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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Ms. Deborah Proctor has more than 30 years of experience in environmental and occupational health risk assessment, specializing in applied toxicology, mode-of-action evaluations for chemical carcinogens, air toxics and air pollution risk assessment, exposure reconstruction, and quantitative dose-response analysis for the purpose of developing toxicity criteria.

Ms. Proctor has technical expertise for assessing the potential human health risk associated with contaminated air, soil, sediments, groundwater, biota, and consumer products; evaluating failure-to-warn litigation claims pursuant to California Proposition 65, including determination of Safe Harbor Levels; designing risk-based site investigations; assessing the environmental fate and toxicity of metals in the environment; determining the bioavailability of metals in soil and solid media; and risk/hazard communications. Ms. Proctor has conducted studies of oral and inhalation bioaccessibility for metals in alloys, slags, and affected soil, dust, and baghouse dust, and has designed and conducted relative bioavailability studies for cobalt, nickel, and manganese. Ms. Proctor uses state-of-the-art scientific approaches to evaluate potential hazards and develop health-protective and science-driven remediation goals. She provides technical comments to regulatory agencies on policy and guidance documents, and technical support for public communication. Ms. Proctor has designed studies involving human volunteers and is experienced with the use of Internal Review Boards (IRBs) and the ethical requirements and considerations associated with research involving humans.

Ms. Proctor is a nationally recognized expert regarding the potential health risks associated with occupational and environmental exposure to chromium. She has published extensively in this field and managed research projects that have been used to develop federal and state regulatory health criteria. Additionally, she has extensive experience in metals risk assessment and specific expertise for evaluation of nickel, cobalt, titanium, manganese, lead, vanadium, beryllium, and arsenic. Ms. Proctor has experience using physiologically based pharmacokinetic (PBPK) modeling in risk assessment for chromium, lead, manganese, and perchlorate.

Ms. Proctor's research has been applied to support regulatory decisions and inform health-based criteria. Specific examples include the USEPA Inhalation Reference Concentration for hexavalent chromium using Malsh et al. (1994), the OSHA risk assessment for the 2006 Hexavalent Chromium Rule and revised Permissible Exposure Limit using Luippold et al. (2003); Crump et al. (2003), and Proctor et al. (2003; 2004), USEPA Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances 2008 Reregistration Eligibility Decision (RED) for Chromated Arsenicals using Technical Study Reports FPRL #012506 and FPRL #012406; and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Soil Cleanup Criteria for dermal contact with hexavalent chromium using Fowler et al. (1999). She recently published an adverse outcome pathway (AOP) analysis for rodent forestomach tumors by nongenotoxic initiating events (Proctor et al., 2018).

Ms. Proctor is a regular science peer reviewer for the *Journal of Applied Toxicology*, *Toxicology*, *Regulatory Toxicology and Pharmacology*, *Chemico-Biological Interactions*, and *PLOS1*.

ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS

B.S., Environmental Toxicology, University of California, Davis, 1988
Graduate Studies, Epidemiology, University of Pittsburgh, 1996–1998

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Society for Risk Analysis (member)

Association for Environmental Health Sciences (Scientific Review Board member)

International Society of Exposure Assessment (member)

Society of Toxicology (Councilor, Risk Assessment Specialty Section)

PUBLICATION AND PRESENTATION AWARDS

Society of Toxicology (SOT) 2014

Awarded top 10 Risk Assessment Presentations at the Society of Toxicology conference (Proctor DM, Suh M, Tachovsky JA, Abraham L, Hixon JG, Brorby GP, Campleman SL) by the RASS.

SOT 2013

Awarded for Three of the Top Ten Risk Assessment Presentations at the Society of Toxicology conference (Kirman et al., Thompson et al., Kopec et al.) by the RASS.

SOT 2012

Awarded top nine published papers Advancing the Science of Risk Assessment by the Risk Assessment Specialty Section (Thompson CM, Haws LC, Harris MA, Gatto NM, Proctor DM) by the RASS.

SOT 2004

Awarded top five Risk Assessment Presentations at the Society of Toxicology conference (Leung H, Madl A, Proctor D, Hays S, Cohen E) by the RASS, Baltimore MD.

