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**CHARLESTON, W.Va.** – The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention today provided the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources Bureau for Public Health with the following information regarding 4-methylcyclohexanemethanol (MCHM), the chemical which has contaminated the water supply for residents in parts of 9 West Virginia counties.

The information provided by the CDC is posted at

<http://emergency.cdc.gov/chemical/MCHM/westvirgina2014/index.asp>

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