

CANCER CLUSTERS & OTHER ILLNESSES AROUND MOBILE PHONE MASTS IN THE U.K.

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This document is an attempt to begin to document cancer clusters and other illnesses around mobile phone masts. The people living there have reported all the illnesses around these masts. No one has been searching for illness or going from door to door (except for a group who live in the West Midlands who have done some of their own research). It is quite possible that if research were done a lot more cancers and illnesses might emerge.

It is not easy to locate a cancer cluster for these reasons:

- 1 People often don't want to talk about cancer.
- 2 If cancer clusters are emerging, neighbours become fearful for their own and their families' health. They often try to stop publicity so that they can sell their house and get out of the area
- 3 Publicity about cancer clusters can lower house prices. Sometimes it is impossible to sell the houses at any price.

1. TOWN NEAR EXETER

There are 4 cancers of which **3 are leukaemias and 1 stomach cancer** all in direct line, and *within 300 metres of an Orange mobile phone mast, which was erected in 1996*. The beam of greatest intensity goes through these 4 houses before it reaches the town.

- ① **FEMALE** - Orange Mast erected in 1996 when she was in the womb. In 1999 aged 3 she was diagnosed with **Leukaemia**. (*91 metres from the mast. The beam of greatest intensity goes directly through her bedroom*)
- ② **MALE** - Diagnosed with **Leukaemia** in 1998; died in 1999 aged 51. (*130 metres from the mast*)
- ③ **RETIRED PERSON - Stomach Cancer**. No further information. (*200 metres from the mast*)
- ④ **MALE** - Diagnosed with **Leukaemia** in Feb 2002, aged 56. (*300 metres from the mast*)

(COM reading 6.5 v/m in bedroom, kitchen and some other points in the home of ①)

2. NORTH-EAST LONDON

5 Cancers:- 3 Breast Cancers, 1 Thyroid, and 1 Bowel Cancer. The Masts are Orange and T-Mobile. (Caretaker says roof is giving way!) After publicity some have mysteriously disappeared. 5 adults, *(all within 200 metres of a building with 16 masts on it)*, have developed cancer in the last 6 years.

The house next to the mast has no one with cancer in it, (there is less radiation immediately underneath a mast). However the tenant is leaving because he is frightened of getting cancer. The next four houses, which all have someone with cancer in, are all in a row next to this one. The fifth is one removed. ❷ says that the only people who have not got cancer in this row of houses are people who have not lived there long, or tenants.

This road is in northeast London in Iain Duncan Smith's constituency. Iain Duncan Smith has visited everyone in the road that has cancer. He visited ❶ before she died.

There are other intersecting masts nearby.

- ❶ **FEMALE** - Died of **breast cancer and secondaries** March/April 2002. Other symptoms were broken sleep and extremely dry skin. Her husband says “she used to have to put bottles of cream on her skin, and she used to get such severe electric shocks that she had to use a cloth to open the car door”. She was in her 50's. *(Lived about 60 metres from the masts)*
- ❷ **FEMALE - Breast cancer.** Pricking sensations. She has lived here for 30 years; for all this time she was perfectly healthy. She is in her 80's. *(Lives about 90 metres from the masts)*
- ❸ **FEMALE - Breast cancer.** Not sleeping, always tired, rash, persistent headaches. Dry skin. Pricking sensations. 51 year old teacher. Her husband has a long-term rash. 1 cat, 1 dog and 2 rats died of cancer. Some plants won't grow. *(Lives about 120 metres from the masts)*
- ❹ **FEMALE** - Diagnosed with **Thyroid cancer** in 1998 aged 48. Nursery school teacher. In remission. *(Lives about 150 metres from the masts)*
- ❺ **MALE** - Diagnosed with **Bowel cancer** in 1997 aged 68. *(Lives about 200 metres from the masts)*

A German MALE (Aged 52) *lives next to the building with the masts on.* This may shield him. He is renting, however he is so worried that he is planning to move.

3. TOWN IN LINCOLNSHIRE

In May 2001, The Daily Mail reported ten people with **Cancer**. (Numbered ① to ⑩ below). Four of these people had died of **Cancer**, and there were six other cases *within a 200-yard radius* of an Orange mast installed 1995 on a 45ft- high water tower *with six antennae and two microwave dishes*.

Where the beam hits the houses with the greatest intensity (using COM and AcoustiCOM meters) there were four cancers in three houses (① ② ③ & ④). These houses are all next door to each other. House ⑥ is just behind house ① in line with house ⑤ which is just in front of house ①, and a couple of houses behind house ⑥ is house ⑧.

A local councillor knows of four more people with **Cancer** and of a person in the house next to the mast four metres away who is being investigated for **Leukaemia**. *A further antenna has been added in*. Now there are many many more.

It is of note that there are two other masts, both almost directly in line and both north of this one. A temporary TETRA mast, and a mast on an industrial estate nearby.