SOT 2002

Awarded top five Risk Assessment Presentations at the Society of Toxicology conference (Crump K and Proctor D) by the Risk Assessment Specialty Section (RASS), Nashville, TN.

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Bhat VS, Cohen SM, Gordon EB, Wood CE, Cullen JM, Harris MA, **Proctor DM**, Thompson CM. 2020. An adverse outcome pathway for small intestinal tumors in mice involving chronic cytotoxicity and regenerative hyperplasia: A case study with hexavalent chromium, captan, and folpet. *Crit Rev Toxicol* 50(8):685-706; doi: <https://doi.org/10.1080/10408444.2020.1823934>.

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2017 AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE: Challenges in Protecting Worker Health and Achieving Compliance in the World of Low Submicrogram Concentrations: A Case Study of Beryllium.

2016 SOCIETY OF TOXICOLOGY: The Cancer Risk Assessment for Ingested Hexavalent Chromium: Challenges and Controversies

2015 SOCIETY OF TOXICOLOGY: Advanced Approaches for Quantitative Risk Assessment Using Human Data with Applications Across Disciplines

2014 TOXICOLOGY AND RISK ASSESSMENT: Using New Data and Methods to Improve the Risk Assessment of Environmental Perchlorate Exposure

2011 SOCIETY OF TOXICOLOGY: Using Mode of Action Data to Guide Quantitative Cancer Risk Assessment: A Case Study of Hexavalent Chromium in Drinking Water

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ABSTRACTS AND PRESENTATIONS

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Proctor D, Mittal L, Vivanco S, Perry C, Blanchette A. Probabilistic health risk assessment for residential exposures to metals in electric arc furnace (EAF) steel slag. Presentation 5.15.P-Th123 to Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry, Pittsburgh PA, November 2022.

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Ring CL, Suh M, Casteel S, Dunsmore M, Verwiel A, **Proctor D**. Relative oral bioavailability of cobalt and nickel in residential soil and dust affected by metal grinding operations. Presented at Joint Annual Meeting of International Society of Exposure Science and International Society for Environmental Epidemiology (ISES-ISEE 2018), Ottawa, Canada, August 2018.

Suh M, Wikoff D, Harvey S, Mittal L, Lipworth L, Goodman M, Goodmanson A, Ring C, Rohr A, **Proctor D**. Hexavalent chromium and stomach cancer: A systematic review and meta-analysis. Presented at Joint Annual Meeting of International Society of Exposure Science and International Society for Environmental Epidemiology (ISES-ISEE 2018), Ottawa, Canada, August 2018.

Proctor, DM. Hexavalent chromium in drinking water: When is the science sufficient to deviate from defaults? Invited Speaker, Genetic and Environmental Toxicology Association (GETA). Thresholds in Toxicology and Risk Assessment Fall Symposium. Oakland, CA, November 14, 2018.

Proctor, DM. Updating the regulatory risk assessment for hexavalent chromium in California: Implications for regulatory standards. Association of Environmental Health Sciences San Diego, CA, March 20, 2018.

Thompson CM, Suh M, **Proctor DM**, Harris MA. Ten factors for considering the mode of action of Cr(VI)-induced intestinal tumors in rodents. Society of Toxicology Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, March 11-15.

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Proctor DM, Corbett ME. The world of low submicrogram beryllium concentrations. Session F5, American Industrial Hygiene Conference and Exhibition (AIHce), Seattle, WA, June 6, 2017.

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Verwiel A, **Proctor D**, Tachovsky A. Principal component analysis of metals in soil and dust to distinguish background and anthropogenic sources in an urban area. Association for Environmental Health and Sciences Foundation Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA. March 14, 2016.

Verwiel A, **Proctor DM**. Oral bioaccessibility of nickel and cobalt from metal alloy emissions in soil and dust. Society for Risk Analysis Annual Meeting. Arlington, VA, December 7, 2015.

Proctor, DM. Overview of hexavalent chromium mode of action (MOA) and implications for determining safe drinking water concentrations. Naturally occurring compounds of regulatory concern. Groundwater Resources Association Symposium. Garden Grove, CA, November 18, 2015.

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