

OBTAINING EPA TECHNICAL SUPPORT FOR SUPERFUND, RCRA, AND BROWNFIELDS SITES

EPA's Office of Research and Development (ORD) has five technical support centers (TSCs) that help to integrate science and technology into hazardous waste clean-up activities. These centers, located around the country, offer scientific expertise and services to EPA program and regional offices on site characterization, modeling, monitoring, assessment, and remediation.

Superfund and Technology Liaisons (STLs) are EPA scientists and engineers who are important links between regional staff and the TSCs. STLs in each region work with remedial project managers, corrective action staff, and on-scene coordinators to identify available ORD resources and specialized expertise to assist with specific clean-up sites, tasks or projects.

ORD'S FIVE TECHNICAL SUPPORT CENTERS:

- Ecological Risk Assessment Support Center**
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 Provides technical information and addresses scientific questions regarding ecological risk assessment at hazardous waste sites
- Engineering Technical Support Center**
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 Provides site-specific assistance on engineering and treatment issues of site cleanup; helps incorporate technology-based data needs and site-specific remedy options for site cleanup
- Groundwater Technical Support Center**
 David Burden: 580-436-8606 | burden.david@epa.gov
 Provides site-specific assistance on groundwater and subsurface contamination problems at waste sites; publishes issue papers on subsurface remediation and groundwater topics
- Site Characterization and Monitoring Technical Support Center**
 Felicia Barnett 404-562-8659 | barnett.felicia@epa.gov
 Provides site characterization assistance by supporting the use of cutting-edge methods and technologies for identifying contaminants, determining levels and concentrations, and identifying geographic extent
- Superfund Health Risk Technical Support Center**
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 Provides technical support on exposure and toxicity risk issues; reviews exposure and toxicity factors and develops new and updated provisional peer-reviewed toxicity values

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