- ① **FEMALE** - Diagnosed with **Breast Cancer** and secondaries in May 2000. Died in December 2002, aged 67. She lived in this house for 41 yrs and had never been ill before. When the vet tried to operate on her dog, he found the dog so “riddled with cancer” that he was unable to proceed. (*Lived opposite the mast about 120 metres from it*)
- ② **FEMALE** - Died aged 61 of **Ovarian Cancer**. (*Lived opposite and about 120 metres from the mast, next door to ①*)
- ③&④ **HUSBAND & WIFE** – He was diagnosed with **tumours in upper arm and kidneys** in October 1998. He died in November 1998 in his 70’s. In 1997 his wife was diagnosed with **Skin Cancer**. (*They lived opposite and about 120 metres away from the mast, next door to ②*)
- ⑤ **FEMALE** – She was diagnosed with **Cancer (Carcinomatosis)** in 1998 and died from it in 1999, aged 87. (*Lived on the opposite side of road to ① ② ③ & ④ above, about 80 metres from the mast*)
- ⑥ **MALE** - Diagnosed with **Leukaemia** in 1996, aged 71. (*He lives behind ① about 150 metres from the mast*)
- ⑦ **MALE** - Recovering from **Hodgkin’s lymphoma** which was diagnosed in 1999 when he was 7. (*Lives about 200 metres away from the mast*)
- ⑧ **MALE** - Diagnosed with **Stomach Cancer** in April 1997. Died September 1998 aged 73. (*Lived about 200 metres away from the mast*)
- ⑨ **FEMALE** - Diagnosed with **Acute Myeloid Leukaemia** in March 1997, aged 26. She had a bone marrow transplant in September 1997. She is currently in remission. (*Lives about 120 metres away from the mast in another direction*)
- ⑩ **FEMALE** - Diagnosed with **Breast Cancer** in 1997; aged 74, later had a mastectomy. (*Lives about 150 metres away from the mast also in the other direction*)

- ①① **FEMALE** - She is being continually investigated for possible **Leukaemia**. She has been trying to sell her house since 1999. (*Lives about 10 metres from mast*)
- ①② **MALE** - A driving instructor who died at 55 of **Leukaemia**. His bungalow was irradiated to frightening levels (*Lived in between two masts, approx 200 metres away*)
- ①③ **MALE** – Died of seizure in 2003 Age 21. (*He lived 800 metres from 2 masts one of which was a Tetra mast.*)
- ①④ **MALE** – Diagnosed with prostate cancer in 1005 age 41. Now 50. (*Lives 100 metres from mast*)
- ①⑤ **FEMALE** - Obituary read died after a long illness aged 52. Believed to be **Cancer**. (*Lived 100 metres from the mast, 50 metres from the home of ① which was opposite the mast*).
- ①⑥ **MALE** - Died of **Cancer** in his mid 40s in about 1995/96. He had lived there with his wife for a number of years. The house was irradiated when checked with the AcoustiCOM. (*Lived 100 metres from the mast and their homes were also in close proximity to ⑥ and ⑦*)
- ①⑦ **MALE** - Has **cancer** (thought to be **Bowel Cancer**). (*Lives opposite ①, north of ①③, diagonally close to ⑥*)
- ①⑧ **MALE** - Died of a **brain tumour** in early 40's. Wife is too distraught to discuss whether she and the children may also be at risk. (*Emissions recorded outside their house*)
- ①⑨ **FEMALE** - Late 30's. She is caring for her daughter's baby, which was born with **multiple medical problems**. Baby has had several operations. It is thought that daughter lived at mothers house throughout the pregnancy. Emissions recorded in bedroom and sitting room.
- ②⑩ **FEMALE** - Late 30's. Is being investigated for **Breast Cancer**. Her dog has had tumours. (*Lives in same street as ①⑨*)
- ②⑪ **TWO FEMALES** - Moved into the same road as ⑨ & ①⑩ in September 2003. Two aged 18 and 27 became **lethargic** and withdrawn. Eldest (then aged 30) in remission from **Brain Cancer**. (Readings obtained were 2.5V/m in the garden and one bedroom. After 3G upgrade and additional antennae found from AcoustiCOM that whole house was immersed in radiation). (*These girls are now too frightened to live here they are camping on a mattress above a shop*)
- ②⑫ **FEMALE** - Aged 41, **Rash** over face and arms, especially around the eyes. **Itchy skin to the point of scratching till it bled**. Had **severe pains in abdomen** She was 8 months pregnant when she moved into this house. Her baby **screamed**, and **held it's head** in its cot 15/20 times a night. It also **cried** in the day as well. Her 3 year old also became very **aggressive**. This lady moved out, she was so desperate to get away that she didn't stay out her notice. A year later the baby has stopped screaming and it sleeps through the night, and the other child no longer aggressive. (COM Readings 2.5V/m in front of the house.) (*Lived behind ①⑩ 100-150 metres from the mast*)
- ②⑬ **FEMALE** – Then aged 19 used to occupy a bedroom that was irradiated. She became **lethargic/withdrawn**, retiring to her room constantly. Since moving she is now a changed person has developed a personality and is full of life.
- ②⑭ **FEMALE** - Has a baby that **screams** a lot at night. Her Doctor has suggested she moves away from the mast. In early 2004 she hadn't yet moved. (*Lives opposite ⑨*)

