

## MEDIA ADVISORY

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## EHP Releases Names of Panelists for Community Meeting to Discuss Childhood Cancers in Southwestern Pennsylvania

The Southwest Pennsylvania Environmental Health Project (EHP) will host a “Community Meeting on Childhood Cancers in SWPA,” including the Canon-McMillan school district in Washington County. The meeting will be open to the public and the media.

Date: Tuesday, June 18

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Place: Bella Sera, 414 Morganza Road, Canonsburg, PA 15317

### Panelists:

#### **Bernard Goldstein, MD** (Moderator)

Professor Emeritus and former Dean, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health

#### **Janice Blanock**

Cecil resident, Mother of the late Luke Blanock

#### **Ned Ketyer, MD, FAAP**

Pediatrician, Pediatric Alliance

Physicians for Social Responsibility (Board)

Medical Consultant, SWPA Environmental Health Project

#### **Sarah Rankin, MPH, RN, OCN**

Public Health Nurse, SWPA Environmental Health Project

Oncology Certified Nurse

#### **Shaina Stacy, PhD, MPH, CPH**

Postdoctoral Scholar, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health

Environmental Health Researcher

The panel will talk about the issue of childhood cancer in the region, how being exposed to environmental pollution may play a part, and where we might go from here. The meeting will also allow members of the public to ask questions regarding the issue. Light refreshments will be served. Please RSVP at [bit.ly/EHP-Community-Meeting](http://bit.ly/EHP-Community-Meeting).

### About Southwest Pennsylvania Environmental Health Project

*The [Environmental Health Project](http://www.environmentalhealthproject.org) (EHP) is a nonprofit public health organization that defends public health in the face of oil and gas development. We provide frontline communities with timely monitoring, interpretation and guidance. We engage diverse stakeholders: health professionals, researchers, community organizers, public servants, and others. We do so because knowledge protects health.*