



Kenneth Rotert
Physical Scientist
 US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Kenneth Rotert, with the EPA since 1998, focuses on the potential public health risks related to microbial and other contamination of drinking water distribution systems. He conducted development and review of National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, including the Total Coliform Rule, the Groundwater Rule, and the Long-Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule and participated in the development of international guidance materials for the application of Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points strategies in drinking water.



Vincent Hill
Chief, Waterborne Disease Prevention Branch
 Division of Foodborne, Waterborne and Environmental Diseases, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Vincent Hill heads CDC's Waterborne Disease Prevention Branch (WDPB), the lead coordination and response unit in the Center for preventing domestic and global water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH)-related disease. A PhD and Professional Engineer (PE), his work focuses on the development and application of environmental sampling methods, microbial detection methods, and treatment technologies for water and wastewater systems. He is an author of over 50 peer-reviewed journal articles and scientific reports focused on environmental microbiology and engineering.



Rajendra Gursahaney
Senior Engineering Director
 Pepsi Beverages Company

Rajendra Gursahaney, born and educated in India, started his career as a management trainee with Unilever India Ltd and joined PepsiCola International in 1989. Since then he has worked in numerous countries across the globe building PepsiCola's manufacturing infrastructure. As Senior Director of Engineering, based out of PepsiCo's headquarters, he is responsible for supporting all 63 of PepsiCo's US beverage manufacturing locations across the North American continent on all aspects is water safety, capacity, capability and infrastructure.



Prof Nicholas Ashbolt
Alberta Innovates Translational Health Chair in Water
 School of Public Health, University of Alberta

Dr. Ashbolt accepted a position as Professor, School of Public Health, University of Alberta in October, 2013. Previously he was Title 42 Senior Research Microbiologist within the National Exposure Research Laboratory, U.S. EPA Cincinnati from January 2007-October 2013, and Professor and Head of the School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, the University of New South Wales (UNSW) Sydney. His work has contributed to the risk-based approach adopted in the most recent WHO and U.S. EPA recreational, drinking water and reuse guidelines.



Phyllis Butler Posy
Vice President, Strategic & Regulatory Affairs
 Atlantium Technologies

Moderator Phyllis Posy chairs the Water Quality Safety PDG and works as Vice President of Strategic and Regulatory Affairs for Atlantium Technologies, a fiber optic UV water disinfection and pasteurization company. An active member of the IAF, the International UV Association, the International Dairy Foods Association and the American Water Works Association, Phyllis has pioneered new ways for UV technology to make water safer for food processing and other uses.