- ②⑤ **FEMALE - Breast/Brain Cancer.** (*Lives in end house next to school, 50 metres from mast*)
- ②⑥ **BABY** - Screams every night when it is upstairs. If it is taken downstairs it goes quiet. (Low level microwave radiation from masts is usually lowest on the ground floor and more intense at higher levels). (*Lives in same road as ⑥, ⑦ & ⑧*)
- ②⑦ **MALE** – In his late 40’s, but **looks much older**. He was having to take 20 **painkilling tablets** a day. He was known to his workmates as “**Sick note**”. Since he moved he **sleeps better** and has been able to **work again**. His children’s health has also improved. He has also been able to consume alcohol without getting ill (a symptom of candida). He had been exposed to the mast for years. In his garden he had guinea pigs and rabbits that had developed tumours. (The animals were in fields of 2.5V/m and recordings of 2.5V/m were measured in lower room in house. His GP welcomed his moving away from the mast) (*Was living in same road as ⑨ & ⑩*)
- ②⑧ **ELDERLY MALE - Severe weight loss** appears to be **very ill**. He has lost several dogs to **cancer/tumours**, which he walked is the area. This area is heavily irradiated, as is his home. (*Lives a few doors away from ⑩*)
- ②⑨ **MALE** – In his 50’s. He has **headaches**, is **lethargic** and suffers from **serious depression**, and all sorts of **complaints**. He is always at Doctors surgery and the hospital. In January 2004 tried to commit suicide by taking weed killer. The Doctor is unable to explain his situation. (High emissions have been recorded outside his home) (*Lives 3 doors up from ⑧ close to ⑥ & ⑦*)
- ③⑩ **FEMALE** – Early 40’s. Has had a **Mastectomy**. High levels measured with AcoustiCOM. (*Lives directly behind ⑩. The mast is 100 metres from the house*)
- ③① **MALE** - He is 44 and has unexplained problems including **pains in upper torso**. Found high Acousticom readings. His bed is completely covered in emissions and his wife looks extremely ill. (*Lives directly opposite ②⑧*)
- ③② **FEMALE** - In mid 30’s waiting for a **transplant** (*Lives a few doors from ③①*)
- ③③ **MALE** - Early 60’s. He has had most of his **stomach removed** and continues to receive treatment. Looks very ill. (Emissions recorded outside his home). (*Lives directly opposite ②⑩, and 5 doors from ③①*).
- ③④ **YOUNG FAMILY** - The mother works away 5 days a week but **suffers terrible headaches** whilst at home. (Emissions same as in ③①). (*Lives 2 doors from ③①*).
- ③⑤ **FEMALE** - A school teacher in early 40’s who lives south of Railway Line has been so **lethargic** that she has been off work for 10 weeks (up to Jan 2004). Her Doctor is unable to explain this problem. She reports **electric shock/tingling in her brain** on awakening each morning. Emissions found above her bedhead (which was previously clear). This is attributed to the update at the mast base station. (The COM meter shows 2V/m downstairs and 2.5 V/m in the study where she works 2 hours each day). She has a friend who teaches at the same irradiated school who has very **bad headaches**.
- ③⑥ **FEMALE** – Teacher died of cancer in late 40’s early 50’s taught at Parish School which is irradiated by mast. No further details.

- ③ ⑦ **FEMALE** - Late 30s. **Brain tumour**. Died in fire due to leaving chip pan on stove. (*Lived in a house irradiated by mast*).
- ③ ⑧ **MALE** - Mid 60's. **Brain tumour**. Prior to diagnosis has **seizure** and was **unconscious for 6 weeks**. Used Mobile Phone. (*Lives south of Railway Line*)
- ③ ⑨ **MALE** – Taxi Driver, late 40's/early 50's, died from **Cancerous Brain Tumour** in about 2002. (Lived near to ③ ⑧ south of railway line).
- ④ ⑩ **FEMALE** – Age 20, has one baby with multiple problems
- ④ ① **MALE** – **Heart Attack**. Very fit 60 year old builder. Next door to Female 40. The hall very heavily irradiated. Near 2 masts TETRA and other mast.
- ④ ② **MALE** – **Heart Attack** aged 57. Few doors up from Female 40.
- ④ ③ **MALE** – Was operated on in 1999 and plates inserted in his leg. When he went to stay with Mum locally his legs swelled up to twice the size legs should be. Consultant said he could not explain it. Also in bath his throat swelled up. Was taken to hospital at 5.00 a.m. in agony. Cleared up in 3 days.
- ④ ④ **MALE** – **Growth in chest. (Glands up) Sleep disturbance. Headaches.**
- ④ ⑤ **MALE** – **Sleepwalking and bruise on leg**, no explanation. Toothache.
- ④ ⑥ **MALE** – **Spinal Cancer**.
- ④ ⑦ **MALE** – **Stomach cancer**, hospitalised in June 2004. Lives in pub which is plastered in radiation.
- ④ ⑧ **FEMALE** – **Headaches takes 8 painkillers a day. Was OK when away and on holiday.** During her work she visits 8 irradiated houses a day. Her house has some irradiation, she has now moved her bed out of area.
- ④ ⑨ **MALE** – **Prostate Cancer**. Radiation outside house.
- ⑤ ⑩ **FEMALE** – **Heart Attack**. House irradiated.

4. WINTON COURT MAST near Gainsborough. This mast is 120 meters from school.

200 meters away the mast is irradiating travellers site. One male who owns canaries reported 5 of his 6 canaries died in quick succession. Only one left, these birds were not old.

Female – In remission from **breast cancer**. Bedroom has low level radiation.

Neighbour has tumour in eye is having chemo treatment.

Neighbour across road is taking 52 tablets a day for cancer in his legs.

Male – **59 years old sudden death**. Lived 400 metres from Masts.

5. CORRINGHAM ROAD TETRA (*Thorndike Way Dual carriageway*) top mast Then Middle Corringham road one and then The Avenue on all in a line. Top left of Gainsborough map 1 bor c

1. **MALE** - Obituary read. **Died after a long illness.** Engulfed in emissions from Tetra Mast. There may also be emissions from another mast irradiating that area.
2. **MALE** – Age 34. Works 74 metres from Mast. Also lives in area which is radiated by another mast. Bad shakes and has been tested for leukaemia.
3. **MALE** – Extremely fit 40 year old, **Brain Tumour**
4. **MALE** – lives 200 yds from TETRA Mast and about 200 yds from another mast. Had a **tumour** after living in area for 2 years.
5. **FEMALE** – Early 60s had **breast cancer.** 200 meters away from and opposite TETRA mast.
6. **MALE - Brain Tumour** 40 yr old man. *Operated a hire business in a portacabin 10 metres from the mast. He developed a cancerous brain tumour and died a couple of weeks after diagnosis.*
7. **MALE – Benign Tumour** operated on. Still has headaches after returning to work. Some radiation at his home. Works in factory 50 meters from Mast.
8. **FEMALE – Breast Cancer** in mid 50s. Works as cleaner near to Mast.

