

## Alaska-Specific Resources on Wildfires and Health

### ONLINE RESOURCES AND MAPS:

- ✚ **Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) wildfire smoke webpage:** includes the visibility guidelines, advisories, and other useful information for community outreach.  
[https://dec.alaska.gov/air/smoke\\_qa.htm](https://dec.alaska.gov/air/smoke_qa.htm)
- ✚ **Alaska Interagency Coordination Center website:** up-to-date map and details about the fires  
[http://afsmaps.blm.gov/imf\\_fire/imf.jsp?site=fire](http://afsmaps.blm.gov/imf_fire/imf.jsp?site=fire)
- ✚ **McGrath Wildfire Plan**, a great planning tool (2010):  
[http://forestry.alaska.gov/pdfs/McGrath\\_CWPP\\_2010.pdf](http://forestry.alaska.gov/pdfs/McGrath_CWPP_2010.pdf)
- ✚ **US Wildfire Activity Web Map:** shows the perimeters of the active wildfires, warnings, and advisories.  
<http://www.arcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=df8bcc10430f48878b01c96e907a1fc3>
- ✚ **NOAA Smoke Advisories and Updates:** Gives a description of the smoke activity from satellite images twice a day. <http://www.ssd.noaa.gov/PS/FIRE/DATA/SMOKE/?C=M;O=D>
- ✚ **NASA Worldview:** Demonstration of the smoke in Alaska – can be helpful to identify ‘hot spots’.  
[https://worldview.earthdata.nasa.gov/?p=geographic&l=MODIS\\_Aqua\\_CorrectedReflectance\\_TrueColor,MODIS\\_Terra\\_CorrectedReflectance\\_TrueColor,MODIS\\_Fires\\_All,Reference\\_Labels,Reference\\_Features,Coastlines&t=2015-06-24&v=-169.07824473855544,55.76527080169705,-135.32824473855544,71.97230205169705](https://worldview.earthdata.nasa.gov/?p=geographic&l=MODIS_Aqua_CorrectedReflectance_TrueColor,MODIS_Terra_CorrectedReflectance_TrueColor,MODIS_Fires_All,Reference_Labels,Reference_Features,Coastlines&t=2015-06-24&v=-169.07824473855544,55.76527080169705,-135.32824473855544,71.97230205169705)
- ✚ **Statewide fire information call number:** (907) 356-5511. Hours of Operation: 8a.m. to 10p.m.
- ✚ **Wildfire Updates:** <http://www.akfireinfo.com>
- ✚ **Fire Weather:** <http://fire.ak.blm.gov/predsvcs/weather.php>
- ✚ **Lightning/Fire Interactive Map:** [http://afsmaps.blm.gov/imf\\_firelight/imf.jsp?site=firelight](http://afsmaps.blm.gov/imf_firelight/imf.jsp?site=firelight)
- ✚ **Alaska Fire and Smoke Health Questions:** [http://www.epi.alaska.gov/eh/wildfire/FAQ\\_FireSmoke.pdf](http://www.epi.alaska.gov/eh/wildfire/FAQ_FireSmoke.pdf)
- ✚ **Rural Wildfire Prevention Video:** <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yPJjod4uurc>
- ✚ **Current Air Quality:** <http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Advisories>
- ✚ **Smoke Visibility and Air Quality Index:** <http://co.fairbanks.ak.us/airquality/Docs/ParticulateLevels.pdf>
- ✚ **Alaska Interagency Incident Management Team Facebook page:**  
<https://www.facebook.com/ALASKAIMT?ref=hl>
- ✚ **7 day outlook:** <http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/forecast/#/outlooks?state=sideBySide&gacclid=1&forecastDay=2015-06-23&forecastInView=2015-06-23>
- ✚ **IGAP Guidebook:** Look at Chapters C and F (<http://www.epa.gov/tribal/GAP-guidance-final.pdf>) for capacity indicators and allowable activities related to air quality and emergency response,

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