# **Environmental Health Sciences**

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### **Environmental Pollution**

**Experimental Approach** 

# Evaluate the Health Effects Elucidate the underlying Mechanisms

## Clarify the Relationship between Human and the Environment, and Protect Healthy Life

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### Health Impact Assessment of Environmental Pollution by Experimental Approach

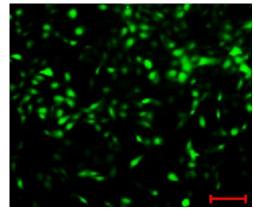
We are experimentally evaluating and analyzing the effects of environmental pollutants on health, especially the respiratory system and immune systems, and the underlying mechanisms using cultured cells and animals.

#### **Outline of study**

- To elucidate health effects of air pollutants and the underlying mechanisms
- To identify responsible factors and the components of air pollutants that contribute to health effects
- To elucidate health effects of environmental chemicals and the underlying mechanisms
- To reduce health effects of environmental pollutants using technology of medical engineering



Symptoms of atopic dermatitis exacerbated by environmental chemicals



Oxidative stress in airway epithelial cells exposed to environmental pollutants