Based Asthma Care

<http://telehealth.hrsa.gov/grants/states/wash.htm>

Extramural Asthma and Allergy Research Program

www.vrc.nih.gov/dait/aarp.html

Global Initiative for Asthma-Scientific Reports on Asthma Management and Prevention

www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/prof/lung/gina.htm

Guidelines for the Diagnosis and Management of Asthma

www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/asthma/asthgdln.htm

Health Services/Technology Assessment Text (HSTAT)

<http://hstat.nlm.nih.gov/hq>

HSTAT is a searchable collection of large, full-text clinical practice guidelines, technology assessments and health information.

How Asthma-Friendly Is Your Child-Care Setting?

www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/public/lung/asthma/child_ca.htm

How to Create A Dust Free Bedroom

www.niaid.nih.gov/factsheets/dustfree.htm

National Asthma Control Program (National Center for Environmental Health, CDC)

www.cdc.gov/nceh/airpollution/asthma/

Provides information about national asthma prevention programs, including a map of CDC-funded asthma control activities by state (click on "At-a-Glance"). Offers access to national tracking data from the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, National Vital Statistics System, and other sources.

National Asthma Education and Prevention Program (NAEPP)

www.nhlbi.nih.gov/about/naepp/index.htm

Put Prevention Into Practice (PPIP)

www.ahrq.gov/clinic/ppipix.htm

A program to increase the appropriate use of clinical preventive services, such as screening tests, immunizations, and counseling, based on U.S. Preventive Services Task Force recommendations

School Health Guidelines

www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/dash/healthtopics/

Guidelines to Address: Asthma; Nutrition; Physical Activity; Tobacco - Other Health Topics.

Speaker's Kit for Health Care Professionals

www.cdc.gov/nceh/airpollution/asthma/speakit/default.htm

Students with Asthma: Guidance for Families, Schools and Students

www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/public/lung/index.htm

Sample Presentations

Effect of Asthma on Pregnancy (PowerPoint Presentation - FDA)

www.fda.gov/cder/present/clinpharm2000/Schatz/

Author: Robert S. Zeiger, MD, PhD, U.S. Food and Drug Administration, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

Health Center Asthma Quality Improvement Initiative (PowerPoint Presentation - HRSA)

www.bphc.hrsa.gov/quality/NACHCchi2.ppt

Author: Health Resources and Services Administration, Bureau of Primary Health Care

How to Avoid Asthma Triggers Indoors (PowerPoint Presentation - EPA)

www.montana.edu/wwwcxair/default.htm

Author: John Guevin, U.S. EPA, Office of Air & Radiation

Regional Information & Tools

Regional 2010 Events and Priorities

www.phf.org/HPTools/regions.htm

Locate information about HHS regional contacts, Healthy People 2010 priorities, and events. Follow the link to the "Healthy People Assistance Page" for links to state Healthy People 2010 web sites and the State Healthy People 2010 Tool Library.