



WILDFIRE SMOKE INFORMATION

A joint message from the North Coast Unified Air Quality Management District (NCUAQMD) and partners

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Air Quality ADVISORY Unhealthy to Very Unhealthy Conditions

Area/location	AQI Forecast	
Humboldt County		
Eureka (including Rio Dell to Trinidad)	Unhealthy	
Willow Creek	Very Unhealthy	
Weitchpec	Very Unhealthy	
Hoopa Valley	Very Unhealthy	
Garberville, Redway & nearby communities	Unhealthy	
Del Norte County		
Crescent City	Unhealthy	
Klamath	Unhealthy	
Gasquet	Unhealthy to	Very Unhealthy
Trinity County		
Weaverville	Unhealthy	
Hayfork	Unhealthy to	Very Unhealthy
Trinity Center	Unhealthy to	Very Unhealthy
Ruth, Zenia-Kettenpom, Trinity Pines areas	Very Unhealthy	

Smoke impacts from the fires are expected to reach Unhealthy to Very Unhealthy conditions over the next 24 hours in the communities indicated above. This forecast is expected to remain in effect until September 15, 2020. Updates will be provided as conditions change. A separate air quality ALERT for Hazardous conditions was issued today for Orleans. Air quality monitors for these communities can be viewed at <https://fire.airnow.gov>.

Particulate Matter (PM2.5) monitors are located in Crescent City, Gasquet, Eureka, Weaverville, Hoopa, Weitchpec, Willow Creek, Klamath, Trinity Center, Bridgeville, and Garberville. Updates will be provided as conditions change. Fire information can be found at <http://inciweb.nwcg.gov/> or <https://fire.airnow.gov/>. Current weather information can be found at www.wrh.noaa.gov. For more information, please see the NCUAQMD's Public Service Announcements for recommendations on limiting smoke exposure on our website at www.ncuaqmd.org or call the District's Wildfire Response Coordinator at (707) 443-3093 x122.

Air Quality Index (AQI Value)	PM 2.5 24hr avg (ug/m ³)	Actions to Protect Yourself
Good (0-50)	0-12	None
Moderate (51-100)	12-35	Sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion
Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups (USG) (101-150)	35-55	People within USG should reduce prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion
Unhealthy (151-200)	55-150	People within USG should avoid all prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion
Very Unhealthy (201-300)	150-250	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion
Hazardous (>300)	250-500	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity

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