

Current Fish Consumption Advisories for Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs), Chlordane and Dioxins

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat	
Border Waters						
Lake Michigan (PCBs)						
*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***						
Cook and Lake Counties	Brown Trout		All Sizes			
	Channel Catfish				All Sizes	
	Chinook Salmon		All Sizes			
	Coho Salmon	Less than 24"	24" or Longer			
	Common Carp		All Sizes			
	Lake Whitefish	All Sizes	Advisory Removed			
	Lake Trout	Less than 22"	22" to less than 30"		30" or Longer	
	Rainbow Trout	All Sizes	Advisory Removed			
	Rock Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Smelt	All Sizes				
Yellow Perch	All Sizes	See Special Mercury Advisory				
Waukegan North Harbor (PCBs) - Includes all species listed above as well as:						
Lake County	Black Bullhead			All Sizes		
	Rock Bass		All Sizes			
	Sunfish		All Sizes			
	White Sucker		All Sizes			
Mississippi River (PCBs)						
Entire River Entire River Except Pool 15 Pool 15 Lock and Dam 22 to Cairo	Channel Catfish	All Sizes				
	Common Carp	All Sizes				
	Common Carp		All Sizes			
	Sturgeon		All Sizes			
Ohio River (PCBs)						
Gallatin, Hardin, Pope, Massac, Pulaski, and Alexander Counties	Blue Catfish	Less than 20"	20" or Longer			
	Channel Catfish	15" or Longer				
	Common Carp	Less than 22"	22" or Longer			
	*Crappie	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Flathead Catfish	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Freshwater Drum	Less than 14"	14" or Longer			
	Hybrid Striped Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Largemouth Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Sauger	Less than 14"				
	Striped Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Sunfish	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	White Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory				
Wabash River (PCBs)						
Wabash, White, and Gallatin Counties	Common Carp	All Sizes				
	Freshwater Drum	All Sizes				
	Sauger	See Special Mercury Advisory				
	Shovelnose Sturgeon		27" or Longer			
	Shovelnose Sturgeon		Eggs			
	White Bass	All Sizes	See Special Mercury Advisory			

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Wabash River (PCBs) Continued					
	Spotted Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	White Bass	All Sizes		See Special Mercury Advisory	
Lakes					
Anna State Pond					
Union County	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Arrowhead Lake					
Cook County	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Bangs Lake					
Lake County	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Northern Pike			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Black Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Busse Lake (PCBs)					
Cook County	*** MORE RESTRICTIVE ADVISORY ***				
	Black Bullhead	All Sizes			
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp	Less than 23"	23" or Longer		
Campus Lake (PCBs)					
Southern Illinois University					
Jackson County	Bluegill	All Sizes			
	Largemouth Bass	All Sizes			
Carbondale City Reservoir					
Jackson County	*Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Cedar Lake					
Jackson County	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	White Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Centralia Lake (PCBs)					
Marion County	Channel Catfish	17" or Longer			
	Common Carp		27" or Longer		
	*Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Crab Orchard Lake (PCBs)					
Williamson County					
	<i>East of Wolf Creek Road</i>	Channel Catfish	All Sizes		
		Common Carp	All Sizes		
	<i>West of Wolf Creek Road</i>	Channel Catfish	All Sizes		
Crystal Lake					
Champaign County	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Deep Lake					
Lake County	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Devil's Kitchen Lake					
Williamson County	Black Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
East Fork Lake					
Richland County	Walleye			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Evergreen Lake					
McLean County	*Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Fox Chain-O-Lakes (PCBs)					
Lake and McHenry Counties					
	Channel Catfish	18" to 25"	26" or Longer		
	Common Carp	17" to less than 24"	24" or Longer		
*** MORE RESTRICTIVE ADVISORY ***					
Frank Holten State Lakes (PCBs)					
St. Clair County					
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Channel Catfish	Advisory Removed			
*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***					
Gillespie Old City Lake					
Macoupin County					
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Greenville Old City Lake (Patriot's Park Lake)					
Bond County					
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Heidecke Lake					
Grundy County					
	Smallmouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Herrin Lake #1 (PCBs)					
Williamson County					
	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp				All Sizes
Highland-Silver Lake (Chlordane)					
Madison County					
	Channel Catfish	25" or Longer			
Horseshoe Lake (PCBs)					
Madison County					
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Channel Catfish	Less than 23"	23" or Longer		
Johnson Sauk Trail Lake					
Henry County					
	Black Crappie				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Kinkaid Lake					
Jackson County					
	*Crappie				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Walleye				See Special Mercury Advisory
	White Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Lake Bracken (PCBs)					
Knox County					
	Channel Catfish	Advisory Removed	Advisory Removed		
	Common Carp	Less than 23"	23" or Longer		
	Largemouth Bass	Less than 17"			See Special Mercury Advisory
Lake Calumet (PCBs)					
Cook County					
	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Freshwater Drum		All Sizes		
	Largemouth Bass	Less than 14"	14" or Longer		
	White Bass		All Sizes		
	White Perch	All Sizes			
*** MORE RESTRICTIVE ADVISORY ***					
Lake Carlton					
Whiteside County					
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Lake Decatur (PCBs, Chlordane)					
Macon County					
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Flathead Catfish		All Sizes		

