**MOLD CLEANUP**

1. **Protect Yourself!** Always wear an N-95 mask, goggles and gloves when cleaning up mold. Your safety comes first! #MoldCleanup #HurricaneHelene #WeareNCPublicHealth
2. **Don’t Reenter Too Soon!** Ensure your home is completely dry and mold-free before going back in. Safety is key! #FloodRecovery #HurricaneHelene #WeareNCPublicHealth
3. **Dispose of Contaminated Items!** If something is moldy, it’s best to throw it away, especially carpets and padding. Keep your home healthy! #MoldPrevention #MoldCleanup #HurricaneHelene #WeareNCPublicHealth
4. **Watch for Hazards!** Look out for structural issues like sagging ceilings and check for gas leaks. Stay safe during cleanup! #MoldCleanup #HurricaneHelene #WeareNCPublicHealth
5. **Dry It Out!** Use fans and dehumidifiers to remove moisture safely. Don’t spread mold by using fans if it’s already growing. #MoldCleanup #HurricaneHelene #WeareNCPublicHealth

For more detailed guidance, check out all the tips here: <https://www.ncdhhs.gov/mold-cleanup-simple/download?attachment>