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Christopher (Chris) Teaf is the President and Director of Toxicology for Hazardous Substance & Waste Management Research (HSWMR) in Tallahassee, FL. He has over 40 years of experience regarding health risk evaluation for chemicals and radionuclides in environmental and occupational circumstances.

Chris has a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology from Pennsylvania State University, a Masters degree in Biological Science from Florida State University (FSU), and a doctorate from the University of Arkansas College of Medicine. Dr. Teaf is Board-certified by the Academy of Toxicological Sciences (ATS), an international organization dedicated to the understanding and application of toxicology and risk assessment principles to solving human health-related issues and informing regulatory decision-making.

On the FSU faculty for 41 years from 1979-2020, Dr. Teaf served as Director and Associate Director of the Center for Biomedical & Toxicological Research at Florida State University, for 37 years. He has been the Director of Toxicology for HSWMR since 1985. In those positions, Chris has worked extensively with the Florida Department of Health (FDOH), Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Centers for Disease Control/Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Control (CDC/ATSDR), World Health Organization (WHO) and other similar agencies. He also has been involved in many hundreds of site-specific assessments and risk-based evaluations for sites with chemical, biological, and radiological considerations in Florida and elsewhere around the world.

A complete copy of Dr. Teaf's CV is available.





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