

Response from Military Accountability and Transparency Alliance (edited for brevity)

Thank you for reaching out to MAATA. We have seen the same thing at George AFB with lymphoma and leukemia, in rates much higher than the national average. It's absolutely no coincidence that so many who were stationed with their families at these highly toxic bases are chronically ill and/or dying. We see very high rates of reproductive toxicity, neurological diseases and certain autoimmune issues, as well.

Ft Ord is definitely a highly contaminated site. It has numerous contaminants listed.

<https://cumulis.epa.gov/supercpad/SiteProfiles/index.cfm?fuseaction=second.contams&iid=0902783>

How many people approximately are in your group total that have chronic illnesses? How much proof have you uncovered in your investigations and do you need additional help with this? (An EPA list is not enough) Are they withholding medical records from Ft Ord? Have they informed you of your exposure at all?

The list of connected conditions is actually quite long, but includes the following:

Autoimmune diseases

RA

SLE (Lupus)

Raynaud's phenomenon

Scleroderma

EDS (ehlers-danlos syndrome)

Sjogren's syndrome

Crohn's disease

Ulcerative colitis

And others

Neurological diseases

Fibromyalgia

Multiple Sclerosis

Parkinson's Disease

Migraines

Peripheral neuropathy

ALS

Seizures

And others

Cancer

Lymphomas

Leukemias

Kidney

Pancreatic

Liver

Lung

Reproductive

And other rare cancers

Reproductive diseases

PCOS
Infertility
Endometriosis
Adenomyosis
Miscarriages
Stillbirths
Chronic Ovarian cysts

It also causes organ failure, often found in the kidneys and lungs.

Once you speak with your group and establish that you wish to move forward with legal action, you must choose a group representative and someone else as a backup, in the event that your attorney-in-fact is incapacitated and unable to fulfill their duties. Choose someone that is passionate and driven to seek justice. Once you have one, let me know and I will send them all the information on how to file your Administrative claims. MAATA will be there with your group through every step of the way.

Let me know if you have any questions.

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