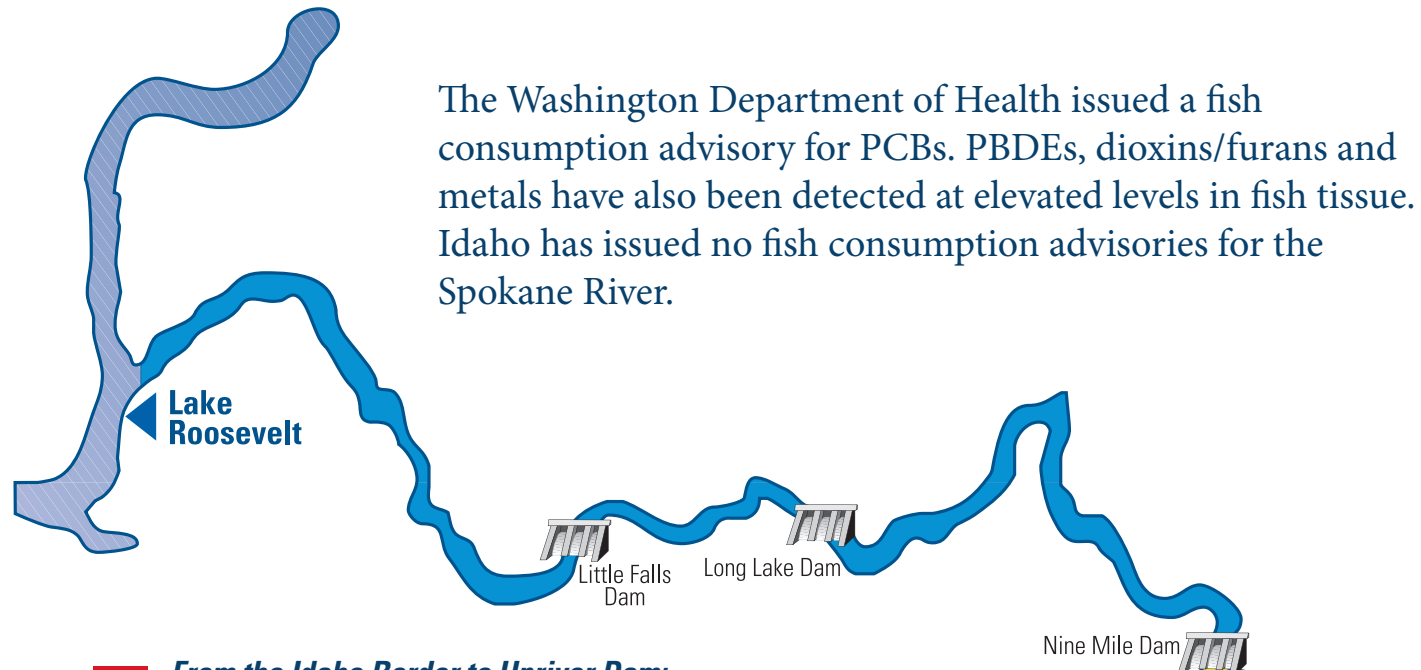


# Fish Consumption Advisory and Cleanup



## Cleanup and Restoration

In 2006, PCBs in sediments were “capped” behind Upriver Dam and removed in a backwater area of Donkey Island. Lead and arsenic were also isolated from public exposure by removal of soil and capping at the Starr Road recreation area.

In 2007, isolation of lead and arsenic at the Island Complex and Murray Road recreation areas will take place. Additional cleanup of lead and arsenic at the recreation areas shown on the map will be conducted over the next three or four years. All cleanup activities are designed to protect human health and the environment. Some movement of additional contaminated sediments into areas being cleaned up may occur with future flood events. Such potential movements will be less of a health risk than existing conditions and will be monitored by Ecology.

In Idaho, no cleanup activities of shoreline soil with elevated levels of contaminated sediments have been initiated.



