

HURRICANE HARVEY REGISTRY



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- ✓ Documents how the storm affected health in our communities
- ✓ Shapes public health solutions
- ✓ Better prepares Houston for future weather disasters
- ✓ Connects communities with important Hurricane related resources
- ✓ Whether your home flooded or not, please share your experience

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This research study has been reviewed and approved by Rice University Institutional Review Board. If you have concerns regarding this study or questions regarding your rights as a study participant, please contact Stephanie Thomas, Compliance Administrator -IRB, at Rice University. Email: irb@rice.edu or Telephone: **713-348-3586**.

Hurricane Harvey dropped more than 275 trillion tons of water on the Greater Houston region, resulting in unprecedented public health challenges. This historic storm led to extensive flooding, contaminated water, and displaced tens of thousands.

The Hurricane Harvey Registry is a collaboration between The Environmental Defense Fund, Fort Bend County, Harris County Public Health, Houston Health Department, Montgomery County and Rice University.

Ultimately, the registry is a research study that will work to:

- 1) Understand the social and environmental impacts of Harvey
- 2) Better prepare the Greater Houston region for future weather disasters
- 3) Better support those impacted by Harvey through tailored interventions
- 4) Connect members of the community with relevant resources
- 5) Inform stakeholders and lawmakers on the local, state, and national level to shape public health solutions

This first of its kind effort will have a profound impact on the lives of many, but we need your help and support!

If you are an adult in the Greater Houston area, visit HarveyRegistry.rice.edu, complete a quick 10-minute survey, explore important resources and share with friends and family.

For questions about the study, or if you have complaints, concerns or suggestions, contact Hien Le or the principal investigator Dr. Marie Lynn Miranda at harveyregistry@rice.edu.