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Air Quality Advisory

Unhealthy Conditions

For the following areas:

Humboldt County: Willow Creek, Weitchpec, Orleans
Trinity County: Weaverville, Junction City, Lewiston

Smoke levels in these area(s) have been classified as Unhealthy and are creating a health hazard. Wildfire smoke will likely settle in canyons, valleys, and basins during the next few days, and cause poor air quality. Willow Creek, Hoopa Valley, Weaverville and surrounding areas have the potential to have degraded air quality in the afternoon. Depending upon your proximity to the fires, smoke concentrations could range from Unhealthy to even Hazardous. These conditions are problematic for those with health conditions. Smoke levels continue to be monitored. Please watch for updates.

People in these areas are recommended to restrict outdoor activity. Symptoms that may be related to excess smoke exposure include:

- Repeated coughing
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Wheezing
- Chest tightness or pain
- Palpitations
- Nausea or unusual fatigue
- Lightheadedness

Clean Air Shelters in Trinity County:

Solid Rock Church (Hayfork), Open 24 hrs, 66 Tule Cr, Hayfork
Roderick Senior Center (Hayfork), 9am to 3pm., 90 Corral Ave, Hayfork
Van Duzen Community Ctr (Mad River), Open 24 hrs, 591 Van Duzen Road, Mad River
Golden Age Ctr (Weaverville), Open 9am to 7pm, 201 Browns Ranch Rd, Weaverville
Junction City School (Junction City), 9am to 7pm, 430 Red Hill Rd, Junction City
Burn Ranch School (Burnt Ranch), 251 Burnt Ranch School Rd, Burn Ranch.

For 24-hour Air Quality Advisory Information, call the NCUAQMD's hotline toll-free at 1-866-BURN-DAY (1-866-287-6329), or visit the website at www.ncuaqmd.org.

Please see the NCUAQMD's General Public Service Announcement for recommendations on limiting smoke exposure.

