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CHOOSE WISELY TO USE FEDERAL FUNDS TO TEACH WDB INJURY PREVENTION – NOT TO TEACH A LITIGATION DEFENSE ARGUMENT WHILE CAUSING DISCRIMINATION & DISABILITY

The ACMT website states, *“ACMT is a professional, nonprofit association of physicians with recognized expertise in medical toxicology.”*[198] *The organization receives federal funding from the Agency for Toxic Substance and Disease Registry (ATSDR) which assists ACMT in providing courses in environmental medicine and environmental toxicology, national education and consultations, Internet-based educational resources.”*

The ATSDR is *“mandated by congress to perform certain actions relating to the public health concerns of hazardous substances in the environment”*. Although ATSDR is an independent operating division within the Department of Health and Human Services, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) performs many of its administrative functions.[199]

ACMT is receiving federal funds to educate (not miseducate) United States physicians, health departments, the general public, and other medical “nonprofit” associations - such as the Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Units (PEHSU) and the Association of Occupational and Environmental Clinics (AOEC)[200] [201] Given the influence which ACMT exerts over public health policies and physician education with the use of federal and private-sector funds and close ties to the CDC, it is imperative that ACMT start “Choosing Wisely®” to cease disseminating discriminatory scientific fraud environmental illnesses.

The Number One complaint heard when the WDB-injured figure it out on their own what is making them so sick, is:

“Why didn’t someone just tell me?”

It is apparent that the WDB-injured and their mainstream physicians are not being told because those who are educating U.S. physicians are many of the same “nonprofit learned bodies” whose “esteemed colleagues” are generating substantial income as expert defense witnesses when denying causation of WDB-induced illness in toxic torts.

By miseducating the doctors, many of the expert defense witnesses, who are also policy writers, are creating business for themselves. By teaching discrimination instead of prevention, they are causing the need for their services in litigation where they lucratively become experts hired to deny causation of environmental illness, disability and death. Their testimonies and undeserved credibility for their testimonies are often times based on false concepts such as the Veritox Theory being mass-marketed as *“current accepted science”* by *“nonprofit learned bodies of medicine”*.

The proper way to correct the WDB symptoms and prevent them from becoming permanent, debilitating or any matter to litigate over, is early intervention. When U.S. physicians are educated to recognize the symptoms indicative of CIRS-WDB and EI, they will know to advise their patients to look to their indoor environment as a potential cause of the symptoms.

By being informed by their physicians, people will know to stop the exposures early because of the potential for disability if the exposures continue. Landlords, employers, builders, sellers, and property managers will know that if they do not correct WDB problems promptly and properly, then their tenants', employees' and clients' health and lives could be forever devastated. As a result, they may find themselves held financially responsible, if they do not properly maintain the buildings.

Physicians being educated to recognize the early warning signs of CIRS-WDB and EI is the key to stopping the disabilities and assuring the buildings are properly maintained.

As such, please stop marketing to physicians that those made ill from WDB biotoxins and inflammagens should be shunned by the medical community as hypochondriacs and liars. You are **CAUSING** billions of dollars worth of disabilities and toxic torts by your "nonprofit" selling a profitable "litigation defense argument" based on "garbage science" as appropriate physician education. **Stop it! Stop it! Stop it!**

[198] ACMT website http://www.acmt.net/ACMT_Fact_Sheet.html

[199] ATSDR website <http://www.atsdr.cdc.gov/>

[200] Kramer S, Perez, J. "Association of Occupational and Environmental Clinics (AOEC): Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Units" <http://freepdfhosting.com/b16c7060b3.pdf>

[201] Like ACMT, AOEC & PEHSU are federally funded. They are clinics meant to advance the understanding of environmental illnesses, set up and medical schools all across the United States. <http://www.aoec.org/>