



## West Virginia School Health Technical Assistance Center

Please join us Wednesday, January 28, 2015

from 2:30-3:30 PM

for a free webinar on

### Asthma

Children are routinely exposed to environmental toxins in their homes, schools, work places for adolescents, their yards, parks, playgrounds and other recreational locations that can be triggers for asthma. Please join Dr. Jerome Paulson to learn about five of those triggers and identify ways to reduce them in home and school environments where children spend most of their days.

This training is offered only via WebEx (no conference call lines will be available). **The Webinar is FREE but you must register in advance.** We are limited to 100 WebEx participants, so please **register early** and plan for group access when able.

**Registration Link, CEU Information and Presenter Bio  
are available on our webpage:**

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#### Learning Objectives

1. Participants will be able to identify 5 environmental triggers of pediatric asthma.
2. Participants will be able to identify practical and efficient measures to reduce environmental asthma triggers in the home and school.
3. Participants will be able to provide resources for patients and students with further questions about children's environmental health resources.

#### Miscellaneous Information:

CEUs pending through the Office of Maternal, Child and Family Health. Social Work Continuing Education provider registration number (490089); West Virginia Board of Examiners for Registered Nurses Continuing Education provider number (WV1999-0297).

This event is coordinated by the West Virginia Department of Education Office of Special Programs and Marshall University School Health Technical Assistance Center.

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**Bio:**

**Jerome A. Paulson, MD, FAAP** is the Director and Professor of Pediatrics at the George Washington University School of Medicine & Health Sciences and Professor of Environmental & Occupational Health at the GW School of Public Health & Health Services. He is the Medical Director for National & Global Affairs of the Children’s Health Advocacy Institute at Children’s National. Dr. Paulson serves as chairperson for the American Academy of Pediatrics Council on Environmental Health and serves on the Children’s Health Protection Advisory Committee for the US Environmental Protection Agency. In October 2004 he was a Dozor Visiting Professor at Ben Gurion University in Beer Sheva, Israel. He lectured there and throughout Israel on children’s environmental health. He was a recipient of a Soros Advocacy Fellowship for Physicians from the Open Society Institute and worked with the Children’s Environmental Health Network, and has also served as a special assistant to the director of the National Center on Environmental Health of the CDC working on children’s environmental health issues. He is the editor of the October, 2001 and the February and April 2007 editions of Pediatric Clinics of North America on children’s environmental health. He has served on numerous boards and committees related to children’s environmental health.

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**When: 2:30pm-3:30pm**

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| February 11, 2015  | ACA and Community Services (WVinRoads, insure now, parent engagement) |
| February 25, 2015  | School Resources for Equity   |
| March 25, 2015     | Seizure Medications (prescribing and administering)                   |
| April 15, 2015     | Drug Diversion  |
| June 16 & 17, 2015 | KidStrong Conference  |