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To: SOEPHE@LISTSERV.AAP.ORG <SOEPHE@LISTSERV.AAP.ORG>
Subject: AAP and Glyphosate in Our Food

Dear SOEPHE (Section on Epidemiology, Public Health, and Evidence) Members,

On December 11, 2023, the AAP published a [Clinical Report](#) on the potential harms of GMO foods that have specifically been genetically engineered to resist Roundup. They were careful to say the evidence concerning them was not the science of genetic engineering but the specific use of genetically engineering the crops to allow glyphosate (the active ingredient of Roundup) into our food. Pro-pesticide industry voices attacked the Report for being "fear-mongering" and "anti-scientific."

There is growing international concern about glyphosate in our food. The AAP report was carefully written, well-referenced, and conservative. The National Library of Medicine now indexes hundreds of studies demonstrating adverse effects on the cellular, genetic, endocrine, and microbiome levels of multiple life forms, including humans. The mainstream media has also been covering extensively the raging legal debates and court cases concerning the carcinogenic potential of glyphosate-based herbicides.

I published a [column](#) in one of our Hawaii papers on February 1, 2024. I reviewed the AAP report and future food production in Hawaii.

I am interested in discovering if other pediatricians are becoming concerned about the daily exposure to glyphosate in the typical American diet. I would also like to generate further discussion. I can be reached through this list serve or at levslin@makaiola.com.

Aloha,

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