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Lake Depue (PCBs) Bureau County	*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***				
	Channel Catfish		Less than 17"	17" to 23"	24" or Longer
	Common Carp	All Sizes	Advisory Removed		
	White Bass		12" or Longer		
Lake of Egypt (PCBs) Johnson and Williamson Counties	Common Carp	23" or Longer			
Lake in the Hills McHenry County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lake Jacksonville Morgan County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lake of the Woods (PCBs) Champaign County	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lake Renwick East Will County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lake Sara Effingham County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lake Taylorville (Chlordane) Christian County	Channel Catfish	21" or Longer			
Lake Zurich Lake County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lincoln Trail Lake Clark County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Little Grassy Lake Williamson County	Channel Catfish		See Special Mercury Advisory		
	*Crappie		See Special Mercury Advisory		
	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Marion City Reservoir (PCBs) Williamson County	***RELAXED ADVISORY***				
	Bluegill	Advisory Removed			
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
	Yellow Bullhead	9" or Longer			
Marquette Park Lagoon Cook County	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
McKinley Park Lagoon (PCBs) Cook County	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Midlothian Reservoir (PCBs) Cook County	Common Carp	Less than 20"			20" or Longer
	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		
Mill Creek Lake Clark County	Channel Catfish		See Special Mercury Advisory		
	*Crappie		See Special Mercury Advisory		
	Largemouth Bass		See Special Mercury Advisory		