The Lincolnshire roadcar bus service depot is now on that site where bus drivers sit in a canteen . and cleaners maintenance staff work on buses. JW recorded 2.5 V/m on that site and after being there for 4 minutes developed headache and nausea that lasted for more than 2 hours till he took sleeping tablet.

9. **PUPIL AGED 9-10.** *At Whites Wood Lane School has been receiving cancer treatment, her hair has recently grown back. The school is irradiated by the temporary Tetra mast. The AcoustiCOM screeches in the area of the school and housing estate*
10. **MALE** – Died June 2004 **Cancer of legs.** Lived 500 meters from mast.
11. **YEAR OLD RABBIT.** *Owner's rabbit got cancerous tumour in eye after 11 months in garden hutch. JW reports low level microwaves traced to Tetra mast of Corringham road. -*

6. FOXBY LANE CANCER CLUSTER

1.4 2004 The temporary Corringham Road mast a TETRA, is to be permanently sited here now. **There are 7 cancers here.**

1. **MALE** – Mid –50's Sudden death lives within 2 meters of Mast.
2. **FEMALE - has had a breast off she is campaigning.**
3. **MALE - JW understands died of leukaemia Late 70s within 100 metres of Pines mast**
4. **FEMALE** – In her 60S. **Throat cancer now moved to brain. Lives near mast** Information via grandson.

Source: Ist 10 in Daily Mail 7 May 2001 Sarah Harris Others located by Jim Whelen.

7. BARNOLDSWICK LANCASHIRE (Near Skipton)

Mast erected 1997. Since it went up there has been illness in **three houses in a row** less than 250 yards from 40-foot mast

1. **FEMALE - breast cancer.** About 200 metres from the mast. School art technician, diagnosed within 12 months of mast going up. Aged 50.
2. **MALE - Aged 13 months old.** In 1999 developed a **mystery illness that has destroyed his pancreas and left him with diabetes.** Moved in Nov 1998. In Nov 2000 child developed a large abscess on the side of his neck. Drained three times. Soon after, the pancreas stopped working. This has mystified doctors, but looks like an autoimmune illness. *Their house is about 220 metres from the mast.*
3. **FEMALE - Breast cancer, diagnosed 1999.** *Less than 250 metres from the mast.* Aged 73.

4. **YOUNG MAN - Leukaemia.** *About 150 metres from the mast in the other direction.* Aged 16.

Source: Daily Mail 22 May 2000 Adam Powell a.powell@dailymail.co.uk

LEEDS 1. COOKRIDGE

The ward has two huge masts positioned in close proximity to one another. They were put up in the 1970's and have been growing ever since, they now carry the antennae of numerous mobile phone companies. Since 1989 more women in Cookridge have contracted breast cancer and other tumours than in any other area of Leeds.

Tumour cases: Leeds average: 160
Cookridge 1991-3: 215 (increase of 34% approx)
1994-5: 225 (increase of 35% approx)

Breast Cancer: Leeds average: 33
Cookridge 1991-3: 55 (increase 75% approx)
1994-6: 43 (increase of 32% approx)

Residents report that these figures attracted a lot of media attention, until in 1999 an investigation by Dr MD Hawkings and Dr G Wardman standardised these figures by age in order to reach the conclusion that incidence rates in Cookridge were only slightly above the overall Leeds rate. This has been seen as a coverup.

8. LEEDS 2

MALE & FEMALE - 16 metre Vodaphone mast *20 metres away from house.*

This couple fought for 4 1/2 years to get mast removed. At first only concerned about house prices. Estate agent said they would lose third value of house and would be lucky to find a buyer. **All family not sleeping too well.**

The female (teacher, aged **57** in Feb 2000) **not healing as well, and short-term memory often poor.** The Male diagnosed with **brain tumour** in July 1999. Died at 65 in year 2000).

Wife has vowed to keep campaigning.

Source: The Express 28 Feb 2000 to follow up.

BBCNewsOnline

Tuesday, 10 December, 2002, 12:19 GMT

RESIDENTS PROTEST OVER PHONE MAST

Residents living in a village near Leeds are battling to stop a mobile phone mast being built, after four local people developed brain tumours. Scientists have not discovered a firm link between Mobile masts and cancer, but residents in Bardsey are determined to stop what they see as an increased risk. Protestors temporarily stopped erection of the new mast last week (April 2004) when they blocked the entrance to a work access track. T-mobile, which does not have any other masts in the area, is meeting Leeds City Council on Thursday to press its claims for it to be built. Health worries. The company say the protests were in response to a planning permission mix-up. But the organizer told the BBC it was the possible health risks that worried local residents. "In terms of possible health risks of mobile phones, we may be where we were in the 1950s with regard to cigarette smoking. For 200 years that was thought to be safe," he said. A female resident, who has a seven-centimeter brain tumour, does not want another mast. She told the BBC: "They haven't done enough research to prove the link one way or another. Confidence in safety "In the village at the moment I know four people who have had brain tumours including myself. "It all seems to be very localized, which does concern me." T-mobile spokeswoman Jill Kerr told BBC News Online that they understood villagers' concerns, but said mobile masts were not harmful. "We work within strict guidelines recognized by the World Health Organization that are designed to protect the

public,” she said. “So we are confident they are safe”.

