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Has any research been done on products with chemicals of concern being sold under statewide contracts?

How much of these chemicals of concern are in products sold under statewide contracts? State agencies and educational institutions and county and local jurisdictions should be modeling the way of identifying these chemicals of concern and develop a plan to identify and remove them from goods and services. How do you propose to assist with that work?

How does this work align with the SEEP work? State Efficiency and Environmental Performance (SEEP) - Washington State Department of Commerce

How can DES incorporate this work into our Green Purchasing Guide and training elements? Green Purchasing | Department of Enterprise Services (DES) (wa.gov) Environmental Procurement Preference Training | Department of Enterprise Services (DES) (wa.gov)

How many of these products are being sold under statewide contracts?

Personal care and beauty products • Cleaning products • Food packaging and food contact materials • Apparel • Automotive and tire products • Residential pesticides • Plastic packaging

Is there a way to collaborate with DES and Ecology to identify opportunities to remove products that contain chemicals of concern? Any opportunity to do a pilot project of alternatives that are readily available and meet performance standards of users of statewide contracts?

With regards to reduce inequity and promote environmental justice, how much work has been done with DES PIE team? Procurement, Inclusion and Equity (PIE) program | Department of Enterprise Services (DES) (wa.gov)