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Monee Reservoir Will County	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Mount Olive New City Lake Macoupin County	Channel Catfish				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Pana Lake Shelby County	*Crappie				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Pinckneyville City Lake Perry County	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Powderhorn Lake (PCBs) Cook County	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Powerton Lake (PCBs) Tazewell County	Channel Catfish	15" to 18"	19" or Longer		
Pyramid State Park Perry County	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Raccoon Lake (PCBs) Marion County	Common Carp	Less than 23"	23" or Longer		
Red Hills Lake Lawrence County	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Saganashkee Slough (PCBs) Cook County	Channel Catfish	18" or Longer			
Sam Parr Lake Jasper County	*Crappie				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Schiller Pond (PCBs) Cook County	Common Carp	Advisory Removed			
Siloam Springs Lake Adams County	Bluegill				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
	White Crappie				See Special Mercury Advisory
Silver Lake McHenry County	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Sycamore Lake (PCBs) DeKalb County	Channel Catfish	23" or Longer			
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Thompson Lake Fulton County	Black Crappie				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Common Carp				See Special Mercury Advisory
	Largemouth Bass				See Special Mercury Advisory
Wolf Lake (PCBs) Cook County	Common Carp		All Sizes		
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Rivers					
Big Muddy River (PCBs) Franklin County					
	*Crappie			See Special Mercury Advisory	
	Largemouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	
<i>Rend Lake to Route 149</i>	Common Carp	All Sizes		See Special Mercury Advisory	
Big Rock Creek (PCBs) Kane and Kendall Counties					
	Common Carp	20" or Longer		*** NEW ADVISORY ***	
Bureau Creek (PCBs) Bureau County					
	Channel Catfish	Less than 25"	25" or Longer		
	Common Carp		25" or Longer		
Cache River, including Main Stem and Indian Creek Camp Alexander, Johnson, Massac, Pope, Pulaski and Union Counties					
	Common Carp			See Special Mercury Advisory	
Calumet River, Cal Sag Channel, and Little Calumet River from Cal Sag Channel to the Calumet River (PCBs) Cook County					
	Black Bass		All Sizes		
	Channel Catfish			18" or Longer	
	Common Carp		Less than 12"		12" or Longer
	Sunfish	All Sizes			
	Yellow Bass		Less than 8"	8" or Longer	
Casey Fork Creek (PCBs) Jefferson County					
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
Cedar Creek (PCBs) Warren County					
	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp			All Sizes	
Chicago River, North and South Branches, North Shore Channel, and Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal (PCBs) Cook County					
	Common Carp			Less than 12"	12" or Longer
	Channel Catfish		18" or Longer		
	Largemouth Bass		All Sizes		
	Sunfish	All Sizes			
Crab Orchard Creek (Dioxins) Jackson County					
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
Des Plaines River (PCBs) Cook, Lake, and Will Counties					
<i>Route 120 to Hoffman Dam</i>	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp		19" or Longer		
<i>Hoffman Dam to Lockport</i>	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
<i>Lockport to Kankakee River</i>	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp			Less than 18"	18" or Longer
	Freshwater Drum		All Sizes		
DuPage River (PCBs) Dupage and Will Counties					
<i>Headwater to Route 6</i>	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Smallmouth Bass			See Special Mercury Advisory	

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
DuPage River (PCBs) Continued					
<i>Route 6 to Des Plaines River</i>	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
	Smallmouth Bass		All Sizes		
East Branch of the DuPage River (PCBs)					
Dupage and Will Counties	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Elkhorn Creek (PCBs)					
Carroll, Ogle, and Whiteside Counties	Channel Catfish	16" or Longer			
Fox River (PCBs)					
Lake, LaSalle, Kane, Kendall and McHenry Counties	*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***				
<i>Above I-90</i>	Channel Catfish	20" or Longer			
	Common Carp	20" or Longer			
<i>I-90 to Dayton Dam</i>	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp	Less than 15"	15" or Longer		
	Freshwater Drum				
<i>Below Dayton Dam</i>	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp	Less than 15"	15" or Longer		
Galena River (PCBs)					
Jo Daviess County	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp	Less than 20"	20 to 23"		24" or Longer
Henderson Creek (PCBs)					
Henderson County	*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***				
<i>Below Junction with Cedar Creek</i>	Common Carp	All Sizes	Advisory Removed		
Illinois River (PCBs)					
*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***					
<i>Dresden Island Dam to Marseilles Dam</i>	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		Advisory Removed
	Common Carp			All Sizes	
	Smallmouth Bass		All Sizes		
	White Bass	All Sizes			
<i>Marseilles Dam to Starved Rock Dam</i>	Channel Catfish		All Sizes		
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
	White Bass	All Sizes			
<i>Starved Rock Dam to Peoria Pool</i>	Channel Catfish	Less than 14"	14" or Longer	Advisory Removed	Advisory Removed
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
	Largemouth Bass	All Sizes			
	White Bass	All Sizes			
<i>Peoria Dam to Mississippi River</i>	Carp, including Common, Bighead, and Silver Carp	All Sizes			
	Channel Catfish	16" or Longer			
	Black Crappie	See Special Mercury Advisory			

