

Department of Public Health Sciences

GRAND ROUNDS

“Protecting our Health: Toxic Chemicals, Drinking Water, and Human Health in Florida”

- Florida’s Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) recently proposed a new rule to ease restrictions on toxic cancer-causing chemicals in our surface waters.
- This was proposed without representation from the Environmental Regulation Commission’s environmental and local government stakeholders.
- This new Human Health Toxic Criteria (HHTC) rule would increase exposure to cancer causing compounds from 1 in 1 million to 1 in 100,000 for those who eat Florida-caught seafood once a week.
- Dr. Silverstein will discuss the public health and environmental justice concerns about the HHTC rule, how the inequities can be bridged and how we can work to protect our general welfare, health, and environment.



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Silverstein, PhD**

**Executive Director
& Waterkeeper**
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**Wednesday, Nov. 16th, 2016
11:45AM-1:00PM**

**DSCRC Room 989
1120 NW 14th Street
Miami, FL 33136**

Lunch will be served.

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