

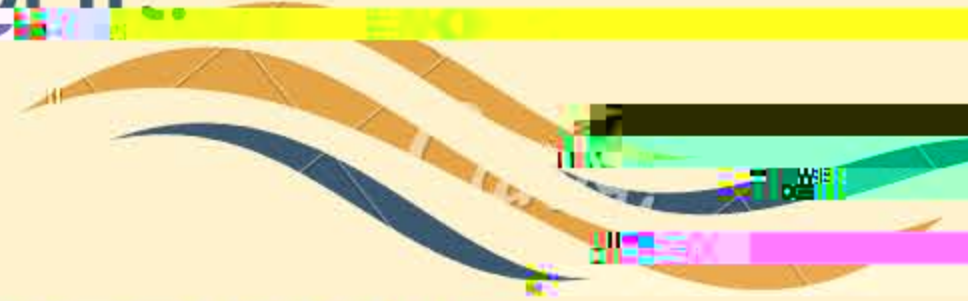
MOLD PREVENTION

Get rid of mold in your home and keep it from coming back!

Moisture issues

Control it

Fix leaks. Keep excess moisture from building your home too damp and dry!



Remove

visible mold

Washable: Clean with soap and water. Some items may need to be replaced.



Control humidity.

Use a dehumidifier. Humidity monitors are available at most hardware stores.



Improve ventilation

Open windows. Turn on mechanical ventilation systems (HRV or other). Turn on fans, especially when cooking or showering. Make sure these actually go outside!



Wear your PPE

Wear gloves, goggles, and eye protection when managing mold.



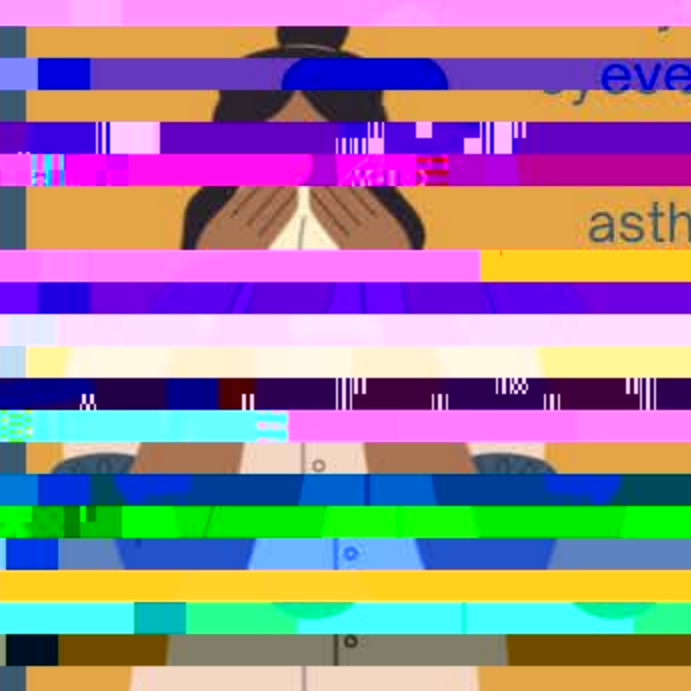
Kill remaining mold

After removing visible mold, wipe the area with a bleach solution (1 cup bleach to 1 gallon water). NEVER mix bleach with oil or chemicals.



Symptoms

Hay fever, conjunctivitis, itchy eyes and throat. Wheezing, coughing, sneezing, or having asthma may be more severe or sensitive to the allergen.



Questions? Contact NSHC-OEH at 434-3659 or 434-3297.