

**U.S. EPA Office of Science and Technology Webinar**  
**Preparing for HABs Season: Planning and Responding  
to Cyanotoxins in Recreational Waters**

**DATE:** Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**TIME:** 11:00 – 1:00pm EST

**AUDIO AND LOG-IN INFORMATION**

Adobe Log-in: <https://epawebconferencing.acms.com/habsrec/>

Audio: Computer audio (VoIP or Voice over Internet Protocol), or by phone 866-299-3188; 2025660412#

**PRESENTATIONS AND RECORDING**

<https://www.epa.gov/cyanoHABS/epas-tools-cyanobacteria-and-cyanotoxins-freshwater-systems>

**SUMMARY**

This webinar will focus on a brief presentation on the New Recommended Recreational Water Quality Criteria/Swimming Advisories for Cyanotoxins, and the various EPA tools and resources that can be used by state environment and health agencies, tribes, and local governments to manage cyanobacteria and cyanotoxins in recreational waters. The webinar will also include presentations from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineering on how to manage HABs and cyanotoxins in freshwater systems, from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation on HABs monitoring efforts, and a presentation on dogs poisonings exposed to microcystins in 2018 in Stuart, Florida.

**AGENDA**

<b>TIME</b>	<b>PRESENTATION</b>	<b>SPEAKER</b>
11:00 -11:05	<b>Welcome</b>	Lesley D’Anglada Office of Science and Technology
11:05 - 11:20	<b>NEW EPA Recommended Recreational Water Quality Criteria/Swimming Advisories for Cyanotoxins</b>	John Ravenscroft Office of Science and Technology
11:20 - 11:45	<b>EPA tools to manage and communicate the risks of cyanotoxins and in support of the Cyanotoxins Recreationl Criteria/Swimming Advisories</b>	Lars Wilcut Office of Science and Technology
11:45 - 12:10	<b>Managing CyanoHABs and cyanotoxins in freshwater systems</b>	Kaytee Pokrzywinski Research and Development Center, USACE
12:10 – 12:35	<b>HABs monitoring and surveillance efforts in New York State</b>	Rebecca M. Gorney New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
12:35 - 1:00	<b>Lessons learned from the 2018 Microcystin poisoning of dogs in Stuart, FL</b>	Nancy Mettee Pet Emergency of Martin County, FL
1:00 pm	Adjourn	

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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