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It's my opinion that we need more specific information regarding fumigations and pesticides. We need to be informed of the second hand effects as we are exposed to the many. We need to know more about ingredients about pesticides and how we can prevent illness. More needs to be done to insure we get the correct information.

Those pesticides affect me directly because they have an affect on those of us that live close to the fields. I live in the area of Fresno CA and for a long time I was exposed to the area where I smelled very strong odors maybe from pesticides or things applied in the fields.

And it has caused me to have blemishes, bumps and discoloration on my skin and also caused some kind of allergic reaction. After many years of these reactions the issues have gotten worse. I worry that many more people will have consequences like me and suffer. Where we live causes us to be exposed and that is not safe. Please do what you can to protect our health and the health of our families and do what is necessary to better the program that can protect us but also all the people that work in agriculture for many hours and have a maximum exposure.