**From the Idaho Border to Upriver Dam:**

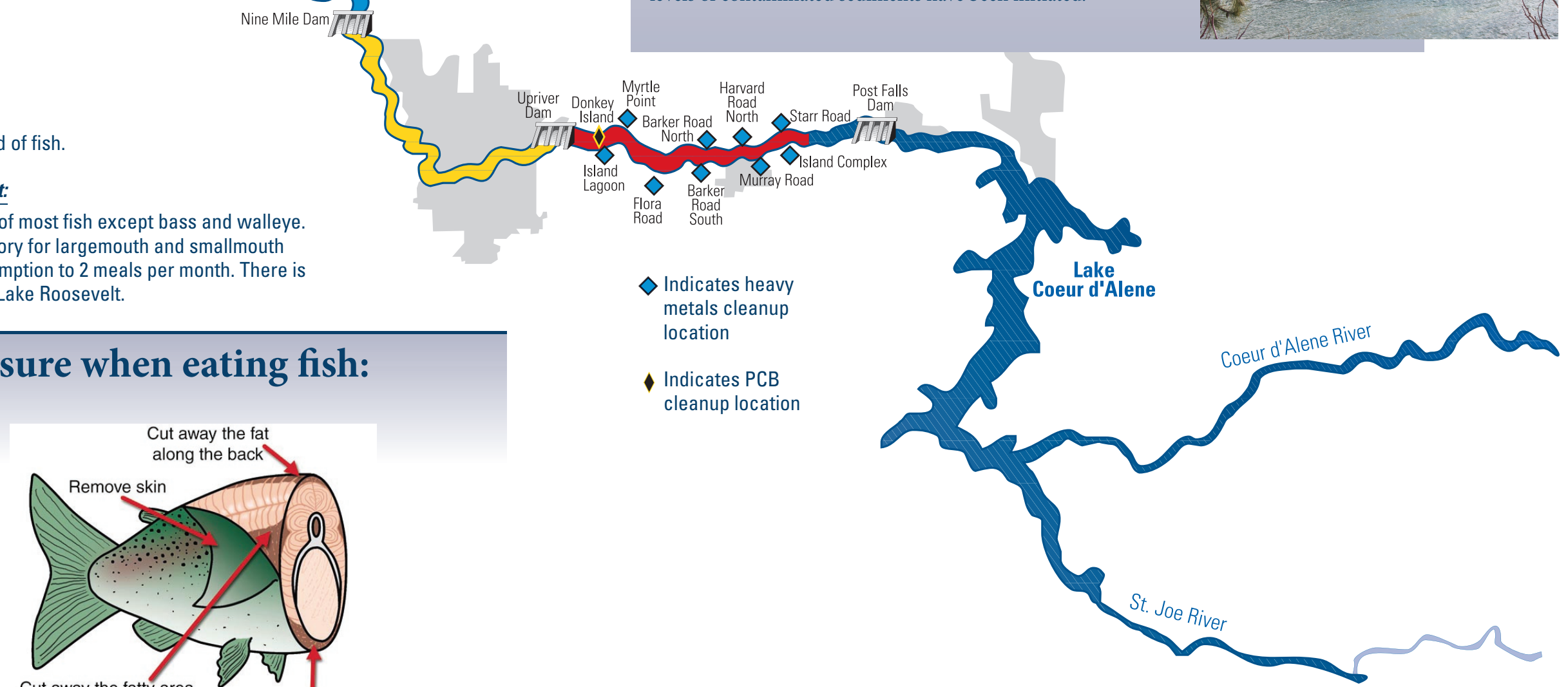
Do not eat any fish.

**From Upriver Dam to Nine Mile Dam:**

Eat only one meal per month of any kind of fish.

**From Nine Mile Dam to Lake Roosevelt:**

You can safely eat 2-3 meals per week of most fish except bass and walleye. DOH issued a statewide mercury advisory for largemouth and smallmouth bass, and recommends you limit consumption to 2 meals per month. There is also a mercury advisory for walleye in Lake Roosevelt.



## To reduce your exposure when eating fish:

### Cooking

Remove skin, fat and organs, then cook fish on a rack so the juices and fat will drip off.

### Eating

Do not eat the juices, bones, organs, fat or skin.

Check local fish advisories:

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