

Angling Indiana - 2009 FISH CONSUMPTION ADVISORY

St. Joseph County - advice for sensitive populations*

Waterbody	Fish Species	Fish Length (inches)	Maximum Amount for Adults to Eat** (Meals)
All Indiana Rivers and Streams (unless specified)	Carp	ALL	0
Juday Creek	White Sucker	17+	0
North Chain Lake	Channel Catfish	22+	0
	Walleye	20+	0
St. Joseph River (Lake Erie Basin) (downstream Park to Indiana State Line at St. Patrick's Park)	ALL	ALL	0
	Rock Bass	8+	2 ounces per week (1 meal/month)
	Yellow Bullhead	Up to 10	2 ounces per week (1 meal/month)
St. Joseph River (Lake Michigan Basin) (Baugo Bay Area)	Bluegill	Up to 8	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
	Channel Catfish	ALL	0
	Largemouth Bass	Up to 13	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
	Rock Bass	Up to 8	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
	Spotted Sucker	Up to 17	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
	White Sucker	Up to 14	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
Worster Lake	Black Crappie	Up to 8	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
	Bluegill	Up to 7	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)
	Brown Bullhead	16+	0
	Redear Sunfish	Up to 11	8 ounces per week (1 meal/week)

*Sensitive populations include: pregnant or nursing women, women that will become pregnant, and children under 6 years of age. These consumers should use caution when eating some types of sportfish.

**The maximum amount for adults to eat is determined by fishing location, species and fish length. For instance, if you eat the maximum amount of one species during a week, you should not eat any other fish which has a consumption limitation until the following week. Example - if you eat the limit (4 ounces) of a 20 inch long Carp from the Easy Catch River, then you should not eat any other sportfish from the list until the following week.