Camp Lejeune Water Contamination

1957 through 1987 — 70+ chemicals present

The ATSDR is currently studying the effects of toxic exposure upon former residents of the base. Two separate water distribution systems aboard MCB Camp Lejeune were found to be contaminated: the Tarawa

Terrace and Hadnot Point water distribution systems. ATSDR has completed the water modeling for the Tarawa Terrace water distribution system and has determined the system was contaminated from June 1957 until 1 March 1987. The ATSDR water modeling for the Hadnot Point water distribution system is underway but has not been completed.

Therefore, the beginning date of the contamination has not been determined for any of those areas that were historically served by the Hadnot Point water distribution system.

- Cancer
- Leukemia
- Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma
- Liver Disease
- Miscarriages
- Birth Defects
- Kidney Disease

If you lived/worked aboard MCB Camp Lejeune, please register with the USMC at https://clnr.hqi.usmc.mil/clsurvey/ or by emailing the USMC at clwater@usmc.mil.

You also need to register with the ATSDR by emailing atsdrcamplej@cdc.gov or by calling 1-800-232-4636.

For more information on the water contamination at MCB Camp Lejeune, please visit the website of

The Few, The Proud, The Forgotten at www.tftptf.com.

You will find a large documents library, an illness registry, and a discussion forum. TFTPTF was founded by 2 Marines whose families have been affected by the toxic water.