MERCURY EXPOSURE IMPACTS HEALTH

Eating contaminated fish and shellfish...

Is toxic to the brain and affects brain development in unborn babies and young children.

Using certain skin lightening soaps and creams...

Is toxic to the kidneys.

Mercury is used in small-scale gold mining...

This form of mercury is toxic to the brain and kidneys.

The same applies to mercury fumes from broken thermometers and blood pressure devices.

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