



## SUPERFUND AND TECHNOLOGY LIAISONS

*The Superfund and Technology Liaisons (STLs) are a team of scientists and engineers who serve as the primary technical liaisons between each of EPA's regional offices and the Office of Research and Development (ORD) on issues related to hazardous waste. STLs work to ensure that hazardous waste managers have access to technical support that can help them make scientifically defensible decisions during site cleanup. The STLs are supported by ORD's Office of Science Policy through the Regional Science Program.*

### STL Responsibilities

The STLs support regional Superfund, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), and Brownfields programs by:

- Providing direct technical support on topics for which they have expertise.
- Coordinating technical assistance (including site-specific consultation) through ORD's Technical Support Centers (TSCs) and other sources of expertise.
- Working with regional and ORD staff to communicate waste program research priorities and accomplishments.
- Facilitate technology and information transfer through planning and conducting trainings, workshops and conferences, developing scientific papers and actively engaging in technical forums.

### Expertise Available at ORD's Technical Support Centers (TSCs):

The TSCs are specialized resource centers that offer scientific expertise and services to EPA's program and regional offices on site characterization, modeling, monitoring, assessment, and remediation. The regions can access the TSCs directly or through the STLs.

- **Ecological Risk Assessment Support Center**  
Provides technical information and addresses scientific questions regarding ecological risk assessment at hazardous waste sites
- **Engineering Technical Support Center**  
Provides assistance on engineering and treatment issues; helps incorporate technology-based data needs and site-specific remedy options for site cleanup
- **Groundwater Technical Support Center**  
Provides assistance on groundwater and subsurface contamination problems at waste sites; publishes issue papers on subsurface remediation and ground water topics
- **Site Characterization and Monitoring Technical Support Center**  
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**  
Provides technical support on exposure and toxicity risk issues by reviewing exposure and toxicity factors and developing new and updated provisional peer-reviewed toxicity values

### Superfund and Technology Liaison Contact Information

**Regional Science Program Chief**  
Valerie Blank (Acting), 202-564-1720  
[blank.valerie@epa.gov](mailto:blank.valerie@epa.gov)

**Program Coordinator**  
[Vacant]

### Superfund and Technology Liaisons

**Region 1 – Boston, MA**  
Jan Szaro, 617-918-1316  
[szaro.jan@epa.gov](mailto:szaro.jan@epa.gov)

**Region 2 – New York, NY**  
Diana Cutt, 212-637-4311  
[cutt.diana@epa.gov](mailto:cutt.diana@epa.gov)

**Region 3 – Philadelphia, PA**  
Jonathan Essoka, 215-814-5774  
[essoka.jonathan@epa.gov](mailto:essoka.jonathan@epa.gov)

**Region 4 – Atlanta, GA**  
Felicia Barnett, 404-562-8659  
[barnett.felicia@epa.gov](mailto:barnett.felicia@epa.gov)

**Region 5 – Chicago, IL**  
Charles Maurice, 312-886-6635  
[maurice.charles@epa.gov](mailto:maurice.charles@epa.gov)

**Region 6 – Dallas, TX**  
Terry Burton, 214-665-7139  
[burton.terry@epa.gov](mailto:burton.terry@epa.gov)

**Region 7 – Kansas City, KS**  
Robert Weber, 913-551-7918  
[weber.robert@epa.gov](mailto:weber.robert@epa.gov)

**Region 8 – Denver, CO**  
Stephen Dymant, 303-312-7044  
[dymant.stephen@epa.gov](mailto:dymant.stephen@epa.gov)

**Region 9 – San Francisco, CA**  
Anna-Marie Cook, 415-972-3029  
[cook.anna-marie@epa.gov](mailto:cook.anna-marie@epa.gov)

**Region 10 – Seattle, WA**  
Kira Lynch, 206-553-2144  
[lynch.kira@epa.gov](mailto:lynch.kira@epa.gov)

**For more information about the STL Program, visit:**  
<https://intranet.ord.epa.gov/regional-science/superfund-and-technology-liaison-stl-program>