

## Research Resources for the “Houston Teens Care about Clean Air Video Contest”:

As you begin your research to learn more about air pollution and health in Houston, here are some resources to get you started. As you explore the topic, don't forget to carefully evaluate sources to ensure the credibility and accuracy of the information. Several universities have created guidelines to help you with this, including [the University of Maryland](#) and [UC Berkeley](#). And make sure to keep a list of all the sources you use to create a citations list for your video.

### *Air Pollution and Health:*

- US EPA: [Criteria Air Pollutants and National Air Quality Standards](#)
- [Moms' Clean Air Force Resources \(English\)](#)
- [Moms' Clean Air Force \(Spanish\)](#)
- [USC Environmental Health Centers - Health Effects of Traffic Pollution](#)
- World Health Organization Report: Air Pollution Global Assessment:
  - [Summary](#)
  - [Full WHO report](#)
- [World Health Organization Public health, environmental and social determinants of health \(PHE\)](#)
- [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Center for Environmental Health](#)
- [National Institute for Environmental Health Sciences](#)
- [EPA Air Pollution and Health Risk](#)
- [American Lung Association “State of the Air](#)
- [EPA EJ Screen Tool is a screening and mapping tool created by the US EPA that allows you to see environmental and demographic data and generate reports](#)

### *Port Emissions and How to Reduce Them:*

- [Summary of EPA National Port Strategy Assessment](#)

### *Houston Air Quality Resources and Local Issues:*

- [EPA AirNow – real-time air quality information in Houston](#)
- [Air Alliance Houston: “Air Pollution 101”](#)
- [Green Houston Texas](#)
- [Texas Commission on Environmental Quality \(TCEQ\) Air Quality Resources](#)
- Search for local news stories on air pollution in Houston.

### *Health Statistics in Texas*

- [Center for Health Statistics](#)
- Texas Department of State Health Services: [Texas Health Fact Profiles](#)
- [Texas Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System](#)
  - [BRFSS Data Query system](#)
- [Texas Health Data](#): an interactive public data system that allows you to query DSHS public health datasets for statistical reports and summaries

### *US Census Information*

- [Homepage](#)
- [Data Homepage](#)