CREATING HEALTHY COMMUNITIES
GET THE LEAD OUT
THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2018
8:30 AM TO 4:00 PM (EDT)

The Westin Convention Center
1000 Penn Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Women for a Healthy Environment’s Get The Lead Out is a one-day conference focused on the single issue of lead. Lead impacts developing brains and nearly every system in the body. Science confirms that no amount of lead exposure should be considered safe. The healthy communities conference will seek to identify ways that communities can work together to address the hazard of lead in homes, schools and early learning centers. The day-long event will feature national experts on the issue and interactive working groups will be solutions oriented. The conference will be an opportunity to listen, learn and make your voice heard.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:
BRUCE LANpheAR, MD, MPH
PROFESSOR, SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY
Dr. Lanphear is a leading researcher examining the efficacy of lead hazard controls on children’s blood lead levels and their risk for learning and behavioral problems.
KAREN WEaver, PH.D.
MAYOR OF FLINT, MICHIGAN
Dr. Weaver was born and raised in Flint, Michigan, a city that experienced a water & lead poisoning crisis in 2014, but is rebounding under Dr. Weaver’s leadership.

FEATURED SPEAKERS:
JENNIFER CHAVEZ
EARTHJUSTICE
KAREN HACKER, MD, MPH
ALLEGHENY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
SCOTT HAMELINEK, LANDEN
BOARD OF WATER AND LIGHT, MI
JEFFREY HOWARD, PH.D.
WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY
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