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Kankakee River (PCBs)					
Kankakee and Will Counties					
*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***					
<i>Kankakee Dam to Wilmington Dam</i>	Common Carp	Advisory Removed			
<i>Wilmington Dam to Illinois River</i>	Common Carp		All Sizes		
Kaskaskia River (PCBs)					
Champaign, Coles, Douglas, and Moultrie Counties					
<i>Above Lake Shelbyville</i>	Common Carp	18" or Longer			
Kickapoo Creek (PCBs)					
Peoria County					
<i>Illinois River near Peoria</i>	Channel Catfish	Less than 17"	17" or Longer		
	Common Carp	19" or Longer			
Kishwaukee River (PCBs)					
Boone, McHenry, and Winnebago Counties					
	Channel Catfish	18" or Longer			
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Smallmouth Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory			
	Rock Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory			
Kishwaukee River South Branch (PCBs)					
DeKalb and Winnebago Counties					
	Channel Catfish	Less than 20"	20" or Longer		
	Common Carp	Less than 22"	22" or Longer		
	Freshwater Drum	All Sizes			
Kyte River (PCBs)					
Ogle County					
	Channel Catfish	15" or Longer			
Lake Fork Creek (PCBs)					
Douglas and Piatt Counties					
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Little Wabash River and Tributaries					
*** MORE RESTRICTIVE ADVISORY ***					
		Bluegill	See Special Mercury Advisory		
		Common Carp	See Special Mercury Advisory		
		Largemouth Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory		
		Spotted Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory		
		White Crappie	See Special Mercury Advisory		
		Yellow Bullhead	See Special Mercury Advisory		
Lusk Creek					
Pope County					
	Black Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory			
Mackinaw River (PCBs)					
Ford, McLean, Tazewell, and Woodford Counties					
	Common Carp	17" or Longer			
Mary's River					
Jackson, Perry, and Randolph Counties					
	Common Carp	See Special Mercury Advisory			
Mazon River (PCBs)					
Grundy County					
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Nippersink Creek (PCBs)					
McHenry County					
	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
	Smallmouth Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory			

Water	Fish Species	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	6 meals/year	Do Not Eat
Pecatonica River (PCBs)					
Stephenson and Winnebago Counties					
*** ADVISORIES NO LONGER WARRANTED ***					
	Common Carp	Advisory Removed			
Rock River (PCBs)					
Henry, Lee, Ogle, Rock Island, Whiteside, and Winnebago Counties					
*** RELAXED ADVISORY ***					
<i>Entire River</i>	Smallmouth Bass	See Special Mercury Advisory			
<i>State Line to Fordam Dam</i>	Channel Catfish	16" or Longer			
	Common Carp	Less than 23"	23" or Longer		
<i>Rockford Dam to Milan Steel Dam</i>	Channel Catfish	16" or Longer			
	Common Carp	Advisory Removed	20" or Longer		
	Flathead Catfish	See Special Mercury Advisory			
<i>Milan Steel Dam to Mississippi River</i>	Channel Catfish	All Sizes			
	Common Carp		All Sizes		
	White Bass	All Sizes			
Salt Creek - Des Plaines River Basin (PCBs)					
Cook and DuPage Counties					
	Common Carp		Less than 24"	24" or Longer	
Sangamon River (PCBs)					
Macon and Sangamon Counties					
<i>Lake Decatur to Roby</i>	Common Carp		All Sizes		
<i>Lake Decatur to Illinois River</i>	Channel Catfish	Less than 21"	21" or Longer		
Skillet Fork Creek					
Jefferson, Marion, and Wayne Counties					
	Common Carp	See Special Mercury Advisory			
Skokie River (PCBs)					
Cook and Lake Counties					
	Common Carp	Advisory Removed			
Spring Creek (PCBs)					
Sangamon County					
	Common Carp	All Sizes			
Sugar River - Rock River Basin (PCBs)					
Winnebago County					
	Common Carp	Advisory Removed			
Vermilion River - Wabash River Basin (PCBs)					
Vermilion and Champaign Counties					
	Channel Catfish	16" or Longer			
	Common Carp	26" or Longer			
<p>Bold= Denotes change or update</p> <p>*= Denotes Black and White Crappie</p>					