

according to an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) spokesman, **indoor air pollution causes 50% of illnesses globally**. That's more than all the cancers and all the heart disease combined. It is time we started to pay more attention to the indoor air we breathe.

Indoor air pollutants cause 50% of illnesses globally. This statistic should catch the attention of every physician, every lawmaker and every layperson reading this paper. It is staggering to comprehend the enormous impact on our global society as literally millions of individuals and families are harmed by contaminants inside our homes, schools and workplaces.

Call to Action

This position paper is the first step of our **CALL TO ACTION**. Indoor air pollutants cause 50% of illnesses globally. It is time to move beyond the focus of “establishing the fact...

Mold illness, mold-related illness and biotoxin-related illness are euphemisms which are collectively referred to as Multi-system Exposure Related Illness (MERI) in this paper. Likely millions of individuals with MERI exist in the U.S. alone. **In fact, as noted above, indoor air pollutants cause 50% of illnesses globally.**

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