9. TOLWORTH SURREY

1. **FEMALE - aged 49. Brain haemorrhage.** House sandwiched between mobile phone masts on top of the local hospital and an office block. Son says she was in good health all her life until one or two days before she died when she complained of headaches.
2. **FEMALE - aged 54. Brain haemorrhage** Careworker. Also had good health most of her life. Both suffered identical haemorrhages just five weeks apart. (Female 2 died first) Husband who is electrician, gets a lot of shocks.

Lady no 3 stated that without enquiring or looking she knew of other illnesses near this mast. **A lot of these are next door to each other or along the line of the microwave beams.** This lady campaigned to stop more masts going up. Her house is right under the mast, which probably shelters it. I got no microwave measurement on the Com. Meter. However, the AcoustiCOM picks up a lot more.

3. **FEMALE - An undiagnosable itchy skin rash and her white blood cell count is down. She gets electric shocks easily, as does her husband. He has had nosebleeds.**
4. Two of Female 3's children have allergies.
5. **MALE - aged 18 has found a lump in his testicles, which is being checked (23.9.2002).**
6. Other son has such major infections in his mouth that he may lose teeth.
7. **MALE - The next-door neighbour, aged 49, has throat cancer.**
8. **FEMALE - Previous male's wife, aged 50, has skin cancer.** (they are having a lot of marital problems).
9. Their daughter **has a long-term rash**, Her parents fear she's got **glandular fever.** (23.9.2002)
10. **YOUNG MALE - has a defective immune system and a low white blood cell count.** Lives next door to Female 3.
11. **YOUNG FEMALE - Lives opposite this neighbour has had two miscarriages at 6 months.**
12. **FEMALE - aged 55, has breast cancer.** Lives opposite previous female.
13. **FEMALE - aged 67, has breast cancer.** Lives opposite same previous female.
14. **FEMALE - opposite has a son aged 3 with brittle bone disease.**
15. The occupant of the next house to this died of **bowel cancer.**
16. Next-door, a 67- yr- old continually having tests. **Something very wrong – don't know what.**
17. **FEMALE - Directly in line with the mast aged 35. Cancer of the womb.** Has had a hysterectomy.
18. **MALE - Her father has had a stroke** and tries to adjust the shower thinking it is the radio.
19. **FEMALE - Her mother is under investigation, highly confidential, fears bowel cancer.**
20. In the next-but-one house also directly in line with the mast is **another stroke victim.**
21. **MALE - very young man, has non- Hodgkin's lymphoma.**
22. **FEMALE - next-door neighbour to 4, has had persistent throat problems** for 3 years. Her doctor is impatient with her and can't understand it.

Armed with the AccoustiCOM A contact has traced a trail of illnesses in a beam that goes through several houses – some of the people who are ill are not on this list. We need to do more work.

One resident said “We are all living in fear as to who is the next to go”.

(There is also a third mast in the vicinity of Jubilee Way, an industrial estate).

Source: Sunday Mirror 23rd April 2000 Gerard Couzens . The article quoted Alasdair Philips: “These deaths must be investigated... The microwaves break down the blood/brain barrier that keeps out noxious substances. A powerful mast could lead to haemorrhaging.”

Vicky Harris a lib dem councillor has taken an interest. She knew there was a cluster. She wants to be involved if we/scientists go back to measure. The Health Service are thinking of not renewing any masts on their property. The problem is that there is still 7 years remaining on their lease (23.9.2002).

10. STOKE ON TRENT

Cluster of 4 BRAIN HAEMORRHAGES. Of these four, the three in the newspaper article were next-door neighbours. The other one was about 10 houses further away. All died. Of the three who were neighbours: one died in 1998 and two in April 2000.

These four people all lived in houses opposite the beam, all within 80-100 metres of a 25-meter mast with 6 antennae and 5 dishes on it. This mast has been up since 1993.

1. **FEMALE - Brain haemorrhage Died April 2000**
2. **FEMALE - Brain haemorrhage Died April 2000** (within 2 days of previous female).
3. **FEMALE - Brain haemorrhage**
4. **Brain haemorrhage**

Other illnesses near the mast are:

5. **FEMALE** - had had childhood epilepsy and become a lot better. **Since the mast went up she has had very severe epilepsy and sleepless nights.**
6. **TWO DOGS** - developed and **died of epilepsy.**
7. **One person with a heart monitor who walked past a mast and collapsed was in hospital for 3 days.**

Additionally a cluster of at least five people close together with **high blood pressure.**

Source: Mast Sanity. Newspaper article Mark Forster The Sentinel 13 August 2002

This mast is growing all the time. There is permission to add 3rd-generation services and a TETRA and a mini node (central collation point).

11. BLANDFORD CAMP DORSET

FEMALE - survived a brain haemorrhage. *The office that she worked in for 2 years was 200 yards away from a powerful communications tower, which emitted high-powered signals day and night.* This female recovered but her health has never been the same since. On her return to work she was privy to highly classified correspondence within the ministry of defence **where concerns were raised over the number of brain haemorrhages and cancers within army personnel and families in the Northern Ireland “behind the wire” army compounds. The concern was that perhaps these were caused by the surveillance masts.**

This lady has commented that two friends, who used to work with her at Blandford, although only in their early 50's, are now dead. (They both worked in front of the mast for 10 years) One of lung cancer though she never smoked, one of a heart attack.

