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Aimee Boulanger is a consultant providing nonprofit organizations program and management support services. She serves as Coordinator for the Washington State Chapter of the Collaborative on Health and the Environment (CHE-WA), a diverse network of scientists, researchers, healthcare professionals, nonprofit advocates, government service staff and citizens sharing a common concern about links between human health and the environment. She has worked as Program Director for the Institute for Children's Environmental Health and Executive Director for Women's Voices for the Earth, both national organizations reducing the environmental causes of human illness and reproductive harm.



Corey Hope Colwell-Lipson is a licensed marriage and family therapist and board-certified clinical art therapist specializing in the transition to parenthood, from pre-conception through post-partum. Bridging a deep passion for supporting women, couples and families in nourishing their worlds within, *and* without, Corey is also an author, speaker and brand strategist in the LOHAS (Lifestyles of Health and Sustainability) realm. A frequent guest contributor to health and lifestyle segments, Corey's simple, fun and "meaningfully green" solutions have been featured in outlets such as *Real Simple*, Good Morning America, NPR and MSNBC. Founder of the nationally recognized programs, Green Halloween® and National Costume Swap Day™, which together reach millions coast-to-coast, Corey has partnered with dozens of health, environmental and education-focused non-and for-profit entities including Dr. Oz's HealthCorps, Goodwill Industries, Whole Foods Market, Green America, Honest Tea, Larabar, Nature's Path, Plum Organics and many more. Connect with Corey at www.PrenatalBonding.org or www.TheCalabashGroup.com.

Holly Davies, PhD, has been at the Washington State Department of Ecology since 2007 working on Reducing Toxic Threats. Holly works on persistent, bioaccumulative, and toxic chemicals (PBTs). This work focuses on preventing exposures to toxic chemicals, especially exposures to children, who are more vulnerable than adults. She received a BS in Biology from Cornell University in Ithaca, NY in 1993 and a PhD in Genetics from the University of Washington in Seattle, WA, in 2000. Before joining the Washington Department of Ecology her experience has been academic teaching and research in genetics and developmental biology.



Steven G. Gilbert, PhD, DABT, Director and Founder of the Institute of Neurotoxicology and Neurological Disorders (INND), received a Ph.D. in Toxicology in 1986 from the University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, and is a Diplomat of American Board of Toxicology. He is an Affiliate Professor in the Department of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences, University of Washington and Affiliate Professor, Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences, UW Bothell. He is a former owner and President of Biosupport, LTD., which he sold to SNBL USA Ltd. Dr. Gilbert's research has focused on neurobehavioral effects of low-level exposure to lead and mercury on the developing nervous system. His book, *A Small Dose of Toxicology- The Health Effects of Common Chemicals* was published in 2004. Visit www.asmalldoseof.org.

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Robert M. Gould, MD, graduated from Albert Einstein College of Medicine in 1977, and from 1981 until 2012 worked as a Pathologist at Kaiser Hospital in San Jose. In 2012 Bob was appointed as an Associate Adjunct Professor in the Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences at the UCSF School of Medicine, to serve as Director of Health Professional Outreach and Education for the UCSF Program on Reproductive Health and the Environment (PRHE). Since 1989, he has been President of the San Francisco-Bay Area Chapter of Physicians for Social Responsibility (PSR), and in 2003 was President of National PSR, to serve again in this capacity in 2014. Since 1992, Bob has been a leading member of the Environmental Committee of the Santa Clara County chapter of the California Medical Association (CMA). For his work within CMA, he received the Santa Clara County Medical Association's "Outstanding Contribution in Community Service" award in 2001, and "Outstanding Contribution to the Medical Society" award in 2012.

