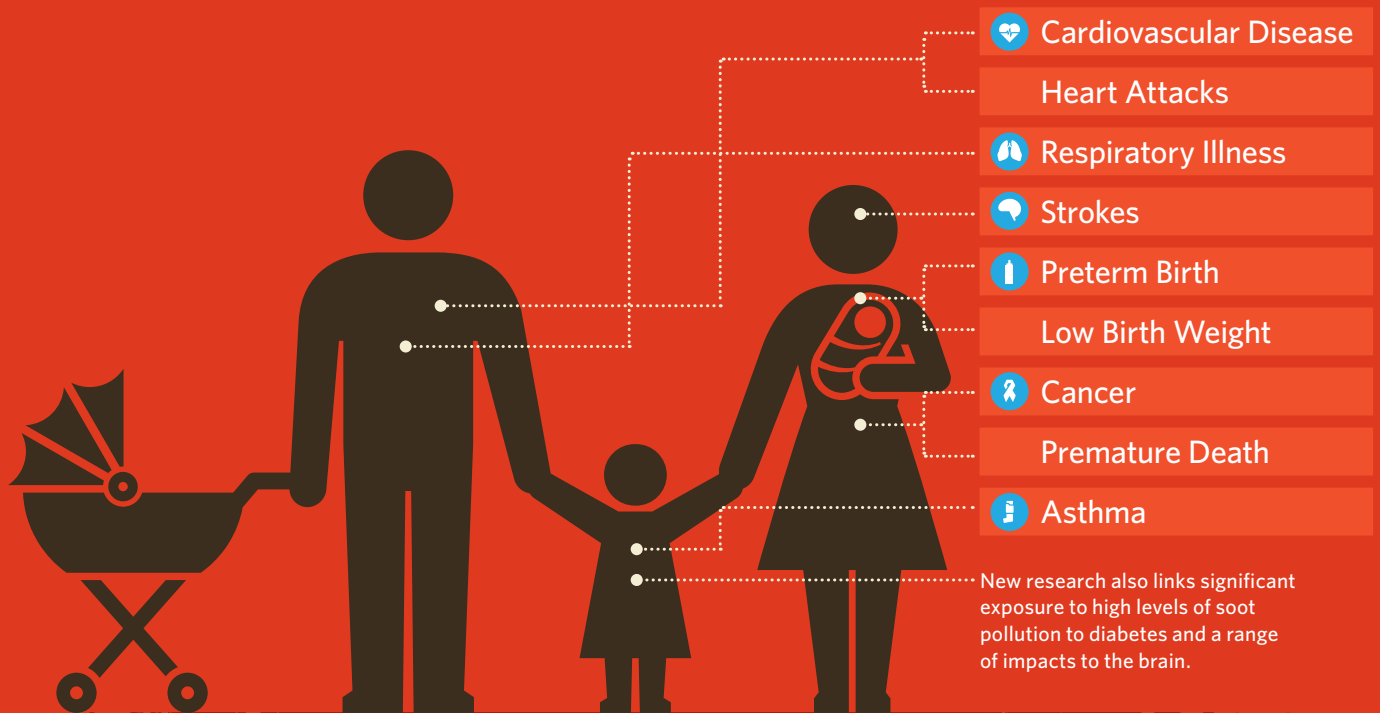




# HOW DIESEL EXHAUST HURTS YOUR HEALTH

Diesel trucks, trains, and equipment emit a combination of fine soot, smog forming pollutants and roughly 40 different toxic air contaminants, 15 of which are recognized carcinogens. Diesel soot is a carcinogen and dangerous — *particularly for children and seniors*. It is so small that, when inhaled, it goes very deep within the lungs where it can enter the bloodstream and cause serious health problems.



1 in 6 people in the U.S. live near diesel pollution hot spots like rail yards, ports, or freeways.

**We can reduce diesel pollution** with new, cleaner engines, filters added to older engines, and cleaner alternative technologies.

