NEW YORK STATE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM FOR CLEAN, GREEN, AND HEALTHY SCHOOLS

The Statewide School Environmental Health Program was developed through collaborative efforts by the New York State Department of Health in conjunction with over 40 state and federal agencies, and nongovernment organizations.



The New York State School Environmental Health Program has been developed to help schools improve the health and safety of their environment. This may result in better attendance, productivity, and test scores.

The program is voluntary and provides information for all school occupants on best practices, tools, knowledge, and resources in nine environmental health focus areas:

- 1. Indoor Air Quality (IAQ)
- 2. Energy and Resource Conservation
- 3. Integrated Pest Management (IPM)
- 4. Mold/Moisture
- 5. Chemical and Environmental Hazards
- 6. Cleaning and Maintenance
- 7. Transportation
- 8. Construction/Renovation
- 9. Water Quality



To learn more about the School Environmental Health Program (SEHP), visit our website at <u>https://www.health.ny.gov/SchoolEnviroHealth</u>

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