Kim Harley, PhD, is Adjunct Associate Professor in the Maternal and Child Health Program and an Associate Director of the Center for Environmental Research in Children's Health (CERCH) at UC Berkeley. She is a reproductive and perinatal epidemiologist whose research focuses on the association between endocrine disrupting chemicals and child development, including neurodevelopment, obesity, and onset of puberty. Her work has focused on the reproductive and developmental effects of Bisphenol A, PBDEs, DDT, and organophosphate pesticides. Dr. Harley is the co-Director of the CHAMACOS Study, a longitudinal cohort study of Latina mothers and children living in the agricultural Salinas Valley, California. Dr. Harley is also the Director of the HERMOSA Project which is working with Latina adolescents to determine their exposure to hormone-disrupting chemicals in cosmetics and beauty products.



Toni Marthaller-Andersen MSN, ARNP, Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP-C) is an advanced registered nurse practitioner board certified as a primary care provider in family medicine by the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners. A former public health nurse and board member of the Institute for Children's Environmental Health, she practices at her clinic Women to Wellness, a women's health and lifestyle medicine clinic in Greenbank, Washington. Her practice focus is providing individualized wellness and medical care that explores the relationship of the body, mind, spirit and environment to human health and healing.

Emma Medicine White Crow is the Chair of the Washington State Governor's Interagency Coordinating Council on Health Disparities. She is also a member of Region X Health & Human Services Regional Health Disparities Council. She is currently working with the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe on Health Reform and the Affordable Care Act. Emma serves on the Executive Committee of the 49-community organization membered Equal Start Community Coalition, Seattle King County Race & Justice Committee, is a member of the Race and Equity Core Group at the National Network of Grantmakers. She has worked with the People of Color in Philanthropy Affinity group, Grantmakers of Color, National Network of Grantmakers People of Color Caucus, Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians, Peoples Institute to Undo Racism Taskforce for Health Equity, Western States Center and multiple philanthropic organizations. She was previously the Director of SpiritWalk Health Foundation at the Seattle Indian Health Board and the Community Outreach & Grants Manager for the Susan G. Komen Foundation. She has served with the Washington Health Foundation in Seattle where she focused on Improving Health for the People of Washington and the goal of making Washington State the healthiest state in the nation.



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Elise Miller, MEd, is Director of the Collaborative on Health and the Environment (CHE), an international partnership of researchers, health professionals, and advocates committed to strengthening the scientific and public dialogue on the impact of environmental factors on human health. Ms. Miller also serves on the Board of Directors of The Endocrine Disruptor Exchange (TEDX) and was named to the National Advisory Board of the Children's Environmental Health Network (CEHN), after 12 years of service on the Network's Board of Directors. In addition, she is a member of the professional advisory boards of four other nonprofits in the environmental health field. From 2007 – 2011, she was a member of the US EPA's Children's Health Protection Advisory Committee. Ms. Miller founded the national Institute for Children's Environmental Health (ICEH) in 1999 and served as its Executive Director for 10 years before it merged with Commonweal, the fiscal sponsor of CHE, in 2009. She received her Masters in Education from Harvard in 1992 and her B.A. in History with high honors from Dartmouth in 1985.



Karin Gunther Russ, MS, RN, is the National Coordinator of the Fertility and Reproductive Health Working Group of the Collaborative on Health and the Environment. Ms. Russ works with researchers, health professionals, advocates and members of the public interested in how environmental factors affect reproduction. Her mission is to disseminate the latest research on reproductive environmental health, provide resources for clinicians and researchers, and facilitate collaboration between experts in the field. Ms. Russ is a registered nurse with extensive experience in diverse settings such as labor and delivery, women's health, epidemiology, and research administration. She holds a Masters degree in Health Service Leadership and Management, and post-masters specialty certificates in Teaching in Nursing and Environmental Health Nursing from the University of Maryland. Ms. Russ is also a faculty member in the Community & Public Health department at the University of Maryland School of Nursing, and works on environmental health policy at the state level as chair of the Maryland Nurses Association's Environmental Health Committee and steering committee member for the Maryland Environmental Health Network.

