



# Smoke Outlook

## NE Oregon Multiple Fires

# 8/04 - 8/05

Issued by [Wildland Fire Air Quality Response Program](#) on August 04, 2024 at 06:50 AM PDT

### Special Statement

...Air Quality Alert issued by Idaho DEQ for Harney and Malheur Counties until 2 PM Monday...

### Fire

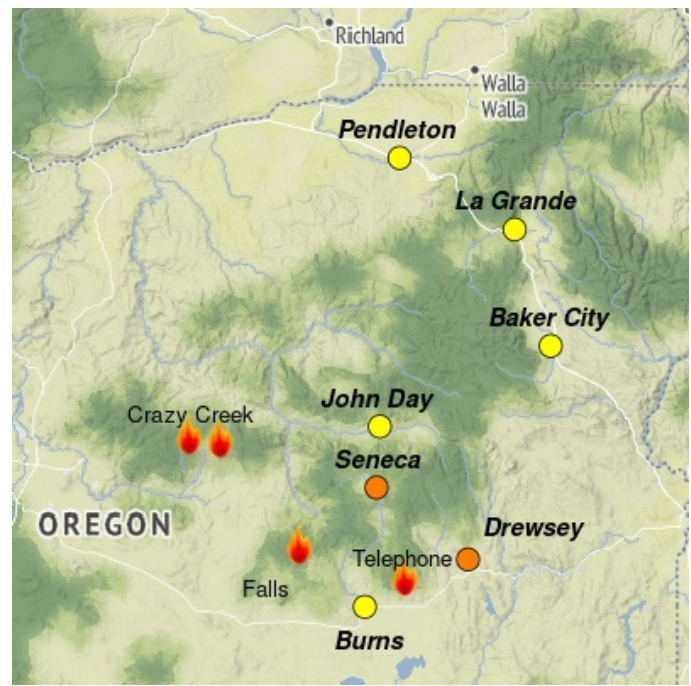
There remain multiple fires over southern Oregon affecting the forecast area. For more information on these incidents, please visit [Inciweb](#).

### Smoke

Regional smoke from fires mainly within southern Oregon to portions of Washington will bring light to locally moderate levels of smoke. Most areas will experience MODERATE 24 hour AQ with local 24 hour USG conditions in proximity to fires between Burns, Drewsey and John Day, west along highway 20. Limited improvements will occur early this week. Refer to the interactive Smoke and AQ Forecast for specifics.

### Additional Smoke Outlooks

Smoke Outlooks for adjacent areas are posted on the [Fire and Smoke Map](#).



Daily AQI Forecast\* for Sunday

Station	Yesterday	Sat	Comment for Today -- Sun, Aug 04	Forecast*	
	hourly	8/03		Sun	Mon
	6a noon 6p			8/04	8/05
John Day			MODERATE AQ with afternoon periods USG early this week		
Seneca	No hourly data		UNHEALTHY FOR SENSITIVE GROUP due to weather and proximity to fires		
Burns			Weather and winds should allow for MODERATE AQ early this week		
Drewsey	No hourly data		Mostly UNHEALTHY FOR SENSITIVE GROUPS with AQ improvement Monday		
Baker City			Hazy skies and MODERATE AQ average forecast early this week		
Pendleton			GOOD AQ early then becoming MODERATE by mid afternoon into Monday		
La Grande			Continuing MODERATE AQ forecast with light smoke		

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Air Quality Index (AQI)	Actions to Protect Yourself
Good	None
Moderate	Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion.
USG	People within Sensitive Groups* should <b>reduce</b> prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should <b>avoid all</b> physical outdoor activity.
Very Unhealthy	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.
Hazardous	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity.

**\*Disclaimer:** This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.

### Additional Links

[Oregon Health Authority- Wildfires & Smoke --](#)

[Oregon Department of Environmental Quality- Air Quality --](#)

<https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/preparedness/prepare/pages/prepareforwildfire.aspx>

<https://www.oregon.gov/deq/airquality/pages/aqi.aspx>

[Oregon Health Authority - Preventing Heat-related Illnesses --](#)

[https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/preparedness/prepare/pages/prepareforextremeheat.aspx?utm\\_source=OHA&utm\\_medium=egov\\_redirect&utm\\_campaign=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.oregon.gov%2Fheat](https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/preparedness/prepare/pages/prepareforextremeheat.aspx?utm_source=OHA&utm_medium=egov_redirect&utm_campaign=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.oregon.gov%2Fheat)



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NE Oregon Updates -- <https://outlooks.wildlandfiresmoke.net/outlook/d57c84ef>

\*Smoke and Health Info -- [www.airnow.gov/air-quality-and-health](http://www.airnow.gov/air-quality-and-health)