Source: Network

12. NORWICH

In the last 6 years The Norwich Eastern Evening News reports at least 8 people have been diagnosed with cancer in Furze Road. It lists 7. Furze road is a road in which elderly people tend to live. It is several hundred metres away from a 120- foot mobile phone in St Williams Way. Orange, BTCellnet/002 and One2One/Tphone are all on it.

1. **FEMALE** - aged 75, moved into the street in 1998; **has cancer of small intestine.** (Newspaper says she had it a few months after moving there – this is not long.) AcoustiCOM shows beams from masts driving into her bedroom like a skewer.
2. **FEMALE** - aged 83, next door, has lived in the street since 1945 and battled with cancer for 6 years. Had a **tumour in her face, now bowel cancer and another tumour below her eyes.**
3. **FEMALE - Cancer of lymph glands.**
4. **MALE - Diagnosed with throat and sinus cancer 5 years ago.**
5. Another **cancer victim** did not want to give any details .
6. Sixth is **dead.**

7. **MALE** - Lived in Furze Rd for more than forty years. **Died from lung cancer** in 1999.
8. The paper reports eight – however unable to find details of eighth victim

Dr Ian Gibson, cancer specialist and M.P. for Norwich North said “Since their illnesses are different it is hard to link them with the mast but further research should be carried out”. He is to discuss the possibility of further research with former colleagues at UEA.”

13. EXETER PENNSYLVANIA

Informant who is a MALE was diagnosed with non **Hodgkin’s lymphoma** 9 years ago. He believes that the transmitter at Marypole Head which was put up in 1981 *which is less than 200 metres from his house* is responsible for his cancer, and has affected as many as 13 other residents, **a lot of them in a line about 50 metres wide in direct line north from the mast.** (In High Duryard, Argyll Road and Belvedere Road). Nine of these have died. Other residents have cancers such as lung cancer, stomach cancer and leukaemia.

FEMALE - Has **breast cancer** which has now moved to the lungs.

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14. TOWN IN SOUTH WEST

1. **FEMALE - Breast cancer diagnosed at 32.** Is now 34. Has lived *directly in line with and 300/400 metres from a tall mast for 4 years.* While visiting the hospital recently she met a neighbour who lives **opposite her and also directly in line with the mast.** This lady has leukaemia.
2. **FEMALE - Leukaemia.** This lady is in her early 50s or late 40s. She has had leukaemia for 2 years. No further information.
3. **MALE** - Female 1’s young husband developed Crohn’s disease the same year.

15. WISHAW very small VILLAGE NEAR SUTTON COLDFIELD IN THE WEST MIDLANDS

28 people living in the shadow of a mast that was erected 8 years ago have developed symptoms/illnesses in the last 18 months. 5 have developed breast cancer though there is no history of breast cancer in their families.

(This bit is not updated yet) Out of these 15 *are living/working within about 100 metres of the mast, 1 within about 500-800 metres.* **It seems that these are pretty much in a line with the mast.** There are also four radio masts nearby.

- 1 **FEMALE - Breast cancer,** diagnosed Dec 2001. In Nov 2001 developed **rash** which lasted 3 weeks controlled with heavy dose of steroids. *102 metres from mast.* Aged 38.
- 2 **FEMALE - Breast cancer,** diagnosed Jan 2002. Living *180 metres from mast.* Aged 49.
- 3 **FEMALE - Breast cancer,** new diagnosis, operation July 2002, living *110 metres from mast.* Aged in her 50s.
4. **FEMALE - Breast cancer** diagnosed May 2001 living *Approx 200 metres from mast.* Aged in her 50s.
5. **FEMALE - Breast cancer** diagnosed May 2001. Living *Approximately 500 metres from mast.* Aged 44.
6. **FEMALE – Benign lump in breast.** 180 meters from mast, next door to Female 2’s house.

Three of these 5 people suffered with low white blood cell counts from the onset of chemotherapy. In order to regain normal white blood cell counts they have had to take nutrophen. Female 1 says that on 2 occasions when she left the area for a week at a time she regained her normal white blood cell count without intervention. Female 2 went away recently (August 2002) and experienced the same thing. Up to this point she was struggling through treatment and experiencing delays of up to six weeks at a time in between chemotherapy in order to regain a normal white- cell count with the assistance of nutrophen injections.

More recently August/October 2 people who had low neutrophils have moved bedrooms, from bedrooms that were being badly affected by the masts using the acoustiCOM to bedrooms that were not, according to the AcoustiCOM, affected. Female 19's neutrophils then shot up from 0 to 3.0 and Female 2's neutrophils shot up to 1.0 and steadily increased.

