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# Mercury Exposure

Information for health care providers regarding individuals whose mercury exposure has been confirmed by the Westchester County Health Department.

## Clinical Evaluation includes

- Cough
- Dyspnea
- Nausea
- Vomiting
- Metallic taste in the mouth
- Conjunctivitis
- Erythematous pruritic rash

## Laboratory Evaluation consists of

- Spot urine and creatinine  
(refrigerated in regular urine container)
- blood for mercury (green top, heparinized tube, refrigerated)

Laboratory assessments can be performed by a reference laboratory or you may arrange with a local hospital to obtain the specimen and arrange for testing.

**For further information please call,  
the Westchester County Department of Health at (914) 813-5000  
or  
Mt Sinai Occupational and environmental medicine at (866) 265-6201**