First Responder Survey pennsylvania DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



The Pennsylvania Department of Health (PADOH) is conducting a follow-up first responder Assessment of Chemical Exposure (ACE) survey to understand the health impacts of the February 3, 2023, train derailment in East Palestine, Ohio.

Who Can Participate?

This survey is available to Pennsylvania firefighters, EMS, police, HAZMAT team members, National Guard, NTSB, EPA and other first responders who responded to the train derailment since February 3, 2023. You do not need to have taken the first survey to participate in this follow-up survey. There are separate surveys for PA community members and Ohio first responders.

What Types of Questions Will Be Asked?

The survey includes questions on:

- Responder role and job duties
- Your location during response work and chemical exposures
- PPE use
- Your health status after the train derailment
- Medical care you received
- Ongoing health concerns/needs

How Can You Take the Survey?

You can complete the survey by:

- Visiting the following hyperlink: https://sst.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_dipyHiyn qN9KhJI
 - Scanning the QR code



When Can You Take the Survey?

The survey will be available beginning March 28, 2024 and will remain open through April 30, 2024.

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