7. **FEMALE** - 25 2cm **benign lump in breast removed**. *180 metres from mast*. Next door to Female 2's house.
8. **FEMALE** - (Daughter of female 4) **Lump removed, cancer?** Has recently been away for a year. She returned this summer, and has had the operation in summer 2002. *Approx 200 metres from mast*. Aged 27.
9. **FEMALE** - Suffers from **abnormal cells in cervix**. **She is still under investigation and has been called back to the doctor for 3 smear tests and 2 breast checks for lumps**. *104 metres from mast*. Aged 20.
10. **FEMALE** - **Growths in womb, which were removed, and two years of infection after infection leading to hysterectomy this year**. *Works within 102 metres of mast*. Aged 34.
11. **FEMALE** - **Pre-cancerous cells in cervix**. This was diagnosed just over 12 months ago (August 2001). Months after the removal of these she is still having treatment as tests show that **the cells are still abnormal**. *Working within 102 metres of the mast*. Aged 32.
12. **FEMALE** - **Cell changes in breast (biopsy showed calcium changes in cells)** *working within 102 metres of mast*. Aged 51.
13. **FEMALE** - Underwent surgery in April 2001 to remove **benign lumps from womb and cervix**. **She is also seeing her consultant for abnormal cells. Keeps waking up at night**. Electric shocks. Lives *approx 200 metres from mast*. Aged 44.
14. **MALE** - **Rare tumour** size of a fist at the top of the spine Diagnosed and operated on Feb and 2nd March 2003. Sleep disturbance and electric shocks. Went on to develop **Motor Neurone** disease and subsequently died in late 2004.
15. **FEMALE** - **In April 2001 underwent surgery to remove benign lumps from womb and cervix, still seeing consultant for abnormal cells**. Lives *Approx 200 metres from mast*. **age 45**
16. **MALE** - **Son of Female 1 has horrendous nose bleeds**. Living *102 metres from mast*. Aged 12.
17. **MALE** - **Rash covers the whole of his body except the face. Seeing consultant dermatologist**. This rash developed twelve months ago. lives *approx 200 metres from mast*. Aged 20.
18. **MALE** - **Rash**. Developed the same rash as neighbour, also consulting a dermatologist. Lives *approx 200 metres from mast*. Aged 17.
19. **FEMALE** - **Classical electrical hypersensitivity and multiple sensitivity symptoms and hormone deficiency**. Lives *102 metres from mast*. Aged 49.
20. **MALE** - **Husband of Female 19** Suffers from early morning **light sensitivity**. Disturbed sleep. Keeps waking up and not getting back to sleep. *102 metres from mast*. Aged early 50s.
21. **FEMALE** - Sister of man with rash. **Has immune problems, viral infections, constant throat problems**. Lives *approx 200 metres from mast*.
22. **MALE** - Infection in ear leading to deafness and buzzing in ear. Aged 33. Has lived here all his life.
23. **MALE** - nose bleeds and skin flaking all over. Toddler.
24. **MALE** - who has worked in the golf shop ever since it started, which is opposite the mast, has **Crohn's disease** diagnosed in 1995.
25. **FEMALE** - Was in house 18 months out of 3 years, It sounds like a different kind of rash. Was all over now in patches even under scalp Two years. 2 1/2 yrs. She has nosebleeds as well?
26. **FEMALE** - Mother of Female 25. **Memory loss**. In the last 6 months.

In August 2002 one lady of 70, who had been thought to be in good general health went into hospital for a routine operation on her knee. The operation went well but she died soon afterwards. This may or may not be connected with the illnesses described above.

In Summary: **25** people out of **53** have symptoms. There are **5 breast cancers**. 4 people who have had **lumps removed from their breasts**. 1 with **cervical cancer**. 3 With **rashes**. 4 with **low white blood cell counts**, 5 with **headaches**. (These can be unbearable and last several days), 3 with **hormone deficiency and early menopause**, 4 with **extreme tiredness**, 6 with **electric shocks**, 10 with **buzzing in the ears**. Most people have **sleep disturbances**, others have **constant tingling, numbness, pins and needles, sharp pin**

sensations, stiff joints, clicking joints, chest pains, and internal heat/burning sensation. Many say their symptoms improve when they are away from Wishaw. Several people have been asked by medics if they have worked with or been exposed to chemicals/radiation/drug or alcohol abuse. A number of affected people in Wishaw had very low neutrophils.

Curdworth Village near Wishaw a motor neurone disease

16. BURNLEY

where 37 people live. 6 have cancer two have died, and some have moved.

- 1. MALE - 3 to 5 yrs exposed to mast. 180 metres away. Humming, irregular heartbeat epileptic fits.**
- 2. FEMALE - Sleeping in the beam. Body gets heated up like sunstroke with heating and burning. "I was fit as a fiddle before I came here".**
- 3. MALE - One son has high blood pressure and hears the hum at night.**

17. STAFFORDSHIRE

VILLAGERS USING METALS FOR MAST PROTECTION

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By Emma Pinch, Birmingham Post

Villagers in Staffordshire are covering their walls with tin foil and zinc mesh to counteract the health hazards they believe are posed by mobile phone masts near their homes.

Residents living in Essington believe that the 20 or so telecommunications antennae that surround their village may have caused health problems ranging from skin rashes to child hood cancers.

Some people are now trying to counter what they see as the harmful electromagnetic radiation emitted by the masts by coating their walls and ceilings with various different substances and installing bronze strengthened windows. Two huge base stations stand on either side of the entrance to Essington.

A 53-metre mast structure stands on one side of Bognop Road and a 48-metre mast stands on the other, with a collection of aerials standing on each. A year ago an Orange mast went live on a defunct water tower in the village's Hawthorn Road and T-mobile is awaiting permission from the Department for Trade and Industry to put up a further mast. Villagers have written 100 letters in protest. "We are just surrounded by masts," said a village parish councilor. "We feel like we are under siege." She claimed a large number of people seemed to be contracting cancer in the village and there were fears locally that the problem was linked to the proliferation of mobile phone masts. "For example my brother-in-law has contracted cancer at 50 and there are at least three children suffering from leukaemia. Some people have skin rashes that won't go away. "My grandchildren have been suffering from headaches and insomnia. Our concern is that these are to do with the masts". This lady has replaced her windows with new glass, which is threaded with a bronze mesh, and has lined her loft space and ceiling with tin foil. She also has a portable sheet of fine nickel mesh for use in different rooms. Her two sons, who live with their families in houses nearby, coated various rooms in foil and nickel mesh when their children complained of headaches and insomnia. At least six other households in the village are following their example. A friend suffering from skin rashes is going to try a balaclava-style nickel head covering while others were investing in nickel bed drapes. This same lady said. "I should be out there getting the garden sorted out now spring is here," she said, "But I will only spend the minimum of time out-side now".

