Useful Links and Resources: Wildfire Smoke

California Climate Action Team – Public Health Workgroup (CAT-PHWG):
Hosted by the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and the California Air Resources Board (CARB). Meeting Recordings and Materials - please scroll down and see June 10, 2019 meeting on “Wildfires, Climate Change, and Public Health” for additional information and resources around wildfires and health impacts, guidance, and more.
https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/resources/documents/climate-action-team-public-health-workgroup-meetings

California Department of Public Health (CDPH):
- CDPH Wildfire Smoke guidance for Public Health Officials (revised August 2019):
  https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/EPO/CDPH%20Document%20Library/Wildfire%20Smoke%20Considerations%20for%20California%27s%20Public%20Health%20Officials%20(August%202019)_508.pdf
- Guidance and Resources for COVID-19, Climate Change, and Health Equity (including addressing wildfire and wildfire smoke and COVID considerations):
  https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OHE/Pages/CCHEP/COVID19-Climate-Health-Equity.aspx
- Tracking California (including maps and data for air quality):
  https://www.trackingcalifornia.org/

California Air Resources Board (CARB):
California Wildfires Information: https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/protecting-yourself-wildfire-smoke
CARB Homepage: www.arb.ca.gov

AirNow
Partnership of U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), National Park Service, NASA, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and tribal, state, and local air quality agencies
- AirNow Fire and Smoke Map: https://fire.airnow.gov/

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA):
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC):

- **Wildfire Smoke and COVID-19 Frequently Asked Questions and Resources for Air Resource Advisors and Other Environmental Health Professionals**: 
- **Protect Yourself From Wildfire Smoke**: [https://www.cdc.gov/air/wildfire-smoke/default.htm](https://www.cdc.gov/air/wildfire-smoke/default.htm) (English) and [https://www.cdc.gov/air/wildfire-smoke/es/default.htm](https://www.cdc.gov/air/wildfire-smoke/es/default.htm) (Spanish)
- **Environmental Public Health Tracking** (including vulnerable populations and wildfire smoke): 
  [https://ephtracking.cdc.gov/DataExplorer/?query=bc655bca-4a67-4b35-a3fa-30d2428c617c&allyears=1](https://ephtracking.cdc.gov/DataExplorer/?query=bc655bca-4a67-4b35-a3fa-30d2428c617c&allyears=1)

Other Tools:

- **Heat and Health Tracker**: Dashboard that looks at real time information on heat and vulnerability: [https://ephtracking.cdc.gov/Applications/heatTracker/](https://ephtracking.cdc.gov/Applications/heatTracker/)

American Lung Association (ALA):

Resources for protecting lung health during wildfires, including Public Service Announcements, available on ALA’s website at: [www.lung.org/wildfires](http://www.lung.org/wildfires). Information available in English, Spanish, Tagalog, Mandarin, Vietnamese and Russian.

California Smoke Blog:

This site is a voluntary effort by public agencies to coordinate and aggregate information for California communities affected by wildfire smoke. 
[http://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com/](http://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com/)

Wildfire Smoke Research:

[https://www.nature.com/articles/s41370-020-00267-4](https://www.nature.com/articles/s41370-020-00267-4)

Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District (SBCAPCD):

Infographic resources available: 
[https://www.ourair.org/clean-air-rooms/](https://www.ourair.org/clean-air-rooms/)

Tools for Identifying Community Disadvantage / Vulnerability

- **CDPH Climate Change and Health Vulnerability Indicators**: [https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OHE/Pages/CC-Health-Vulnerability-Indicators.aspx](https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OHE/Pages/CC-Health-Vulnerability-Indicators.aspx)
- **CA Healthy Places Index (HPI) Tool**: [https://healthyplacesindex.org/](https://healthyplacesindex.org/)
- **CalEPA/OEHHA CalEnviroScreen Tool**: [https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen](https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen)