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Salem Hearings for Soldiers Exposed to Hexavalent Chromium



By [Randy Cox, The Oregonian](#)
 May 13, 2009, 7:11PM

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Also in Salem on Armed Forces Day...

By [Mike Francis, The Oregonian](#)
 May 13, 2009, 8:44AM

...Hexavalent chromium gets a hearing, with testimony from some Oregon National Guard soldiers who were exposed in Iraq. They'll be testifying in favor of H.B. 3480. Date: Wednesday-May 13 Time: 3:00 P.M. Room: HR 50 Where: State Capitol Building (You can also watch hearings on your computer using the Oregon Channel.) [Full story »](#)

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Oregon Guard members to testify on toxic chemical exposure

By [Casey Parks, The Oregonian](#)

May 12, 2009, 10:14PM

Oregon National Guard soldiers who were exposed to toxic chemicals will testify to an Oregon House committee on Wednesday. The soldiers, who were exposed to the toxic industrial compound hexavalent chromium while serving in Iraq, will speak before the House Committee on Elections, Ethics and Rules in favor of House Bill 3480, which would provide funds to Guard members who... [Full story »](#)

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High-intensity training, lousy living conditions at Camp Roberts

By [Mike Francis, The Oregonian](#)

April 20, 2009, 9:05AM

MEFAC Julie Sullivan produced this report after visiting Camp Roberts, Calif., where the 41st Brigade Combat Team is training for its deployment to Iraq. If every war delivers its own lessons, the 41st Infantry Brigade Combat Team is training for what's been learned so far: Troops must know how to avoid a roadside bomb and to wiggle out of an... [Full story »](#)

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Oregon soldiers learn to survive Iraq -- before they arrive

By [Julie Sullivan, The Oregonian](#)

April 19, 2009, 5:39PM

National Guard troops, deploying in July, get a crash course in Humvee rollovers, urban warfare and first aid [Full story »](#)

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Oregon Guardsmen heading to Iraq hear reassurance

By [Julie Sullivan, The Oregonian](#)

April 05, 2009, 9:17PM

Troops ask Sen. Ron Wyden and their commanders about questions ranging from chemical exposure, length of stay, what happens when they return

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Senate, House move ahead on chromium exposure bills

By [Mike Francis, The Oregonian](#)

March 20, 2009, 9:43AM

MFAC Julie Sullivan has an update on the case of hexavalent chromium exposure that apparently has sickened soldiers in the Oregon and Indiana National Guards. She and I listened in on a conference call with Sens. Dorgan, Wyden and Bayh yesterday in which all three senators said they were intent on switching the burden of proof for sickness from the... [Full story »](#)

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Senators propose registry for poisoned Iraq veterans

By [Julie Sullivan, The Oregonian](#)

March 19, 2009, 9:03PM

The registry would find and track soldiers to get them medical care faster
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"This is our Agent Orange"

By [Mike Francis, The Oregonian](#)

March 10, 2009, 8:48AM

Bumped to the top to incorporate the editorial I wrote today in response to Julie's story: Here it is. *** Ace reporter Julie Sullivan has delivered an important story about the exposure of Oregon National Guardsmen and other soldiers to a cancer-causing agent called hexavalent chromium. Part of the story is that contractor Kellogg, Brown & Root knew it was... [Full story »](#)

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Oregon veteran disabled by Iraq's 'Agent Orange'

By [Julie Sullivan, The Oregonian](#)

March 07, 2009, 4:40PM

National Guardsmen were exposed to hexavalent chromium while protecting contractors at an oil field in Iraq [Full story »](#)

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Oregon Guard tells 433 of possible chemical exposure

By **The Oregonian**

February 11, 2009, 3:54PM

The Oregon National Guard has written to 433 of its soldiers to say they may have been exposed to a toxic, carcinogenic chemical at an Iraqi water pumping plant shortly after the war began. [Full story »](#)

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Were soldiers endangered by toxins in Iraq?

By **Mike Francis, The Oregonian**

January 09, 2009, 9:24AM

MFAC Julie Sullivan reports today on the rippling fallout of a lawsuit by a group of Indiana National Guard soldiers who contend that they were exposed to a known cancer risk -- hexavalent chromium -- while Halliburton subsidiary KBR downplayed the danger. It turns out that at least 48 Oregon National Guard soldiers of the 1/162, and likely more, were... [Full story »](#)

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Oregon troops exposed to toxic chemical in Iraq

By **Julie Sullivan, The Oregonian**

January 08, 2009, 9:42PM

At least 48 Guard soldiers were around hexavalent chromium, a known cancer risk [Full story »](#)

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