

On 2010-02-22, at 10:48, Sam Milham wrote:

Dear Andre,

Quebec's high rates of acute lymphocytic leukemia as well as brain and breast cancer are indeed a serious concern. While there are many suspected causes of cancer, hundreds of high quality epidemiological and other scientific studies point to increased risk of cancer from elevated exposure to electromagnetic fields. Our research shows that the childhood leukemia age peak emerged in the US in conjunction with the spread of residential electrification in the 1930s. In the context of exponentially increasing exposure to high frequencies from wireless devices, and the fact that overexposure to elevated 60-Hertz magnetic fields has been linked to higher rates of lymphocytic leukemia as well as brain and breast cancer, the Quebec government would be wise to inform its population about simple and low-cost ways of reducing such overexposure.

Best,

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