

Audio Podcast about the Symposium on the Science of Disproportionate Environmental Health Impacts

CHRISTINE GUITAR: Hi. I'm Christine Guitar with the Environmental Protection Agency. And today we are exploring the research and what it means at the *Symposium on the Science of Disproportionate Environmental Health Impacts*. The symposium is being held March 17-19 in Washington, DC. The symposium is a conference on the science that explains why some groups—primarily minority, low income, and tribal populations, and groups within those groups—are more likely to be exposed to and impacted by pollution. This symposium features presentations and discussions on seven of the factors that may cause these health impacts and lays a foundation for discussing how to address these impacts in the governmental decision-making process.