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WHAT'S NEW

CHE Partnership Call - Growing Danger: Pesticides, Other Agricultural Exposures, and Cancer
Tues, Dec 9 at 10am PT/ 1pm ET

11/20/08: [Resources and MP3 recording from the first CHE Café call](#), featuring the authors of *Lake Effect* and *Poisoned Profits*

11/11/08: Comments sought - **[EU consultation on risk assessment for carcinogenic and mutagenic substances](#)**

11/7/08: Dr. Theo Colborn receives 2008 Goteborg [Award for Sustainable Development](#)

11/7/08: New LDDI fact sheet - **[Mental Health and the Environment](#)**

10/27/08: New download - [MP3 Recording of "Environmental Threats to Healthy Aging"](#) CHE Partnership Call

10/23/08: NEW REPORT - **[Environmental Threats to Healthy Aging](#)**

10/20/08: New **[Parkinson's Disease documents](#)**, including a fact sheet and the new **[Consensus Statement on Parkinson's Disease and the Environment](#)**

Cancer Clues from Pet Dogs

5 December 2006

Studies of pet dogs with cancer can offer unique help in the fight against human malignancies while also improving care for man's best friend

Scientific American, David J. Waters and Kathleen Wildasin

Imagine a 60-year-old man recuperating at home after prostate cancer surgery, drawing comfort from the aged golden retriever beside him. This man might know that a few years ago the director of the National Cancer Institute issued a challenge to cancer researchers, urging them to find ways to "eliminate the suffering and death caused by cancer by 2015." What he probably does not realize, though, is that the pet at his side could be an important player in that effort. [Continue reading...](#)