

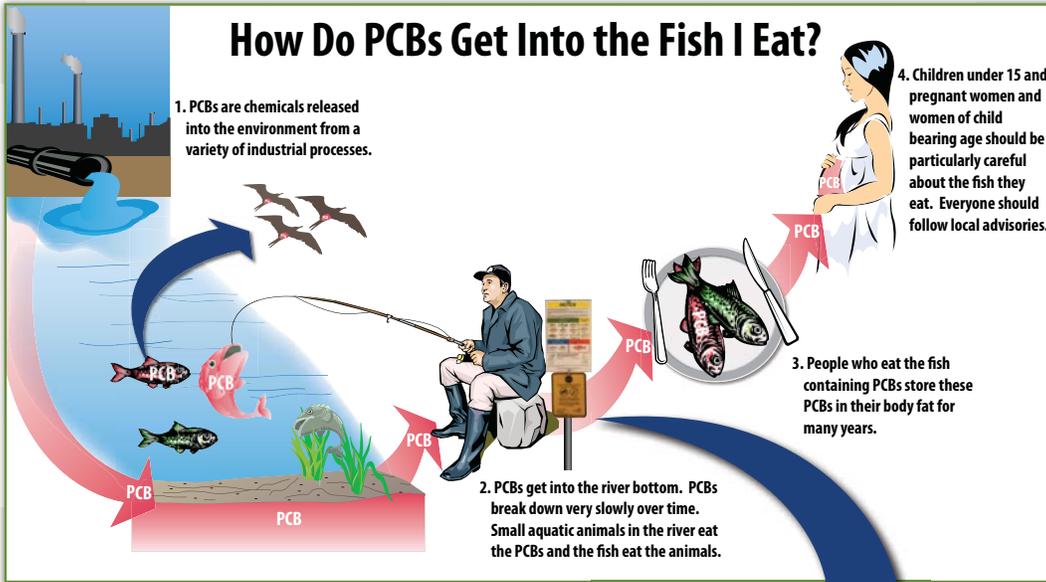


# MILWAUKEE COUNTY PARKS

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GOLD MEDAL WINNER

## HEALTH CORNER

### How Do PCBs Get Into the Fish I Eat?



### What are PCBs?

PCBs are bad for us. They are known to cause developmental health issues in babies. PCBs are man-made and have no smell. They are yellow, oily liquids that don't easily burn. There are no natural sources of PCB's. PCBs are found in the sediment in several areas of Lincoln Creek.



### Is it safe to use Lincoln Park during clean up?

Yes! Most areas of the park are safe to use as normal. For your safety, stay out of marked construction areas and where there is construction equipment.

We do not expect people (or pets) to become ill from contact with the PCBs in the riverbed sediments. We recommend that people avoid even small amounts of exposure by washing hands before eating.

## NOTICE

| ONCE/WEEK<br>HASTA UNA COMIDA A LA SEMANA<br>IB ZAUG TXHUA PLUA (WEEK)                               | ONCE /MONTH<br>HASTA UNA COMIDA AL MES<br>IB ZAUG IB HLIS                                 |
|--|---|
| Rainbow Trout < 22"<br>Yellow Perch  | Bluegill<br>Brown Trout 0-25"   |
| <b>ONCE/EVERY TWO MONTHS</b><br><b>HASTA UNA COMIDA CADA DOS MESES</b><br><b>IB ZAUG OB HLIS TWG</b> | Chinook Salmon 0-36"<br>Channel Catfish   |
| Black Crappie<br>Brown Trout 25+*  | Coho Salmon<br>Rainbow Trout 22+*   |
| Chinook Salmon 36+*<br>Redhorse  | Rock Bass<br>Smallmouth Bass  |
| Northern Pike<br>White Sucker  | Walleye<br><b>DO NOT EAT</b><br><b>NUNCA CONSUMIR</b><br><b>COV NTSES NO NOJ TSIS TAU</b> |
|  | Carp  |

### For your safety, and to limit your exposure to PCBs remember to:

1. Follow the posted fish advisory signs.
2. Stay away from the work areas and keep your dogs away from the posted areas as well.
3. Wash hands, feet or other objects that have contacted river waters or soils.



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