Sheela Sathyarayana, MD, MPH, is an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and Adjunct Assistant Professor within the Department of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences at the University of Washington, and an Investigator within the Center for Child Health, Behavior and Development at the Seattle Children's Research Institute. She is a pediatric environmental health specialist. Her research interests focus on exposures to endocrine disrupting chemicals including phthalates and bisphenol A and their impact on reproductive development. Currently, Dr. Sathyarayana is the center director and clinical director for The Infant Development and Environment Study (TIDES) which is a multi-center cohort study of phthalate exposures in pregnancy and health outcomes in children. She is currently the co-chair for the US EPA's Children's Health Protection Advisory Committee. Dr. Sathyarayana performs environmental health consults for health care professionals, governmental entities, and individual families related to environmental exposures and children's health. She also practices general pediatrics at Harborview Medical Center in Seattle, Washington.



Ted Schettler MD, MPH, is Science Director of the Science and Environmental Health Network. He also serves as science director of the Collaborative on Health and Environment. He has a medical degree from Case Western Reserve University and a Masters in public health from Harvard University. Schettler has addressed the connections between human health and the food, chemical, built, and social environments in numerous publications and presentations. Recent projects explore the ways in which multi-level interventions can help prevent chronic diseases such as asthma, diabetes, cancer, cognitive decline and dementia. He has served on advisory committees of the US EPA and National Academy of Sciences.

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Peggy Shepard, Co-founder and Executive Director of WE ACT For Environmental Justice (WE ACT), works to engage Northern Manhattan residents in campaigns to affect environmental protection and environmental health policy locally and nationally and has become a national leader in advancing the perspective of environmental justice. Ms. Shepard served as chair of EPA's National Environmental Justice Advisory Council (NEJAC). She received the Jane Jacobs Medal for Lifetime Achievement from the Rockefeller Foundation, the 10th Annual Heinz Award for the Environment, an Honorary Doctorate from Smith College, and the Calver Award from APHA. Ongoing research partnerships include the Columbia Mailman School's Children's Environmental Health Center, and the NIEHS Center for Environmental Health, where WE ACT translates ambient and indoor air quality research into policy and community education initiatives; Montefiore Hospital, where WE ACT works to investigate efficient methods of training parents on indoor lead dust exposure; Mt. Sinai School of Medicine where it works to understand the impact of climate change on Northern Manhattan children; and the University of Pittsburgh School of Public Health, where WE ACT works to understand the cumulative impact of psychosocial stress and air pollution on asthma in New York City neighborhoods.

Heather Trim, PhD, is Science and Policy Director at Futurewise. She works to prevent runoff from entering our waterways, improving shoreline management practices and policies and addressing a range of issues from community sustainability, habitats, and climate change. Prior to joining Futurewise, Heather was at People for Puget Sound for over ten years where she focused on reducing toxic pollution in Puget Sound, ecological features in waterfronts, habitat restoration policies, clean stormwater, and environmental justice issues. Before that, she was staff scientist for the Los Angeles and San Gabriel Rivers Watershed Council working on various projects leading to the greening of the rivers. She also worked for the Regional Water Quality Control Board on water quality standards, regulatory permits, and pollution assessments of both surface and ground water for Los Angeles and Ventura Counties. Beyond Futurewise, Heather has also been a leader of Zero Waste Seattle and is on the executive committee for the Washington State Chapter of the Sierra Club.



Laurie Valeriano, Executive Director, has worked for Washington Toxics Coalition since 1995. She has worked to pass strong environmental health policies at the state level for more than 15 years. During those years she has led successful campaigns to make Washington the first state in the nation to ban the toxic flame retardant, deca (PBDE), and adopt the strongest standards in the nation for toxic chemicals in toys and children's products. Laurie received her B.A in Political Science from the State University at Albany in 1991. She lives in Seattle with her three children and loves to go camping and practice yoga.

Margo Young is the Regional Children's Environmental Health Coordinator for the US Environmental Protection Agency in Region 10, serving communities in Alaska, Washington, Idaho, and Oregon and Tribal Nations. She works with a variety of stakeholders in her work, bringing together diverse professionals and citizens committed to protecting children's environmental health in homes, schools, child cares, and communities. She holds a Masters degree in Public Administration from the University of Washington's Dan Evans School of Public Affairs and a BA from the University of Montana in Missoula.

