

# Protecting Our Children from Exposures to Neurotoxicants: Research, Education and Advocacy

## A regional conference of the national Learning and Developmental Disabilities Initiative

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Kellogg Center on the Campus of Michigan State University  
Wednesday, October 27, 2004  
1:30 – 4:30 PM, Room 62  
Reception following – River Café

### AGENDA

- 1:00 p.m. Registration (light refreshments served)
- 1:30 Welcome - *Amy Winans, Learning Disabilities Assoc. of Michigan*
- 1:40 Learning and Developmental Disabilities Initiative (LDDI) Overview  
• *Elise Miller, MEd, Institute for Children's Environmental Health*
- 2:00 Emerging Science on Neurotoxicants and Brain Development  
• *Ted Schettler, MD, MPH, Science and Environmental Health Network*
- 3:00 Break
- 3:15 Examples of Model Educational and Advocacy Efforts on Neurotoxicants  
• *Amy Winans, Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan*  
• *William Weil, MD, professor emeritus of pediatrics and human development, Michigan State University*  
• *Mary Beth Doyle, MPH, Environmental Health Project, Ecology Center*
- 4:15 Wrap-up
- 4:30 Reception – River Cafe (in the same building)
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