Bill Meridith, head of development control at South Staffordshire District council, said there were "quite a few" mobile phone masts in and around Essington because it bordered on the motorways. "Essington is very close to the M6 and the M54 and mobile phone companies target areas like this because of the heavy usage along these routes," he said.

A spokeswoman for Orange said the company had five masts in the area. "All our base station emissions meet safety levels set out by the International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection," she said. "As far as we are concerned if they comply there is no adverse impact on health".

IRELAND

18. CRANLOME HILL BALLYGAWLEY COUNTY TYRONE NORTHERN IRELAND

6 cancers in 5 houses. The houses are all next door to each other in a row about 100 metres from a mast which had 35 pieces of equipment on. This however is not the full count. There are people, on the other side of the small hill that the mast was on, that have also got cancer and died since the mast went up.

The amount of illness and death from cancer is to be investigated by the people on the side of the mast that we know about. One of the 6 people in the 5 houses who died of cancer recently is a man in his 50s with 7 children. (I speak of the mast in the past tense as it was mysteriously cut down on 14th Dec 2002)

19. SAINTFIELD NORTHERN IRELAND

There are 9 children within ½ a mile with leukaemia. There are also 6-7 adults with cancer.

There are two masts near a primary school. This is in a small town of about 3,000 people.

“Nature doesn’t put messages in microwaves”.

A woman whose child has leukaemia, but not from mast, has been to local authorities to check records on leukaemia. The community has got together and **decided that it has enough to cope with its grief and does not want publicity or phone calls.** Journalists have already chased them. This lady did however mention a farmer in Pentland who has himself put up a mast, which is 40 metres from his house, and now his son has cancer. This is highly confidential, as he can’t cope with what has happened and feels that he himself has caused his son’s illness.

20. LURGAN NORTHERN IRELAND

6 people on the perimeter of the football ground have been diagnosed with **cancer**. In one house a man and his wife both have cancer. One lady has died. The masts are in the football ground. The first went up in 1993. It is a vodaphone mast. In spite of the cancers, 4 new floodlights were put up in 2002 each carrying 8 pieces of telecoms equipment. (A piece of equipment means an antenna or a microwave dish.)

6 more masts were supposed to go up there last month.

A 37 year old male diagnosed with cancer 7 years ago in 1995. The first mast went up in 1993.

A Doctor in Belfast was quoted as saying that “In one street, everyone has cancer”.

WALES

21. MILFORD HAVEN SOUTH WALES

There are four streets around this mast, we only know about one. In this street **6** people have been diagnosed with **cancer, 4 are dead**. The newspaper article is about child who had been epileptic since she was 6 months old but had improved and been off medication since she was 2. When the mast went up she became severely epileptic to the extent of having 4, 5 or 6 fits a day. Her fits stopped when she was away from home, after one particularly good day at home her mother found that the mast had been switched off. The orange mast was 70 metres from her home. (This family have now moved)

22. STORMY DOWN VILLAGE IN MID GLAMORGAN SOUTH WALES

Health problems within 150 metres of two 15-metre radio towers. One has been up for 12 years, the other for 6.

1. **MALE** - 150 metres from mast has developed **lesions in the brain**. He now has severe **headaches**, is on prescription painkillers and can’t work. Aged 50.

2. **PARTNER** - *150 metres from mast* had had Crohn's Disease, which had been in remission. **This has now flared up again** and this person has also developed **Thyroid problems, skin rashes and ear infections**. Aged 50.
3. **MALE** - **Cancer of pancreas** gets headaches. 200 metres from mast.
4. **FEMALE** – Wife of Male 3 has **irritable bowel syndrome, headaches, sleep problems and feels abnormally tired**. She says that she has **“felt ill since the mast went up”**. Aged 40
5. **FEMALE** – Teenage daughter of 3 & 4 who has **severe nosebleeds and headaches, all family have headaches**.

23. VILLAGE NEAR PORT TALBOT MID GLAMORGAN

Where there has been a 15-meter vodaphone mast for 6 years (dated from 2002). At least **six** families close to a 15-meter vodaphone mast, which has been up for 6 years, (since 1996), have been struck by a **mystery illness. Symptoms include intense headaches, dizzy spells and a sinus condition which creates a burning sensation, and an unusually acute sense of smell.** (The discomfort from the sinus problems can be intense) Two of those concerned have **developed growths in the soft tissue of the sinus** which they have been told are non malignant.

1. **MALE** - **Growths in soft tissue of sinus** *200/300 metres from mast* Sense of smell altered. Man mid 40s
2. **MALE** - **Tumour behind eye** Severe headaches, intensified sense of smell. *200 metres from mast.* Has “never felt well since mast went up.” 40s.

It may be relevant that the area around the sinuses is loaded with magnetite (A magnetic substance that can be found in the bodies of animals and of human beings) and with iron. What effect electromagnetic fields /microwaves have on these or other ‘metals’ such as copper which is found in the blood is unknown. Perhaps in future the fact that iron and copper are found in the blood will be found to link up with the finding that electromagnetic fields and leukaemia seem to be linked. Scientists have looked at the possibilities but no work has been done on any of this.

It may also be relevant that it is medically confirmed that electromagnetic fields can impinge on the olfactory nerves – affecting the sense of smell.