



SCHOHARIE COUNTY EMERGENCY INFORMATION TO RESIDENTS

Mold Prevention Tips

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As Schoharie County residents begin to recover from Hurricane Irene and the additional rainfall dropped by Tropical Storm Lee, mold prevention will become an increasing concern. The following websites offer some guidance on how to prevent mold. Schoharie County residents can also contact the County Health Department for additional guidance. The current temporary number for the County Health Department is: 518-231-2335.

OSHA

1. Fungi Hazards and Flood Cleanup Fact Sheet - http://www.osha.gov/OshDoc/data_Hurricane_Facts/Bulletin3.pdf
2. Fact Sheet on Natural Disaster Recovery: Fungi - <http://www.osha.gov/OshDoc/fungi.html>

EPA

1. Flood Cleanup: Avoiding Indoor Air Quality Problems Fact Sheet - <http://www.epa.gov/iaq/pdfs/floods.pdf>
2. Moisture and Mold Prevention and Control Tips - <http://www.epa.gov/mold/preventionandcontrol.html>
3. Cleaning Up After a Flood: Addressing Mold Problems - <http://www.epa.gov/katrina/outreach/mold.pdf>

NYS DOH

1. Flooding: Quick Reference Guide - http://www.health.ny.gov/environmental/emergency/flood/quick_reference.htm

CDC

Protect Yourself From Mold
<http://www.bt.cdc.gov/disasters/mold/protect.asp>

Please contact your Local Fire Department for emergency information in your area or go to the Schoharie County Website for the latest updates regarding the floods at <http://www.schohariecounty-ny.gov/>.

"Stay alert, stay informed."