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Public health advisory continues for local lake

**(KNZA)--A public health advisory continues for a local lake.**

**The Kansas Department of Health and Environment, in a news release issued Thursday, said the Atchison County State Fishing Lake is among three lakes in the state under watch status for blue-green algae.**

**A watch means that blue-green algae have been detected and a harmful algae bloom is present or likely to develop.**

**People are encouraged to avoid areas of algae accumulation and keep pets and livestock away from the water.**

**KDHE says boating and fishing are safe. However, direct contact with the water should be avoided.**

**Any fish caught should be cleaned thoroughly with only the fillet portion eaten.**

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