



PFAS Health Study: July, 2019 CRP Progress Report

Study update

Components 2 and 3- Cross-sectional Survey and Blood Serum Study

The Social Research Centre has been working closely with the study team to create the final versions of the questionnaire.

Component 4 – Data Linkage Study

- The Research Protocol and Project Plan have been accepted by the Department of Health.
- The Research Protocol is available on the study webpage.
- Four ethics applications have been lodged, four additional applications are being finalised.
- One ethics application has been approved.
- Data custodial approval paperwork is being drafted.

Administration

Conferences/Meetings/Presentations

Martyn Kirk and Miranda Harris attended the Department of Defence Community Information Session in Wreck Bay.

Media

- The ANU Joint Colleges of Science published an article about the Focus Groups Study.
- Martyn Kirk was interviewed by Channel Nine News.

Other

- The new study webpage was published.
- A study Facebook page is being created to provide information about the study to community members in Williamtown, Oakey and Katherine.
- Several interviews with study team members were recorded for the production of videos that will be used on the study Facebook and web pages.