



**2001 AMSA-EPA Pretreatment Coordinators Workshop**

November 7-9, 2001

Sheraton Nashville Downtown

Nashville, TN

*Wednesday, November 7*

*Morning*

8:00 - 4:00            Registration

8:00 - 9:00            **GENERAL SESSION I**

*Welcoming Remarks*

*The City of Nashville*

*Opening Remarks*

9:15 - 12:00         **GENERAL SESSION II**

*Panel I - Update on Effluent Limitation Guidelines (ELGs)*

*This panel discussion will cover key pending and yet to be introduced ELGs that will affect the POTW community. Specific ELGs include metal products and machinery, oil and grease, industrial laundries, iron and steel and others. Time will also be given to a discussion on the future of the ELG program.*

*Panel II - National Initiatives/Issues Update*

*This panel discussion will feature key issues facing the pretreatment community. Hot issues such as pretreatment streamlining, the National Biosolids Partnership (NBP), sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs), total maximum daily loads (TMDLs) and EPA's strategic goals program will be discussed in an open debate.*

*Afternoon*

12:00 - 1:30         *Luncheon Speaker*

1:30 - 5:30

### **Stakeholder Breakout Sessions**

*AMSA, EPA, and State representatives will conduct facilitated discussions on timely issues facing pretreatment stakeholders. The two sessions will report their results during General Session IV.*

*Evening*

6:00 - 7:30

### **Welcoming Reception**

**Thursday, November 8**

*Morning*

8:00 - 12:00

Registration

9:00 - 12:00

### **GENERAL SESSION III**

#### **Panel I – Mercury - The Good & Bad and the Dentists**

*This panel discussion will cover the full spectrum of the mercury debate. Issues to be discussed include mercury sampling protocols, the AMSA/EPA Pollution Prevention Grant, narrative local limits, best management practices, and the effects of the dental industry on mercury effluent limits.*

#### **Panel II - Radioactivity**

*This panel will include a discussion on EPA, AMSA and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's efforts on dose modeling and the Interagency Steering Committee on Radiation Standards (ISCORS) survey results. The discussion will also provide attendees with up-to-date information on the future activities on the ISCORS model.*

#### **Panel III – National Release of “Working with your POTW” Guidance for Commercial Laundries**

*Join us as we unveil “Working with your POTW,” a guidance document produced to enhance the interaction and working relationship of POTWs and their commercial laundries.*

*Afternoon*

12:00 - 1:30

**Lunch (on your own)**

1:30 - 5:00

### **Discussion/Strategy Session**

*Participants will discuss key issues of importance to the National Pretreatment Program. Attendees will be divided into groups to discuss topics including those presented during this year's Workshop.*

6:00 - 7:30            *2001 National Wastewater Excellence in Pretreatment  
Recognition Reception*

*Friday, November 9*

*Morning*

8:00 - 10:00            Registration

8:00 - 10:00            *Regional Breakouts/Breakfast*  
*Discuss with your EPA Regional Pretreatment Coordinator*  
*issues of importance to your agency over breakfast.*

10:15 - 12:00            *General Session IV*  
*Summary of Meeting Findings*  
*Hear a synopsis of the stakeholder breakout sessions taking*  
*place earlier in the Workshop.*

*Closing Remarks*

*Adjourn*

12:00 - 2:00            *AMSA Pretreatment & Hazardous Waste Committee*  
*Meeting*